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### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, September 16, 1879.

The Board of Health met this day.

#### Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On the operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on application for permits; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on operations of Disinfecting Corps; on certain street pavements, etc.  
From Sanitary Company: On applications for relief; on receiving-basin and drain; on complaint forwarded to this Board through the Mayor respecting chickens; on leave of absence.  
From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.  
From the Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstract of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on violations of the Sanitary Code.

#### Communication from other Departments.

From Finance Department: Comptroller's weekly statement.

#### Reports Referred to other Departments.

To the Department of Public Works: On street pavements in Mott street, between Grand and Hester streets, and in front of 26 and 28 East Forty-ninth street.  
To the Department of Public Parks: Respecting the condition of receiving-basin and drain at southwest corner Concord avenue and Cliff street.

#### Permits Granted.

To keep fowl at 1457 Third avenue.  
To keep chickens at 1549 Third avenue.  
To keep ten chickens at 537 Greenwich street.  
To keep fowl at 98 Henry street.  
To keep six ducks and fifteen chickens at 2145 Second avenue.  
To keep five chickens at 10 Centre Market place.  
To keep two cows at northwest corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue.  
To keep six cows at 161 and 163 East One Hundred and Ninth street.

#### Permits Denied.

To keep ten chickens at 260 East Houston street.  
To keep five chickens and one cow at 616 West Forty-seventh street.  
To keep four cows at 510 West Fifty-third street.  
To keep one cow at 55 Bayard street.  
To keep nine chickens at 228 East Eighty-second street.  
To keep fowl at north side of Sixty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.  
To keep four chickens at 178 Thompson street.

#### Resolutions.

Resolved, That notice No. 7839, on premises northeast corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, be and is hereby extended to October 10, 1879.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following marriage returns:

James H. Cafferty and Josephine E. Hall, April 22, 1879.

Reverend Jean Louis Pons and Marie Louise Dacolont, December 8, 1878.

Resolved, That the plan (277), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on First avenue, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, east side of First avenue, and twenty-two feet south of One Hundred and Twelfth street, submitted to this Board by William Fernchild, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided the two air shafts have a clear area of at least twelve feet square.

Resolved, That the plan (273), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on north side of One Hundred and Ninth street, 335 feet east of Third avenue, submitted to this Board by J. H. Valentine, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 594, be and the same is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (269), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot No. 300 Second street, submitted to this Board by Wm. Grant, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (270), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot south side East Eighty-fifth street, 172 feet east of First avenue, submitted to this Board by John C. Burne, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided that every window in light shafts have at least twelve square feet area.

Resolved, That the plan (271), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot 558 West Thirty-sixth street, submitted to this Board by Thomas L. Wilson, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided that air shaft, be made of at least twelve square feet area, and water-closets or school-sinks be substituted for privies.

Resolved, That the plan (272), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot west side Second avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, submitted to this Board by Julius Bockell, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is approved, provided that front bedrooms have light shafts at least four feet by three feet, and that light shaft in adjoining house be enlarged by twelve square feet.

Resolved, That the plan (274), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on north side of East Ninth street, 175 feet west of Lexington avenue, submitted to this Board by John C. Burne under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided that the air shafts have a clear area of twelve square feet, and every window has an area of twelve square feet.

Resolved, That the plan (275), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot 40 Washington square, corner Fourth street and Macdougall street, submitted to this Board by

J. S. Van Winkle, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and the same is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (276), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on north side One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, 100 feet east of Eighth avenue, submitted to this Board by A. B. Ogden, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (278), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot north side of East Seventy-fourth street, west of Third avenue, submitted to this Board by John C. Burne, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and the Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided that an air shaft of at least twelve square feet be constructed, so as to light and ventilate all interior rooms by windows of at least twelve square feet area.

Resolved, That the plan (279), for light and ventilation of tenement-house proposed to be built on lot 635 Ninth avenue, submitted by John M. Foster, under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and the Laws of 1879, chapter 504, be and is hereby approved, provided that all four air shafts be of an area of at least twelve square feet each, and that all windows in air shafts be of an area of at least twelve square feet.

Several butchers appeared before the Board and made application for permits to drive cattle, and the subject was laid upon the table.

The Secretary was directed to notify the scavengers to appear at the next meeting of the Board.

An application to change plan (272), of tenement-house west side Second avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, as approved September 16, 1879, by omitting a light shaft, was denied.

#### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending September 13, 1879:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors were 2,125, as follows, viz.: 1 public building, 956 tenement-houses, 131 private dwellings, 65 other dwellings, 12 manufactories and workshops, 20 stores and warehouses, 58 stables, 29 slaughter-houses, 1 coal yard, 1 lard melting establishment, 1 lime kiln, 1 garbage dump, 2 manure dumps, 1 public sewer, 1 dangerous building, 21 sunken lots, 1 bone boiling establishment, 108 yards, courts and areas, 94 cellars and basements, 131 waste-pipes and drains, 204 privies and water-closets, 78 streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 10 dangerous stairways, 4 smoky chimneys, 5 cesspools, 2 piggeries, 24 other nuisances, together with 63 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious diseases.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 1,199.

During the past week 118 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 95 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

285 permits were granted to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 31 dwellings where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 31 houses, 31 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

The Special Disinfecting Corps have disinfected 3,285 privy sinks, 150 yards, 166 cellars, 697 garbage boxes, and 108 miles of street gutters.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending September 13, 1879:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
September 6.....	3	16	35	0	14	14	0
" 13.....	0	17	23	1	19	15	0

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 543 births, 56 still-births, 150 marriages, and 543 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this bureau during the week ending Saturday, September 13, 1879. This shows an increase of 61 births, 4 still-births, 19 marriages, and 13 deaths when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1878, there was an increase of 44 births, 13 still-births, 19 marriages, and 85 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from whooping cough decreased, 2; erysipelas, 1; puerperal diseases, 5; alcoholism, 3; rheumatism and gout, 1; bronchitis, 1; aneurism, 1; meningitis and encephalitis, 5; convulsions, 7; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 21; Bright's disease and nephritis, 7; surgical operations, 1; while the deaths from measles increased 5; scarlatina, 6; diphtheria, 2; cerebro-spinal fever, 2; malarial fevers, 9; inanition, 1; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 25; pneumonia, 4; heart diseases, 1; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 5; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 5; apoplexy, 1; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 2; cyanosis and atelectasis, 1; premature and pretermatural births, 1; drowning, 1. The number of deaths from croup, typhoid fever, diarrhoeal diseases, gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, and suicide was the same as that reported for the preceding week.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—	Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
Sept. 13, 1879	..	6	12	7	11	8	..	5	2	16	108	94	27	14	34	23	181	237	279
" 6, "	..	1	6	5	11	10	..	5	..	7	108	69	23	15	55	33	184	230	266
August 30, "	1	3	10	11	2	5	..	7	3	9	103	51	23	9	46	11	165	217	253
" 23, "	1	6	9	6	7	5	1	5	7	8	122	68	18	11	30	23	172	223	255
Total.....	2	16	37	29	31	28	1	22	12	40	441	282	91	49	165	90	702	916	1053

The ages of 181 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 237 under two years; 279 under five years, and 27 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 13 more than the number reported during last week, and represent 51.38 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.



Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death Occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending September 13, 1879.

* DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	1	4	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	8	28	
Scarlatina.....	2	10	..	..	..	..	2	7	2	1	..	..	..	..	3	7	1	
Diphtheria.....	1	6	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	8	16	
Membranous Croup..	2	9	..	..	..	..	5	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	1	9	
Whooping Cough....	4	4	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	5	5	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Typhoid Fever.....	2	1	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	2	16	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	2	16	
Malarial Fevers.....	11	5	..	..	..	..	4	5	5	2	..	..	..	..	13	3	23	

DISEASE.	WARDS.																				TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Membranous Croup..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

#### Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.										TOTAL.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Membranous Croup..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 74 were in institutions, 317 in tenement-houses, 137 in houses containing 3 families or less, 4 in hotels and boarding-houses, 11 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 8 were on the basement floor, 106 on the first, 161 on the second, 107 on the third, 57 on the fourth, 17 on the fifth, 2 on the sixth. 538 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 5 non-residents. 57 were stated to be single, 124 married, 51 widowed, and the condition of 311 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 543; still-births, 56; bodies in transit, 23. Of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births 53 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 543 births, 150 marriages, 56 still-births, 543 deaths, 23 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated. 39 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 9 transcripts of the birth record, 6 of marriage, and 24 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending September 13, 1879, was 64.9 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.985, the mean humidity was 80, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 798, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.56 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 554 deaths and still-births, or 92.49 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 12; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 251; City (pauper burial ground—undenominational), 54; Greenwood (undenominational), 44; Lutheran (undenominational), 87; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 20; Evergreen (undenominational), 29; Woodlawn (undenominational), 11; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 11; Union (Methodist Protestant), 5; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 12; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 6; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 9; Washington (undenominational), 3.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending September 6, 1879, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 9; Second, 0; Third, 1; Fourth, 9; Fifth, 6; Sixth, 6; Seventh, 23; Eighth, 23; Ninth, 29; Tenth, 22; Eleventh, 22; Twelfth, 38; Thirteenth, 15; Fourteenth, 14; Fifteenth, 6; Sixteenth, 15; Seventeenth, 42; Eighteenth, 25; Nineteenth, 83; Twentieth, 46; Twenty-first, 43; Twenty-second, 34; Twenty-third, 10; Twenty-fourth, 1.

The actual mortality for the week ending September 6, 1879, was 522; this is 4 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1878, and 46 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.67 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,100,195.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns, of Philadelphia was 20.07; Brooklyn, 21.24; St. Louis, 11.55; Baltimore, 19.82; Boston, 17.69; New Orleans, 23.77; San Francisco, 10.40; Cleveland, 21.69; Charleston, 15.50. Monthly returns—Chicago, 26.30; Milwaukee, 22.08; Toledo, 20.64; Nashville, 25.69; Norfolk, 38.09; Columbia, S. C., 27.10; Quincy, Ill., 13.37; Dayton, O., 18.43; Wilmington, Del., 22.48. Foreign cities weekly returns—London, 20; Liverpool, 21.6; Birmingham, 17.5; Manchester, 19.7; Glasgow, 16.8; Edinburgh, 18.2; Dundee, 14.8; Dublin, 21.3; Belfast, 23; Cork, 25; Buda Pesth, 40.2; Brussels, 21.8; Antwerp, 22.9; Ghent, 40.7; Paris, 21.8; Rome, 20.8; Naples, 28.4; Turin, 23.4; Berlin, 33.2; Breslau, 29.27; Vienna, 23.4; Trieste, 33.7; Copenhagen, 22.3; Christiania, 20.25; Amsterdam, 20.4; Rotterdam, 21.9; The Hague, 22.9; Calcutta, 24.1; Bombay, 29.5; Geneva (with suburbs), 15; Basel, 25.4; Bern, 31.2; St. Petersburg, 29.42; Warsaw, 27.18; Havre, 33.32.

The Board adjourned to meet on September 23, 1879, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

#### Births\* reported during the week ending September 13, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.		NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.		Not stated.		Not stated.		Stated.	Not stated.
					Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.		
543	535	8	281	262	312	113	82	31	1	..	2	2	..	..	429	114

#### Marriages\* reported during the week ending September 13, 1879.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.					
	White.	Colored.	FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
150	145	5	86	65	63	84	..	..	1	1	108	115	28	21

\* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

#### Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending September 13, 1879, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending September 6, 1879.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
2	Austria.....	6	6	7	3	..	..	..	..
2	British America.....	2	2	3	4	..	..	..	..
12	England.....	20	21	12	13	8	7	1	1
7	France.....	9	9	3	2	3	1	..	..
49	Germany.....	132	117	184	147	49	31	18	14
91	Ireland.....	185	195	128	129	9	15	14	14
2	Italy.....	7	6	9	10	..	..	1	1
4	Poland.....	7	6	8	9	2	2	..	..
1	Scotland.....	1	2	4	2	..	..	..	..
1	Switzerland.....	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
350	United States.....	105	115	145	197	63	84	19	23
1	Unknown or not stated.....	29	29	4	1	1	1	1	1
..	West Indies.....	..	1	5	1	..	..	..	..
2	Other countries.....	11	8	22	9	13	7	1	1

#### Still-Births reported during the week ending September 13, 1879.

TOTAL.	SEX.		COLOR.	NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.									
	Male.	Female.		FATHER.		MOTHER.		Not stated.		MONTH.									
				Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
56	32	24	..	56	..	19	36	1	23	32	1	..	..	3	..	5	3	7	7

#### Deaths reported during the week ending September 13, 1879.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.														RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	FLOORS.														New York City.	Outside New York City.	STATED.					
																	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not Stated.†		
543	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated	Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not stated.	New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated.†	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not Stated.†
74	317	137	4	11	..	8	106	161	107	57	17	2	..	..	538	5	..	57	124	51	311	

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.



BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY\* for the week ending September 13, 1879, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending September 6, 1879.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register:

SIR—There were 543 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, September 13, 1879, which is an increase of 13, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 85 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1878. The actual mortality for the week ending September 6, 1879, was 522, which is 46.0 below the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.67 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,100,195.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending Sept. 13, 1879, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending Sept. 6, 1879.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Sept. 13.	Week ending Sept. 6.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPT. 6, 1879.										AGE BY YEARS.																		SEX.																				
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.		64.9	71.9																																																	
" reading of barometer		29.985	29.849																																																	
" humidity for the week was.....		80	79																																																	
Number of miles traveled by the wind was.....		798	800																																																	
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.....		.56	1.13																																																	
CAUSES OF DEATH.				Total Deaths reported during the week ending Sept. 13, 1879.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Sept. 6, 1879.	DATE.							Total Actual Mortality during the week ending Sept. 6, 1879.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1878.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,100,195).	Under 1 year.																		Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	COLOR.
						Aug. 31.	Sept. 1.	Sept. 2.	Sept. 3.	Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.	Sept. 6.					1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.																		
Total Deaths from all Causes.....				543	530	65	85	83	69	74	66	80	522	518	563.0	24.67	178	60	14	6	9	267	13	4	17	17	14	28	24	19	15	27	24	10	12	31	281	241	7													
Total Zymotic Diseases.....				187	173	27	29	31	20	24	24	21	176	168	235.4	8.33	88	30	10	3	0	137	4	1	5	1	3	5	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	86	90	1													
Total Constitutional Diseases.....				147	114	12	20	18	14	12	7	22	105	118	113.2	4.96	21	8	1	1	1	30	2	1	7	9	2	11	8	10	5	7	1	3	2	4	62	43	4													
Total Local Diseases.....				157	182	22	27	25	27	30	26	31	188	185	167.0	8.89	45	22	3	3	3	76	3	2	4	5	8	8	10	6	5	15	12	7	7	20	105	83	2													
Total Developmental Diseases.....				33	37	4	3	5	7	4	8	4	35	31	31.0	1.65	23	10	1	1	1	23	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	21	1													
Deaths by Violence.....				19	21	1	0	4	1	4	1	2	35	31	41.2	1.85	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1													
Small-pox.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Measles.....				6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Scarlatina.....				12	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Diphtheria.....				7	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Membranous Croup.....				11	11	1	3	2	1	1	3	1	10	5	4.4	1	1	2	3	3	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1													
Whooping Cough.....				8	10	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	10	7	10.8	1	1	3	2	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1													
Erysipelas.....				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Yellow Fever.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Typhus Fever.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Typhoid Fever.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....				2	5	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	5	8	8.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.....				16	7	1	1	2	2	2	3	1	11	7	6.6	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Puerperal Diseases.....				5	10	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	7	3	4.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....				108	108	20	17	18	9	18	12	14	108	101	146.0	5.10	75	19	2	1	1	97	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....				5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1															
Alcoholism.....				3	6	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	5	1	2.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1															
Rheumatism and Gout.....				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	2.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1															
Cancer.....				16	13	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	13	20	10.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....				94	69	8	13	13	6	7	3	13	63	74	76.4	2.98	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	7	9	2	11	5	8	3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Bronchitis.....				14	15	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	13	18	12.6	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Pneumonia.....				27	23	2	3	2	6	2	7	6	28	26	25.0	1.31	7	10	1	1	1	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Heart Diseases.....				21	20	3	1	3	2	4	3	3	19	28	17.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Aneurism.....				1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1															
Marasmus—Tubes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....				24	19	1	3	3	5	1	2	1	14	12	15.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....				11	6	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	9	6	7.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....				8	13	1	3	2	2	4	1	2	13	12	13.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Convulsions.....				8	15	1	3	1	1	3	1	2	11	14	13.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																			



## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 16th day of September, 1879.

Present—Messrs. Wheeler, MacLean, French, and Morrison, Commissioners.

Resolved, That Commissioner MacLean be appointed Chairman and Acting President until the next meeting of the Board.

## Leave of Absence Granted.

Roundsman James Campbell, Eighteenth Precinct, five days, without pay.

Application of Patrolman John R. Nevins, Thirtieth Precinct, for three days' leave of absence, was referred to the Captain of Precinct for report whether regular leave has been taken.

## Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564—Approved.

September 3, Patrolman Bernard Tully, Nineteenth Precinct, half day.  
 " 8, " Michael Lee, Seventh Precinct, three days.  
 " 10, " Owen Mooney, Sixteenth Precinct, one and a half days.  
 " 11, " James Tyrell, Twenty-seventh Precinct, half day.  
 " 16, " Thomas J. Sullivan, Fifth Precinct, one day.  
 " 16, " James McElgunn, Thirty-first Precinct, two days.  
 " 16, " Francis Hughes, Tenth Precinct, one day.  
 " 13, " Benjamin Tessars, Fifteenth Precinct, one day.  
 " 13, " Bernard Malarkey, Ninth Precinct, one and a half days.  
 " 15, " Francis McKenna, Thirty-first Precinct, half day.

## Parades Approved.

Ancient Order Hibernians, No. 14, September 15. Funeral.  
 Cornell Club, Twenty-first Assembly District, September 12. Parade.  
 Order of Herman's Sons, September 16. Parade.  
 William Law Association, September 11. Picnic.  
 Rheinisch Sharpshooters, September 15. Picnic.  
 St. Mary's Ascension School, September 15. Picnic.  
 Washington Butcher Guard, September 10. Target excursion.  
 Twelfth Ward Guard, September 10. Target excursion.  
 Independent New York Scheutzen, September 11. Target excursion.  
 Atlantic Brewery Sharpshooters, September 11. Target excursion.  
 Report of Captain Schultz, Twenty-fourth Precinct, on claim of Messrs. Beebe, Wilcox & Hobbs for damages to sloop "S. S. Howell," was referred to the Treasurer.  
 Report of the Superintendent, relative to enforcement of the Excise Law on 14th instant, was ordered on file.

## Death Reported.

Patrolman Robert Wilson, Second Court, 1.45 P. M., 15th instant.  
 The Superintendent submitted reports from Captain Brogan, Fourteenth Precinct, and Captain McCullagh, Seventeenth Precinct, relative to character of Pacific Garden and Tivoli Theatre, as requested by D. J. Whitney, of Society for Prevention of Crime. Which were ordered on file.  
 Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing the condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.  
 Application of Captain Ryan, Sixteenth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman Bernard Cahill to special duty, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
 Application of Charles W. Hull, General Superintendent American Institute Fair, asking detail of officers for the fair commencing 17th inst., was referred to the Superintendent.  
 Application of A. D. Lanstaff, President Howard Association, Memphis, for use of ballot boxes for collection of donations for relief of Memphis, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power.  
 Application of Patrolman Jesse P. Paul, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for ninety days' sick leave, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for report.  
 Application of Roundsman Edward Lucas, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for full pay while disabled, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
 Application for transfer ordered on file—  
 Roundsman Jacob B. Warlow, Second Court.  
 Patrolman Joseph Weinberg, Fourteenth Precinct.  
 Application of Congregation Chaari Zedek, No. 48 Henry street, for detail of an officer on certain occasions, was referred to the Captain of the Precinct for report.  
 Application of D. A. Levien, Jr., attorney for Patrolman Charles O. Dooley, for a rehearing of complaint made July 15, and tried August 20, was granted.  
 Communication from D. A. Levien, Jr., withdrawing writ of prohibition served in the case of Patrolman Charles O. Dooley, was ordered on file.  
 Communication from Henry Bergh, Jr., transmitted by the Mayor, complaining of injury done to his property, 375 etc., South street, and reports of Captain McElwain, Seventh Precinct, and Captain Copeland, Thirtieth Precinct, thereon, were referred to Commissioner French for report.  
 Communication from Gustav Schofer, secretary N. Y. Twin Bezirk, inviting the Board of Police to a gymnastic exhibition, was ordered on file.  
 Communication from the Corporation Counsel, relative to case of Cornelius J. Regan, was referred back to the Corporation Counsel with request to proceed with the appeal in the case.  
 Communication from the Corporation Counsel, asking information to enable him to make return in case of James P. Mackinson, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish the desired information.  
 Communication from J. H. Dougherty, submitting a bill of \$50, for referee fees, transmitted by the Counsel to the Corporation, with request that the same be paid, was referred to the Treasurer to report the account from which a transfer of money may be made for the purpose.  
 Communication from Roundsman John D. Minnie, Nineteenth Precinct, relative to charges pending against him, was ordered on file.  
 Communication from Howe & Hummell, asking permission to act as counsel for Patrolman Patrick Ryan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, was received, and Commissioner Wheeler moved that the same be granted. Lost—Commissioners Wheeler and French voting aye; Commissioners MacLean and Morrison voting no.  
 Communication from the Manhattan Gas Co., submitting proposal to furnish gas, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.  
 Communication from his Honor the Mayor, asking information as to character of No. 37½ Bowery, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
 On reading communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to street obstructions, it was  
 Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to call the attention of the force to the statute against allowing persons to deposit material in the public streets.  
 Resolved, That all Telegraph Blotters and other Precinct Books, except Desk Blotters, be returned to the respective Precincts, and that they be hereafter preserved in the Station-houses.  
 Resolved, That all Desk Blotters hereafter completed be retained in the Station-houses for one year after their completion.

## Transfer Ordered.

Patrolman James Crowley, from Twenty-third to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 Resolved, That the return to the certiorari in "The People, ex rel. Patrick W. Devitt, against the Board of Police," be verified by the signatures of Commissioner MacLean, President pro tem. and the Chief Clerk of the Board of Police, and transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation.

## NEW YORK SUPREME COURT.

The People, ex rel. Patrick Daly, }  
 agst. } Petition and Alternative Writ of Mandamus.  
 The Board of Police. }  
 The People, ex rel. Joseph W. Gerard, }  
 agst. } Petition and Writ of Certiorari.  
 The Board of Police. }  
 The People, ex rel. Samuel A. Stevens, }  
 agst. } Petition and Writ of Certiorari.  
 The Board of Police. }

Resolved, That the necessary papers for making return in each of the above cases be prepared and transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation, and that the return in each case be signed by the Chief Clerk and the acting President of the Board.

Resolved, That in the matter of complaint against Patrolman Patrick Pendergast, Twenty-seventh Precinct, charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, noticed for trial for August 20, 1879, there shall be a hearing on the 24th day of September, 1879, with at least two days' notice thereof to the said Pendergast and the witnesses in the case.

Resolved, That in the matter of complaint against Patrolman Mortimer A. Roberts, Fourteenth Precinct, charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, noticed for trial for June 18, 1879, there shall be a hearing on the 24th day of September, 1879, with at least two days' notice thereof to the said Roberts and the witnesses in the case.

## Judgments—Dismissals.

Patrolman James McClellan, Twenty-third Precinct—all aye.  
 " Timothy Fallon, Nineteenth Precinct—all aye.  
 Patrolman John Farrell, Eighteenth Precinct—Commissioners Wheeler, MacLean, and French, aye; Morrison, no.

## Fines Imposed.

Patrolman William Long, First Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 " George C. Glatt, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " James Murphy, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " James F. Buckley, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " Daniel J. Callahan, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " John Flanagan, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " James Collins, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " David Cook, Seventh Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 " Michael Donohue, Eighth Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " George W. Steele, Tenth Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " Albert Rohloff, Eleventh Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " James Mulligan, Eleventh Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " William Dalton, Eleventh Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " James Curry, Eleventh Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " John Baker, Eleventh Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " Kerin J. Larkin, Thirteenth Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " William Looney, Thirteenth Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 " Stephen O'Brien, Thirteenth Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 " Francis Wilson, Fourteenth Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " Thomas J. Coyle, Fourteenth Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " James L. Henry, Fifteenth Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " Edward Reilley, Fifteenth Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " Milton F. Decker, Sixteenth Precinct, eight days' pay.  
 " George Weiss, Seventeenth Precinct, six days' pay.  
 " Matthew Smith, Seventeenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " Edward H. Lawrence, Twentieth Precinct, three days' day.  
 " James Lawler, Twenty-first Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " Peter Delaney, Twenty-first Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " Frederick Goetzer, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay.  
 " Philip Havey, Twenty-second Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " James Crowley, Twenty-third Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 Roundsman Patrick F. Byrnes, Twenty-third Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 Patrolman Joseph Sawyer, Twenty-third Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 " Frederick S. White, Twenty-seventh Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " James D. Murphy, Twenty-seventh Precinct, two days' pay.  
 " John Smith, Twenty-eighth Precinct, three days' pay.  
 " John Jerfies, Twenty-ninth Precinct, fifteen days' pay.  
 " Alexander Clinchy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, two days' pay.  
 " John Roberts, Twenty-ninth Precinct, five days' pay.  
 " Herman Wagner, Twenty-ninth Precinct, six days' pay.  
 Roundsman Michael Daily, Thirty-third Precinct, ten days' pay.  
 Patrolman Thomas Ferris, Detective Squad, five days' pay.

## Reprimand.

Patrolman John J. Doyle, First Precinct.

## Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.	Precinct.
Sergeant Peter Ryan	Patrolman Patrick N. Marron
Patrolman John Flanagan	John Dickey
" William N. Nash	John F. Glennon
" Patrick Masterson	Charles Loonam
" Etienne Bayer	John M. Jordan
" Etienne Bayer	Sergeant Elbert O. Smith
" William P. Duikin	Patrolman Thomas O'Rourke
" James Nealis	Frederick W. Martens
" Augustus Nowak	James McGrath
" Edward Gilgar	John Wiegand
" David Gerrow	

## Street Cleaning.

Communication from D. A. Nash, Secretary Board of Pilot Commissioners, complaining of manner of receiving ashes by scows anchored in North and East rivers, was referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Street Cleaning.

## Resignations Accepted.

Albert C. Price, foreman, from last day he worked.  
 Michael Fitzgerald, foreman, from September 10, 1879.  
 On motion of Commissioner French, it was  
 Resolved, That Albert C. Walker be appointed foreman, with the usual compensation, in place of Albert C. Price, resigned—Commissioners Wheeler, French, and Morrison voting aye; Commissioner MacLean voting no.  
 On motion of Commissioner Wheeler, it was  
 Resolved, That Matthew English, 115 West Twenty-seventh street, be employed as a laborer.  
 On motion of Commissioner French, it was  
 Resolved, That John Miller be appointed foreman in place of Michael Fitzgerald, resigned—Commissioners Wheeler, French and Morrison voting aye; Commissioner MacLean voting no.  
 On motion of Commissioner MacLean, it was  
 Resolved, That the following removals and appointments be and are hereby ordered:  
 Thirteenth Precinct, Michael Scott, hired cartman, removed.  
 Ninth Precinct, Michael Horsigan, hired cartman, removed.  
 Nineteenth Precinct, John Sullivan, hired cartman, removed.  
 Fifteenth Precinct, Charles Graham, hired cartman, removed.  
 Ninth Precinct, John Crossin, Foreman, removed.  
 Fourteenth Precinct, Thomas O'Leary, hired cartman, removed.  
 Fifth Precinct, James Madigan, laborer, removed.  
 Fifth Precinct, Henry Gilmore, laborer, removed.  
 Twentieth Precinct, John Kelly, hired cartman, removed.  
 Twentieth Precinct, Robert Parks, hired cartman, removed.  
 First Precinct, James Thompson, watchman, removed.  
 First Precinct, Henry Garstrip, hired cartman, removed.  
 Palo Coprelli, employed as sweeper.  
 Stephen Fitzgibbons, employed as hired cartman.  
 James J. Waters, employed as hired cartman.  
 On motion of Commissioner Morrison, it was  
 Resolved, That Edward Ellard be employed as sweeper.

## Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the reports of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections, being lists of examined Inspectors, be numbered 1, 2 and 3.  
 Resolved, That list No. 1 be referred to Commissioners Wheeler and French, and lists No. 2 and 3 be referred to Commissioners MacLean and Morrison, for reports thereon as speedily as possible.  
 Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held August 7, 1879.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

A communication was received from the Comptroller, advising that Thomas & Augustin Walsh are not in default or arrears to the Corporation, and, being read,

On motion, the six proposals for building a wooden pier on the site of Pier, old 37, North river, to be known as Pier, new 26, North river, opened the 6th instant, were taken from the table and placed on file, and the following resolution adopted, to wit:

Resolved, That the contract for removing all that part of Pier, old 37, North river, and platform adjoining, which lies westerly of a line 65 feet easterly of the new bulkhead line, except the sheds, fenders, fender-piles, the deck plank and sheathing of said pier, and the crib work below low water mark, and preparing for and building a new wooden pier on the site of the said Pier, old 37, to be known as Pier, new 26, North river, be and is hereby awarded to Thomas & Augustin Walsh of 114 Wall street, their bid for doing said work being the lowest under proposals publicly opened August 6, 1879.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

**STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH**  
all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Mayor's Office.*  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief Clerk.

*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

*Permit and License Bureau Office.*

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

*Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.*

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Office of Clerk of Common Council.*

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JORDAN L. MOTT, President Board of Aldermen.  
JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr., Clerk Common Council.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

*Commissioner's Office.*

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

*Bureau of Sewers.*

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

*Bureau of Chief Engineer.*

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

*Bureau of Street Improvements.*

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Water Purveyor.*

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

*Comptroller's Office.*

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

*Auditing Bureau.*

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

*Bureau of Arrears.*

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.

*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.*

No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

*Bureau of City Revenue.*

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

*Bureau of Markets.*

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

*Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.*

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

*Bureau of the City Chamberlain.*

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

*Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.*

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation;  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

*Office of the Public Administrator.*

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

*Office of the Corporation Attorney.*

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

*Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.*

Corner Cortlandt and Church streets.  
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

*Central Office.*

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
President: SETH C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

*Central Office.*

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*Headquarters.*

Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

*Civil and Topographical Office.*

Arsenal, 64th street and 4th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
*Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.*  
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, President; J. B. ADAMSON, Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

## COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FREDERICK W. LOEW, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

*And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.*  
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.  
JOHN J. CRANE.  
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.  
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.  
WILLIAM M. OLLIFF, 6 Bowery.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 9.  
Special Term, Room No. 10.  
Chambers, Room No. 11.  
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.  
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.  
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Clerk.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
General Term, Room No. 29.  
Special Term, Room No. 33.  
Chambers, Room No. 33.  
Part I., Room No. 34.  
Part II., Room No. 35.  
Part III., Room No. 36.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.  
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.  
General Term, Room No. 24.  
Special Term, Room No. 21.  
Chambers, Room No. 21.  
Part I., Room No. 25.  
Part II., Room No. 26.  
Part III., Room No. 27.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.  
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

## MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I., Room 15, City Hall, Trial Term Part II., Trial Term Part III., third floor, 27 Chambers street.  
Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

## OYER AND TERMNER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room 13, 10:30 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.  
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.  
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

## Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos.

20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.

## Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth

Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, Justice.

## Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards,

Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.  
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

## Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second

Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.  
CHARLES H. INGERSOLL, Justice.

## Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-

west corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.  
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

## Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and

Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

## Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth

Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road.  
JOHN FLANAGAN, Justice.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—BUTLER H. BIXBY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, GEORGE E. KASMIRE, JAMES T. KILBRETH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY, MARCUS OTTERBOURG, F. SHERMAN SMITH, BENJAMIN C. WANDELL, and NELSON K. WHEELER.  
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HAY, LUMBER, ETC.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-

ing  
DRY GOODS.  
5,000 yards Canton Flannel.  
5,000 " Cottonades.  
2,000 " Bleached Muslin.  
2,000 " Bleached Shroud Muslin.  
2,000 " Scarlet Twilled Flannel.  
1,000 pounds Barbour's Linen Thread, No. 40.  
250 dozen Men's Socks.  
250 " Women's Stockings.  
150 " Men's Knit Shirts.

GROCERIES.  
12,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample to be on exhibition September 29th and 30th.  
27,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).  
5,000 pounds Cheese.  
50 barrels New Family Mess Pork.  
1,000 pounds Prunes.  
20 barrels Pickles (2,000 to the barrel).  
250 bushels Dried Peas.  
600 pounds Macaroni.

HAY.  
100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay.

BRUSHES.  
12 dozen Sash Tool Brushes (Nos. 6 and 8, half each).  
2 " Painters' Dust Brushes.  
12 " Lather Brushes.  
6 " Stove Brushes.

LUMBER.  
200 2-inch Merchantable Spruce Plank, 9 inches x 13 feet.  
6 pieces 3 x 10 x 25 feet Spruce.  
700 " Clear Pine, Rabitted Siding, ¾ inch x 6 inch x 12 feet.  
20 pieces 3 x 10 x 16 feet Spruce.  
8 " 7 x 7 x 26 feet Spruce.  
2 " 7 x 7 x 31 feet Spruce.  
1 piece 8 x 8 x 25 feet Spruce.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, the 1st day of October, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for Dry Goods, Groceries, Hay, Lumber, etc., and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him, or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the

intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, September 18, 1879.

TOWNSEND COX,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
JACOB HESS,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS  
to the engine and boiler of the steamboat "Fidelity" will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, the 1st day of October, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for repairing the engine and boiler of the steamboat "Fidelity," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

The entire work will be required to be completed on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 16, 1879.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Thomas Smith; aged 28 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Admitted June 20, 1876. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK CITY, Sept. 17, 1879.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING the piers and abutments for a Bridge in the City of New York across Harlem river, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to a point near the intersection of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and the bulkhead line, will be received at the office of the Department until Wednesday, October 1, 1879, at nine o'clock, at which time such bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Each bid or estimate must be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the same work; and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts or every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by section 27, article 2, chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1859, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be determined by the Comptroller.

The Department reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it shall deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to readvertise until a satisfactory proposal shall be received. But the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder, with adequate security.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, the prices of the several items.

These prices are to be in full for furnishing all the materials required for the abutments, piers, and their appurtenances, and for all labor required in their construction, and also for all work and the materials required by the specifications and agreement, for which no prices are specified, but which are contingent upon the performance of the work for which there are specific prices.

The time required for the completion of the whole work is one hundred and seventy-five days from the date of the contract, and the penalty of fifty dollars a day will be exacted for each and every day that the said time may exceed said one hundred and seventy-five days, until the whole work is completed.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and on which the bids will be tested, is as follows, viz:

ESTIMATE OF QUANTITIES OF WORK TO BE DONE AND MATERIALS TO BE FURNISHED.

4,250	cubic yards excavation.
580	piles driven and cut off.
125	M. feet, B. M., timber in foundation.
425	cubic yards of rip-rap.
105	" concrete.
1,723	" masonry above low water.
1,972	" masonry below low water.
54	" coping.
120,000	cubic feet stone and timber cribs.

These quantities are considered as approximate, and any variation from them will not entitle the contractor to any claim for extra time for the completion of the work, or to any other claim for damages, if the quantities of work should prove to be greater or less than here estimated, and the Department of Public Parks expressly reserves the right of increasing or diminishing the said quantities, as the Engineer may deem necessary.

Bidders will examine the plans and the ground, and judge for themselves of all the circumstances affecting the cost of the work or time required for its completion, that no misunderstanding may exist in regard to the character of ground and other circumstances in relation to the construction; and will make their bids for each item, independent of others, so far as relative quantities are concerned.

The amount of security required is forty thousand dollars.

Blank forms for proposals and the form of the contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Bureau of Construction, 36 Union square, New York.

JAMES F. WENMAN,  
W. C. WETMORE,  
SAMUEL CONOVER,  
S. E. LANE,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary D. P. P.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, September 16, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DOG Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, which was designated by the Mayor on June 14, 1879, as the place of reception for dogs captured pursuant to the ordinance approved April 30, 1879, will be closed on September 20, 1879, and all authority given by me to capture dogs pursuant to said ordinance will cease on that date.

EDWARD COOPER,  
Mayor.

## JURORS.

### NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrolment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,  
County Court-house (Chambers street entrance).

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 22d day of September, 1879, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of a New School House on the north side of East Forty-sixth street, one hundred and thirty-five feet east of Third avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Painting."

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

EUGENE H. POMEROY,  
M. THALMESSINGER,  
JOHN C. DONNELLY,  
RICHARD KELLY,  
CHARLES L. HOLT,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, September 8, 1879.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,  
NEW YORK, September 11, 1879.

TWENTY-SIXTH AUCTION SALE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY. ARCH. JOHNSTON, AUCTIONEER, No. 25 EAST THIRTEENTH STREET.

TWENTY-SIXTH AUCTION SALE UNCLAIMED Property will take place at 301 Mott street, Room 39, Police Headquarters, on Thursday, September 25, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., consisting of miscellaneous articles: boats, carts, rope, iron, blankets, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, trunks, bags, watches, jewelry, revolvers, etc. Also, at same time and place, on account of Police Department, iron, lead, zinc, copper, harness and wagon. Also, at same time and place, on account of cartage, furniture, lumber, trucks, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 5, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, bags and contents, lot skins, revolvers, male and female clothing, robes, harness, etc.; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By Order of the Committee,

I. GRAHAM HYATT,  
Chairman

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to the new avenue, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lands, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, to present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Charles Price, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street, Room No. 24, in the said city, on or before the 16th day of September, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so

objecting within the ten week days next after said 16th day of September; and, for that purpose, will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of September, 1879.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being on Eighty-first street, between the Boulevard and the new avenue, and between the Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river, and extending on either side of Eighty-first street, as aforesaid, one-half the distance to the next street thereto, in the City of New York.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of October, 1879, at ten o'clock A. M., on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 15, 1879.

CHARLES PRICE,  
JOSEPH MEEKS,  
LOUIS MESIER,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to John Breslin, our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the 2d day of September, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 2d day of September, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of September, 1879.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, contained within the following mentioned lines, that is to say: Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant one hundred and one feet and three and three-fourths inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, as formerly laid out, and running thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the established bulkhead line on the Harlem river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point where the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, if projected easterly, would intersect said bulkhead line; thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the easterly line of said Avenue St. Nicholas, and thence northerly along said easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 30th day of September, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 2, 1879.

JOHN BRESLIN,  
FRANCIS MCCABE,  
HENDERSON MOORE,  
Commissioners.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of the Board,

VINCENT C. KING, President,  
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works.

No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets..	\$3,441 46
No. 2. Paving Water street, between Corleairs and East streets.....	2,103 51
No. 3. Paving Fourth avenue, intersections of Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.....	3,791 39
No. 4. Basin, Water street, southeast corner of, and Jefferson street.....	169 00
No. 5. Basin, Ninety-second street, southwest corner of, and Eighth avenue.....	230 00
No. 6. Flagging Fourth avenue, east side, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets.....	218 56
No. 7. Sewer, One Hundred and Seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.....	3,911 13
No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.....	2,883 49
No. 9. Sewer, Eighty-third street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.....	2,104 00
No. 10. Sewer, One Hundred and Fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.....	3,805 10
No. 11. Fencing Madison avenue (southeast and southwest corners of) and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street	159 35
No. 12. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Forty-second street, from Second avenue to the East river....	23,417 11
Total.....	\$46,234 10

WM. H. JASPER,  
Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),  
NEW YORK, Sept. 9, 1879.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1879, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 24 to November 1, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 17, 1879.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JULY 18, 1879.

9th avenue, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter-stones, and flagging, from 72d to 81st street.

Concord avenue, regulating and grading, from Home street to Westchester avenue.

155th street, regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, and superstructure, from 9th avenue to Hudson river.

124th street, E. B., regulating, grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and reflagging, and paving, from Avenue A to 6th avenue.

11th avenue, sewer, between 66th and 76th streets, with branches in 67th, 68th, 69th, 71st, 72d, and 73d streets, with connection of present sewer in 70th street.

119th street, sewer, between 5th avenue and summit west of 5th avenue.

Greenwich avenue, sewer, between 13th street and 8th avenue and sewer in Bank street, between Waverley place and Greenwich avenue, from end of present sewer to near Greenwich avenue.

53d street, paving, from 7th avenue to Broadway.

Lexington avenue, paving, from 85th to 86th street.

1st street, basin on the northwest corner of Extra place.

Bloomfield street, basins on the northwest corners of Bloomfield street and 10th avenue and Little West 12th street and 10th avenue.

54th street, basins on the southwest corner of 54th street and Avenue A, and on the northwest corner of 55th street and Avenue A.

59th street, flagging sidewalk (north side), between Madison and 5th avenues.

7th avenue, tree planting, from 110th to 154th street.

6th avenue, tree planting, from 110th to 145th street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before September 22, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M., for general information.

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,  
Auctioneers.

### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz:

Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third avenue.

West side 3d avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.

East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

North side 67th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.

Full warranty deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

The sale of the above premises is adjourned to Thursday, September 25, 1879, at the same hour and place.

NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
July 10, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

### REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857 prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees' suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00

The same, in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Ange Comptroller's Office New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

### RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,  
54 EXCHANGE PLACE.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY THE Mayor on the 30th day of August, 1879, pursuant to chapter 606, Laws of 1875, hereby give public notice to those interested in rapid transit in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that they invite practical suggestions as to the location of routes, with a view to obtain the real merits of every route worthy of consideration. All communications to be in writing, and sent in as early as possible, and before the 1st day of October, addressed to the Commissioners at this office.

By order of the Board,

RICHARD M. HOE,  
President.