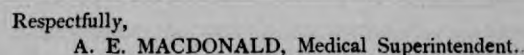


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HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND, }
October 12, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President of Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of the workings of this Hospital for the quarter ending September 30, 1880.

Quarterly Census.

PATIENTS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining, July 1, 1880.....	243	115	358	94	264
Admissions.....	711	304	1,015	239	776
Total.....	954	419	1,373	333	1,040
Discharges.....	684	293	977	205	772
Deaths.....	42	15	57	14	43
Total.....	726	308	1,034	219	815
Remaining, September 30, 1880.....	228	111	339	114	225

LABOR REPORT.

Carpenters—New yellow pine stairs from main hall to cellar, 2 new doors put in Wards G and H, 1 new window put in Wards G and H, 1 case of drawers made for store-room, 1 13 ft. coal platform for boiler-house, 1 45 ft. bench put up inside of hospital for use of patients, 2 door saddles, 3 closets, 2 splints, 1 water-bed frame, 1 stretcher, new cord put in 35 window sashes; repaired 2 bed screens, 7 window sashes, 2 bureaus, 5 head rests, 3 pair blinds, 1 bedstead, 2 stretchers, 1 closet, 3 towel racks, 2 tables, 1 bench, 6 doors, 17 chairs, 22 stools, 1 laundry quaker, 2 meat boxes, 2 water closets, lime-house floor.

Painters—Painted 26 small bedrooms, 25 ward stools, 2 ward settees, 1 closet, 15 iron bedsteads, 28 lights of glass put in window sash.

Masons and Calciminers—Calcimined receiving office, Ward C, nurses' dining-room, passage way leading from Wards A, B, C, and D; repaired and calcimined walls in Ward F, water-closets in Ward B, bath-rooms in workhouse, dormitories and kitchen.

Linen Room—Sewers have repaired 228 sheets, 139 pillow cases, 227 cotton shirts, 8 white spreads, 3 colored spreads, 168 bedticks, 24 roller towels, 28 hand towels, 230 cotton chemise, 122 dresses, 35 pair pants, 6 jackets, 16 petticoats, 56 nightgowns, 10 undershirts, 66 women's hoods.

Miscellaneous—Walks around hospital grounds have been retarred and sanded, large Croton tank in main building repaired and cleaned, iron guards put on four windows in erysipelas ward.

Gas House—492,700 feet of gas manufactured for use of Insane Asylum and this Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

A. P. WILLIAMSON, Chief of Staff.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
October 2, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President:

SIR—The following report of the admissions, births, discharges, and deaths in Maternity Hospital, for the quarter ending September 30, is respectfully submitted:

1880.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.					DISCHARGES.					DEATHS.				
	BIRTHS.				Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.
	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Still-births.											
July.....	30	9	6	..	45	30	15	20	6	5	31	22	9	..	..
August.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	..	11	4	7	1	..
September.....	38	9	10	1	57	34	23	16	5	6	27	16	11	..	..
Total.....	68	18	16	1	102	64	38	45	13	11	69	42	27	1	1

C. R. ESTABROOK, Chief of Staff.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
October 2, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President:

SIR—The following report of the admissions, births, discharges, and deaths, for the quarter ending September 30, is respectfully submitted:

1880.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.					DISCHARGES.					DEATHS.				
	BIRTHS.				Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.
	White.	Colored.	Boys.	Girls.											
July.....	301	233	2	11	559	204	355	264	226	2	498	207	291	18	34
August.....	290	239	3	20	574	224	350	294	211	2	509	202	307	15	21
September.....	293	177	..	5	482	180	302	263	215	3	485	191	294	15	18
Total.....	884	649	5	36	1,615	608	1,007	821	652	7	1,492	600	892	48	73

C. R. ESTABROOK, Chief of Staff.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
October 2, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President:

SIR—The following report of the admissions, discharges, and deaths in the Hospital for Nervous Diseases, for the quarter ending September 30, is respectfully submitted:

1880.	ADMISSIONS.					DISCHARGES.					DEATHS.				
	WHITE.				Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Total.	Native.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.											
July.....	2	3	..	..	5	4	1	1	2	..	3	1	2	..	..
August.....	..	2	..	..	2	1	1	1	2	..	3	1	2	..	..
September.....	3	4	..	..	7	2	5	4	4	..	8	2	6	..	..
Total.....	5	9	..	..	14	7	7	6	8	..	14	4	10	..	..

C. R. ESTABROOK, Chief of Staff.

Report of mechanical and other labor performed at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island, during the quarter ending September 30, 1880.

Carpenters and Wheelwrights—4 days' by wheelwrights at Penitentiary, 206½ days' by carpenters at new bath-house, 24 at new female water-closet, 4 at Steward's house, 9 at Warden's house, 4 at cutting-room, 4 at General Store-keeper's, 36½ at sundry jobbing, 26 at Central Office, 3 at steamboat dock, 11 at male water-closet, 12 at steamboat gang-planks.

Made—1 wooden leg, 3 crutches, 1 sawbuck, 4 table legs, 3 scrub-brush heads, 300 tallies, 1 ironing board, 1 medicine stand, 1 barbers' stool, and scaffolding in church; repaired 55 chairs, 10 bed springs, 2 tables, 1 cart, 4 wheelbarrows, 1 wagon, 1 gate, 1 clothes wringer, 1 door, 4 bedsteads; handled 1 hammer and 2 scrapers; filed and cut 4 saws; turned 6 fence posts; put in 76 window sash cords; headed 17 scrubs.

Blacksmiths—Put on 258 horseshoes; made 88 bolts, 106 nuts, 90 spikes, 2 hammers, 350 hoop nails, 12 S hooks, 1 rudder iron, 6 brackets, 2 pair pipe tongs, 4 wedges, 5 rings, 16 staples, 4 rung irons, 2 shovels, 4 sets of fire alarm fastenings, 52 bath-tub legs, 4 squares, 12 pail handles, 4 gang-plank shoes, 3 plates, 2 rung bolts, 50 sets restraining bolts, 1 oven hoe, 4 fire bars, 30 braces, 30 washers, 1 clinker bar, 2 water keys, 1 pair hinges, 3 drills, 24 pipe bands, 3 feet of chain, 1 pair stretcher joints, 135 hooks, 475 rivets, 1 key, 1 damper iron, 1 bow iron, 37 pipe straps, 2 T straps; ironed steamboat's gang-planks, and 3 barbers' chairs; repaired 48 bread barrels, 10 clocks, 6 pokers, 13 carts, 16 trucks, 16 wheelbarrows, 12 cleavers, 4 pairs tongs, 2 storm points, 12 chisels, 1 wagon, 2 chains, 33 pairs shears, 23 locks, 3 keys, 32 pairs scissors, 1 bar, 4 staples, 5 pair hames, 2 shovels, 1 fire rake, 1 iron grating, 1 whiffletree, 1 brace, 7 pairs pipe tongs, 2 plates, 2 fire hoes, 4 scrapers, 1 gate, 1 ambulance steps, 10 bedsteads, 1 ambulance, 1 clinker bar, 1 shovel, 1 clothes wringer, 1 block, 2 slice bars, 5 clocks, 1 bread knife; gas-pipe throughout buildings; cut 60 sash weights.

Coopers—Made 8 bread barrels, 53 pails; repaired 89 bread barrels, 4,249 flour barrels, 348 assorted barrels, 39 tubs, 72 pails, 3 yeast tubs.

Shoemakers—Repaired 300 pairs shoes, 7 pairs boots, 20 pairs slippers.

Tailors—Made 126 summer jackets, 97 summer pants, 695 suspenders, 20 winter vests, 74 winter pants, 20 winter coats, 30 winter jackets; repaired 277 winter jackets, 241 winter pants, 43 winter vests, 278 summer pants, 182 summer jackets, and 11 coats; turned to order 1 coat.

Tinsmiths—Made 4 ventilators, 4 dozen assorted funnels, 2 joints stove-pipe, 3 elbows, 102 dip-pers, 2 20 gallon boilers, 200 pint cups, 24 6-gallon cans, 2 tin cases, 1 hot air bath, 12 irrigators, 1 water cooler, 43 bake pans, 6 kettles, 100 wash basins, 12 boilers; repaired 45 kettles, 2 20-gallon boilers, 28 dippers, 1 dish pan.

Plasterers—Employed at general repairs, patching up ceilings, walls, etc., whitewashing, calcimining, etc.

Painters—Employed at general repairs, painting, varnishing, graining, puttying, and glazing.

Sewing Room—Knitted 340 pairs women's stockings, and 84 pairs men's socks; made 200 shirts, 300 aprons, 200 sheets, 59 bedticks, 194 women's caps, 10 men's aprons, 150 women's dresses, and 100 women's chemises; repaired 758 dresses, 390 petticoats, 471 chemises, 851 shirts, 501 sheets, 162 bedticks, 837 pairs socks, 44 pillow cases, 56 blankets, 2 under shirts, 9 spreads.

Washhouse—76,535 pieces clothing and bedding washed.

Respectfully submitted,

M. VOUGHT, Warden.

HART'S ISLAND HOSPITAL, }
October 1st, 1880.

Hon. Townsend Cox, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Following please find Quarterly Report of this institution ending September 30, 1880:

Inmates remaining June 30.....	219
“ admitted.....	232
“ discharged.....	199
“ died.....	18
“ remaining September 30, 1880.....	234

LABOR REPORT FOR THIRD QUARTER.

Carpenters—Made 2 fancy rollers for clothes, 1 bookcase with partitions for drug-store, 1 square and 2 round tables, covers for water pails, new benches in ice box, and frames around ventilators; repaired, coverlids to ice box, rear door in kitchen, arm chairs, chairs, and stools, windows, doors, and shutters in Pavilions A, B, and C; repaired locks, etc.

Painters—Painted shutters, doors in Pavilions A, B, and C, office building, doors and railings and leaders around wards and office building, put lights in windows, etc.

Plumbers—Made 8 powder boxes for medical use; put in new pipe to kitchen range and caldron, pipe on roof of laundry; put in 8 new bottoms to kettles and lining in laundry stove; repaired leader pipes on office building, pump in Pavilion A, and water-closets, tank and pump in Pavilion B, water pipes and pump for kitchen.

Tailor—Kept hospital clothing in good repair.

Laundry—Done washing for 300 inmates and 20 employees.

Gas-house—Produced 37,500 feet of gas.

Sewing—Made 50 sheets, 8 towels, 12 shrouds; repaired 411 sheets, 287 shirts, 230 chemises, 105 pillow-cases, 17 toilet quilts, 1 petticoat, 3 bedticks, 102 night-gowns, and 125 dresses; knitted 85 pairs stockings; done by female convalescents.

Farming and Gardening—Raised, on two and a half acres of ground, 7,500 ears of corn, 30 bushels tomatoes, 20 bushels beans and peas; melons, cucumbers, onions, and other vegetables for kitchen use.

Grass-plots, walks, roads, and grounds in general were kept in order by male convalescents.

Very respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Resident Physician.

BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM, HART'S ISLAND, }
October 1, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Board Commissioners Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I herewith transmit to your Honorable Board the Quarterly Report of this Institution, ending September 30, 1880.

Inmates remaining June 30, 1880.....	303
“ admitted.....	7
“ discharged.....	4
“ died.....	4
Remaining September 30, 1880.....	302

LABOR REPORT FOR THIRD QUARTER.

Carpenters—Made 34 ventilators for Pavilions, 4 shutters for ventilators, weather strips for all the Pavilion doors, frames for side doors of Pavilions, 2 window poles, 3 wooden meal trays for kitchen, clothes box for Pavilion 1, 2 step ladders, 4 bins for store-room, paper-closet, book rack and rest and key board for Office, chest for Assistant Physician; repaired 18 ventilators, 3 fan lights, 8 doors, 4 benches, gates of Pavilions E and D, water-closets, window shutters, step ladders, arm chairs, chairs, stools, 18 locks, gutters of Pavilions 1 and 2, meat block in kitchen, floors of all the Pavilions, locks and keys in the several Pavilions.

Painters—Painted gates of Pavilions, 52 ventilators, 10 bath tubs, 4 closets, 8 doors, wainscoting and floors of Pavilions 1 and 2, shutters of ventilators, store-room bins and counter, 12 dust pans, closet, book-rack and “rest” in Office, calcimined walls of Pavilion I, put in 29 lights of glass in Pavilions, painted shutters of Office and Physician's room.

Plumbers and Tinsmiths—Repaired kitchen caldron and put in new grate and bricks, 8 caps on ventilators, water-closets, bath tubs, and water pipes in Pavilions, roofs and gutters of all the Pavilions, 36 pieces of tinware.

Laundry—Done washing for 303 inmates, 30 employees, and 26 Workhouse help.

Sewing—Made 24 men's shirts, 98 pairs women's drawers, 20 women's aprons, 100 sheets; repaired 6 men's jackets, 122 pairs pants, 90 men's shirts, 170 pairs men's socks, 14 aprons, 1,311 women's dresses, 757 petticoats, 1,217 chemises, 201 drawers, 729 pairs stockings, 8 hoods, 72 bed spreads, 294 sheets, 769 bed ticks, 514 pillow ticks, 254 pillow cases, 80 roller towels; knitted 311 pairs men's socks, 14 pairs women's stockings.

Very respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

Admissions to the different Institutions from Central Office, during quarter ending September 30, 1880.

ADULTS.	
To Examining Physician	4,174
" Charity Hospital (direct)	436
" Homeopathic Hospital (direct)	4
" Almshouse	252
" Workhouse	56
" Randall's Island	57
" Colored Home	106
	<u>5,085</u>
CHILDREN.	
To Nursery Hospital, Randall's Island	65
" Infants " " " "	222
	<u>287</u>
Discharged—To parents and guardians	168
Out-Door Poor interments in City Cemetery from Central Office	534
Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment	285

Transportation has been afforded to ninety-five sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, and thereby preventing them from becoming a charge to the county.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent.

N. Y. PENITENTIARY, B. I.,
October 18, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Annexed I beg to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending September 30, 1880, the number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the result accomplished by such labor during the quarter.

Very respectfully,
JOHN M. FOX, Warden.

Blacksmiths—Made 10 and repaired and altered 58 iron bedsteads, 3 pairs ice tongs, 2 rivet sets, 10 cot frames, 3 pairs shackles, 1 pair steel jaws for pipe vise, 16 window guards, 1 fire-escape, consisting of four platforms, 1 gate 11 feet 6 inches by 9 feet 3 inches, 1 railing for same for Fifty-seventh Street Court, 4 gates and 4 locks for Essex Market Prison, 96 steel chisels, 176 steel points, 6 pitching tools, 54 steel drills, 26 stone hammers, 48 plugs, 52 spindles, 494 rivets, 98 standards, 77 bucket handles, 219 bucket ears, 121 bucket straps, also all necessary repairs on wagons, carts, ambulances, wheelbarrows, prison vans, wheels, etc., etc.

Tinsmiths—Made 100 dish pans, 100 dust pans, 100 wash basins, 99 sheet-iron bake pans, 450 feet galvanized iron gutter, 870 feet stove-pipe, 102 elbows, 8 sieves, also all necessary repairs to tinware belonging to the institution.

Carpenters—Made 640 coffins, 297 buckets, 300 fine water-pails for stock, 28 wash kids, 9 soup tubs, 2 clothes closets, 25 scaffolding horses, 7 tables, 16 benches, 1 refrigerator, 1 clothes chest, 3 meat wagons, 24 fine axe handles, 792 clothes pins, 34 stools, 1 desk, 10 balusters, etc., etc.; repaired 79 chairs, 24 wheelbarrows, 19 settees, 162 buckets, 30 tubs, also repairs on all vehicles belonging to the Department.

Tailors and Cot Makers—Made 275 woolen jackets, 284 pants, 100 vests, 392 pairs mittens, 8 citizens' suits for boys at Bellevue Hospital, 78 cot-bottoms; repaired 342 woolen jackets, 393 pants, 226 vests, 258 caps, 390 cot bottoms.

Brooms and Brush Makers—Made 192 dozen scrub-brushes, 111 dozen brooms.

Shoemakers—Made 2,280 pairs men's shoes, and repaired 1,879 pairs men's shoes, 132 pairs women's shoes.

At the Sewing Room—Female prisoners have made 565 girl's dresses, 225 boy's shirts, 100 diapers, 100 petticoats, 100 cloaks, 100 hoods, 300 aprons, 25 night-gowns, 200 women's dresses, 100 chemises, 360 men's shirts, 194 pairs men's summer pants, 600 men's woolen caps, 50 bed spreads, 100 sheets, 200 pillow-ticks, 3 tablecloths; repaired 3,554 pairs men's summer pants, 3,484 men's shirts, 176 women's dresses, 270 women's petticoats, 369 women's chemises, 155 pair women's stockings, 279 pillow ticks.

At the Stone Shed—The prisoners are daily employed cutting building stone, window and door. jambs, door steps, etc., etc.

By prisoners employed at out-door labor, the roads and sea wall have been kept in proper repair 50 barges of dirt, 250 tons of ice have been discharged.

The average daily number of male prisoners during the quarter has been 618, employed as follows:

52 men at Randall's Island, making roads, unloading dirt barges, filling in low grounds, and quarrying.
50 men at Ward's Island, unloading barges and working on new wing Insane Asylum.
70 men as stonecutters.
25 men as stonebreakers.
55 men in quarry.
28 men as blacksmiths.
7 men as tinsmiths.
48 men as carpenters and painters.
69 men as shoemakers, tailors, broom, brush and cotmakers.
40 men as gardeners.
17 men in bucket gang.
6 men as whitewashers.
20 men building new cook and boiler-house.
22 men working on new wash-house, Charity Hospital.
20 men disabled and locked in cells.
3 men at Insane Asylum.
64 men in and around prison, as utility men.
22 men continually in Hospital.

The average daily number of female prisoners during the quarter has been 146, employed as follows:

Sewing-room	67
Wash-house	32
Scrubbing, cleaning and domestic work	25
Hospital	15
Disabled	5
Lunatic Asylum	1
Charity Hospital	1

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
October 7, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Board Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Herewith please find quarterly male and female labor reports of this institution for the quarter ending September 30, 1880.

Very respectfully,
JOHN LOUDON, Superintendent.

Male Labor Report of Workhouse, B. I., for the Quarter ending September 30, 1880.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number Days Work.	Number Days Employed.	Average Number Employed Daily.	OCCUPATION.
Steamboats	2,782	92	30	Firemen and Deckhands.
Bakery	5,218	92	57	Bakers and Assistants.
Stables	1,240	92	14	Drivers and Hostlers.
Store Department	1,647	92	18	Clerks and Laborers.
Workhouse Carpenters	132	73	2	Repairing about building.
Almshouse Shop	510	78	7	Mechanics detailed thereto.
Paint Shop	79	75	1	Repairing for institution.
Engine-room and Gas-house	1,381	92	15	Machinists, Firemen, and Gasmen.
Barber Shop	335	92	4	Shaving and haircutting of inmates.
Male Hall	2,294	92	25	Doorkeepers, Messengers, and Clerks.
Scrub Gang	3,274	92	36	Scrubbing and whitewashing Male Hall.
Cot Riggers	184	78	2	Making and repairing cots.
Gardeners	3,496	77	45	Cultivating vegetables, general farm work.
Kitchen	1,845	92	20	Cooks and Assistants.
Island Improvements	4,853	76	64	General outside laboring work.
Lunatic Asylum	839	78	11	Mechanics and Laborers detailed.
Bellevue Hospital	166	17	10	Laborers unloading and trimming coal.
Cutting-room	274	78	4	Cutting clothing for Department.
Shoe Shop	1,434	78	18	Made. Repaired. 579 pairs women's shoes. 1,186½ pairs shoes. 17 pairs men's shoes. 257 pairs slippers. 853
Tailor Shop	531	78	7	1,862 men's pants. 220 jackets. 1,380 men's jackets. 159 pairs pants. 96 men's caps. 5 straight jackets. 62 boys' suits. 1 flag. 500 boys' pants. 42 life preservers. 550 boys' jackets. 2 cushions. 24 resting suits. 64 straight jackets. 4,563
Harness Shop	86	57	2	Making and repairing harness.
Upholsterers	74	52	1	Making and repairing mattresses and pillows.

Female Labor Report of Workhouse, B. I., for the Quarter ending September 30, 1880.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number Days Work.	Number Days Employed.	Average Number Employed Daily.	OCCUPATION.
Sewing Room—				
Sewing	3,025	62	49	Made. Repaired. 250 women's dresses. 855 men's shirts. 200 women's chemises. 1,177 pairs men's pants. 50 women's night gowns. 1,210 women's dresses. 1,414 men's shirts. 428 women's chemises. 14 men's fine shirts. 55 women's petticoats. 32 men's collars. 34 flannels. 2 undershirts. 17 pillow ticks. 2 pairs drawers. 200 men's caps. 3,776 12 pillow ticks. 2 mattress ticks. 2,178
Knitting	1,955	78	25	Knit. 648 pairs men's socks.
Repairing	624	78	8	Bound. 584 pairs women's shoes. 500 pairs women's slippers.
Binding Shoes	121	55	2	
Sewing Rags	44	9	5	
Laundry—				
Washing	3,588	79	45	Washing and ironing for City Prison, Lunatic Asylum, Steamboats, and Workhouse.
Ironing	164	41	4	
Female Hall—				
Dining-rooms	736	92	8	Waitresses and Dishwashers.
Tier Women	460	92	5	In charge of tiers.
Scrubbers	3,983	88	45	Scrubbing and whitewashing in Hall.
Sundry Work	4,189	92	46	Doorkeepers, Messengers, and Detail.
Steamboats	319	92	4	Cooks and Assistants.
Bakery	276	92	3	Cooks and Scrubbers.
Lunatic Asylum	2,095	92	23	Night Watch in Halls and Pavilions.
Tailor Shop	4,097	70	59	Tailoresses and Assistants (see Male Labor).
Almshouse	1,578	78	20	Washwomen and Scrubbers.
Maternity Hospital	422	87	5	Domestics and Helpers.

BAKERY, December 21, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Board of Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of labor performed by inmates of this Department for the quarter ending September 30, 1880.

Number of barrels of flour baked into bread 4,324 || “ “ distributed to institutions | 392 |

Total consumed and distributed 4,716 |

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed during the month of July 355,521 || “ “ “ August | 348,958 |
| “ “ “ September | 354,811 |

Total 1,059,290 |

Distribution of labor as follows :

Manufacturing of bread and labor.....	31
Setting sponges and mixing dough, night-work.....	14
Packing and distributing bread.....	8
At coal, wood, and sifting ashes.....	2
Coopering empty barrels.....	1
Watchman.....	1
Female general housework.....	2
Total.....	59

Of which 55 are inmates from Workhouse, and 4 from Almshouse.

Respectfully,

A. CHANCELLOR, Baker.

HART'S ISLAND, October 1, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—The following report of the mechanical and other labor performed by the inmates of Branch Workhouse for the quarter ending September 30 is respectfully submitted for the inspection of your Honorable Board.

Carpenters—Raised, sheathed and otherwise repaired one building 50 feet by 24 feet for stabling purposes, constructing therein feed and harness rooms; erected one extension 20 feet by 12½ feet; ceiled one room 100 feet by 31 feet; made 2 stone boats, 1 sash; repaired 3 doors, 2 carts, 3 wheelbarrows; put handles in 5 sledges, 4 striking hammers, 4 picks.

Blacksmiths and Machinists—Made 2 chisels, 119 rivets, 16 spikes, 3 rudder hooks, 1 cot frame, 121 nuts and bolts, 15 hook plates, 3 rod bolts, 4 ventilator gratings, 14 pairs hinges, 70 staples, 72 hooks, 9 bolts and plates, 6 rings, 5 wedges, 2 latch handles, 16 feathers, 1 tinsmith's square stake, 1 fuller, 2 chain links, 2 window guards, 1 hasp, 2 anchors; repaired 1 fire engine, 1 plow, 1 whiffletree, 1 tub, 20 cot frames, 3 stone boats, 1 boat rudder, 2 wheelbarrows, 11 shovels, 3 hoes, 1 axe, 2 ox yokes, 1 coffee mill, 1 cross-cut saw, 1 wheel, 1 chain; dressed and sharpened 2,638 drills, points, picks and crowbars; put 11 sets shoes on horses.

Tinsmiths and Plumbers—Laid 40 feet 3-inch iron pipe, 12 feet 3-inch earthen pipe, 1 3-inch iron elbow; made 75 mess pans, 46 feet 2-inch tin leader, 9 2-inch elbows; repaired 6 tin roofs, 1 pump, 1 grate, 46 pieces tinware, 7 lamps, 1 range, 1 coal scuttle, 1 bread knife, 4 pairs scissors.

Painters and Whitewashers—Painted stable building (outside), 1 extension, 1 boat, 16 cot frames, 16,459 square feet tin roofing; painted and lettered 9 head boards; tarred 1 roof; yellowwashed outside of 2 buildings; whitewashed interior of 4 buildings; put in 42 panes glass.

Masons and Bricklayers—Cut, dressed, and laid 34 lineal feet ashlar, 11 stone steps, 1 guard post, 3 chimney caps, 6 lineal feet gutter, 8 lineal feet coping; laid 629 cubic feet rubble masonry.

Miscellaneous—2,440 cubic yards earth excavated; 706 cubic yards ground filled in; 101 cubic yards sea-wall built; 55 loads sea-weed collected.

Tailors—Repaired 1,104 pairs men's pants, 408 men's jackets. Shoemakers—Made 52 pairs men's and 23 pairs women's shoes, and repaired 442 pairs men's and 110 pairs women's shoes.

Cotmakers—Made 36 and repaired 18 cot bottoms. In Sewing Room—Repaired 12 bed-ticks, 14 sheets, 10 petticoats, 108 dresses, 77 chemises, 65 pairs stockings, 147 pairs socks, 1,424 shirts, 123 undershirts.

In Laundry—10,568 pieces clothing and bedding washed.

For City Cemetery—Excavated 6 trenches 45 feet by 14 feet by 8 feet; interred 871 bodies, 2 in separate graves; disinterred 14 bodies for interment in other cemeteries, by friends, on Board of Health permits, indorsed by this Department.

FOR BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Carpenters—Made 4 ventilators; took down 4 storm-doors; hung 68 pairs window blinds. Tinsmiths and Plumber—Made 7 spice boxes; repaired 5 pumps, 5 ventilators, 1 tin roof, 5 water-closets, 1 tin leader, 1 caldron.

Blacksmiths—Made 9 stove guards, 141 pairs shutter hooks, 2 wedges; repaired 1 poker. Painters—Painted 68 pairs window blinds.

Shoemakers—Repaired 17 pairs men's and 4 pairs women's shoes.

Laborers—Performed 71 days' work.

FOR HART'S ISLAND HOSPITAL.

Tinsmiths and Plumber—Laid 308 square feet tin roofing; made 3 tin collars, 1 tin cap, 1 tin case, 2 coffee pots, 1 pan, 1 dipper, 1 skimmer, 12 pepper boxes; laid water-pipe to range and caldrons in kitchen; put new lining in laundry stove; repaired 10 ventilators, 12 pieces tinware, 11 tin roofs, 6 pumps, 2 water-closets, 1 tank, 1 service-pipe, 1 gas generator.

Laborers—Performed 73 days' work.

FOR NEW PAVILION.

Carpenters—Performed 358 days' labor.

Painters—101½ days' labor.

Laborers—1,095½ days' labor.

Tinsmiths—Made 140 feet 4-inch by 11-inch hot air pipe, 18 tin hot air openings, 240 lineal feet water valley.

Blacksmiths—Made 13 anchors and 20 staples.

Masons and Bricklayers—Performed 231 days' work.

Yours respectfully,

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CITY PRISON, NEW YORK, November 4, 1880.

Hon. TOWNSEND COX, President Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Herewith your Honorable Board will please find statistics of City Prisons, for the quarter ending September 30th, together with labor report for same period.

Very respectfully,

JAMES FINN, Warden.

Report of City Prisons, Quarter ending September 30, 1880.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
<i>First District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30, 1880.....	221	70	291
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	4,995	3,416	8,411
	5,216	3,486	8,702
Sent to State Prison by Courts.....	150	....	150
“ Penitentiary by Courts.....	414	67	481
“ House of Refuge.....	83	13	96
“ State Reform, Elmira.....	28	....	28
“ Roman Catholic Protectory.....	21	....	21
“ Workhouse by Police Courts.....	2,133	2,513	4,646
“ “ by Commissioners.....	88	106	194
“ State Board of Charities.....	12	....	12
“ Commissioners of Emigration.....	5	....	5
“ Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	13	....	13
“ Almshouse.....	2	5	7

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Sent to Bellevue Hospital.....	77	43	120
“ Charity Hospital.....	1	1	2
“ Lunatic Asylum.....	25	15	40
“ Homœopathic Hospital.....	1	....	1
“ Randall's Island Hospital.....	....	1	1
“ House of Good Shepherd.....	....	3	3
Executed.....	2	....	2
Discharged.....	1,897	617	2,514
Remaining September 30.....	264	102	366
	5,216	3,486	8,702
<i>Second District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30, 1880.....	57	23	80
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	2,176	1,047	3,223
	2,233	1,070	3,303
Less number transferred to First District Prison.....	897	605	1,502
	1,336	465	1,801
Sent to Workhouse by Commissioners.....	43	56	99
“ Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	4	1	5
“ Bellevue Hospital.....	12	5	17
Discharged.....	1,221	374	1,595
Remaining September 30.....	56	29	85
	1,336	465	1,801
<i>Third District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30, 1880.....	21	10	31
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	1,523	898	2,421
	1,544	908	2,452
Less number transferred to First District Prison.....	821	669	1,490
	723	239	962
Sent to Workhouse by Commissioners.....	5	4	9
Died.....	....	1	1
Discharged.....	699	216	915
Remaining September 30.....	19	18	37
	723	239	962
<i>Fourth District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30, 1880.....	34	11	45
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	1,442	471	1,913
	1,476	482	1,958
Less number transferred to First District Prison.....	659	309	968
	817	173	990
Sent to Workhouse by Commissioners.....	6	13	19
“ Bellevue Hospital.....	49	18	67
Discharged.....	726	124	850
Remaining September 30.....	36	18	54
	817	173	990
<i>Fifth District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30, 1880.....	10	6	16
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	525	77	602
	535	83	618
Less number transferred to First District Prison.....	175	30	205
	360	53	413
Sent to Workhouse by Commissioners.....	1	3	4
“ Bellevue Hospital.....	30	17	47
“ House of Refuge.....	2	....	2
Discharged.....	319	30	349
Remaining September 30.....	8	3	11
	360	53	413
<i>Sixth District Prison.</i>			
Number remaining June 30.....	....	....	....
Committed from July 1 to September 30.....	19	6	25
Less number transferred to Fifth District Prison.....	7	4	11
	12	2	14
Discharged.....	12	2	14
Remaining September 30.....	....	....	....

The following improvements and repairs have been made at First, Second, and Third District Prisons, from July 1 to September 30, 1880, by prison labor, and without expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, except the cost of the material:

FIRST DISTRICT PRISON.

Built a pine floor (4 feet wide and 84 feet long) on corridor in Female Prison.
Built an inclosure with pine for 22 soil-pipes in Male and Boys' Prisons.
Made 24 frames and sashes for cell windows in Female Prison.
Made 6 window sashes in rooms in Female Prison.
Made 47 frames and sashes for cell windows in Male Prison.
Made 110 wooden covers for ventilators in cells on second, third, and fourth tiers, Male Prison, and repaired ventilators.
Painted halls and corridors of Male Prison; repaired roof of Male Prison with 115 feet of tin.
Painted 40 window sashes, each 2 feet by 4½ feet, in skylights, Male Prison.
Repaired and rebuilt sewer from Prison yard to Franklin street sewer.
Repaired water-pipe on fourth tier, and reset and repaired bath-tub on first tier, Male Prison.

SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired roof of office.

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired and painted roof of office.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 19, 1881.

Present—The full Board.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meetings held the 10th and 12th instant were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, referred to a Committee of the full Board.

From Wm. P. Clyde & Co., asking that a lease be granted them of Pier, new 1, North river.

From Engineer-in-Chief—As to progress of work being carried on by this Department at Twenty-third street section.

From Iron Steamboat Co., withdrawing their application for lease of Pier, new, 1 North river.

From Henderson Brothers, asking that additional wharf accommodation be furnished them on the North river, above Twenty-third street.

A communication was received from the Engineer-in-Chief as to the suspension of Peter McDonagh and Isaac Willetts, Night Watchmen, and being read, was

On motion, laid on the table for examination by the Commissioners.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From King, Seton & Ball—In reference to submitting rate of insurance on derrick, "City of New York."

From Board of Commissioners of Pilots—In reference to alleged dumping of refuse into the North river, from scows in the employ of the Police Department.

From Comptroller, requesting to be furnished with certain data in reference to wharf property belonging to the city, used for ferry purposes. Referred to the Secretary to prepare a statement in reference thereto.

From Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, agreeing to pay rent for land under water covered by platform, south side of Pier 8, North river.

From Counsel to the Corporation, requesting that certain data be furnished him, as to the water-front between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets, East river. Referred to the Secretary to obtain and forward the desired information.

From "Atlas" Steamship Co., asking for the use temporarily of wharf property, until Pier, new 55, North river, to be constructed by this Department shall have been completed for their use. Secretary directed to advise in reply that this Department has no wharf property at its disposal at present suitable for the use of said company.

From J. Schwarzwald & Sons—For a lease of pier at Fifty-first street, North river. Secretary directed to advise in reply that the said pier cannot be leased, except at public auction, and that this Department will offer at public sale, leases of wharf property very soon, including the pier referred to.

From Engineer-in-Chief, as follows:

1st. Report as to work performed during the week ending January 15, 1881.

2d. Submitting plans and specifications for building Pier, new 56, North river. Secretary directed to have a sufficient number of proposals for doing said work printed and submitted to the Board for approval.

Treasurer, stating that the insurance against fire on the derrick "City of New York," to the amount of \$75,000, would expire 25th instant.

On motion, the subject of effecting reinsurance on said derrick was referred to the Treasurer with power.

The application of the Twenty-third Street Ferry Co. for use of bulkhead between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, East river, and the communication from the Department of Public Works in reference thereto, were,

On motion, taken from the table and referred to a Committee of the full Board.

Commissioner Laimbeer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That David T. Keiller, Draughtsman, be and hereby is suspended from duty.

On motion, the resolution was referred to a Committee of the full Board for consideration.

A communication was received from the Engineer-in-Chief announcing the death on the 4th of December last of Moses S. Barrett, in the employ of the Department as Surveyor, of typhoid fever, and, being read,

On motion of the Chair, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the sympathy of this Board be extended to the family of the late Moses S. Barrett, Surveyor of the Department, in their bereavement by his sudden death.

Resolved, That the Board most heartily enters upon its records this minute to bear witness to the faithfulness with which its late Surveyor performed his every official duty, to the apprehension that a long time must elapse before the responsible position he occupied can be filled with equal ability and judgment, and to the high esteem in which the members of the Board and his late associates in the Department hold in memory his many manly virtues so uniformly experienced during an official intercourse extending over a period of several years.

A communication was received from the Engineer-in-Chief, announcing the death on the 16th instant, of James O'Brien, in the employ of the Department as Roundsman, from pleuropneumonia, contracted in the discharge of his duty, and, being read,

On motion of the Chair the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That by the death of James O'Brien, Roundsman, this Department has lost a valuable and most efficient officer.

Resolved, That this Board in extending its sympathy to the family of the deceased in their affliction, desires to most kindly remind them of the great consolation to be had from the knowledge that their departed member performed all his official duties most faithfully, and that in their discharge for a term exceeding five years' duration, he exhibited the highest qualities of moral courage and integrity, to which fact this Board most heartily testifies.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of January, 1881, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter VI., Title VI., Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and paid into City Treasury.

DATE.	ESTATE OF	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
December 27	Jane Wildman	.....	\$52 09	
" 29	Mary Hennessy	.....	20 12	
" 29	Mary E. Curran	.....	\$8 98	
" 29	William Bucking	.....	285 32	
" 29	Mary Teevian	.....	31 27	
			\$325 57	\$120 88
				\$446 45

These checks were sent to the Comptroller to countersign in December, but were not returned in time to be deposited with the December receipts.
Dated February 3, 1881.

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney, for the month of January, 1881, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 26, Article I., Chapter V. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866; and of Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

DATE.	WHAT FOR.	JUDGMENTS.	PENALTIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
January 3	Violation Corporation Ordinances	.....	\$20 00	\$10 00	\$30 00
" 4	"	.....	18 00	22 50	40 50
" 5	"	.....	23 00	15 00	38 00
" 6	"	.....	10 50	5 00	15 50
" 7	"	.....	3 00	5 00	8 00
" 8	"	.....	5 00	7 50	12 50
" 10	"	.....	17 00	12 50	29 50
" 11	"	.....	3 00	2 50	5 50
" 12	"	.....	3 00	2 13	5 13
" 13	"	.....	17 00	11 02	28 02
" 14	"	.....	11 00	8 76	19 76
" 15	"	.....	24 00	11 39	35 39
" 16	"	.....	55 00	26 02	81 02
" 17	"	.....	15 00	8 52	23 52
" 18	"	.....	3 00	2 50	5 50
" 19	"	.....	18 00	19 26	37 26
" 20	"	.....	15 00	11 02	26 02
" 21	"	.....	12 00	4 26	16 26
" 22	"	.....	53 00	32 41	85 41
" 23	"	.....	9 00	7 13	16 13
" 24	"	.....	.....	2 50	2 50
" 25	"	.....	26 00	15 65	41 65
" 26	"	.....	18 00	12 78	30 78
" 27	"	.....	6 00	4 63	10 63
" 28	"	.....	9 00	6 39	15 39
" 29	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
" 30	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
" 31	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total amount collected	.....	.....	.....	\$674 87
	Less disbursements	.....	.....	.....	439 20
	Balance due the City	.....	.....	.....	\$235 67

WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 2, 1881.

Monthly statements of warrants drawn against the City Treasury, January, 1881, also a comparative statement of the City Debt as of December 31, 1880, and January 31, 1881, together with a statement of and for what purposes stocks have been issued.

Warrants Drawn.

PAYABLE FROM TAXATION.	IN JANUARY.	
Salaries, Supplies, and General Expenses of the City Government	\$675,324 50	
Interest on the City Debt	323,099 52	
Public Instruction	80,038 68	
Charitable Institutions	92,866 31	
Judgments and Claims	87,189 85	
Election Expenses	7,110 00	
Debt of Annexed Territory, Redemption of	2,600 00	
Claims payable under special acts of the Legislature	3,750 00	
Miscellaneous	31,251 48	
Total payable from Taxation	.....	\$1,303 360 34
PAYABLE FROM PROCEEDS OF BONDS.		
Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements	\$34,171 75	
" Croton Water Works	26,939 16	
City Parks Improvements	302 40	
Docks and Slips	45,745 08	
New County Court-house	1,053 43	
Assessment Commission, Expenses of	445 16	
Bridge over Harlem River	2,932 73	
Commission to Revise Laws relating to the City of New York	1,666 66	
Total payable from proceeds of Bonds	.....	113,227 37
SPECIAL AND TRUST FUNDS.		
Redemption of the City Debt	\$616,200 00	
Miscellaneous	31,042 63	
Total payable from Special and Trust Funds	.....	647,242 63
Total warrants drawn in January	.....	\$2,062,830 34

Stocks and Bonds have been issued in January for the following purposes:

For Docks and Slips	\$62,500 00
For Croton Water Works	21,000 00
For New County Court-house	1,000 00
For Street Openings and Improvements	22,351 69
For Current Expenses—Revenue Bonds	717,900 00
Total	\$824,400 00

The City Debt, as represented in Stocks and Bonds, January 31, 1881.

CLASSIFICATION OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	DECEMBER 31, 1880.	JANUARY 31, 1881.
1. Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue	\$92,885,169 37	\$92,885,169 37
2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council	16,320,743 47	16,320,743 47
3. Bonds payable from taxes raised annually and paid into the Sinking Fund for their redemption, under section 8 of chapter 383, Laws of 1878	4,271,007 03	4,355,507 03
4. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, issued to refund old issues, under section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00
5. Assessment Bonds for local improvements, issued prior to June 3, 1878, the date of the passage of chapter 383, Laws of 1878	8,458,100 00	8,356,100 00
6. Assessment Bonds for local improvements, issued after June 3, 1878	1,900,000 00	1,922,000 00
Deduct amount in Sinking Fund Redemption (investments and cash)	\$133,535,019 87	\$133,539,519 87
	32,993,024 00	33,402,082 40
	\$100,541,995 87	\$100,137,437 41
7. Revenue Bonds—		
Issued under special acts of the Legislature	286,944 58	286,944 58
" in anticipation of Taxes of 1879	525,000 00	525,000 00
" " " 1880	4,712,300 00	4,644,800 00
" " " 1881	.....	717,900 00
	\$106,066,240 45	\$106,317,081 99

Cash—City Treasury	\$974,103 84
Sinking Fund—Redemption (included with investments above)	398,518 01
Interest	164,426 75
Total	\$1,537,048 60

The Bonded Debt of the annexed territory of Westchester County, not included in the above statement, is as follows:
Towns of Morrisania and West Farms.....\$953,500 00
County of Westchester.....14,395 69

Total.....\$967,895 69

E. & O. E.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

ISAAC S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending January 29, 1881.

Barometer.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	23	29.810	29.814	29.804	29.797	29.898	29.913	29.841	29.928	29.948	29.792	29.796
Monday,	24	30.036	30.070	30.000	30.012	30.004	30.030	30.037	30.050	30.078	29.928	29.948
Tuesday,	25	30.022	30.077	30.038	30.061	30.093	30.126	30.088	30.098	30.126	30.002	30.038
Wednesday,	26	30.038	30.064	29.928	29.929	29.886	29.890	29.961	30.088	30.119	29.834	29.841
Thursday,	27	29.988	30.027	30.000	30.031	30.080	30.122	30.060	30.088	30.133	29.834	29.841
Friday,	28	30.176	30.223	30.188	30.208	30.213	30.239	30.233	30.232	30.263	30.088	30.133
Saturday,	29	30.272	30.306	30.250	30.265	30.242	30.270	30.280	30.300	30.331	30.198	30.229

Mean for the week..... 30.071 inches.
 Maximum " at 10 A.M., January 29..... 30.331 "
 Minimum " at 6 A.M., January 23..... 29.796 "
 Range "535 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	23	27	27	31	30	23	27.0	26.3	31	2 P.M.	30	2 P.M.	21
Monday,	24	16	16	24	23	19	19.6	19.3	26	4 P.M.	25	4 P.M.	15
Tuesday,	25	8	8	20	19	18	15.3	15.0	22	4 P.M.	20	4 P.M.	8
Wednesday,	26	19	19	28	25	27	24.6	23.0	28	2 P.M.	25	2 P.M.	17
Thursday,	27	14	14	27	25	13	18.0	17.6	26	0 A.M.	25	0 A.M.	12
Friday,	28	11	11	21	19	18	17.0	16.0	21	2 P.M.	19	2 P.M.	11
Saturday,	29	16	16	23	20	17	19.0	17.6	25	4 P.M.	22	4 P.M.	16

Mean for the week..... 20.0 degrees.
 Maximum for the week, at 2 P.M., 23d..... 31. " at 2 P.M., 23d..... 30. "
 Minimum " at 7 A.M., 28th..... 11. " at 7 A.M., 28th..... 11. "
 Range " 20. " 19. "

Wind.

DATE.	JANUARY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			Distance for the Day.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			Time.
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	
Sunday,	23	WNW	WNW	WNW	57	84	88	229	0	4½	½	6½
Monday,	24	NW	NNW	NNW	95	46	19	160	¾	¾	0	0.50
Tuesday,	25	NNW	NW	W	33	44	60	137	0	¾	¾	¾
Wednesday,	26	W	W	WSW	8	90	92	265	1	4½	¾	6½
Thursday,	27	WNW	WNW	WNW	149	136	105	390	3½	6¾	½	10¾
Friday,	28	NNW	NW	WNW	145	113	92	350	1¾	5½	2	10½
Saturday,	29	NW	WNW	NW	126	83	67	276	2¾	¾	¾	7¾

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,807 miles.
 Maximum force " 10½ pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow.

DATE.	JANUARY.	FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, OVERCAST, &c.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	23	.147	.155	.123	100	89	100	7 Cu.	3 Cu.	1 S.	.....
Monday,	24	.090	.112	.103	100	87	100	3 Cu.	1 Cir.	0	.....
Tuesday,	25	.062	.092	.098	100	85	100	0	0	0	.....
Wednesday,	26	.103	.100	.112	100	65	76	9 Cu.	6 Cu.	0	.....
Thursday,	27	.082	.112	.078	100	76	100	0	4 Cir.	0	.....
Friday,	28	.071	.080	.087	100	71	84	1 Cir.	7 Cir.	0	.....
Saturday,	29	.090	.074	.083	100	60	84	7 Cir.	1 Cir. S.	5 Cir.	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... 0 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

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.
 WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief Clerk; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
 CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
 HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
 WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS BRADY, 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.
 President Board of Aldermen.
 FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 AMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN C. CAMPBELL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 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.
 ALLAN CAMPBELL, 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 for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
 MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, 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 5 P. M.
 Saturday, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
 JACOB HESS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
 VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
 JOHN McCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street.
 DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

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. 35 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th 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.
 THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.

Second. As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated New York, July 13, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER,
 JOHN KELLY,
 ALLAN CAMPBELL,
 GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
 DANIEL LORD, JR.,
 Commissioners under the Act.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
 NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
 NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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 enrollment 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).

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
 NEW YORK, January 27, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 126.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER 12, EAST RIVER, AND THE ADJOINING BULKHEAD.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER 12 AND the Bulkhead, near the foot of Old Slip, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1881,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. The earlier half of said Pier is owned by Moses Taylor and others, represented by

DAVID WHIPPLE, of No. 30 SOUTH STREET, as Agent, and the contract for the work will not be awarded unless the price named by the lowest bidder shall be satisfactory to said owners. Such contract if awarded, will be entered into by the Department of Docks, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and by said owners on their own account, the city becoming liable for one-half only of the expense, the other one-half to be borne and paid for to

1. Yellow Pine Timber—	
12" x 15"	14,925 feet B. M., measured in the work.
12" x 12"	76,668 " " " "
6" x 12"	4,428 " " " "
6" plank	2,928 " " " "
6" x 8"	533 " " " "
6" x 10"	13,600 " " " "
6" x 8"	512 " " " "
4" plank	69,232 " " " "
Total	182,826 " " " "

2. North Carolina Yellow Pine Timber, 3" plank, 44,748 ft. B. M., measured in the work.

3. White Oak Timber, 6" x 12", 1,008 ft., B. M., measured in the work.

4. White Pine 1" boards, 1,056 ft. B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

5. Spruce Pine Piles

6. White Pine Piles

7. White pine mooring post

8. Half round oak fenders

9. Crib ties, braces, and flooring logs, about ..

10. 7/8" x 29", 7/8" x 22", 7/8" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", and 3/4" x 4", square, and 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 8", and 3/4" x 6", round wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, and 8 d. nails, about ..

11. 1", 3/4", and 3/8" wrought-iron screw bolts, about ..

12. Wrought-iron armature plates and corner bands, about ..

13. Cast-iron washers for 1" and 3/4" screw bolts, and cast-iron pile shoes, about ..

14. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 15,823 square feet of pier and 35 feet in length of bulkhead.

15. Labor of removing all of the pier and bulkhead near the foot of Old Slip, E. R., and of removing all the old material from the premises.

N. B.—As the above mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2nd. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices for the same respectively, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1881, and the damages to be paid by the contractor, for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the pier and bulkhead to be removed, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard, for doing each class of dredging above mentioned, also a price for doing the whole of the work mentioned and described above as Class 3. By these prices, the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing each of the three classes of this work.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders 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 estimate, or if, after acceptance, he or they shall refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the proper security for forty-eight (48) hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it is accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an 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; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York, and to Moses Taylor and others, owners of the easterly half of said pier, one-half to each, any difference between the sum to which said person would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation and said owners 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 to be done in each class 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 surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and Moses Taylor and others, owners of the easterly half of said pier, represented by David Whipple, as agent, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or 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 right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York, or of Moses Taylor and others, repres by David Whipple, as agent, owners of the easterly half of said pier.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
New York, January 25, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 25th day of January, 1881, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following amendments of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same are hereby adopted, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Resolved, That Section 34 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 34. That no decayed or unwholesome fruit or vegetables, no impure or unwholesome meat, fish, birds, or fowl shall be brought into said city to be consumed or offered for sale for human food, nor shall any such articles be kept or stored therein.

Resolved, That Section 77 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 77. That no person or company being a manufacturer of gas, or engaged about the manufacture thereof, shall throw or deposit, or allow to run, or having the right or power to prevent the same, shall permit to be thrown or deposited into any public works, river, or stream, or into any sewer therewith connected, or into any street or public place, any gas tar or any refuse matter of or from any gas-house, works, manufactory, mains or service pipes; or permit the escape of any offensive odors, or gas from their works, mains or pipes; nor shall any such person or company permit to escape from any of their works, mains, or pipes, any gas dangerous or prejudicial to life or health; or manufactory illuminating gas of such ingredients and quality that, in the process of burning, it or any substance which may escape therefrom, shall be dangerous or prejudicial to life or health; or fail to use the most approved or all reasonable means for preventing the escape of odors.

Resolved, That Section 85 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 85. That no petroleum oil, kerosene oil (or other liquid having like composition or qualities as a burning fluid as said oil) shall be kept or exposed or offered for sale as a burning fluid for lamps or any receptacle for the purpose of illumination, nor shall such oil or fluid or any description thereof be sold or kept or exposed or offered for sale or given away for use, or be used as a burning fluid for any such lamp or receptacle, or be kept for such use, unless such oil or fluid shall be of such quality and ingredients that it shall stand and be equal to the following test and conditions, to wit:

It shall not evolve an inflammable vapor at a temperature below one hundred and ten (110) degrees of the Fahrenheit thermometer.

Resolved, That section 136 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 136. That it shall be the duty of every person, knowing of any individual in said city sick of any contagious disease, and the duty of every physician hearing of any such sick person, who he shall have reason to think requires the attention of this Department, to at once report the facts to the Sanitary Bureau in regard to the disease, condition, and dwelling-place or condition of such sick person; and no person shall interfere with or obstruct the entrance, inspection and examination of any building or house by the inspectors and officers of this Department when there has been reported the case of a person sick with contagious disease therein.

Resolved, That section 191 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 191. All privy vaults in the yard of any house in the City of New York, within twenty feet of any dwelling, shall be ventilated by means of an eight-inch pipe, laid at least six inches below the surface of the yard, from the said vault to the nearest wall of the building of the greatest altitude at or upon said premises, and there connected with a vertical metallic shaft of like diameter, extending not less than two feet above the roof of such building. And every privy vault in the City of New York shall be ventilated in this way, unless a permit in writing specially excepting such vault from the requirements of this ordinance be granted, and it be otherwise ordered by the Board of Health.

Resolved, That section 55 and section 178 of the Sanitary Code be and are hereby annulled.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
New York, January 18, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 18th day of January, 1881, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following amendment of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same is hereby adopted, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Resolved, That section 198 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 198. That no cattle other than milch cows, with or without their young calves, shall be led or driven through or along any of the streets of the City of New York, without a permit in writing from the Health Department, and in strict accordance with the routes, hours, and conditions prescribed thereby, provided, however, that sheep may be driven on routes prescribed for them, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the permits issued from time to time by the Board of Health.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
New York, January 18, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 18th day of January, 1881, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional ordinance of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 204. There shall not be a public or church funeral of any person who has died of small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, yellow fever, typhus fever, or Asiatic cholera, but the funeral of such person shall be private; and it shall not be lawful to invite, or permit at the funeral of any person who has died of any of the above diseases, or of any contagious or pestilential disease, or at any services connected therewith, any persons whose attendance is not necessary, or to whom there is danger of contagion thereby.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain road, avenue, or parkway, known as the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway (although not yet named by proper authority), and streets connecting same with Broadway, from the Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris Railroad to Broadway, 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:

I.—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 Chester A. Arthur, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 9 Chambers street (Room No. 5), in the said city, on or before the 31st day of January, 1881; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 31st day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II.—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, to remain until the 1st day of February, 1881.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being within the following boundaries:

Commencing at a point where the northerly line of said Parkway intersects the easterly line of the Spuyten Duyvil Railroad Company; thence running northerly along the line of said railroad, and the easterly line of Hudson River Railroad Company to the northerly line of the City of New York; thence easterly along the northerly line of the City of New York to the westerly line of the Croton Aqueduct; thence southerly along the westerly line of the Croton Aqueduct to the former boundary line between Kingsbridge and West Farms; thence in a southwesterly direction along the said boundary to the easterly line of the Spuyten Duyvil Railroad; thence following the line of said railroad until it reaches the point of beginning.

IV.—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 at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of February, 1881, at the opening of the Court 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, December 20, 1880.
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
NATHANIEL JARVIS, Sr.,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Central Park, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth 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 lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—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 Frederick Smyth, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the thirty-first day of January, 1881, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said thirty-first day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II.—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, to remain until the second day of February, 1881.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in said City, and which, taken together, are bounded and joined as follows, to wit: Northerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets; southerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; easterly by the centre line of the Eighth avenue, and westerly, by the established bulkhead line of the Hudson river.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the tenth day of February, 1881, at the opening of the Court 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, December 20th, 1880.
FREDERICK SMYTH,
JACOB F. OAKLEY,
WILLIAM M. TWEED, Jr.,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
New York, January 10, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1881, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 10, 1881, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1881, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board.
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING MATERIALS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING material for West Wing of Insane Asylum.

LUMBER.
7,500 feet 2-inch clear pine.
6,500 feet 3/4-inch clear pine boards, 3 1/2 in. wide, tongued and grooved, dressed one side, and one edge beaded.

800 feet 3/4 clear pine.

1,500 " 3/4 "

250 " 1 1/2 "

500 clear pine boards 12 feet by 10 in. by 1 inch.

N. B.—All the lumber to be dressed one side, well seasoned, free from knots, sap, and checks and board measurement.

HARDWARE.

55 gross 1 in. No. 10 screws.

60 " 1 1/2 in. No. 12 screws.

10 papers each 1 and 1 1/2 in. brads.

12 gross 1 1/4 in. screws, No. 14.

50 pounds rod. finishing nails,

25 " 6d.

25 " good glue.

165 wickets for doors.

2 quires best sand paper, Nos. 1 and 2.

165 mortise locks with brass furniture.

2 dado planes, 3/4 in.

2 fore planes.

1 1/2 in. O. G. moulding plane.

1 3/4 " "

1 3/4 " "

3 smoothing planes.

2 jack planes.

1 pair 1-inch match planes.

6 planing irons, 2 1/4 inches.

3 try squares, 6 inches.

2 auger bits, 5-16 inch.

2 screw driver bits.

2 iron clamp screws, 18 inches.

2 No. 10 back saws, 18 inches.

2 mortising chisels, 7/8 inch.

3 firmer chisels, 2 inches.

3 " 2 1/2 inches.

2 rat-tail files, 5 inches.

12 saw files, 4 inches.

2 oil-stone slips.

—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 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday the

4th day of February, 1881. The person or persons making

any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed

envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Building Materials

for West Wing Insane Asylum," 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 re-

quired 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 en-

gaged 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 sure-

ties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the es-

timated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name

and place of residence

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

DRY GOODS.
1,500 yards Calico.
2,000 " Furniture Check.
100 dozen Men's Socks.
500 Rubber Blankets.

GROCERIES.
10,000 pounds Dairy Butter (sample on exhibition February 3, 1881).
20,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
2 casks Prunes.
20 dozen Canned Corn.
20 " " Tomatoes.
10 barrels prime bright shore No. 2 Mackerel.
10 dozen Chow Chow.
20 boxes Castile Soap.

HARDWARE.
20 gross Knives and Forks.
6 dozen pairs Scissors.
6 dozen Thimbleometers.
240 papers each 6, 10, and 12 oz. Tacks.

LIME, ETC.
20 barrels W. W. Lime.
10 " Plaster Paris.
20 bundles Lath.

CROCKERY.
5 gross Plates.
1 " Soup Plates.
5 " Mugs.
1 " Bed Pans.
1 " Spit Cups.
2 " Chambers.
1 " Male Urinals.
2 " Spitoons.

—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 Friday, the 4th day of February, 1881. 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, 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; and 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, or 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, January 22, 1881.
JACOB HESS,
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1881.

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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Margaret McDermott; aged 29 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted purple calico dress, blue striped shawl, drab hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Kennedy, aged 51 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Lizzie alias Laura Staefin; aged 60 years; 4 feet 11½ inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted black straw hat, brown plaid shawl, black dress, slippers. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
At Hart's Island Hospital—Johanna Fitzgerald; aged 60 years; 4 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted brown calico dress, black woolen shawl, white stockings, gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 29, 1881.

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 City Prison—Bernard Connolly; aged 31 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair and moustache; brown eyes. Had on when admitted gray coat, pants, and vest.
At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Robert King; aged 59 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted blue jacket, gray pants, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
At Work House, Blackwell's Island—Bridget Brogan; aged 30 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Minnie Mohler; aged 66 years; 5 feet 11½ inches high; gray hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
Maggie Dowdell; aged 45 years; 5 feet high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted broche shawl, calico dress, striped petticoat, striped stockings, laced shoes.

Nellie Holmes; aged 33 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted calico dress, black and white woolen shawl, straw hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.
At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William P. Cole; aged 20 years; 4 feet 8½ inches high. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
Charles Stripp; aged 39 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair; black eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Valentine Estel; aged 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Elizabeth Scheyler, alias Bridget Coyle; aged 37 years; 4 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, Room No. 39,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, cloth, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, coffee, trunks, bags and contents, placks, shoes, revolvers, blankets, robes, bracelets, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF WATER RENTS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, January 29, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 25, 1881, AND ENTERED JANUARY 29, 1881, N. Y. C.

153d street, opening, from the easterly line of the New Avenue lying between 8th and 9th avenues, to the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before March 30, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF WATER RENTS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received by the Collector of Assessments, December 4, 1880, for collection,

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED NOV. 27, 1880,

as follows:
70th street, flagging, south side, between Madison and 5th avenues.
40th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
106th street, regulating and grading, between 4th and Madison avenues.
81st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 8th and 9th avenues.
10th avenue, crosswalks, at 152d street.
Lexington avenue, crosswalks, north and south sides of 125th street.

4th and Madison avenues, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 73d streets.
Avenue A, fencing vacant lots, northeast corner 86th street.

70th and 80th streets, fencing vacant lots, Madison and 5th avenues.
8th avenue, west, fencing vacant lots, 107th and 115th streets.

8th avenue, east, fencing vacant lots, 110th and 115th streets.
110th street, fencing vacant lots, 7th avenue and New avenue, etc.

76th street, fencing vacant lots, Lexington and 4th avenues.
125th street, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 5th avenue.

50th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 5th and 6th avenues.
57th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 2d and 3d avenues.

72d street, north and south sides, fencing vacant lots, 9th and 10th avenues.
Boulevard, west side, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 74th streets.

1st avenue, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 61st street.
Heaver street, basin at junction of Pearl street.
Jane street, basin at northeast and southeast corners 13th avenue.

Front, Montgomery street, and } Northeast corner.
South, Montgomery street, } Basin, northwest cor.
132d street, sewer, 7th avenue, 300 feet west 7th avenue.

Lexington avenue, sewer, 10th and 105th streets.
58th street, sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.
113th street, sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.

60th and 70th streets, sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.
Lexington avenue, sewer, between 72d and 73d streets.
64th street, sewer, between 8th avenue and Boulevard.

60th street, sewer, between Boulevard and 9th avenue.
Cliff street, sewer, between Beekman and Ferry streets.
Mt. Morris avenue, sewer, between 123d and 124th streets.

Sylvan Place, sewer, between 120th and 121st streets.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 2, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, until the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing this provision of law, is published below.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 26, 1881.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which may fall due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, in whole or in part, for such period as he may determine, not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT

SECTION 3 OF CHAPTER 521 OF THE LAWS OF 1880, requires that heads of departments shall reduce the aggregate expenses of their respective departments by a reduction of salaries, and confers upon them authority to consolidate bureaux and offices for that purpose, as follows, to wit:

"In making the reduction herein required, every head of department may abolish and consolidate offices and bureaux, and discharge subordinates in the same department."

The Comptroller of the City of New York, in pursuance of the duty imposed and the authority thus conferred upon him, hereby orders and directs that the following Bureaux in the Finance Department shall be consolidated, the consolidation thereof to take effect on the first day of January, 1881, viz:

First—"The Bureau or the Collection of Assessments," and "The Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," shall be consolidated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both of said bureaux, and the officers thereof, the chief officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called "Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears."

Second—"The Bureau for the Collection of the Revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city," and "The Bureau of Markets," shall be consolidated as one Bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said bureaux, and the officers thereof; the chief officer of which said consolidated Bureau shall be called "Comptroller of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets."

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 31, 1880.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received by the Collector of Assessments, December 8, 1880, for collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

12th avenue regulating, grading, curb, guttering, and flagging, between 130th and 132d streets.
43d street sewer, between 1st avenue and East river.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 125th and 126th streets.

Front street sewer, between Dover and Roosevelt streets.
52d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
115th street basin, northwest corner Avenue A.
77th street fencing vacant lots, between 4th and 5th avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 6, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments December 8, 1880, for collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

BLOOMINGDALE ROAD CLOSING.

The property affected is embraced within the following boundary, viz.: From the north side of 59th street to the south side of 159th street, and from 8th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before February 6, 1881, 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 above assessment is payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1880, to the Receiver of Taxes, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office before the first day of December next, one per cent. will be collected on all taxes remaining unpaid on that day, and one per cent. in addition thereto on all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of December next.

No money will be received after 3 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 22, 1880.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and payment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge, lately annexed to the city and county of New York," passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said town have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes levied prior to the year 1874, by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and also the unpaid taxes of the year 1873, known as Rejected Taxes, have been filed for collection in the Bureau of Arrears in the Finance Department of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and payments also of said Rejected Taxes of the year 1873, must be made hereafter to the Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York.

N. B.—Interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum is due and payable on the amount of said sales for taxes and said rejected taxes.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
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.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price 15 00
Records of judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price 10 00

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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