PROPOSITIONS

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To be submitted June 14, 1927

Issued in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

By order of Board of Election Commissioners

Attest:

Registrar of Voters and Secretary of the Board of Election Commissioners.
BILL No. 7988. ORDINANCE No. 7512 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1927, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE SAID VOTERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO A PROPOSITION TO INCUR A BONDED DEBT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO TO THE AMOUNT OF ONE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND ($1,400,000) DOLLARS FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT KNOWN AS THE BERNAL CUT, WHICH CONSISTS OF A CUT, OR EXCAVATION WITH APPROACH FILLS, PROVIDING AN IMPROVED ROUTE FOR PUBLIC HIGHWAY PURPOSES IN THE CITY AND COUNTY WHICH BEGINS AT OR NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF RANDALL AND DOLORES STREETS AND EXTENDING SOUTHERLY TO A POINT AT OR NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF SAN JOSE AVENUE AND DIAMOND STREET IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, INCLUDING APPROACHES, STRUCTURES, PAVEMENTS, CURBS, SIDEWALKS, SEwers, DRAINAGE FACILITIES, THE READJUSTMENT OF INTERSECTING AND ADJACENT STREETS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS, AND THE PURCHASE OF NECESSARY LANDS.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of June, 1927, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the following proposition, to-wit: To incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of one million four hundred thousand ($1,400,000) dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent improvement, to-wit: A cut, or excavation with approach fills, providing an improved route for public highway purposes in the City and County of San Francisco known as the Bernal Cut, which improvement begins at or near the intersection of Randall and Dolores Streets and extending southerly to a point at or near the intersection of San Jose Avenue and Diamond Street in the City and County of San Francisco, including approaches, structures, pavements, curbs, sidewalks, sewers, drainage facilities, the readjustment of intersecting and adjacent streets and other improvements, and the purchase of necessary lands.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the permanent improvement described herein was by plans and estimates of the Board of Public Works procured through the City Engineer and filed with the Board of Supervisors on the 25th day of March, 1927, and was and is fixed by Bill No. 7985. Ordinance No. 7499 (New Series), in the sum of one million four hundred thousand ($1,400,000) dollars.

Section 3. By Bill No. 7985. Ordinance No. 7499 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of one million four hundred thousand ($1,400,000) dollars could be paid out of the annual revenue of the City and County in addition to the other necessary expenses thereof, or other funds derived from taxes levied for that purpose, and will require the incurring
of a bonded debt to the amount of one million four hundred thousand ($1,400,000) dollars for the purposes herein recited. The method and manner of payment of the estimated cost of said described permanent improvement are by the issuance of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount required therefor and the application of the proceeds arising from the sale thereof to defray the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said permanent improvement herein described.

Section 4. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed and the returns thereof made and the result thereof ascertained, determined and declared as herein provided and according to the laws of the State of California providing for and governing elections in the City and County of San Francisco, and the polls for such election shall be and remain open during the time required by said laws.

Section 5. The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and in addition to any other matter to be required by law to be printed thereon shall appear thereon the following:

“BERNAL CUT.” To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in such proposition, stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "YES." To vote against the proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in such proposition, stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "NO." Also said ballot shall have printed thereon the following: To incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of one million four hundred thousand ($1,400,000) dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent improvement, to-wit:

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A cut, or excavation with approach fills, and other improvements providing an improved route for public highway purposes in the City and County of San Francisco known as the Bernal Cut, which improvement begins at or near the intersection of Randall and Dolores Streets and extending southerly to a point at or near the intersection of San Jose Avenue and Diamond Street in the City and County of San Francisco. Bonds issued for such purpose shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per cent (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually.

Section 6. Where voting machines are used at said special election the said voting machine shall be so arranged that any qualified elector may vote for the proposition by pulling down a lever over the word "YES" under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper, or other material placed on the front of the machine and said act shall constitute a vote for the proposition, and by pulling down a lever over the word "NO" under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper, or other material placed on the front of the machine shall constitute a vote against the proposition. Said voting machines and the preparation of the same are to be used in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 96 of the Statutes of 1923.
Each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word "YES" appearing on the printed ballot, where printed ballots are used, shall constitute a vote in favor of, and to authorize, the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition; and each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word "NO" shall be counted as a vote not in favor of, and a refusal to authorize, the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition.

Section 7. The election precincts and the numbers, names and boundaries thereof for said special election, and the places of voting, and the officers to conduct such election, and all other necessary proceedings in that behalf, shall be respectively defined, designated, selected, appointed and had by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure and provide all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct said special election.

When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast at such election, and canvass the votes cast respectively for and against the proposition herein stated and make return thereof in time, form and manner required for the counting, canvassing and returning of votes cast at other municipal elections held in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Election Commissioners shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been received by said Board, canvass said returns and declare the result thereof in the manner provided by law for canvassing returns and declaring results in other elections, and shall also certify said results to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 8. If, at such special election, it shall appear that two-thirds of all the votes cast thereat were in favor of and authorized the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in said proposition, then such proposition shall be deemed to have been accepted by the electors and bonds will be issued to defray the cost of the permanent improvement described therein. Such bonds shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of such bonds shall be dated July 1, 1927, shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called "Bernal Cut Bonds."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 1400, both inclusive, and shall be payable seventy thousand ($70,000) dollars thereof five years from the date of said bonds beginning with the lowest numbers, and seventy thousand ($70,000) dollars thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 9. Said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
State of California.
City and County of San Francisco.

BERNAL CUT BOND.

NO. 1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer, on the first day of , 19 , one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually
January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereof attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of said City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the constitution and statutes of the State of California and the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of all qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the constitution or statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the constitution and statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. The full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor, and has caused the interest coupons hereto attached to be signed with the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1927.

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Mayor.

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Treasurer.

Countersigned: ..............................................................

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Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON

No. ................. $ .................

On ......................... 1, 19........, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City
and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, ...........
dollars ($.........) in gold coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1927, number ...........

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Treasurer.

FORM OF REGISTRATION

San Francisco, ........., 19....

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of ................., and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

................................................
Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment for said one million four hundred thousand dollars bonds issued under said proposition shall be the sum of sixty-three thousand dollars for the first five years from the date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the sixth year after the date of said bonds the sum of fifty-nine thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the seventy thousand dollars thereof due five years from their date have been paid, and for the seventh year after the date of said bonds the sum of fifty-six thousand seven hundred dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the seventy thousand dollars thereof due five years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for eighteen succeeding years until said bonds are all paid, sufficient for interest and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars by reason of the payment each year beginning five years from date of said bonds of seventy thousand dollars of said bonds, and the sum of seventy thousand dollars each year beginning four years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for nineteen years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax, and in the manner provided for such tax levy, the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Section 11. This ordinance shall be published for at least ten days in the official newspaper, and at the expiration of said ten days notice of such special election shall be given and published as required by law.

Section 12. This ordinance is the third of a series of ordinances which will be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure the acquisition, construction and completion of the permanent improvement named.

Section 13. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, April 25, 1927.

Ayes: Supervisors Colman, Deasy, Gallagher, Harvelson, Havenner,
BILL No. 8063. ORDINANCE No. 7516 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1927, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE SAID VOTERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO A PROPOSITION TO INCUR A BONDED DEBT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO TO THE AMOUNT OF FOUR MILLION ($4,000,000) DOLLARS FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT, TO-WIT: THE CONSTRUCTION, COMPLETION AND EQUIPMENT OF PERMANENT BUILDINGS IN OR ADJACENT TO THE CIVIC CENTER IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, TO BE USED AS A MEMORIAL HALL FOR WAR VETERANS AND FOR EDUCATIONAL, RECREATIONAL, ENTERTAINMENT AND OTHER MUNICIPAL PURPOSES, AND THE PURCHASE OF ALL EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS NECESSARY FOR SAID BUILDINGS.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of June, 1927, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the following proposition, to-wit: To incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of four million ($4,000,000) dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent improvement, to-wit: The construction, completion and equipment of permanent buildings in or adjacent to the Civic Center in the City and County of San Francisco, to be used as a memorial hall for war veterans and for educational, recreational, entertainment and other municipal purposes and the purchase of all equipment and furnishings necessary for said buildings.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the permanent improvement described herein was by plans and estimates of the Board of Public Works procured through the City Engineer and filed with the Board of Supervisors on the 11th day of April, 1927, and was fixed by Bill No. 7997, Ordinance No. 7501 (New Series) in the sum of four million ($4,000,000) dollars.

Section 3. By Bill No. 7997, Ordinance No. 7501 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of four million ($4,000,000) dollars could be paid out of the annual revenue of the City and County in addition to the other necessary expenses thereof or other funds derived from taxes levied for that purpose and will require the incurring of a bonded debt to the
amount of four million ($4,000,000) dollars for the purposes herein recited. The method and manner of payment of the estimated cost of said described permanent improvement are by the issuance of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount required therefor and the application of the proceeds arising from the sale thereof to defray the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said permanent improvement herein described.

Section 4. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and the returns thereof made, and the result thereof ascertained, determined and declared as herein provided and according to the laws of the State of California providing for and governing elections in the City and County of San Francisco, and the polls for such election shall be and remain open during the time required by said laws.

Section 5. The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and, in addition to any other matter to be required by law to be printed thereon shall appear thereon the following:

"MEMORIAL HALLS." To incur a bonded indebtedness in the sum of four million ($4,000,000) dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent improvement, consisting of public buildings in or adjacent to the Civic Center of the City and County of San Francisco, to be used as memorial halls for war veterans and for educational, recreational, entertainment and other municipal purposes and the purchase of all equipment and furnishings necessary for said buildings.

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein, stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "YES." To vote against the proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein, stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "NO."

| YES | NO |

Bonds issued for the acquisition, construction and completion of the permanent improvement herein described shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually.

Section 6. Where voting machines are used at said special election the said voting machines shall be so arranged that any qualified elector may vote for the proposition by pulling down a lever over the word "YES" under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine and said act shall constitute a vote for the proposition, and by pulling down a lever over the word "NO" under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine shall constitute a vote against the proposition. Said voting machines and the preparation of the same are to be used in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 96 of the Statutes of 1923.

Each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word "YES" appearing on the printed ballot, where printed ballots are used, shall constitute a vote in favor of and to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition and each cross (X) stamped in the
square to the right of the word "NO" shall be counted as a vote not in favor of, and a refusal to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition.

Section 7. The election precincts and the numbers, names and boundaries thereof for said special election, and the places of voting, and the officers to conduct such election, and all other necessary proceedings in that behalf shall be respectively defined, designated, selected, appointed and had by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and said board is hereby authorized and directed to procure and provide all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct such special election.

When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast at such election, and canvass the votes cast respectively for and against the proposition herein stated and make return thereof in time, form and manner required for the counting, canvassing and returning of votes cast at other municipal elections held in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Election Commissioners shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been received by said Board, canvass said returns and declare the result thereof in the manner provided by law for canvassing returns and declaring results in other elections, and shall also certify said results to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 8. If, at such special election, it shall appear that two-thirds of all the votes cast thereat were in favor of and authorized the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in said proposition, then such proposition shall be deemed to have been accepted by the electors and bonds will be issued to defray the cost of the permanent improvement described therein. Such bonds shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1927, shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called "Memorial Halls Bonds."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 4000, both inclusive, and shall be payable two hundred thousand ($200,000) dollars thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and two hundred thousand ($200,000) dollars thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 9. Said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
State of California.
City and County of San Francisco.
MEMORIAL HALLS BOND.

No. ................ $1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer, on the first day of .................., 19......, one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the
Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of said City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the constitution and statutes of the State of California and the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of all the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the constitution or statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the constitution and statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. The full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor, and has caused the interest coupons hereeto attached to be signed with the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1927:

.............................................. Mayor.

.............................................., Treasurer.

.............................................., Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON.

No. .................... $ .....................

On ........................ 1, 19 ...., the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, ................ dollars ($ ..........) in gold coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1927, number

.............................................., Treasurer.
FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco, ............................................, 19. ....

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of
San Francisco, State of California, in the name of ............................................,
and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

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Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said
four million dollars' bonds issued under said proposition shall be the sum of
one hundred eighty thousand dollars for the first five years from the date of
said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such
interest as it becomes due, and for the sixth year after the date of said bonds
the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars to pay and in season
to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the two
hundred thousand dollars thereof due five years from their date have been
paid, and for the seventh year after the date of said bonds the sum of one
hundred sixty-two thousand dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest
on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the two hundred thousand
dollars thereof due six years from their date have been paid, and so on, a
sum each year for seventeen succeeding years until said bonds are all paid,
sufficient for interest and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds out-
standing, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of
nine thousand dollars by reason of the payment each year beginning five
years from date of said bonds of two hundred thousand dollars of said
bonds, and the sum of two hundred thousand dollars each year beginning four
years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal
of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding
year for nineteen years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is
hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax, and
in the manner provided for such tax levy, the supervisors shall levy and collect
annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also
such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding
fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for
municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same
manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Section 11. This ordinance shall be published for at least ten days in
the official newspaper, and at the expiration of said ten days notice of such
special election shall be given and published as required by law.

Section 12. This ordinance is the third of a series of ordinances which
will be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure
the acquisition, construction and completion of the permanent improvement
named.

Section 13. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, May 2, 1927.

Ayes: Supervisors Byington, Colman, Deasy, Gallagher, Harrelson,
Havenner, Hayden, Kent, Marks, McSheehy, Powers, Schmidt, Shannon,
Stanton, Todd.

Absent: Supervisors Badaracco, Bath, Roncovieri.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved: San Francisco, May 2, 1927, 10:40 a. m.

JAMES ROLPH, JR., Mayor.
BILL No. 8024. ORDINANCE No. 7534 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE, 1927, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO A PROPOSITION TO INCUR A BONDED DEBT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO TO THE AMOUNT OF FOUR MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED THOUSAND ($4,700,000) DOLLARS FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO-WIT: THE EXTENSION OF THE MUNICIPAL STREET RAILWAY, OR SYSTEM OF STREET RAILWAYS, ALONG THE ROUTE OR IN THE TERRITORY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

FROM SCOTT AND CHESTNUT STREETS INTO THE MARINA TRACT, WEST OF SCOTT STREET AND NORTH OF CHESTNUT STREET; FROM THE MUNICIPAL RAILWAY TRACK AT MASONIC AVENUE AND TURK STREET INTO THE RICHMOND DISTRICT, CONNECTING WITH THE MUNICIPAL RAILWAY TRACKS RUNNING TO THE OCEAN BEACH; FROM THE MUNICIPAL RAILWAY TRACKS ON MARKET STREET AT DUBOCE AVENUE, THROUGH THE SUNSET-DUBOCE TUNNEL INTO THE SUNSET DISTRICT AND THROUGH THE SUNSET DISTRICT TO A TERMINAL NEAR THE OCEAN BEACH, WITH CONNECTING CROSSTOWN SERVICE WEST OF TWENTIETH AVENUE BETWEEN SAID EXTENSION AND THE EXISTING MUNICIPAL RAILWAY LINE ON TARAVAL STREET; FROM THE MUNICIPAL RAILWAY TRACKS AT FORTY-SIXTH AVENUE AND TARAVAL STREET, SOUTHERLY TO A TERMINAL NEAR WAWONA STREET AND FORTY-SEVENTH AVENUE; FROM THE MUNICIPAL RAILWAY TRACKS AT THIRTIETH AND CHURCH STREETS, SOUTHWESTERLY THROUGH THE BERNAL CUT, INTO THE EXCELSIOR DISTRICT, AT OR NEAR EXCELSIOR STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY THROUGH THE EXCELSIOR DISTRICT TO A TERMINAL AT GENEVA AVENUE; FROM SEVENTEENTH STREET AND MARKET STREET IN A SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION, TO, AT OR NEAR EUKEKA STREET AND MARKET STREET; THENCE IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION ON AND OVER EUKEKA STREET OR OTHER MOST FEASIBLE ROUTE TO TWENTY-THIRD STREET AT OR NEAR EUKEKA STREET; THENCE IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION ON AND OVER TWENTY-THIRD STREET OR OTHER MOST FEASIBLE ROUTE TO DIAMOND STREET; THENCE IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION ON OR OVER DIAMOND STREET OR OTHER MOST FEASIBLE ROUTE TO TWENTY-NINTH STREET; AN AUTOMOBILE BUS SERVICE FROM THE VICINITY OF SEVENTEENTH STREET AND POTRERO AVENUE BY THE MOST FEASIBLE
ROUTE TO THE VICINITY OF TWENTY-THIRD STREET AND WISCONSIN STREET, AND FOR SUCH OTHER EXTENSIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE TRACKAGE AND FACILITIES OF THE SAID MUNICIPAL RAILWAY SYSTEM AS MAY BE DEEMED NECESSARY, AND TO INCLUDE EQUIPMENT THEREOF, APPURTENANCES THERETO AND THE PURCHASE OF NECESSARY LANDS.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, the 14th day of June, 1927, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the following proposition, to-wit: To incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of four million seven hundred thousand ($4,700,000) dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit, the extension of the Municipal Street Railway or system of street railways along the route or in the territory described as follows: From Scott and Chestnut streets into the Marina Tract, west of Scott Street and north of Chestnut Street; from the Municipal Railway tracks at Masonic Avenue and Turk Street into the Richmond District, connecting with the Municipal Railway tracks running to the Ocean Beach; from the Municipal Railway tracks on Market Street at Duboce Avenue through the Sunset-Duboce Tunnel into the Sunset District and through the Sunset District to a terminal near the Ocean Beach, with connecting crosstown service west of Twentieth Avenue between said extension and the existing Municipal Railway line on Taraval Street; from the Municipal Railway tracks at Forty-sixth Avenue and Taraval Street, southerly to a terminal near Wawona Street and Forty-seventh Avenue; from the Municipal Railway tracks at Thirtieth and Church Streets, southwesterly through the Bernal Cut, into the Excelsior District, at or near Excelsior Street; thence southerly through the Excelsior District to a terminal at Geneva Avenue; from Seventeenth Street and Market Street in a southwesterly direction to, at or near Eureka Street and Market Street; thence in a southerly direction on and over Eureka Street or other most feasible route to Twenty-third Street at or near Eureka; thence in an easterly direction on and over Twenty-third Street or other most feasible route to Diamond Street; thence in a southerly direction on or over Diamond Street or other most feasible route to Twenty-ninth Street; an automobile bus service from the vicinity of Seventeenth Street and Potrero Avenue by the most feasible route to the vicinity of Twenty-third Street and Wisconsin Street, and for such other extensions and additions to the trackage and facilities of the said Municipal Railway system as may be deemed necessary, and to include equipment thereof, appurtenances thereto and the purchase of necessary lands.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility described herein was by plans and estimates of the Board of Public Works procured through the City Engineer and filed with the Board of Supervisors on the 1st day of April, 1927, and was and is fixed by Bill No. 7996, Ordinance No. 7500 (New Series) in the sum of four million seven hundred thousand ($4,700,000) dollars.

Section 3. By Bill No. 7996, Ordinance No. 7500 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of four million seven hundred thousand ($4,700,000) dollars could be paid out of the annual revenue of the City and County in addition to the other necessary expenses thereof.
or other funds derived from taxes levied for that purpose and will require the incurring of a bonded debt to the amount of four million seven hundred thousand ($4,700,000) dollars for the purposes herein recited. The method and manner of payment of the estimated cost of said described public utility are by the issuance of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount required therefor and the application of the proceeds arising from the sale thereof to defray the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said public utility herein described.

Section 4. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and the returns thereof made, and the result thereof ascertained, determined and declared as herein provided and according to the laws of the State of California providing for and governing elections in the City and County of San Francisco, and the polls for such election shall be and remain open during the time required by said laws.

Section 5. The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat and, in addition to any other matter required by law to be printed thereon, shall appear thereon the following:

"Municipal Railway Extension"—To incur a bonded indebtedness in the sum of four million seven hundred thousand ($4,700,000) dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, consisting of the extension of the Municipal Street Railway or system of street railways along the route or in the territory described as follows: From Scott and Chestnut Streets into the Marina Tract, west of Scott Street and north of Chestnut Street; from the Municipal Railway track at Masonic Avenue and Turk Street into the Richmond District, connecting with the Municipal Railway tracks running to the Ocean Beach; from the Municipal Railway tracks on Market Street at Duboce Avenue, through the Sunset-Duboce Tunnel into the Sunset District and through the Sunset District to a terminal near the Ocean Beach, with connecting cross-town service west of Twentieth Avenue between said extension and the existing Municipal Railway line on Taraval Street; from the Municipal Railway tracks at Forty-sixth Avenue and Taraval Street, southerly to a terminal near Wawona Street and Forty-seventh Avenue; from the Municipal Railway tracks at Thirtieth and Church Streets, southwesterly through the Bernal Cut, into the Excelsior District, at or near Excelsior Street; thence southerly through the Excelsior District to a terminal at Geneva Avenue; from Seventeenth Street and Market Street in a southwesterly direction to, at or near Eureka Street and Market Street; thence in a southerly direction on and over Eureka Street or other most feasible route to Twenty-third Street at or near Eureka Street; thence in an easterly direction on and over Twenty-third Street or other most feasible route to Diamond Street; thence in a southerly direction on or over Diamond Street or other most feasible route to Twenty-ninth Street; an automobile bus service from the vicinity of Seventeenth Street and Potrero Avenue by the most feasible route to the vicinity of Twenty-third Street and Wisconsin Street, and for such other extensions and additions to the trackage and facilities of the said Municipal Railway system as may be deemed necessary, and to include equipment thereof, appurtenances thereto and the purchase of necessary lands.

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "YES." To
vote against the proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word “NO.”

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Bonds issued for the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually.

Section 6. Where voting machines are used at said special election, the said voting machines shall be so arranged that any qualified elector may vote for the proposition by pulling down a lever over the word “YES” under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine and said act shall constitute a vote for the proposition, and by pulling down a lever over the word “NO” under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine shall constitute a vote against the proposition. Said voting machines and the preparation of the same are to be used in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 96 of the Statutes of 1923.

Each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word “YES” appearing on the printed ballot, where printed ballots are used, shall constitute a vote in favor of and to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition and each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word “NO” shall be counted as a vote not in favor of, and a refusal to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition.

Section 7. The election precincts and the numbers, names and boundaries thereof for said special election and the places of voting and the officers to conduct such elections and all other necessary proceedings in that behalf shall be respectively defined, designated, selected, appointed and had by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure and provide all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct such special election.

When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast at such election and canvas the votes cast, respectively, for and against the proposition herein stated and make return thereof in time, form and manner required for the counting, canvassing and returning of votes cast at other municipal elections held in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Election Commissioners shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been received by said Board, canvass said returns and declare the result thereof in the manner provided by law for canvassing returns and declaring results in other elections, and shall also certify said results to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 8. If, at such special election, it shall appear that two-thirds of all the votes cast thereat were in favor of and authorized the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in said proposition, then such proposition shall be deemed to have been accepted by the electors and bonds will be issued to defray the cost of the public utility described therein. Such
bonds shall be of the form and character known as "serials." All of said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1927, shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called "Municipal Railway Extension Bonds."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 4700, both inclusive, and shall be payable one hundred eighty-eight thousand ($188,000) dollars thereof eight years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and one hundred eighty-eight thousand ($188,000) dollars thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 9. Said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
State of California,
City and County of San Francisco.
MUNICIPAL RAILWAY EXTENSION BOND.

No. ................ $1,000.00

For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer, on the first day of .............., 19......, one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually January 1 and July 1, on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they respectively become due, both principal and interest being payable in gold coin of the United States at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of said City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and statutes of the State of California and the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of all the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. The full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall
sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that hereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor, and has caused the interest coupons hereto attached to be signed with the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1927.

Mayor.

Treasurer.

Countersigned:

Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON.

No. ........................ $.........

On ................................ 1, 19........, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer, at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York, ............... dollars ($...........) in gold coin of the United States, being six months’ interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1927, number ............

Treasurer.

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco, ....................... 19........

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of ....................... and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said four million seven hundred thousand dollars bonds issued under said proposition shall be the sum of two hundred eleven thousand five hundred dollars for the first eight years from the date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the ninth year after the date of said bonds the sum of two hundred three thousand forty dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the one hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars thereof due eight years from their date have been paid, and for the tenth year after the date of said bonds the sum of one hundred ninety-four thousand five hundred eighty dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the
one hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars thereof due nine years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for twenty-two succeeding years until said bonds are all paid, sufficient for interest and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of eight thousand four hundred sixty dollars by reason of the payment each year beginning eight years from date of said bonds of one hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars of said bonds; and the sum of one hundred eighty-eight thousand dollars each year beginning seven years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for twenty-four years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax, and in the manner provided for such tax levy, the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Section 11. This ordinance shall be published for at least ten days in the official newspaper, and at the expiration of said ten days notice of such special election shall be given and published as required by law.

Section 12. This ordinance is the third of a series of ordinances which will be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility named.

Section 13. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, May 9, 1927.

Ayes: Supervisors Badaracco, Bath, Colman, Gallagher, Harrelson, Havenner, Kent, McSheehy, Roncovieri, Schmidt, Shannon, Todd.

Absent: Supervisors Byington, Deasy, Hayden, Marks, Powers, Stanton.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved: San Francisco, May 9, 1927.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.
BILL No. 8025. ORDINANCE No. 7535 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE, 1927, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO A PROPOSITION TO INCUR A BONDED DEBT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO TO THE AMOUNT OF FORTY MILLION ($40,000,000) DOLLARS FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO-WIT: ALL OF THE PROPERTY, OR SUCH PORTION THEREOF AS MAY BE DEEMED NECESSARY, WATER RIGHTS, RIGHTS OF WAY, STORAGE RESERVOIRS, WATER WORKS, WATER SUPPLY, PUMPING PLANTS, LANDS WITHIN AND WITHOUT THE CONFINES OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO THAT SHALL BE DEEMED NECESSARY, AND DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM OF THE SPRING VALLEY WATER COMPANY, A PUBLIC UTILITY, NOW DISTRIBUTING WATER WITHIN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, USED OR USEFUL IN SUPPLYING WATER TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO AND TO ITS INHABITANTS, TO BE OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO FOR SUPPLYING WATER TO SAID CITY AND COUNTY AND TO THE INHABITANTS THEREOF.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, the 14th day of June, 1927, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said City and County the following proposition, to-wit: To incur a bonded debt of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount of forty million ($40,000,000) dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: All of the property, or such portion thereof as may be deemed necessary, water rights, rights of way, storage reservoirs, water works, water supply, pumping plants, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco that shall be deemed necessary, and distributing system of the Spring Valley Water Company, a public utility, now distributing water within the City and County of San Francisco, used or useful in supplying water to the City and County of San Francisco and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco for supplying water to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility described herein was by plans and estimates of the Board of Public Works procured through the City Engineer and filed with the Board of Supervisors on the 11th day of April, 1927, and was and is fixed by Bill No. 7998, Ordinance No. 7502 (New Series) in the sum of forty million ($40,000,000) dollars.

Section 3. By Bill No. 7998, Ordinance No. 7502 (New Series), it
was declared that no part of the said sum of forty million ($40,000,000) dollars could be paid out of the annual revenue of the City and County in addition to the other necessary expenses thereof or other funds derived from taxes levied for that purpose and will require the incurring of a bonded debt to the amount of forty million ($40,000,000) dollars for the purposes herein recited. The method and manner of payment of the estimated cost of said described public utility are by the issuance of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco to the amount required therefor and the application of the proceeds arising from the sale thereof to defray the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said public utility herein described.

Section 4. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and the returns thereof made, and the result thereof ascertained, determined and declared as herein provided and according to the laws of the State of California providing for and governing elections in the City and County of San Francisco, and the polls for such election shall be and remain open during the time required by said laws.

Section 5. The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and, in addition to any other matter required by law to be printed thereon, shall appear thereon the following:

"Spring Valley"—To incur a bonded indebtedness in the sum of forty millions ($40,000,000) dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: All of the property, or such portion thereof as may be deemed necessary, water rights, rights of way, storage reservoirs, water works, water supply, pumping plants, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco that shall be deemed necessary, and distributing system of the Spring Valley Water Company, a public utility, now distributing water within the City and County of San Francisco, used or useful in supplying water to the City and County of San Francisco and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by the City and County of San Francisco for supplying water to said City and County and to the inhabitants thereof.

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "Yes." To vote against the proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated herein stamp a cross (X) in the blank space to the right of the word "No."

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Bonds issued for the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually.

Section 6. Where voting machines are used at said special election the said voting machines shall be so arranged that any qualified elector may vote for the proposition by pulling down a lever over the word "Yes" under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine and said act shall consti-
stitute a vote for the proposition, and by pulling down a lever over the word “No” under or near a statement of the proposed proposition appearing on cardboard, paper or other material placed on the front of the machine shall constitute a vote against the proposition. Said voting machines and the preparation of the same are to be used in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 96 of the statutes of 1923.

Each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word “Yes” appearing on the printed ballot, where printed ballots are used, shall constitute a vote in favor of and to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition, and each cross (X) stamped in the square to the right of the word “No” shall be counted as vote not in favor of, and a refusal to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness for the purpose set forth in the proposition.

Section 7. The election precincts and the numbers, names and boundaries thereof for said special election, and the places of voting, and the officers to conduct such election, and all other necessary proceedings in that behalf, shall be respectively defined, designated, selected, appointed and had by the Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and said Board is hereby authorized and directed to procure and provide all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct such special election.

When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast at such election, and canvass the votes cast respectively for and against the proposition herein stated and make return thereof in time, form and manner required for the counting, canvassing and returning of votes cast at other municipal elections held in the City and County of San Francisco. The Board of Election Commissioners shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been received by said Board, canvass said returns and declare the result thereof in the manner provided by law for canvassing returns and declaring results in other elections, and shall also certify said results to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 8. If, at such special election, it shall appear that two-thirds of all the votes cast thereat were in favor of and authorized the incurring of a bonded debt for the purpose set forth in said proposition, then such proposition shall be deemed to have been accepted by the electors and bonds will be issued to defray the cost of the public utility described therein. Such bonds shall be of the form and character known as “serials.” All of said bonds shall be dated July 1, 1927, shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called “Spring Valley Bonds.”

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 40,000, both inclusive, and shall be payable one million ($1,000,000) dollars thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and one million ($1,000,000) dollars thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year until all of said bonds shall be paid.

Section 9. Said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form:

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
State of California.
City and County of San Francisco.
“SPRING VALLEY BONDS.”

No. $1,000.00
For value received, the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal
corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer, on the first day of .......... 19, one thousand dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually January 1 and July 1 on presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as they, respectively, become due, both principal and interest being payable in gold coin of the United States, at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or, at the option of the holder, at the fiscal agency of said City and County of San Francisco in the City and State of New York.

This bond is issued under and pursuant to the Constitution and Statutes of the State of California and the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and amendments thereto, and under and pursuant to ordinances and proceedings of said City and County duly adopted and taken, and a vote and assent of more than two-thirds of all the qualified electors of said City and County voting at a special election duly and legally called and held for that purpose.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required by law to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have existed, happened and been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said City and County, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution and Statutes of said State or Charter of said City and County, and that provision has been made as required by the Constitution and Statutes of said State and the Charter of said City and County for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of this bond on or before maturity. The full faith and credit of said City and County are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond.

This bond may be converted into a registered bond upon presentation to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in which event such Treasurer shall cut off and cancel the coupons of this bond, and shall sign a statement stamped, printed or written upon the back or face of the bond to the effect that this bond is registered in the name of the owner and that thereafter the interest and principal of this bond are payable to the registered owner. Thereafter and from time to time this bond may be transferred by such registered owner in person or by attorney duly authorized on presentation of this bond to the Treasurer, and the bond be again registered as before, a similar statement being stamped, printed or written thereon.

This bond is exempt from all taxation within the State of California.

In witness whereof, said City and County of San Francisco has caused this bond to be executed under its corporate seal, signed by its Mayor and Treasurer, and countersigned by its Auditor, and has caused the interest coupons hereto attached to be signed with the engraved or lithographed signature of its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1927.

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Mayor.

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Treasurer.

Countersigned:

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Auditor.
FORM OF COUPON.

No. ........................ $ ............... ........................

On ................................. 1, 19......, the City and County of San Francisco, California, will pay to bearer at the office of the Treasurer of said City and County, or at the option of the holder at the fiscal agency of the City and County of San Francisco, in the City and State of New York, ........... dollars ($ .................. ) in gold coin of the United States, being six months' interest then due on its bond dated July 1, 1927.

Number ..............................................................

FORM OF REGISTRATION.

San Francisco, ................................., 19......

This bond is registered pursuant to Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, in the name of .................., and the interest and principal thereof are hereafter payable to such owner.

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Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said forty million dollars bonds issued under said proposition shall be the sum of one million eight hundred thousand dollars for the first five years from the date of said bonds to pay the annual interest on said bonds, and in season to pay such interest as it becomes due, and for the sixth year after the date of said bonds the sum of one million seven hundred fifty-five thousand dollars to pay, and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the one million dollars thereof due five years from their date have been paid, and for the seventh year after the date of said bonds the sum of one million seven hundred ten thousand dollars to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the one million dollars thereof due six years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for thirty-seven succeeding years until said bonds are all paid, sufficient for interest and in season to pay interest on all of said bonds outstanding, which sum for interest will diminish each year by the amount of forty-five thousand dollars by reason of the payment each year beginning five years from date of said bonds of one million dollars of said bonds, and the sum of one million dollars each year beginning four years from the date of said bonds to pay and in season to pay the principal of such bonds as they respectively become due, and continuing each succeeding year for thirty-nine years until the principal of all of said bonds has been paid.

The purpose and intent of the foregoing tax provisions are, and it is hereby expressly provided, that at the time of levying the municipal tax, and in the manner provided for such tax levy, the Supervisors shall levy and collect annually a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on such bonds, and also such part of the bonded indebtedness as will fall due within the succeeding fiscal year. Such taxes shall be in addition to all other taxes levied for municipal purposes, and shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other municipal taxes are collected.

Section 11. This ordinance shall be published for at least ten days in the official newspaper, and at the expiration of said ten days notice of such special election shall be given and published as required by law.
Section 12. This ordinance is the third of a series of ordinances which will be adopted by the Board of Supervisors relating to and designed to secure the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility named.

Section 13. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, May 9, 1927.

Ayes: Supervisors Badaracco, Bath, Colman, Gallagher, Harrelson, Havenner, Kent, McSheehy, Roncovieri, Schmidt, Shannon, Todd.

Absent: Supervisors Byington, Deasy, Hayden, Marks, Powers, Stanton.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved: San Francisco, May 9, 1927.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.
INITIATIVE PROPOSITION

PETITION TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TO SUBMIT TO A VOTE OF THE REGISTERED AND QUALIFIED VOTERS, AT A SPECIAL ELECTION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

A PROPOSED ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF REFUSE IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO; PROVIDING FOR THE LICENSING OF REFUSE COLLECTORS BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH; FIXING THE MAXIMUM RATES OR CHARGES FOR THE COLLECTION OF REFUSE BY LICENSED REFUSE COLLECTORS FROM HOMES AND APARTMENT HOUSES; DIVIDING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO INTO COLLECTION ROUTES; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE ORDINANCE.

To the Honorable Board of Election Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco:

We, the undersigned registered voters and qualified electors of the City and County of San Francisco, and comprising with other registered voters and qualified electors whose names are signed to other papers of identical tenor and effect, a number of registered voters and qualified electors equal to ten per centum of the entire vote of all candidates for the office of Mayor of said City and County at the last preceding regular municipal election, hereby, in conformity with Article XI, Chapter 3, of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, petition your Honorable Commission to submit the following ordinance, "providing for the collection and disposal of refuse in the City and County of San Francisco; providing for the licensing of refuse collectors by the Board of Health; fixing the maximum rates or charges for the collection of refuse by licensed refuse collectors from homes and apartment houses, and dividing the City and County of San Francisco into collection routes; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of said ordinance", to a vote of the registered voters and qualified electors of said City and County of San Francisco for approval at a special election, to be submitted forthwith to said vote of said electorate of the City and County of San Francisco at said special election.

ORDINANCE No. ............. (New Series.) PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF REFUSE IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO; PROVIDING FOR THE LICENSING OF REFUSE COLLECTORS BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH; FIXING THE MAXIMUM RATES OR CHARGES FOR THE COLLECTION OF REFUSE BY LICENSED REFUSE COLLECTORS FOR HOMES AND APARTMENT HOUSES; DIVIDING CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO INTO COLLECTION ROUTES; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The term "refuse" as used in this ordinance shall be taken to
mean all waste and discarded materials from dwelling places, households and
apartment houses, including waste or discarded food, animal and vegetable
matter from kitchens of dwelling places, households and apartment houses,
waste paper, cans, glass, ashes and boxes and the cuttings from trees, lawns
and gardens.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to
dispose of refuse as defined in this ordinance except as herein provided.

Section 3. Refuse consisting of waste or discarded food, animal and
vegetable matter, discarded containers of food, animal and vegetable matter,
and ashes shall be collected and placed in suitable metal cans of sufficient
capacity by the householder or landlord of the dwelling place who by reason
of contract or lease with the occupant thereof is obligated to care for such
refuse, and delivered to a refuse collector to be disposed of as herein provided.
Waste paper and boxes and other refuse materials not subject to putrefaction,
or decay, and cuttings from trees, lawns and gardens may be placed in any
suitable container and delivered by the householder or landlord, who by reason
of contract or lease with the occupant of the dwelling is obligated to care for
such refuse and deliver same to a refuse collector, to be disposed of as herein
provided; provided, however, that it shall be optional with the householder or
landlord to deliver waste paper to a refuse collector, and the householder or
landlord may dispose of the same in any manner he may see fit. If the house-
holder or landlord elects to deliver waste paper to a refuse collector, the col-
lector shall receive the same and no additional charge shall be made for its
removal. Refuse which under the provisions hereof must be deposited in a
metal can of suitable capacity shall be removed daily from the dwelling where
the same is created and either delivered to a refuse collector or deposited in a
non-combustible container in some room or place not used for human habita-
tion, to be delivered therefrom to the refuse collector.

Section 4. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation,
other than a refuse collector licensed by the Board of Health as in this ordi-
nance provided, to transport through the streets of the City and County of San
Francisco, any refuse as in this ordinance defined, or to collect or to dispose
of the same, except waste paper. It is provided, however, that a license for a
refuse collector, as provided in Section 8 hereof, shall be distinguished from a
permit to operate, in the City and County of San Francisco on a certain design-
nated route, as hereinafter provided.

The City and County of San Francisco is herewith divided and established
into routes for the collection of refuse, as designated on a map of the City and
County of San Francisco, attached hereto, each said route to include only the
side of the street or streets bounding each route as designated by a number on
said map, said routes being numbered one to ninety-seven inclusive, and said
map and said routes are marked Exhibit A, and attached hereto and made a
part of this ordinance.

Any person, firm or corporation desiring to transport through the streets of
the city and County of San Francisco, any refuse as herein defined, or to
collect or dispose of the same, shall make application to the Board of Health,
for permission so to do. Said application for such permit shall contain the
name of the person, firm or corporation, any of the particular route or routes,
designated in said map of routes, proposed to be served by said person, firm or
corporation, and a statement that said person, firm or corporation will abide by
all the provisions of this ordinance, and will not charge a greater rate for the
collection and disposition of said refuse than that fixed in this ordinance.
The Board of Health shall grant such application for a permit, but may refuse the same when the route proposed is already adequately served by a licensed refuse collector. An application for a permit must be granted, however, by the said Board of Health, and it is mandatory on said Board to grant the same, when it shall appear in any said application for a route or routes by a person, firm or corporation, that twenty per cent or more of the householders, business men, apartment house owners, hotel keepers or residents in said route or routes, using refuse service, and paying for same, or obligated to do so, have signed a petition or contract in which they have stated that they are inadequately served by any refuse collector who is then collecting refuse on said route. That inadequate service is herein defined as the failure, on the part of any refuse collector, to properly collect refuse on said route, or the overcharging for the collection of same, or for insolvency towards persons whose refuse has been collected, or the collection by any refuse collector whose license has been revoked as provided in Section 9 hereof. Such permit so granted by the Board of Health shall not be exclusive, however, and one or more persons, firms or corporations may be given a permit to collect on the same route.

Persons, firms or corporations desiring to transport through the streets of the City and County of San Francisco, waste paper only, and to collect and dispose of same need not obtain a permit therefor from the Board of Health as for the collection of other refuse.

Section 5. All refuse collected by any refuse collector shall be incinerated at the San Francisco incinerator, located in the block bounded by Alameda, 15th, Rhode Island and DeHaro Streets, or at some other incinerator, hereafter designated by the Board of Supervisors in the City and County of San Francisco, or such other disposition, or by any other method designated by the Board of Supervisors, either by dumping at sea, or otherwise, as determined by the Board of Supervisors. It is provided, however, that metals may be melted at places other than at said incinerator.

That said incinerator shall be placed under the control of some person, firm or corporation designated by the Board of Supervisors and said person, firm or corporation, shall incinerate in said incinerator all refuse received, as herein provided, or the Board of Supervisors may provide for the dumping at sea, by any person, firm or corporation, or the disposition of refuse by any other means, as provided by law or ordinance of the City and County of San Francisco, and said person, firm or corporation incinerating, dumping at sea or otherwise disposing of said refuse as herein provided, may charge the refuse collector for such disposition, a charge which may be agreed upon between the refuse collector and said person, firm or corporation for so disposing of said refuse. Provided, however, that if such charge cannot be agreed upon, such charge shall be fixed and determined by the Board of Supervisors, but in no event, shall the charge exceed the maximum of one dollar per ton. Should any dispute arise between the refuse collector and the person, firm or corporation having control of said incinerator, or other disposition of refuse, as provided for by law, concerning the amount of such charge, pending the determination thereof by the Board of Supervisors as herein provided, the person, firm or corporation having charge and control of said incinerator or other disposition of the said refuse, shall continue such disposition until the matter of such charge will have been determined by the Board of Supervisors, and upon said determination, the refuse collector shall pay to the said person, firm or corporation, the amount fixed by said person, firm or corporation in charge of said incinerator for all refuse incinerated or otherwise disposed of pending said dispute.
Section 6. The maximum rates or charges for the collection and disposition of refuse, as herein defined, by the refuse collectors are hereby fixed as follows:

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The rates for more than 600 rooms in any one apartment house shall be subject to contract between the owner or lessee of the apartment house and a duly licensed refuse collector.

In determining the number of rooms of any household, building or apartment, in order to ascertain the rate for the collection of refuse therefrom, halls, alcoves, storerooms, bathrooms, closets and toilets shall not be considered as rooms, nor shall basements or attics be considered as rooms unless the same be occupied as living quarters.

Section 7. It shall be unlawful for any refuse collector to charge a greater rate for the collection and disposition of refuse than that fixed in Section 6 of this ordinance.

Nothing herein contained shall be taken or construed as preventing a refuse collector from charging a less rate or charge for the collection of refuse than that fixed in Section 6 of this ordinance.

Section 8. Each licensed refuse collector shall be assigned a number by the Board of Health. The Board of Health shall furnish each collector a metal badge on which is marked the number assigned the collector, who at all times while collecting refuse shall wear said badge in plain view. The Board of Health shall collect from each collector for the expenses of providing said badge and the issuance of said license the sum of $5.00. Each vehicle or wagon in which refuse is transported through the streets shall be assigned a number by the Board of Health and the number thereof shall be plainly marked thereon.

Section 9. The license, as distinguished from a permit herein, of any refuse collector, may be revoked by the Board of Health for failure on the part of the refuse collector to properly collect refuse, or for overcharging for the collection of same, or for insolvency towards persons whose refuse he is collecting, and it shall be unlawful for any person whose license is so revoked to collect refuse in the City and County of San Francisco.

No license of a refuse collector shall be revoked except upon a hearing of which the refuse collector has been given a notice of at least three days.

Section 10. Upon the payment of the rate fixed in this ordinance for the collection and removal of refuse, the person paying the same shall be entitled to, and there shall be delivered to him a receipt on which shall be shown the amount paid, the premises for which it is paid, the name and number of the
collector, the number of the vehicle or wagon and on the back of said receipt there shall be printed the following words:

"The rates for the collection of refuse are fixed by ordinance of the Board of Supervisors. A copy of the schedule of rates and the ordinance governing the collection of refuse may be obtained from the Board of Health. Complaints as to service should be made to the Board of Health."

Section 11. Disputes over charges made by collectors or as to the character of the service performed shall be decided by the Board of Health.

Section 12. A refuse collector shall be entitled to payment for the collection of refuse at the end of each month from each householder or landlord served by him and from whom the payment is due.

Section 13. Bill No. 5898, Ordinance No. 5503, New Series, providing for the collection and disposition of refuse in the City and County of San Francisco; providing for the licensing of refuse collectors by the Board of Health; fixing the maximum rate for charging for the collection of refuse by a licensed refuse collector; providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of this ordinance, is hereby repealed, and all bills or ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco heretofore repealed by Bill No. 5898, Ordinance No. 5503, are herewith repealed.

Section 14. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred (500) dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 15. This ordinance shall take effect ten days after the declaration of the official count of the votes cast therefor; provided, however, that for the purpose of issuing licenses to refuse collectors, application may be filed and the licenses issued during the period between the final approval of this ordinance and the date of its taking effect.
June 14, 1927

Voters of
San Francisco

The intrenched power of the Garbage Trust has defied you. If you would release yourselves from its clutches, if you would remove its tentacles from the Municipality of San Francisco, VOTE "YES" ON PROPOSITION No. 5 on the ballot.

City Garbage Removal Co., Inc.

By F. J. Demartini,
Secretary
Your Pocketbook is Supplying the Lifeblood to an Octopus whose Tentacles Reach into the City Hall!

San Francisco's garbage trust has waxed fat. This has been possible through an inadequate ordinance regulating the collection of refuse and arbitrary abuse of official power.

The passage of No. 5 will correct both evils.

This new ordinance, favored by more than 18,000 citizens of San Francisco who signed the initiative petition placing it upon the ballot has four outstanding advantages:

1.—Through a reduced schedule of maximum legal rates it will work a substantial reduction in the monthly garbage bill of San Francisco householders.

2.—It will return government where it belongs— to the people — through a provision requiring the Board of Health to grant permits for new scavenger service where twenty per cent of the householders want it.

3.—It divides the city into definite districts, making each scavenger directly responsible for the district in which he works and, through competition, forces reasonable rates and adequate service.

4.—Through carefully drawn regulatory provisions, the new ordinance will bring garbage collection in San Francisco into the status of a legitimate business, with a reasonable profit dependent upon good service upon the part of the scavenger himself.

As a citizen and voter of San Francisco you should know that the scavenger who collects garbage at your back door has made between $500 and $600 a month for the past decade—this in addition to a profit upon the operation of the city's incinerator officially estimated by the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors at $116,000 a year.

No accounting of the profit of the incinerator has ever been made to the city. No return has been made to the municipal government upon the taxpayers' investment of more than $400,000, and only those in the "inner circle" of the Scavenger Trust know where the money has been expended.

Meanwhile, through an arbitrary use of official power made possible by the existing garbage ordinance, the San Francisco Board of Health has fostered a combination in restraint of trade and assisted in the monthly drain upon San Francisco's pocketbook.

It is to correct these intolerable evils that the proposition designated as Number 5 on the ballot has been designed.

You, as a voter of San Francisco, can stop these abuses by casting your ballot for the new ordinance.

Don't fear that you will work an unreasonable hardship upon your scavenger. The new ordinance will allow him a reasonable profit upon his investment and his work, but it will compel him to give good service, stop graft, overcharges and insolence.

In short, it will make the householder and business man of San Francisco independent from the Garbage Trust.

The principles embodied in this ordinance have been endorsed by:

MORE THAN 18,000 SAN FRANCISCO VOTERS.

THE APARTMENT HOUSE OWNERS AND MANAGERS ASSOCIATION, Inc.

THE CALIFORNIA HOTELS ASSOCIATION.

THE PARK-PRESIDIO IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.
VOTE “YES” on Proposition No. 5 on the Ballot

Reduce garbage rates.
Create competition in garbage collection.
Better service through competition.
Stop graft.
Stop overcharges.
Stop insolence.
Stop independency.
Compel your scavenger to be your servant instead of your master.

This city is your home; break the garbage monopoly fortified by arbitrary official power.

Your VOTE of “YES” on PROPOSITION No. 5 on the ballot will convince certain city officials that citizens mean something sometime.
Arguments for Progress Bonds

Spring Valley Purchase
Municipal Railway Extensions
War Memorial
Bernal Cut

ELECTION JUNE 14, 1927
Arguments for Progress Bonds

To the Voters of San Francisco:

Four great needs of San Francisco are: 1. Cheaper and better water, to attract manufacturing and upbuild industry and employment. 2. Street car transportation into new districts which are swelling the city's resident and tax-paying population. 3. Better highway communication with the Peninsula region and the rest of California. 4. A fitting War Memorial, including a Veterans' Building; and added cultural facilities, in particular an opera house, symphony hall and art gallery.

All these great needs are met, and in no small measure they are solved, in the four bonding propositions to be passed upon by the voters on June 14. While the total of bonds to be voted upon is $50,000,000, it must be remembered that the $40,000,000 Spring Valley purchase bonds will be entirely self-supporting, and also the $4,700,000 Municipal Railway extensions bonds. The only bonds which will fall upon the tax rate, will be the $1,400,000 bonds for Bernal Cut, and the $4,000,000 bonds for the War Memorial. The interest upon these $5,400,000 worth of prime improvements, accordingly, will be approximately four cents in the tax rate.

If San Francisco is in any respects a backward city, it is because it has failed to vision its own future and to make proper provision for destined growth. Population and industry are certain to flow to this city in greater measure than most of us imagine. Only by clearing the way and removing economic handicaps can we meet the demands or reap the benefits that will be upon us.

Purchase of the Spring Valley Water System

Cities, especially seaport cities, compete against each other for every sort of industry. Manufacturers desiring to establish new plants always investigate the basic costs of operation. So, though to a lesser extent, do householders. First and foremost of the points of inquiry is WATER.
Cost of water, adequacy of total supply, water pressure bearing on safety from fire, are items of basic importance. So is the general water prospect as seen ahead over a term of years.

In all these respects, San Francisco has been at serious economic disadvantages in competition with other American cities, and, particularly, other Pacific Coast seaport cities.

Purchase of the Spring Valley Water Company by the city and its operation as a municipally owned public utility will mean a turning point in this regard. The entire city will feel relief and experience lasting benefits.

Our average water rate of 37 cents per 1000 gallons compares detrimentally with that of Los Angeles, 17 cents; Portland, 10 cents, and Seattle, 10 cents. These cities are all under municipal ownership of water, and as their bonds are retired, their water rates will be yet further reduced. We must place ourselves in position to overtake such competition without more delay.

All these cities, through proper management, have arranged ample intra-city storage of water, readily available under any natural emergency such as earthquake or fire. But San Francisco has only a three-day supply actually at hand. This is not enough. Under city ownership, large new reservoirs will be built at high level, giving us proper pressure and a 30-day water supply within the city. Sites are already partly acquired for these new reservoirs.

One immediate result will be the lowering of fire insurance rates—an attractive feature to industrial concerns.

Oakland is bringing its municipal water supply to rapid completion, with promise of lowered rates. San Francisco cannot afford to be behindhand.

Fruition of the great Hetch Hetchy water project depends entirely upon Spring Valley’s becoming, through purchase, a municipally owned system. The huge and excellent water supply now impounded on the upper Tuolumne river, in the Sierras, can only be distributed to our people through what is now the Spring Valley system. That system cannot in fact be duplicated; first, because the building of an entirely new system of mains within the city, involving the tearing up of every street in San Francisco, would be an outrageous economic waste costing untold millions; second, even if this were done, the two systems would be competing for the water business and both would fail financially. Monopoly in water is right and natural, but it should be publicly owned.
As pointed out above, no burden falls upon taxes, and the Spring Valley system, once the bonds are passed, will "buy itself" for the public. Nor will these $40,000,000 of bonds, large as the amount is, stand in the way of any other bonding project, for they are exempted from the city’s bonding limit.

Efficient management again is guaranteed through the Public Utilities Commission, embodied in a charter amendment to be voted upon by the people in 1928. This commission has full powers and will be independent of political influences. Until it is established, City Engineer M. M. O'Shaughnessy, one of this nation's foremost water experts, will have full charge.

Financial risk does not exist. The income is assured. Last year's income to Spring Valley from water sales was $6,066,847. Operating expense was only $1,359,000; taxes, depreciation, all other expenses, and the bond charges on $40,000,000, cannot by any system of figuring increase the total outgo above $4,250,000. There is a prospective annual surplus of $1,800,000 to $2,000,000 to apply to the twin purposes of—(a) Improving the system; (b) Reducing the water rate. Vote "YES."

**Municipal Railway Extensions**

Improvement clubs are familiar with the truth that district development means city development; and that transportation is the first essential of district development.

Our city is in the street railway business to stay. It has been and is extremely successful in giving the highest class of service at the lowest fare in the United States—five cents.

Despite this low fare, the Municipal system is paying all expenses, regularly increasing all its reserve funds, and has an operating surplus as a protection against temporary fluctuations. The profits are earned by the people of the city, and they are large. If local carfares were at the national average of 8 cents, the people of San Francisco last year would have paid $7,800,000 more in carfares than they actually did pay.

This kind of service is worth extending into the Sunset, Excelsior, Eureka Valley, Marina, southern Richmond, Parkside and southern beach districts. Those are the districts that must build up if our city is to grow in size. Given transportation, which they lack at present, they will build up very rapidly and give us new population.
The first duty of a Municipal railway system is to its owners, the people. Not a cent of subsidy from taxes has ever been given to the Municipal Railway system. Even if the present bond issue of $4,700,000 for these extensions had to be completely paid for out of taxes, it would pay; for the city would gain more new taxable wealth than it would lose. But nothing of the sort will happen; the city will gain this tremendous neighborhood development without cost in taxes, and without losing the five-cent fare. Given a short period of time, these new extensions will pay their own way out of carfares.

San Francisco must grow in home-building and home-owning. Vote “YES”.

The Bernal Cut

One of our traditional handicaps, since the automobile developed, has been the hilly barrier cutting the city off from the mainland or Peninsula. Narrow highways at this point have been called “The Bottle-Neck.”

The Bernal Cut, with the new construction now going on in San Mateo county, will forever obliterate the “Bottle-Neck” as far as the Mission road is concerned. An existing railroad cut, 4200 feet long, will be widened to 117 feet 6 inches, and will give fast-moving traffic a clear and level roadway around the “sink” that is now traversed by the Mission viaduct with its twin grades. From Mission street at Thirtieth, to the county line at Daly City, there will be a double highway—one, the present Mission road; the other, the Bernal Cut and San Jose avenue. Traffic will thus be divided and congestion relieved.

One of the important Municipal Railway extensions will run through the Cut at level-grade: the Excelsior District line. It will serve a district at present entirely without street-car transportation. The question has been raised whether the Cut should not be built by local assessment, like the Duboce tunnel and Twin Peaks tunnel. From the street railway point of view alone, probably it should, but its use as an all-city highway outlet justifies the bond issue, and it should pass. Vote “YES.”
The War Memorial

The land for the War Memorial is bought, and $1,200,000 cash is waiting in the bank. Thus the people of this city, by issuing $4,000,000 in bonds, will gain a beautiful public project costing almost $7,000,000. The rest is already donated privately or given by the city.

This group of buildings, occupying two entire blocks on one side of Van Ness avenue, with the City Hall opposite, will greatly beautify our city. The location is ideal. The purpose—to commemorate our heroes of the World War—is idealistic and patriotic.

The utilitarian value of these buildings, alone, merits their construction. One of them will be the Veterans' Building, housing all the veterans' organizations in San Francisco. It was to give these splendid organizations a permanent headquarters in the name of the public which honors their deeds that the War Memorial fund originally was launched.

The other building will contain San Francisco's long-needed Symphony Hall and Opera Auditorium. Originally this was planned for a less advantageous location at the eastern end of the Civic Center. We have one of the finest Symphony Orchestras in the United States, and it should have a fitting place in which to perform. The San Francisco Opera Chorus, with the Municipal Chorus, foreshadow the day when the musical productions here will take rank with those produced in Chicago and New York; and a home for all the future will here be provided, second to none in beauty. Art gallery and museum features also are included in the plans. The War Memorial deserves unanimous support. Vote "YES."

CIVIC LEAGUE OF IMPROVEMENT CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF SAN FRANCISCO.

W. W. WATSON,
President.

GEORGE W. GERHARD,
Secretary.
Resolution No. 27286 (New Series)

The following resolution was adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco at its meeting on Monday, May 16, 1927, and approved by Mayor James Rolph, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Civic League of Improvement Clubs and Associations has recommended to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco in favor of the acquisition of the Spring Valley Water System, the extensions of the Municipal Railways, the construction of the Bernal Cut, and the War Memorial project; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Registrar is hereby authorized and directed to include, on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, the arguments of the Civic League of Improvement Clubs and Associations in favor of those projects, with the sample ballots mailed to the voters, as provided in Section 10, Article XI, Chapter 3, of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.

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The foregoing arguments are approved and adopted by the Citizens' Campaign Committee for the San Francisco Progress Bonds.

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