

Proposed
Bond Propositions

to be submitted

August 26, 1930

and

**Statements of Candidates
for Members of Board
of Freeholders**

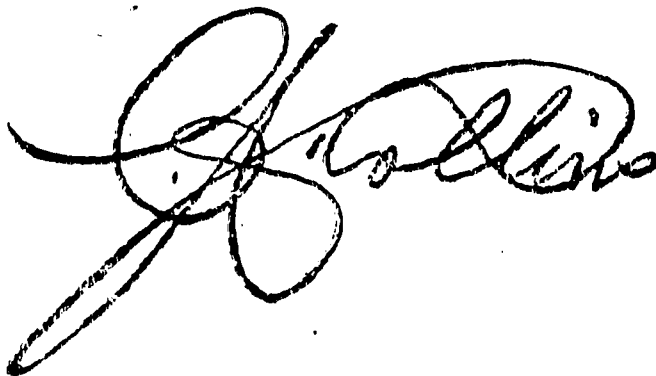
to be voted for

August 26, 1930

Issued in accordance with Section 9, Chapter III, Article XI
and Section 8 (a), Chapter II, Article XI of the Charter
of the City and County of San Francisco.

By order of the Board of Election Commissioners

Attest:



(Seal)

Registrar of Voters and Secretary of the
Board of Election Commissioners.

PRIMARY ELECTION AUGUST 26, 1930

FOR PERSONS NOT NOMINATED

NO

Plant at Red Mountain Bar
 Francisco incur a bonded debt of
 construction and completion of a
 ary lands and equipment at Red
 ty, California?

Non-Partisan Judicial and School Officers

JOHN W. Preston 35 Y Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, No. 1. Full Term VOTE FOR ONE	JOHN W. Shenk 40 N Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, No. 2. Full Term VOTE FOR ONE	BENJAMIN K. Knight 40 N Associate Justice District Court of Appeal First Appellate District, Division No. 1 FULL TERM VOTE FOR ONE	JOHN T. Nourse 41 Y Associate Justice District Court of Appeal First Appellate District, Division No. 2. Unexpired Term VOTE FOR ONE	HOMER R. Spence 42 Y Associate Justice District Court of Appeal First Appellate District, Division No. 2. Unexpired Term VOTE FOR ONE	FRANK T. Deasy 42 N Associate Justice District Court of Appeal First Appellate District, Division No. 2. Unexpired Term VOTE FOR ONE	C. J. Goodell 43 Y Judge of the Superior Court Number One VOTE FOR ONE	LEO R. Friedman 44 Y Judge of the Superior Court Number Two VOTE FOR ONE	EDMUND P. Mogan 44 N Judge of the Superior Court Number Three VOTE FOR ONE	FRANKLIN A. Griffin 45 Y Judge of the Superior Court Number Four VOTE FOR ONE	MICHAEL J. Roche 46 N Judge of the Superior Court Number Five VOTE FOR ONE	THOMAS F. Graham 47 Y Judge of the Superior Court Number Six VOTE FOR ONE	VERNON Kersey 48 N SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION VOTE FOR ONE	FRANK J. Egan 49 Y PUBLIC DEFENDER VOTE FOR ONE
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Study this Sample Ballot CAREFULLY so that when you go to Vote you can VOTE WITHOUT DELAY.

VOTE EARLY. Do not wait until the last minute. Polls Open from 6 A. M. to 7 P. M.

FREEHOLDERS—Vote for Fifteen

23-G JOHN R. McCallum	24-G KATHARINE McDermott	25-G WESLEY McKenzie	26-G LEO Michelson	27-G JES W. Bullen	28-G GEORGE R. Newsom	29-G R. H. Norton	30-G GRACE Perego	31-G C. C. Ringole	32-G MILTON D. Sapiro	33-G ALBERT Schroepfer	34-G JOHN E. Scully	35-G ROBERT M. Searls	36-G ARTHUR J. Sullivan	37-G DAVID F. Supple	38-G LOUIS Traung	39-G ADOLPH Uhl	40-G T. C. Van Ness, Jr.	41-G EARLE ASHLEY Walcott	42-G TRUMAN S. Waterman	43-G THOMAS DANFORTH Boardman	44-G ARTHUR W. Brouillet	45-G LEWIS F. Byington	46-G C. HAROLD Cautfield	47-G W. E. Chapman	48-G LOUIS T. Crazz	49-G LEO A. Cummings
23-H JOSEPH R. Curley	24-H THOMAS Doyle	25-H JOHN S. Drew	26-H WALTER H. Duane	27-H FRANK Fischer	28-H THOS. M. Foley	29-H HAVELOCK Fourness	30-H HAN S. Frank	31-H HUGH Gallagher	32-H THOMAS P. Garrity	33-H CHAS. J. Gavin, Jr.	34-H WILLIAM H. George	35-H ELIZABETH Gerberding	36-H HARRY W. Glensor	37-H JULIUS S. Godeau	38-H FELIX Gross	39-H EUGENE L. Grunsky	40-H JAMES M. Hanley	41-H ARTHUR J. Healy	42-H THEODORE Johnson	43-H SAM Jones	44-H FRANCIS V. Keestling	45-H WASHINGTON IRVING Kohnke	46-H JOHN S. Lawlor	47-H STEPHEN Malatesta	48-H EVAN S. Marovich	

PULL DOWN. TO VOTE FOR or AGAINST BOND PROPOSITIONS, pull down POINTERS over "YES" or "NO" as you may desire to express your choice and LEAVE THEM DOWN.

pull down H and vote for fifteen FREEHOLDERS! pulling down POINTERS over the names of the CANDIDATES for whom you wish to vote and LEAVE THEM DOWN.

office title card and write name of CANDIDATE on roll thereunder.

HANDLE at top of MACHINE to the LEFT as far as it will go and you have voted and your vote registered.

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PROPOSITION No. 1

**Bond proposition to acquire a portion
of the properties of Pacific Gas and
Electric Company.**

BILL No. 9264. ORDINANCE No. 8772 (New Series), as follows: CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1930, 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-FOUR MILLION SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$44,600,000) FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO-WIT: THE ELECTRIC GENERATING AND DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM OF THE PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, LANDS WITHIN AND WITHOUT THE CONFINES OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, ALL PROPERTIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR THE CONDUCT OF SUCH SYSTEM, WHICH PROPERTIES ARE MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN THAT DOCUMENT DESIGNATED "EXHIBIT A," WHICH IS ATTACHED TO APPLICATION NO. 9768, WITH AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED WITH THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON THE 11TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1924, AND ALL ADDITIONS AND BETTERMENTS TO SAID SYSTEM

MADE SUBSEQUENT TO THE 11TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1924, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPLYING ELECTRIC ENERGY TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO AND TO ITS INHABITANTS, TO BE OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY SAID CITY AND COUNTY.

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 26th day of August, 1930, 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-four million six hundred thousand dollars (\$44,600,000) for a public utility, to-wit: The acquisition of the electric generating and distributing system of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco, all properties and equipment necessary for the conduct of such system, which properties are more particularly described in that document designated "Exhibit A," which is attached to Application No. 9768, with amendments thereto, filed with the Railroad Commission of the State of California on the 11th day of February, 1924, and all additions and betterments to said system made subsequent to the 11th day of February, 1924, for the purpose of supplying electric energy to the City and County of San Francisco and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by said City and County.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition of the public utility herein described 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 14th day of April, 1930, and was and is fixed by Resolution No. 32574 (New Series) in the sum of forty-four million six hundred thousand dollars (\$44,600,000).

Section 3. By Resolution No. 32574 (New Series) it was

Declared that no part of the said sum of forty-four million six hundred thousand dollars (\$44,600,000) 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-four million six hundred thousand dollars (\$44,600,000) for the purpose 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 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:

"To incur a bonded debt in the sum of forty-four million six hundred thousand dollars (\$44,600,000) for the acquisition of the electric generating and distributing system of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco, all properties and equipment necessary for the conduct of such system, which properties are more particularly described in that document designated 'Exhibit A,' which is attached to Application No. 19768, with amendments thereto, filed with the Railroad Commission of the State of California on the 11th day of February, 1924, and all additions and betterments to said system made subsequent to the 11th day of February, 1924, for the purpose of supplying electric energy to the City and County of San Francisco

and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by said City and County."

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in said 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."

YES	
NO	

Bonds issued for the acquisition of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent 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 returns 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, 1931, 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 "Electric Bonds."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 44,600, both inclusive, and shall be payable \$1,115,000 thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and \$1,115,000 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:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

State of California,

City and County of San Francisco.

"ELECTRIC 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 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 signatures of

its Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of July, 1931.

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Mayor.

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Treasurer.

Countersigned:

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Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON

No.....

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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, 1931, 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.

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Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said \$44,600,000 bonds shall be the sum of \$2,007,000 per

annum 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 \$1,956,825 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$1,115,000 thereof due five years from their date have been paid, and for the seventh year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$1,906,650 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$1,115,000 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 \$50,175 by reason of the payment each year beginning five years from the date of said bonds of \$1,115,000 of said bonds, and the sum of \$1,115,000 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 shall take effect immediately.

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, June 9, 1930.

Ayes: Supervisors Andriano, Canepa, Colman, Gallagher,

Havener, McGovern, McSheehy, Miles, Peyser, Power, Rossi,
Dvieri, Rossi, Shannon, Spaulding, Stanton, Suhr, Toner.

Absent: Supervisor Hayden.

J. S. DUNNIGAN,
Clerk.

Approved: San Francisco, June 10, 1930.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

PROPOSITION No. 2

**Bond proposition to acquire a portion
of the properties of the Great Western
Power Company.**

BILL No. 9265. ORDINANCE No. 8773 (New Series), as follows: CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE 26th DAY OF AUGUST, 1930, 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 EIGHTEEN MILLION NINE HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$18,945,000) FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO-WIT: THE ELECTRICAL GENERATING AND DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM OF THE GREAT WESTERN POWER COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, LANDS WITHIN AND WITHOUT THE CONFINES OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, ALL PROPERTIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR THE CONDUCT OF SUCH SYSTEM, WHICH PROPERTIES ARE MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN THAT DOCUMENT DESIGNATED "EXHIBIT A," WHICH IS ATTACHED TO APPLICATION No. 9767, WITH AMENDMENTS THERETO, FILED WITH THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA ON THE 11th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1924, AND ALL ADDITIONS AND BETTERMENTS TO SAID SYSTEM MADE SUB-

SEQUENT TO THE 11th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1924,
FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPLYING ELECTRIC EN-
ERGY TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRAN-
CISCO AND TO ITS INHABITANTS, TO BE OWNED
AND CONTROLLED BY SAID CITY AND COUNTY.

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 26th day of August, 1930, 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 eighteen million nine hundred forty-five thousand dollars (\$18,945,000) for a public utility, to-wit: The acquisition of the electric generating and distributing system of the Great Western Power Company of California, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco, all properties and equipment necessary for the conduct of such system, which properties are more particularly described in that document designated "Exhibit A," which is attached to Application No. 9767 with Amendments thereto, filed with the Railroad Commission of the State of California on the 11th day of February, 1924, and all additions and betterments to said system made subsequent to the 11th day of February, 1924, for the purpose of supplying electric energy to the City and County of San Francisco and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by said City and County.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition of the public utility herein described 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 14th day of April, 1930, and was and is fixed by Resolution No. 32575 (New Series) in the sum of eighteen million nine hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$18,945,000).

Section 3. By Resolution No. 32575 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of eighteen million nine hun-

Eighteen million nine hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$18,945,000) 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 eighteen million nine hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$18,945,000) for the purpose 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 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:

"To incur a bonded debt in the sum of eighteen million nine hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$18,945,000) for the acquisition of a public utility, to-wit: The electric generating and distributing system of the Great Western Power Company of California, lands within and without the confines of the City and County of San Francisco, all properties and equipment necessary for the conduct of such system, which properties are more particularly described in that document designated 'Exhibit A,' which is attached to Application No. 9767 with amendments thereto, filed with the Railroad Commission of the State of California on the 11th day of February, 1924, and all additions and betterments to said system made subsequent to the 11th day of February, 1924, for the purpose of supplying electric energy to the City and County of San Francisco and to its inhabitants, to be owned and controlled by said City and County."

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in said 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".

YES	
NO	

Bonds issued for the acquisition of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent 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 place 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 the election shall count the ballots cast at such election and canvass the votes cast, respectively, for and against the proposition herein stated, and make returns 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, 1931, shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of \$1000 each, and the principal and

interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called "Electric Bonds".

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 18945, both inclusive, and shall be payable \$474,000 thereof five years from the date of said bonds beginning with the lowest numbers, and \$474,000 thereof the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year, and in the final year the sum of \$459,000 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

"ELECTRIC 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 $4\frac{1}{2}$ 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 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, 1931.

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Mayor.

.....
Treasurer.

Countersigned:

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Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON

No.....

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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, 1931, 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.

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Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said \$18,945,000 bonds shall be the sum of \$852,525 per

annum for the first 5 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 6th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$831,195, to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$474,000 thereof due 5 years from their date have been paid, and for the 7th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$809,865, to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$474,000 thereof due 6 years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for 37 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 \$21,330 by reason of the payment each year, beginning 5 years from the date of said bonds, of \$474,000 of said bonds, and the sum of \$474,000 each year, beginning 4 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 39 years, except that in the final year of said 39 years the sum shall be \$495,000 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 shall take effect immediately

Finally Passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, June 9, 1930.

Ayes: Supervisors Andriano, Canepa, Colman, Gallagher,

Havenner, McGovern, McSheehy, Miles, Peyser, Power, Ron-
covieri, Rossi, Shannon, Spaulding, Stanton, Suhr, Toner.

Absent: Supervisor Hayden.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk. |

Approved: San Francisco, June 10, 1930.

JAMES ROLPH, JR., |
Mayor.

PROPOSITION No. 3

Bond proposition to construct Transmission Lines from Newark, Calif.

BILL No. 9301. ORDINANCE No. 8790 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, ON TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1930, 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 THREE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,525,000) FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO-WIT: A DOUBLE CIRCUIT HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINE FROM NEWARK, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, AND ALL NECESSARY RIGHTS-OF-WAY; TO RAISE THE TRANSMISSION VOLTAGE OF THE PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY'S STEP-DOWN STATION IN VISITACION VALLEY, SAN MATEO COUNTY, ADEQUATE TO HANDLE THE ELECTRIC POWER GENERATED FROM THE PLANTS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO; TO REGULATE VOLTAGE, CORRECT POWER FACTOR, STABILIZE THE LINES AND TO INSTALL NECESSARY SYNCHRONOUS CONDENSER EQUIPMENT; TO MAKE NECESSARY

CONNECTIONS BETWEEN THE TWO SYSTEMS, INCLUDING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW ELECTRIC SUBSTATION AND ALL NECESSARY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT, ALL IF, WHEN AND IN THE EVENT THE PEOPLE OF SAN FRANCISCO VOTE TO TAKE OVER THE ELECTRIC GENERATING AND DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM OF THE GREAT WESTERN POWER COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA AND/OR THE PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY; TO BE OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY SAID CITY AND COUNTY.

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 26th day of August, 1930, 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 three million five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$3,525,000) for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: A double circuit high voltage electric transmission line from Newark, Alameda County, California, to the City and County of San Francisco, and all necessary rights-of-way; to raise the transmission voltage of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's stepdown station in Visitation Valley, San Mateo County, adequate to handle the electric power generated from the plants of the City and County of San Francisco; to regulate voltage, correct power factor, stabilize the lines, and to install necessary synchronous condenser equipment; to make necessary connections between the two systems, including the construction of a new electric substation and all necessary machinery and equipment, all if, when and in the event the people of San Francisco vote to take over the electric generating and distributing system of the Great Western Power Company of California and/or the Pacific Gas and Electric Company; to be owned and controlled by said City and County.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construc-

tion and completion of the public utility herein described 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 30th day of June, 1930, and was and is fixed by Resolution No. 32764 (New Series) in the sum of three million five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$3,525,000).

Section 3. By Resolution No. 32764 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of three million five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$3,525,000) 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 three million five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$3,525,000) for the purposes herein recited. The method and manner of payment of the estimated cost of said described public utility are by 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:

"To incur a bonded debt in the sum of three million five hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$3,525,000) for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit:

"A double circuit high voltage electric transmission line from Newark, Alameda County, California, to the City and County of San Francisco, and all necessary rights-of-way; to raise the transmission voltage of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's

stepdown station in Visitacion Valley, San Mateo County, adequate to handle the electric power generated from the plants of the City and County of San Francisco; to regulate voltage, correct power factor, stabilize the lines, and to install necessary synchronous condenser equipment; to make necessary connections between the two systems, including the construction of a new electric substation and all necessary machinery and equipment, all if, when and in the event the people of San Francisco vote to take over the electric generating and distributing system of the Great Western Power Company of California and/or the Pacific Gas and Electric Company; to be owned and controlled by said City and County."

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in said 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".

YES	
NO	

Bonds issued for the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent 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 returns 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, 1931, shall bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of \$1000 each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called "Transmission Line Bonds."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 3,525, both inclusive, and shall be payable \$88,000 thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and \$88,000 thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year, and in the final year the sum of \$93,000 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

"TRANSMISSION LINE 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 $4\frac{1}{2}$ 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 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, 1931.

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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, 1931, 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.

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Treasurer.

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said \$3,525,000 bonds shall be the sum of \$158,625 per annum for the first 5 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 6th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$154,665 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$88,000 thereof due 5 years from their date have been paid, and for the 7th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$150,705 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$88,000 thereof due 6 years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for 37 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 \$3,960 by reason of the payment each year beginning 5 years from the date of said bonds of \$88,000 of said bonds, and the sum of \$88,000 each year beginning 4 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 39 years, except that in the final year of said 39 years the sum shall be \$93,000, 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 shall take effect immediately.

Finally passed— Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, July 14, 1930.

Ayes: Supervisors Canepa, Havenner, Hayden, McGovern, McSheehy, Miles, Peyser, Roncovieri, Rossi, Shannon, Sutr, Toner.

Noes: Supervisors Andriano, Colman, Spaulding.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Power, Stanton.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk. |

Approved San Francisco, July 14, 1930.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor. |

PROPOSITION No. 4

Bond Proposition to construct Power House at Red Mountain Bar, Tuolumne County.

BILL No. 9302. ORDINANCE No. 8791 (New Series). CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO ON TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1930, 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 ONE MILLION AND FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,045,000) FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC UTILITY, TO WIT: NECESSARY LANDS, POWER HOUSE AND ALL NECESSARY MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING HYDRO-ELECTRIC ENERGY AT THAT CERTAIN POINT IN TUOLUMNE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, WHERE THE HETCH HETCHY AQUEDUCT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO PASSES UNDER THE DON PEDRO RESERVOIR AT RED MOUNTAIN BAR, TO BE OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY SAID CITY AND COUNTY.

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 26th day of August, 1930, 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 and forty-five thousand dollars (\$1,045,000) for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to wit: Necessary lands, power house and all necessary machinery, equipment, materials and supplies for the purpose of developing hydro-electric energy at that certain point in Tuolumne County, California, where the Hetch Hetchy aqueduct of the City and County of San Francisco passes under the Don Pedro Reservoir at Red Mountain Bar, to be owned and controlled by said City and County.

Section 2. The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein described 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 30th day of June, 1930, and was and is fixed by Resolution No. 32765 (New Series) in the sum of One million and forty-five thousand dollars (\$1,045,000).

Section 3. By Resolution No. 32765 (New Series) it was declared that no part of the said sum of One million and forty-five thousand dollars (\$1,045,000) 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 and forty-five thousand dollars (\$1,045,000) 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:

"To incur a bonded debt in the sum of One million and forty-five thousand dollars (\$1,045,000) for the acquisition, construction and completion of a public utility, to-wit: Necessary lands, power house and all necessary machinery, equipment, materials and supplies for the purpose of developing hydro-electric energy at that certain point in Tuolumne County, California, where the Hetch Hetchy aqueduct of the City and County of San Francisco passes under the Don Pedro Reservoir at Red Mountain Bar, to be owned and controlled by said City and County."

To vote for the proposition and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount of and for the purpose stated in said 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."

YES	
NO	

Bonds issued for the acquisition, construction and completion of the public utility herein described shall bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent 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 returns 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, 1931, shall bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, shall be of the denomination of \$1,000 each, and the principal and interest thereof shall be payable in gold coin of the United States. Said bonds shall be called

"RED MOUNTAIN POWER BONDS."

Bonds issued for the purpose stated shall be numbered from 1 to 1045, both inclusive, and shall be payable \$35,000 thereof five years from the date of said bonds, beginning with the lowest numbers, and \$35,000 thereof of the next higher numbers on the same day in each succeeding year, and in the final year the sum of \$30,000 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

"RED MOUNTAIN POWER 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 $4\frac{1}{2}$ 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 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, 1931.

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Mayor.

.....
Treasurer.

Countersigned:

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Auditor.

FORM OF COUPON

No.....

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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, 1931, 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. 1

Section 10. The amount of tax levy to be made for the payment of said \$1,045,000 bonds shall be the sum of \$47,025 per annum for the first 5 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 6th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$45,450 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$35,000 thereof due 5 years from their date have been paid, and for the 7th year after the date of said bonds the sum of \$43,875 to pay and in season to pay the interest on such of said bonds as remain outstanding after the \$35,000 thereof due 6 years from their date have been paid, and so on, a sum each year for 27 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 \$1,575 by reason of the payment each year beginning 5 years from the date of said bonds of \$35,000 of said bonds, and the sum of \$35,000 each year beginning 4 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 29 years, except that in the final year of said 29 years the sum shall be \$30,000, 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 shall take effect immediately.

Finally passed—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, July 14, 1930.

Ayes: Supervisors Andriano, Canepa, Colman, Havenner, Hayden, McGovern, McSheehy, Miles, Peyser, Roncovieri, Rossi, Shannon, Spaulding, Stanton, Suhr, Toner.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Power.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved San Francisco, July 14, 1930.

JAMES ROLPH, JR.,
Mayor.

Election Proclamation of Mayor

and

Statements of Candidates for Members of Board of Freeholders

Special Election

August 26, 1930

Election Proclamation

PROCLAMATION FOR THE ELECTION OF A BOARD OF FIFTEEN FREEHOLDERS TO FRAME A NEW CHARTER FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 8 OF ARTICLE XI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

City and County of San Francisco,
State of California.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco did on the 30th day of June, 1930, adopt an ordinance calling a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco, on the 26th day of August, 1930, for the purpose of electing a Board of fifteen Freeholders for the purpose of framing and preparing a new charter for said City and County, pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, which said ordinance is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

“Bill No. 9282, Ordinance No. 8789 (New Series), as follows:

CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, AND FIXING A DATE FOR SAID ELECTION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHOOSING A BOARD OF FIFTEEN FREEHOLDERS, WHICH SAID FREEHOLDERS, WHEN CHOSEN BY THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, SHALL PREPARE AND FRAME A NEW CHARTER FOR SAID CITY AND COUNTY, SO THAT THE SAME MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SAID CITY AND COUNTY, ALL AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 8 OF ARTICLE XI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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

Section 1. Whereas, the City and County of San Francisco is a city and county in the State of California, containing a popu-

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lation of more than thirty-five hundred inhabitants, as ascertained by the last preceding census taken under the authority of the Congress of the United States; and

Section 2. Whereas, the said City and County of San Francisco has heretofore adopted a Charter in conformity with the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California; and

Section 3. Whereas, more than thirty years has now elapsed since the original adoption of said Charter, and the same is now, as a result of numerous amendments, in many respects confusing, and contains provisions which are conflicting and obsolete.

Section 4. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby call a special election, to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, the 26th day of August, 1930, and does hereby fix Tuesday, August 26th, 1930, as the date for a special election, for the election and choosing of a board of fifteen freeholders by the electors of the City and County of San Francisco, which said board of freeholders shall prepare and frame a new Charter for said City and County.

Section 5. That said board of freeholders, when elected and chosen, shall frame and prepare said Charter and cause the same to be submitted to the electors of the City and County of San Francisco for their approval, within the time and in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of California.

Section 6. Any person to be eligible for election to said board of freeholders must be a freeholder within the City and County of San Francisco and must, for a period of at least five years prior to the date of his or her candidacy for said office, have been an elector of said City and County.

Section 7. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage."

AND WHEREAS, the Registrar of Voters of the City and County of San Francisco has, pursuant to law and the charter of the City and County of San Francisco, certified the public offices to be filled at said special election, together with the names of the candidates who have been duly nominated pursuant to law

and who are entitled to have their names printed upon the ballot as provided by law and by said charter for said election. •

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JAMES ROLPH, Jr., Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, and presiding officer of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County, in obedience and pursuant to the aforesaid ordinance, hereby proclaim a special election to be held in the said City and County of San Francisco, and in the whole and every part thereof, upon the 26th day of August, 1930, which said election shall be held in the manner provided by law, to elect a board of fifteen freeholders to frame and prepare a new charter for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of said State. I further proclaim that the following annexed list of candidates, together with the offices to be filled at said special election, constitutes the list of candidates who have been nominated pursuant to law and said charter of the City and County of San Francisco, as certified by the Registrar of Voters of said City and County.

Done at my office in the City and County of San Francisco on this 31st day of July, 1930.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

(Seal)

ANGELO J. ROSSI,

Acting Mayor of the City and County
of San Francisco and presiding officer
of said Board of Supervisors.

(Attest:

J. S. DUNNIGAN,

Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

For Member of Board of Freeholders

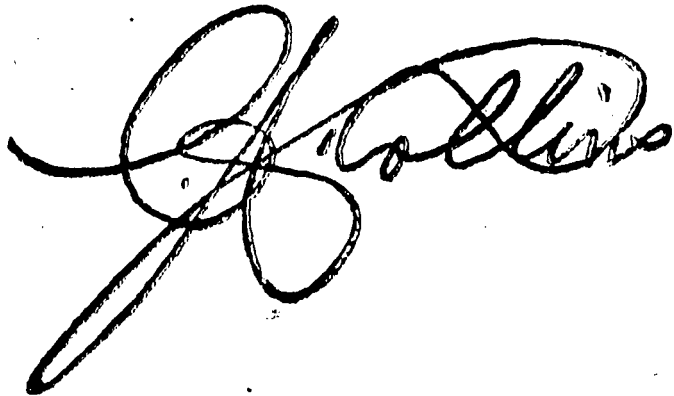
Thomas Danforth Boardman	Theodore Johnson
Arthur W. Brouillet	Sam Jones
Lewis F. Byington	Francis V. Keesling
C. Harold Caulfield	Washington Irving Kohnke
May E. Chapman	John G. Lawlor
Louis T. Cranz	Stephen Malatesta
Leo A. Cunningham	Ivan N. Maroevich
Joseph T. Curley	John H. McCallum
Thomas Doyle	Katherine McDermott
John S. Drew	Wesley McKenzie
Walter H. Duane	Leo Michelson
Frank Fischer	James W. Mullen
Thomas M. Foley	George R. Newsom
Havelock Fourness	R. H. Norton
Nan B. Frank	Grace Perego
Hugh Gallagher	G. C. Ringole
Thomas P. Garrity	Milton D. Sapiro
Charles J. Gavin, Jr.	Albert Schroepfer
William H. George	John Edward Scully
Elizabeth Gerberding	Robert M. Searls
Harry W. Glensor	Arthur J. Sullivan
Julius S. Godeau	David F. Supple
Felix Gross	Louis Traung
Eugene L. Grunsky	Adolph Uhl
James M. Hanley	T. C. Van Ness, Jr.
Arthur J. Healy	Earle Ashley Walcott
	Truman S. Waterman

July 26, 1930.

Honorable James Rolph, Jr., Mayor, City and County of San Francisco.

Sir: I hereby certify that the foregoing list contains the public office to be filled at the SPECIAL ELECTION to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on the 26th day of August, 1930, pursuant to provisions of Ordinance No. 8789 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, together with the names of the candidates who have been duly nominated and are entitled to have their names printed upon the ballot for such election, pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J. Hollins". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Registrar of Voters of the City and County of San Francisco and Secretary of the Board of Election Commissioners of said City and County.

For Freeholder

THOMAS DANFORTH BOARDMAN

I am a native of San Francisco, and have always resided there. Am engaged in the real estate business.

My public activities have been largely connected with the Commonwealth Club of California, of which I have been an active officer since 1911.

Among other public services I have cooperated with others in the presentation and adoption of the state constitutional amendment establishing the executive budget for California.

Have taken an active part in the work of the San Francisco Committee on Charter Revision.

For Freeholder

LEWIS F. BYINGTON

Lewis F. Byington, experienced in governmental affairs, has supported every movement for the development of California and San Francisco. Served as Supervisor and three terms District Attorney. Earned distinction for industry, ability, courage and integrity. Personally tried and won every important case when District Attorney. By appointment of Mayor Phelan, member of committee which drafted our present Charter. Native of California; graduate of University of Santa Clara and Law Department, University of California. Elected Grand President, Native Sons of California, and Exalted Ruler, Elks. An authority on California history; devoted to civic improvement.

For Freeholder
C. HAROLD CAULFIELD

C. Harold Caulfield submits to his fellow citizens of his native city, his candidacy for Freeholder.

He has been a practicing attorney in San Francisco for fifteen years; for six years has been a Professor of Law at St. Ignatius College. He has never been a candidate for public office; has been active and prominent in all movements for civic betterment and has made a particular study of the organization of our City Government and the possibilities of its material and cultural improvement. His educational qualifications and ability eminently qualify him as a member of the Board of Freeholders.

For Freeholder
MAY E. CHAPMAN

Believe revision of Charter vitally needed and that my experience and activities during my life in San Francisco qualify me as competent to sit as a Freeholder.

Native of San Francisco.

President, Business Women's War Service.

Director of volunteer workers for Red Cross during influenza epidemic in 1918.

President, National League for Women's Service.

Member, board of directors of the San Francisco Center of the California League of Women Voters.

Member first campaign committee, Community Chest.

Chairman, finance committee of Women's City Club, which formulated plan and raised money for erection of \$1,000,000 building.

President, Women's City Club during erection of building.

Member Citizens' Committee for Study of Teachers' Salaries.

For Freeholder
LOUIS T. CRANZ

I am a firm believer in the merit system and will work for the extension of the Civil Service laws.

Have always advocated public ownership of all public utilities, to the end that the taxpayer eventually will be the beneficiary of reduced rates.

Am of the opinion that all conflict of authority in the present organic law should be removed and that the legislative body should not be permitted to arrogate to itself administrative or executive functions.

Am in favor of encouragement to local industries, so that our citizens and our own taxpaying merchants may benefit thereby.

For Freeholder
THOMAS DOYLE

Having been in close contact with building operations in San Francisco for thirty years, I realize the necessity of progress; our Charter is antiquated; we need closer cooperation in government affairs; I favor public ownership of necessary utilities. The Hetch Hetchy Water Project should be economically and speedily finished, but not at the cost of human lives. I will give my time and attention to framing a new Charter in the interest of our City, will keep an open mind upon questions and will, if elected, vote for the best interests of all of the People of San Francisco.

For Freeholder **FRANK FISCHER**

As to my qualifications, I have been a student of civil polity while at the University of California, and since then have taken an active interest in the work of civic betterment. Thirty years' experience as a teacher and a close study of matters educational have given an intimate knowledge of community needs with regard to schools. A longer experience in medical practice, hospital training, medical teaching at Cooper Medical College, in the chair of hygiene and sanitation, as assistant and chief of the neurological clinic, etc., have given an insight into community needs from a health standpoint.

I am a candidate for three reasons: because of the unanimous request of the North Beach Promotion Association; because I believe that I am qualified; and because I should like to serve my native city. I have, however, been so outspoken on civic questions that, while many have applauded my sentiments, spoken and written, many others have doubtless been antagonized. Most of my views have been aired in the press, so that they could not be dissembled, even if I wished. And, of course, I do not wish. I have always had, and shall continue to have, the courage of my convictions.

For Freeholder **NAN B. FRANK**

Have been vitally interested in the study of Charter revision for ten years and for twelve years have taken an active part in civic and public service. Believe my experiences qualify me for the responsibilities of a Freeholder.

Outstanding Activities—

San Francisco Center—Past president; was chairman of Education, City Government and Charter Revision Committees. Official observer for ten years at Board of Supervisors.

Emanuel Sisterhood—Former officer.

Community Chest—Was member of Committee on Budget Study for Young Children.

San Bruno Settlement—Volunteer teacher and girl club worker.

Parent-Teachers Association—Member.

For Freeholder HUGH GALLAGHER

Our Charter is in need of revision to meet the importance of San Francisco. Our port is our greatest asset, and as a representative of the shipping industry I will be able to give to the elected Freeholders aid in the consideration of Charter provisions as they affect the welfare of our great port.

I have lived in San Francisco many years. I am interested in the moral and economic development of our city and believe that a properly prepared Charter will overcome some of the difficulties that now confront our city officials and will aid in the proper administration of government.

For Freeholder THOMAS P. GARRITY

Believing that I am competent to assist in revising and recommending to the voters changes in the City Charter, I am submitting my name to the electors of San Francisco.

Briefly, I was born and raised in San Francisco; have taken an active interest in civic affairs for many years. I am identified with the—

Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Native Sons of the Golden West.

Knights of Columbus.

South of Market Boys, Inc.

Park-Presidio Improvement Association.

Bookbinders' Union.

Printers' Board of Trade.

Printing House Craftsmen.

California State Auto Association.

Secretary-treasurer Dever, Garrity & Keys.

Bookbinders 246—First Street.

For Freeholder

WILLIAM H. GEORGE

I believe I am qualified to be elected a Freeholder to construct a new San Francisco Charter, as I was born and raised here and am President of the Builders' Exchange of San Francisco. Also I know San Francisco land values well, as I have been Secretary of the Henry Cowell Lime and Cement Co. for many years, who are large property owners.

For Freeholder

ELIZABETH GERBERDING

Municipal ownership of public utilities is a fundamental need for the future of San Francisco, and the new City Charter should embrace that policy.

During my many years of residence in San Francisco I have consistently supported progressive and humanitarian policies of government. The social and industrial development of our city is, I believe, dependent upon continuation and improvement of these policies. I offer myself as a candidate for Freeholder in the hope that my knowledge and experience as a citizen and taxpayer will enable me to render sufficient service to justify my election.

For Freeholder

JULIUS S. GODEAU

Julius S. Godeau, who is a candidate for the Board of Freeholders for Charter revision, has been one of this city's foremost citizens for many years. He was born 66 years ago in San Francisco and was educated in the public schools here. He has played an outstanding part in the upbuilding of industrial San Francisco, having been a leading business man of sterling integrity in this city for more than 46 years. He is a funeral director, a casket manufacturer and a banker. He has taken an active part in civic, club and philanthropic matters and has always been a staunch friend of the working man and of disabled war veterans and their families.

His practical experience in business problems as well as his active and unselfish participation in civic affairs fit him pre-eminently as a member of the Board of Freeholders. A vote for Julius S. Godeau is a vote for a capable and reliable representative for all the people of San Francisco.

For Freeholder

EUGENE L. GRUNSKY

I received my education and training as a civil engineer at the University of California and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and have had over twenty years' experience in the profession of civil engineering, which experience has included various lines of municipal activity.

My work included three years in New York in connection with the New York water supply, tunnel work under the East River, and supervision of building construction. In 1910 I was engineer inspector on sewer work for San Francisco.

Since 1913 have been a member of firm of C. E. Grunsky Company, Consulting Engineers, San Francisco.

I have lived in San Francisco for over 40 years.

For Freeholder

JAMES M. HANLEY

I was a member of the Legislature that ratified the present Charter. I gave special study to the same; participated and advocated its adoption in public meetings. In the position of Assistant District Attorney, under District Attorneys Lewis F. Byington and Judge William H. Langdon, for 10 consecutive years from 1900 to 1910, I was called upon on numerous occasions to construe the Charter provisions. In the 30 years since the Charter's adoption I have advised in many of its now numerous amendments. The Charter adopted 30 years ago has become inadequate for present needs.

I have construed the present Charter with reference to bay Bridge applications, garbage disposal matter, zoning, civil service, fire and police pensions, retirement provision, police powers, and other matters. I, more than any other attorney in San Francisco, have appeared before the Fire and Police Boards in pension matters. I was the co-author of the present initiative ordinance that reduced the garbage rates. I have appeared in the Superior, Appellate and Supreme Courts on behalf of clients in relation to their rights under the present Charter.

My experience has given me a wide understanding of the needs of the people of San Francisco, to be incorporated in a new Charter.

I stand for the following:

The number of Supervisors should be reduced.

The Supervisors' duties should be entirely legislative; have no administrative powers; make no appointments except the City Manager in the event that that type of Charter is adopted.

Centralization of responsibility in the individual who is to act in ministerial matters.

Eliminate duplication and overlapping of municipal officers and employment.

The creation of a Public Utility Commission to take charge of the present owned public utilities and those that may hereafter be acquired. That the Commission be directly accountable to the people.

For Freeholder
ARTHUR J. HEALY

A new Charter is to be formulated for the City and County of San Francisco. There are two things essential to the framers' performing that undertaking competently: the first is to understand the subject in theory; the second, to be able correctly to apply that theory to the practical problems of our city government.

That knowledge and that capacity your candidate possesses. He is a lawyer of ten years' experience, has a grasp of the subject adequate to the duties of the office, and the desire to have San Francisco keep abreast of the leading municipalities in the land.

For Freeholder
THEODORE JOHNSON

Our Charter needs revision; a Charter to be satisfactory must meet the needs of all people; I favor public ownership of all public necessities, under management of a public utilities commission properly safeguarding the rights of the people. I have been assistant secretary and legal adviser of the Labor Council for many years and have had experience before our lawmaking bodies, State and Municipal. I will give my time and attention to the framing of a Charter that will give our City a modern system of government, meeting the needs of all our people.

For Freeholder
WASHINGTON IRVING KOHNKE

In presenting my candidacy as a member of the Board of Freeholders, I wish to state to the citizens of San Francisco that I was born and raised in our city and reside with my family at No. 354 Santa Clara Avenue.

For the past twenty years I have operated my own printing business. I was a member of the Grand Jury of 1928 and 1929, which conducted the first official audit of the books of the City and County of San Francisco. During that time I gained the most intimate knowledge of the operation of the city government and am now well informed respecting its many problems.

At all times I have closely followed the civic questions that have confronted our city and believe myself fully qualified to undertake the work of Charter revision.

For Freeholder
JOHN G. LAWLOR

Attorney with offices in Mills Building. Former newspaper man. Educated in parochial, public schools, and Y. M. C. A. and San Francisco night law schools. Resident San Francisco forty years. Student of city government, supporter of civil service, champion of municipal ownership, but opposed to acquisition of additional public utilities by bond issue until completion of Hetch Hetchy project. Open-minded on city manager plan. Favors competent public utility commission and believes rights of the taxpayer should be zealously guarded. Is a family man and taxpayer and stands ready to devote himself wholeheartedly to revision of San Francisco's City Charter if elected a Freeholder.

For Freeholder
WESLEY McKENZIE

My love for San Francisco prompts me to seek office for the first time in my life.

I have resided in San Francisco thirty years, and as a building contractor actively assisted in its rehabilitation.

As vice-president of the Central Council of Civic Clubs, and president of the Western Addition Improvement Association, I am a firm believer in progress, and honestly believe that San Francisco, operating under a proper Charter, will occupy its former position as the Metropolis of the Pacific Coast, "largest in population, greatest in prosperity."

For Freeholder
LEO MICHELSON

Realizing the necessity of a modern system of government which will meet the needs of all of our people, I approach the duty of Freeholder with an open mind and will act only after consideration of all questions; I favor municipal ownership of utilities, managed by a commission; I favor early completion of Hetch Hetchy Water and Power, but not at the cost of human lives. I will give my best efforts to the advancement of our City, and I believe that can best be done by treating other as I would like to be treated.

For Freeholder
JAMES W. MULLEN

Basing my candidacy for membership on the Board of Freeholders upon more than thirty years of study and experience in solving the problems of civil government and economics I solicit the support of the citizens of San Francisco who believe in simple and practical, yet effective, schemes of municipal government. I am a firm believer in the desirability of the people owning and operating the public utilities that have a direct bearing upon their comfort, convenience and happiness, and if elected shall strive to promote and protect their interests in this direction.

For Freeholder
GEORGE R. NEWSOM

I pledge my time and attention to the making of a new Charter for the City in which I have lived all my life. I favor municipal ownership of public utilities, managed and controlled by a commission with the rights of the people safeguarded. I favor completion of the Hetch Hetchy Water and Power Project with due regard to the safety of workers. A Charter to be adopted must meet the needs of all our people, and to this end I will use my best efforts.

For Freeholder
JOHN E. SCULLY

Am a native son, born and reared in San Francisco, and have lived here all my life. Am married and reside at 2260 Leavenworth street; educated in public and private schools of San Francisco. For past twenty-five years have been engaged in general contracting and building work in San Francisco and Bay region. Am director and president of California Securities Company, director and vice-president of Empire Finance Company, and director of West American Finance Company. By appointment from the Civil Service Commission of San Francisco served with Professor Wing of Stanford University and Mr. H. J. Brunner as member of special Board of Civil Service Examiners to conduct civil service examination for position of structural engineer of San Francisco; was one of originators of Aquatic Park idea, and am now chairman of the Aquatic Park Development Committee; have never held any other civil office, but for years have served on civic committees.

For Freeholder
ROBERT M. SEARLS

ROBERT M. SEARLS, attorney at law and member of law firm of Humphrey, Searls, Doyle & MacMillan; for fourteen years Assistant City Attorney and Special Counsel for Hetch Hetchy Project; Chairman Research Committee and member executive committee San Francisco Charter Revision.

For Freeholder
ARTHUR J. SULLIVAN

In presenting myself as a candidate for a Member of the Board of Freeholders I wish to state that I was born and educated in San Francisco and have been in business for a number of years as a funeral director at 2254 Market street.

If elected to this important position the citizens of San Francisco may rest assured they will be represented by a man of integrity, high reputation, and one eminently fitted to give earnest consideration to the construction of a new charter.

Sponsors:

Dr. Chas. B. Hobrecht
John J. Hayden
Gerald P. Haggerty
Peter J. Haggerty
John A. McKannay
James V. Gleason
Thos. F. Mulcahy
Maude N. Moroney
John P. Denehy
Arthur J. Sullivan Jr.

Chas. S. Casassa
Wm. C. Byrne
James W. Doherty
Stephen P. Kane
John B. Nuttman
Richard W. Bayly
P. Paul Vlautin
John F. Comyns
Richard D. Blake
Joseph I. Lawless

For Freeholder
ADOLPH UHL

The State Constitution provides that a new Charter shall be framed by fifteen freeholders who are to serve without compensation. Said Charter to be voted on at a special or general election. The term freeholder necessitates ownership of property in the name of the freeholder.

The present Charter was adopted in 1900. It is desirable that a new Charter be drafted to conform with present day conditions.

Having been born in San Francisco and having taken a keen personal interest in our municipal affairs, I feel qualified to serve as a freeholder.

For Freeholder
EARLE ASHLEY WALCOTT

Am an active member of the San Francisco Committee on Charter Revision. Have had long experience with the subject of municipal government as a newspaper man during the drafting of the present charter and in consultation with the Board of Freeholders. Was Secretary of the Charter Revision Convention of 1910. Since 1912 have been a Civil Service Commissioner, and if elected will act to preserve and strengthen the civil service provisions of the charter which protect the rights of all citizens to enter the public service on their own merits and to retain tenure during good behavior.

For Freeholder
TRUMAN S. WATERMAN

As a candidate for the Office of Freeholder of the City and County of San Francisco, I submit for your consideration the following facts and qualifications:

I am a practicing attorney, World War Veteran, and a man of family.

It will be my aim and ambition if elected, to present to the citizens of San Francisco, a Charter in keeping with our present day living conditions, permitting and encouraging the expansion necessary to make OUR CITY the outstanding METROPOLIS OF THE WEST.

I will exercise this high trust honestly, industriously, impartially and to the best of my ability.

CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS:

**Vote "NO" on the Four Proposed Power
Bond Issues. Totaling \$68,115,000.00
Appearing on the Voting Machines
August 26th, 1930, as Follows:**

No. 1

To Purchase the Distributing System
of Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....\$44,600,000.

No. 2

To Purchase the Distributing System
of Great Western Power Co..... 18,945,000.

No. 3

To build a Transmission Line from
Newark to San Francisco, With Connections 3,525,000.

No. 4

To Build a Power House at
Red Mountain Bar..... 1,045,000.

Reasons for voting "NO" set forth on following pages.

Adolph Uhl

Merchant, Property Owner
and Taxpayer.

SAN FRANCISCO HOLDS RECORD:

San Francisco is today one of the most heavily bonded cities in the United States. Our outstanding bonded debt is \$162,560,400. It has gone up practically 100 per cent in 10 years. In 1920 the debt was only \$81,745,000. Meanwhile, our population has gone up only 23½ per cent. This means our bonded debt has increased four times faster than our population.

TAX RATES AND BONDS:

Let's go back a little. In 1905, when the city first started to make plans for the Hetch Hetchy power project, we had only 8 million outstanding for hospitals, sewers, etc. Our tax rate was only \$1.65. Today, our bonded debt is \$162,560,400 and our tax rate will be \$4.00 plus.

Bonds and taxes go together—usually upward, unless taxpayers and voters are on their guard.

The politicians in the City Hall now want to add \$68,115,000 to our debt in order to put the City in the power business. It is the biggest bond issue ever submitted to the people—half again as large as the Spring Valley bond issue; three times larger than all the bonds issued for schools since the city began.

THESE BONDS NOT NECESSARY:

We have an adequate electric service now. All the politicians propose to do is to use the taxpayers' credit to transfer the ownership and management of the power companies from private to political interests. These bonds will not build anything new or add anything to what we already have.

Electric rates are regulated by the Railroad Commission. Politically operated, rates will eventually be higher! There would be no regulation under public ownership. Politics and politicians would run the business, which is highly technical and needs the best of expert management. Rates, according to the Railroad Commission, have been coming down steadily for several years, 15 per cent reduction in the last five years.

NO RATE REDUCTIONS:

Municipal management would not reduce rates. City Engineer O'Shaughnessy says as much in his estimate when he considers only a 2½ per cent reduction in the first five years

of municipal operation—2½ per cent the first five years under city management, against 15 per cent the last five years under regulation by the Railroad Commission.

If you want further proof, take the case of the Spring Valley. We were promised that Spring Valley would “pay for itself and reduce water rates,” but rates haven’t come down a dime. A few weeks ago the manager of the City’s water department told the Board of Supervisors that there would be no reduction for at least four years. City Engineer O’Shaughnessy says it may be ten years. San Francisco water rates are now higher than any city of like size in the country — far higher than Los Angeles.

RAKER ACT CAN BE AMENDED:

Politicians tell us that the Raker Act makes it necessary for the city to go into the power business. There is nothing to that. We have been disposing of our Hetch Hetchy power for over five years under the Raker Act and the city has received over \$10,600,000 on this account. If the meaning of the Raker Act is doubtful (which is not the case), the act can be amended, so as to validate the agency contract with Pacific Gas & Electric Co. The politicians have always opposed that simple step. If the Board of Supervisors will only ask for a fair amendment Congress will pass it at any time.

68 MILLIONS MERELY A START:

Another point: \$68,115,000 in bonds for power is only a start. City Engineer O’Shaughnessy estimates that it would take 85 million to put the city in the power business. The supervisors cut 17 million out of his estimate, thinking they can put over 68 million now and get the 17 million and more later. The Supervisors concede the 17 million bonds must be voted shortly.

Let us not be fooled. The 17 million is not the end. Mr. O’Shaughnessy reports that even with the 17 million it will be necessary to raise 4 million a year after 1935 for new extensions, which will mean more bonds, bonds, bonds.

If another earthquake or fire should occur in San Francisco, what will happen? In 1906, when the properties of the private companies were destroyed, their stockholders scattered all over the United States, stood the loss. If the city

takes over the properties of the companies, any loss of that kind will fall, not upon stockholders, but upon the taxpayers of San Francisco.

PROFITS WON'T RETIRE BONDS:

Don't be misled by the statement that profits will retire bonds. It has not happened in Los Angeles; if they retire old bonds down there they immediately issue more new bonds.

It is not happening now with our own municipal railway. True, the railway did retire bonds out of earnings the first 10 years, but since 1928 the bonds have been paid off with funds belonging to the depreciation fund. Earnings fell short this year \$309,000. A tax to cover the deficit is inevitable. It won't be long now—should be this September.

WIPES OUT OUR BOND LIMIT AND WOULD STOP OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

The Bond Leeway is now 91 million, deduct the 68 million proposed bond issue, plus the 17 million which Supervisor Havenner and his associates concede must be voted shortly, wipes out our bonding limit. Blocks necessary improvements. Not so good for a Progressive City.

WOULD BUILD POLITICAL MACHINE:

If you vote these bonds you will add 2,000 employees to the city payroll. You will make the city's political machine so big that it will control elections and run the city. That is too great a risk to take even for a city as easy-going as San Francisco.

Remember this when you go to the polls. You are a taxpayer whether you own real estate or not. You pay taxes in your rent, in your bills for food, shoes and clothing. Everything you consume is taxed.

Vote NO on all four proposals. NO! NO! NO! NO!

Adolph Uhl

Vote YES

for

Progress and Prosperity

Your city's future needs your favorable vote on the four power bond issues on the ballot August 26.

Conservative engineers estimate that **PROFITS** of municipal distribution of electric power during the first four years alone will be at least \$38,882,000.

A considerable part of these profits can be used for **REDUCTION** of **ELECTRIC RATES** or taxes, or **BOTH**.

San Francisco electric rates are now higher than in Los Angeles. They can be **REDUCED** below those charged in the South.

The Raker Act requires public distribution of Hetch Hetchy power. A vote against the bonds endangers the city's \$79,000,000 investment in Hetch Hetchy and might impair its \$41,000,000 investment in Spring Valley.

Give Your City Your Vote August 26

*Vote YES
on the Four Bond Issues*

SAN FRANCISCO stands at the crossroads today!

A new census period is beginning, and the question is whether our city will show a great growth during the next decade.

We may continue on the slow road we are now traveling.

Or we may, by VOTING "YES" on the four bond issues, take the broad highway that leads to PROSPERITY and PROGRESS and GROWTH, which leads to a greater San Francisco—a city with greater opportunities for everyone.

The choice is ours on August 26. The bond issues will increase our Hetch Hetchy electric production and will make possible public distribution of Hetch Hetchy power as required by the Raker Act.

A vote "YES" will protect our \$79,000,000 investment in Hetch Hetchy and our \$41,000,000 investment in the Spring Valley water system, which must distribute the Hetch Hetchy water.

A vote "YES" means cheaper electricity for San Francisco.

A vote "YES" means that electricity will be cheaper here than in Los Angeles, instead of more expensive, as at present.

A vote "YES" will reduce taxes.

VOTE "YES" and these properties BUY THEMSELVES.

Dangerous to Vote "No"

By far the most important reason for passing these bonds is that the Raker Act, under which we are building Hetch Hetchy, requires public distribution of the electricity generated on that project.

Failure to vote these bonds will seriously jeopardize the city's rights and the taxpayers' investment.

Section 6 of the Raker Act contains a drastic prohibition against the sale of Hetch Hetchy electricity to any private individual or corporation for resale.

In 1925, when the power became available, the city had no system with which to distribute the electricity to its people.

A so-called agency contract was entered into with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

THE AGENCY CONTRACT HAS NEVER BEEN APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR as to its legality.

Far from giving approval to the contract, the present secretary, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, has recently made several inquiries as to what San Francisco is doing in the matter of complying with the provisions of the Raker Act.

Meanwhile, the legality of the contract has been under serious attack on the floor of the House of Representatives.

The city's reply to these inquiries and attacks has been that it was proceeding as rapidly as possible to acquire systems for public distribution of the power.

This has been true.

But now the time has come when San Francisco **MUST ACT**.

Alternatives Utterly Undesirable

If these bonds should fail, and the Federal government should decide, as many expect, that the agency contract is illegal, San Francisco might do one of two things:

1 —It might ask that the Raker Act be amended to permit wholesaling the power. Not only is it unlikely that Congress would consent to such an amendment, but it is extremely probable that if the Raker Act is to be amended, it will be changed to impose onerous conditions on the city.

Moreover, San Francisco has no assurance whatever that the Pacific Gas and Electric Company will continue to buy our Hetch Hetchy power in the future, even if the Raker Act should be amended so as to make the sale legal. As a result of its recent merger with the Great Western Power Company, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company now has no competitor at all in the power business in Northern California. The company is now greatly enlarging its production of power. If San Francisco does not immediately acquire its own distribution system it will be left absolutely at the mercy of a monopolistic corporation, which might either refuse to take any of the Hetch Hetchy power or arbitrarily cut the price to any figure which it chose to dictate.

2 —The city might proceed with public distribution by building its own system. This would mean a long and expensive war between the private and public systems. The people would have to pay the costs of that war. Moreover, for many years the city would be unable to dispose of all its electricity, and millions of dollars might be wasted.

In view of these legal complications, San Francisco **MUST VOTE "YES"** on the four bond issues.

Enormous Profits Promised

Leading utility experts have studied carefully the results of municipal distribution of Hetch Hetchy power.

Their estimates are conservative and can not be challenged successfully.

They agree that PROFITS for the first four years of municipal operation will be at least \$38,882,000.

Here are the conservative estimates of the results of municipal operation during the first four years, beginning next year and ending in 1935:

Gross Revenues	\$77,211,000
Expenses:	
Operating Expense	\$17,868,000
Depreciation	5,000,000
Bond Interest	15,460,700
Total Expense.....	<u>38,328,700</u>
PROFITS	<u>\$38,882,300</u>

How Profits Are to Be Spent

Utility experts have set aside \$2,200,000 of profits for redemption of outstanding Hetch Hetchy power bonds during the first four years.

This will leave available \$36,682,300.

It is also agreed that out of profits the city should care for normal additions to the systems. Experts estimate that the cost of these additions will be \$15,600,000 during the four-year period.

This will leave \$21,082,300!

Major extensions planned during the four-year period total \$6,700,000, and if these are paid for out of profits, there will be \$14,382,300 left for REDUCTION OF ELECTRIC RATES OR TAXES, OR BOTH.

In the event that the people decide that these major extensions should be paid for by an additional bond issue, the entire \$21,082,300 will be available for reduction of rates or taxes, or both.

This enormous sum is about two-thirds of the taxes levied by the city this year.

If the \$21,082,000 profit should be applied to San Francisco's electric rate, electric bills would be reduced by 28 per cent during the four years.

CHEAP Power Guaranteed

One of the most important reasons for Los Angeles' phenomenal growth of 113.6 per cent during the last ten years is that its electric rates, under public ownership, are low. They are much below those of San Francisco, which grew only 24 per cent in the decade.

Cheap power attracts new industries, new businesses, new home owners.

San Francisco needs cheap electricity just as much as it needs bridges and highways and schools, and these many other things we all know make for community growth.

A vote "YES" on these bonds means that San Francisco's electric rates can be reduced considerably below those of Los Angeles.

Rates of Two Cities Compared

The San Francisco lighting rate for domestic consumers is now 21 per cent higher than the Los Angeles rate. The San Francisco combined lighting and appliance rate is 16 per cent higher than in Los Angeles.

The local rate for houses, as distinguished from flats and apartments, is 26 per cent higher than in Los Angeles.

The San Francisco bill for the small power user is 20.4 per cent higher than Los Angeles, and the rate for the large power consumer is 7.1 per cent higher.

Everyone must agree that it is highly desirable to reduce San Francisco's present exorbitant electric rates.

A vote "YES" will reduce them!

Los Angeles has owned its electric system for about fifteen years, and in that time it is conservatively estimated the people have saved \$38,700,000 in reduced rates alone.

And the cheap power has attracted thousands of new industries and businesses and many thousands of new residents.

Municipal Ownership Spells Profits

There are many reasons why municipal distribution of Hetch Hetchy power can only result in great profits and enormous savings to the people.

One of the important savings is in the cost of money. Public credit is cheaper than private credit. The city pays only 4½ per cent for the money it borrows. The private companies pay from 5 to 6 per cent interest on their bonds and from 5½ to 7 per cent on their preferred stock. In addition, the companies pay dividends on common stock and set aside large surpluses.

It is conservatively estimated that the present electric rates in San Francisco yield the private companies from 9 to 10 per cent on their investment.

The difference of 5 per cent a year on an investment of \$80,000,000 is \$4,000,000 a year, or \$16,000,000 during the four-year period.

It must also be remembered that during this four-year period the private companies would pay \$8,000,000 in state and federal taxes which the city is not required to pay.

In the very administration of the distributing systems, great savings are possible under municipal ownership. Probable savings in the salaries of executive officers of the companies alone will be \$250,000 a year.

Properties Buy Themselves

Another great advantage to the people is that under municipal ownership the bonds are gradually retired out of PROFITS, so that after forty-five years the original debt will be completely wiped out.

This is not true under private ownership. Private companies do not retire their bonds, except by issuing new bonds.

No matter whether the electric business here is publicly or privately owned, the extensions and improvements will have to be made, and the people must pay the costs out of rates.

But under private ownership the people never get through paying interest, while under public ownership the debt is constantly reduced and interest charges are greatly lessened.

At the present rate of growth, the electric properties in San Francisco will be worth \$200,000,000 in fifteen years.

Under private ownership the people in their rates would have to pay \$14,000,000 a year return on that investment on a 7 per cent basis.

But under public ownership the city will have built the extensions out of profits and will have paid off \$10,000,000 of the original debt, so that the people will pay only 4½ per cent interest on \$58,000,000.

They will pay only \$2,610,000 a year fifteen years hence, a saving of \$11,390,000 annually as compared with the interest they would have to pay under private ownership.

What We Are Buying

The first bond issue is for \$44,600,000 to buy the local distributing system of the P. G. and E. The second, for \$18,945,000, is to buy the Great Western Power Company's system.

The third bond issue, for \$3,525,000, will unify the two systems, bring the Hetch Hetchy transmission line to San Francisco, and provide other facilities.

The fourth issue, \$1,045,000, will build the Red Mountain Bar power house on the Hetch Hetchy project. This will add 21,500

horsepower capacity to the 345,000 horsepower provided by the present Hetch Hetchy plant and the steam plants of the two companies.

The city will need a peak capacity of 336,000 horsepower next year, so it can be seen that with 345,000 horsepower available the city will be able to care for all its needs.

The city is buying nothing it does not need. It is not buying steam heat plants nor is it taking the Sierra Power Company, a P. G. and E. subsidiary, which serves the Market Street Railway alone.

Every Argument Is for "YES" Vote

Not one sound argument has been put forward against municipal distribution of Hetch Hetchy power.

Consider, for a moment, the many reasons why San Francisco **MUST** vote these bonds if it is to keep step with progress and if it is to cut loose the shackles that now bind the city.

1. The Raker Act requires public distribution; the present agency contract has never been approved by federal authorities.

2. Conservative estimates prove that **PROFITS** for the first four years will be at least \$38,832,000.

3. Electric rates, now much higher than in Los Angeles, can be reduced below those charged in the southern city.

4. Cheap electricity attracts new industries, new businesses, new homes.

5. Business management is assured because the charter requires that the complete operating force of the private companies, with the exception of high-salaried executives, will be taken into the city service, giving San Francisco the immediate benefit of their years of practical experience. Also, the people will vote, at the coming election, upon a charter amendment creating a public utilities commission.

San Francisco Needs Your Vote

Remember, that to carry these bonds, so that San Francisco may start on the broad highway to progress and prosperity and growth, two "YES" votes must be cast for every one "NO" vote.

Remember, also, that powerful Eastern interests, which now control the electric companies in San Francisco, do not want to give up their enormous profits, although they know that public ownership means **GROWTH** and **PROSPERITY** for our city.

No question on the August 26 ballot is more important.

VOTE "YES" ON THE FOUR BOND ISSUES.

Authorized by Resolution No. 32819 (New Series).

Adopted—Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, July 15, 1930.

Ayes: Supervisors Andriano, Colman, Gallagher, Havenner, Hayden, McGovern, McSheehy, Miles, Peyser, Power, Roncovieri, Rossi, Shannon, Spaulding, Stanton, Suhr, Toner.

J. S. DUNNIGAN, Clerk.

Approved, San Francisco, July 17, 1930.

ANGELO J. ROSSI, Acting Mayor.

VOTE "NO" ON ALL FOUR POWER BOND PROPOSALS

You are asked to vote on four proposed bond issues totaling \$68,115,000. If carried, they will put San Francisco into the hydro-electric business. These four bond issues are separately presented, but you should vote against all of them. Taken as a whole, they mean the purchase of the local electrical systems of Pacific Gas & Electric and Great Western Power, connecting them with Hetch Hetchy, and the building of another Hetch Hetchy generating plant.

1: The Board of Supervisors decided that \$68,115,000 would be enough money to start the city on this project. The City Engineer has contended all along that a minimum of \$85,045,000 is necessary if the city is to continue giving the electric service that consumers are receiving at present. He has insisted that if the \$68,115,000 bond issues carry now, it will be necessary immediately afterwards to ask the citizens to vote for \$16,930,000 more. In other words, it has been claimed that the city cannot go into the power business and take care of present needs unless a second bond election immediately follows the present one.

2: Our present bonded debt outstanding and authorized is \$162,560,400, a burden of approximately \$1300 per family of five. Our bonded debt since 1920 has increased from \$81,745,000 to the present sum of \$162,560,400, practically doubling the bonded debt in ten years. It will cost \$85,045,000 more to go into the power business. Thereafter at least \$1,000,000 must be added each year to capital investment.

3: Our present bonding leeway, meaning the amount of bonds which under the charter we may legally vote for everything, except water, is \$90,555,798. If we vote \$68,115,000, the leeway will be \$22,440,798. But the City Engineer says we shall need immediately \$16,930,000 more. There won't be much bonding leeway left after that. Where will we get the money for other necessary projects?

4: There are other pressing civic projects, which have been urged, and which the city alone can finance. These concern such items as safety devices on Hetch Hetchy Tunnel Construction, a new county jail, municipal street railway extension, Broadway Tunnel, air port, parks, including aquatic parks, playgrounds, sewers, health departments needs and other improvements, totaling in excess of \$20,000,000. We need a bonding leeway for such projects as these and for such unforeseen emergencies as may arise. Why finance the unnecessary purchase of a business enterprise at the expense of civic progress which only the city can finance?

5: The only change will be from business to political management. Electric rates are now regulated by the Railroad Commission and have been reduced steadily under such regulation. If we go into the power business as a city that regulation will cease. Reduction in rates will be much more

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difficult under city management. Political management will not only cost more than business management, but the opportunities for economies and consequent rate reductions which the private companies can have when serving a wider and more diversified field, like all of Northern California, will be denied the city with its limited and less diversified city market for distribution. And dissatisfied rate payers who can now appeal from the company to the impartial and judicial Railroad Commission in all matters of rates or service, can have no such right of appeal in the case of political management.

6: The city ever since 1925 has been and is now disposing of Hetch Hetchy power, for use in San Francisco, through an agency contract with a private company, and has in those five years derived as gross revenue therefrom the sum of \$10,640,000, of which about \$9,000,000 is net to the city. We are told, however, that under the Raker Act we shall lose our rights to Hetch Hetchy water if we do not go into the municipal power business. Can you imagine the National Government cancelling our rights in Hetch Hetchy and cutting off our water supply, just because we refuse to go into the retail hydro-electric business, or because, instead of allowing the power to go to waste, we make a beneficial use of it and, incidentally, derive a gross revenue from it, amounting to approximately \$2,200,000 per year? Even if the lawyers should conclude that an amendment of the Raker Act should be necessary, we cannot conceive that the Congress of the United States would refuse to amend the Act, in a matter that does not concern the Federal Government, when requested by the City of San Francisco.

VOTE "NO" ON ALL FOUR POWER BOND PROPOSALS

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Propositions



1 YES NO
PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY
 Shall the City and County of San Francisco incur a bonded debt of \$44,600,000.00 for the purchase of a portion of the properties of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for an electric generating and distributing system?

2 YES NO
GREAT WESTERN POWER COMPANY
 Shall the City and County of San Francisco incur a bonded debt of \$18,945,000.00 for the purchase of a portion of the properties of the Great Western Power Company of California for an electric generating and distributing system?

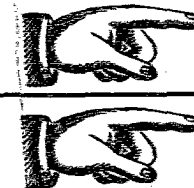
3 YES NO
Electric Transmission Lines from Newark to San Francisco
 Shall the City and County of San Francisco incur a bonded debt of \$3,525,000 for the acquisition, construction and completion of an electric transmission line from Newark to San Francisco and an electric substation in the event the City acquires certain properties of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and or the Great Western Power Company of California?

4 YES NO
Acquisition of Hydro-Electric Plant at Red Mountain Bar
 Shall the City and County of San Francisco incur a bonded debt of \$1,045,000 for the acquisition, construction and completion of a hydro-electric plant and all necessary lands and equipment at Red Mountain Bar in Tuolumne County, California?

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