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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

ANNUAL TABLES OF THE NEW YORK METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY, CENTRAL PARK.

Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N.; Longitude, 70° 57' 58" W.; height above the sea, 97 feet.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1887.

I.

Table showing the Height of the Barometer for the Year 1887, reduced to freezing point, Fahrenheit.

INCHES.

MONTHS, 1887.	MEAN AT 7 A. M.	MEAN AT 2 P. M.	MEAN AT 9 P. M.	MONTH MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		Difference or Range.
					Height.	Date.	Height.	Date.	
January	29.907	29.853	29.920	29.893	30.518	10 A. M., 4th	29.262	4 P. M., 17th	1.256
February	30.094	30.054	30.065	30.071	30.838	9 A. M., 5th	29.088	2 P. M., 11th	1.750
March	29.806	29.781	29.822	29.803	30.700	10 A. M., 5th	29.000	11 A. M., 22d	1.700
April	29.899	29.851	29.870	29.870	30.368	9 A. M., 8th	29.042	2 A. M., 29th	1.326
May	29.966	29.938	29.954	29.953	30.222	10 A. M., 14th	29.458	3 P. M., 26th	.734
June	29.953	29.909	29.916	29.919	30.236	7 A. M., 27th	29.550	4 A. M., 18th	.686
July	29.908	29.880	29.890	29.894	30.110	12 P. M., 4th	29.504	1 P. M., 10th	.606
August	29.905	29.880	29.892	29.891	30.268	9 A. M., 31st	29.620	3 P. M., 23d	.588
September	30.025	29.988	30.000	30.004	30.376	9 A. M., 18th	29.428	6 P. M., 7th	.938
October	29.926	29.884	29.911	29.908	30.388	11 A. M., 16th	29.390	1 P. M., 21st	.998
November	29.938	29.887	29.942	29.919	30.700	12 P. M., 34th	29.276	6 P. M., 19th	1.424
December	29.956	29.944	29.978	29.969	30.800	9 A. M., 1st	29.010	2 A. M., 18th	1.790

Year mean at 7 A. M.	29.940
" 2 P. M.	29.964
" 9 P. M.	29.930
Mean for the year	29.924
Maximum for the year at 9 A. M., February 2th	30.838
Minimum for the year at 11 A. M., March 22d	29.000
Difference or Range	1.838

II.

Table showing the State of the Thermometer for the Year 1887.

FAHRENHEIT DEGREES.

MONTHS, 1887.	MEAN AT 7 A. M.	MEAN AT 2 P. M.	MEAN AT 9 P. M.	MONTH MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		Difference or Range.
					Deg.	Date.	Deg.	Date.	
January	26.67	32.12	28.58	29.09	62.	4 P. M., 23d	4.	2 A. M., 19th	58.
February	29.25	34.60	32.32	32.02	63.	2 P. M., 11th	13.	7 A. M., 13th	50.
March	28.38	36.51	31.93	32.25	49.	1 P. M., 21st	15.	6 A. M., 15th	34.
April	40.96	51.43	46.70	46.33	79.	3 P. M., 10th	24.	4 A. M., 6th	55.
May	58.12	71.03	62.19	63.75	87.	4 P. M., 20th	45.	5 A. M., 14th	42.
June	64.90	75.33	68.70	69.60	91.	5 P. M., 30th	57.	5 A. M., 11th	39.
July	74.35	83.16	77.09	78.18	96.	4 P. M., 16th	64.	5 A. M., 15th	32.
August	66.22	74.58	69.32	70.01	89.	4 P. M., 1st	51.	6 A. M., 27th	38.
September	57.40	66.43	61.73	61.82	85.	3 P. M., 7th	40.	6 A. M., 25th	45.
October	47.38	56.93	52.25	52.17	77.	4 P. M., 7th	29.	6 A. M., 31st	48.
November	37.66	45.73	40.80	41.40	64.	3 P. M., 4th	17.	12 P. M., 30th	47.
December	30.51	37.66	34.60	33.81	58.	2 P. M., 11th	11.	7 A. M., 1st	47.

Year mean at 7 A. M.	46.81
" 2 P. M.	55.43
" 9 P. M.	50.46
Mean for the year	50.87
Maximum for the year at 4 P. M., July 16th	96.
Minimum for the year at 2 A. M., January 19th	4.
Difference or Range	92.

III.

Table showing the State of the Wet Bulb Thermometer for the Year 1887.

FAHRENHEIT DEGREES.

MONTHS, 1887.	MEAN AT 7 A. M.	MEAN AT 2 P. M.	MEAN AT 9 P. M.	MONTH MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		Difference or Range.
					Deg.	Date.	Deg.	Date.	
January	24.87	29.25	26.19	26.73	57.	4 P. M., 23d	2.	2 A. M., 19th	55.
February	26.78	31.10	29.53	29.10	55.	2 P. M., 11th	10.	7 A. M., 13th	45.
March	24.96	31.16	28.12	28.04	45.	1 P. M., 28th	12.	6 A. M., 15th	33.
April	37.00	43.20	41.10	40.44	65.	2 P. M., 11th	21.	4 A. M., 6th	44.
May	53.77	61.74	57.03	57.47	75.	4 P. M., 21st	40.	5 A. M., 1st	35.
June	59.30	65.33	63.30	62.68	76.	3 P. M., 17th	46.	5 A. M., 11th	30.
July	69.58	74.16	71.58	71.73	82.	6 P. M., 7th	58.	5 A. M., 15th	24.
August	60.25	65.03	62.29	62.83	80.	4 P. M., 1st	45.	6 A. M., 27th	35.
September	53.23	58.63	57.10	56.27	75.	3 P. M., 7th	37.	6 A. M., 25th	38.
October	44.03	49.22	47.48	46.87	70.	4 P. M., 10th	28.	3 A. M., 31st	42.
November	34.90	40.10	36.80	37.22	60.	9 A. M., 28th	13.	12 P. M., 30th	47.
December	27.77	33.66	30.64	30.45	55.	2 P. M., 11th	8.	7 A. M., 1st	47.

Year mean at 7 A. M.	43.05
" 2 P. M.	48.49
" 9 P. M.	46.01
Mean for the year	45.81
Maximum for the year at 6 P. M., July 7th	82.
Minimum for the year at 2 A. M., January 19th	2.
Difference or Range	80.

IV.

Table showing Temperature in Sunshine, Number of Hours of Sunshine and Days in which no Clouds passed over the Sun, Monthly, for the Year 1887. By Draper's Self-recording Sun Thermometer.

FAHRENHEIT DEGREES.

MONTHS, 1887.	MEAN.	HIGHEST.	DATE.	LOWEST.	DATE.	Greatest possible hours of Sunshine.	Actual Number of Hours of Sunshine.	Number of Days in which no Clouds passed over the Sun.
January	72.1	107.	2 P. M., 23d	38.	12 M., 9th	282	122	3
February	78.5	105.	12 M., 24th	35.	1 P. M., 2d	286	120	5
March	88.0	109.	1 P. M., 21st	41.	1 P. M., 6th	355	202	7
April	98.2	126.	1 P. M., 10th	44.	4 P. M., 18th	382	209	6
May	117.0	133.	2 P. M., 11th	73.	12 M., 7th	434	275	7
June	119.9	135.	1 P. M., 9th	76.	11 A. M., 23d	444	277	7
July	120.9	140.	1 P. M., 26th	90.	12 M., 5th	439	252	3
August	125.5	137.	1 P. M., 1st	86.	1 P. M., 15th	413	279	5
September	112.5	130.	12 M., 7th	69.	12 M., 12th	370	213	6
October	105.6	123.	11 A. M., 10th	64.	12 M., 19th	329	175	4
November	92.0	117.	1 P. M., 4th	52.	6 P. M., 19th	283	162	9
December	78.3	105.	10 P. M., 12th	39.	1 P. M., 31st	279	113	6

Number of hours in the year	8,760
Greatest possible hours of sunshine	4,236
Actual number of hours of sunshine	4,309
Number of days in which no clouds passed over the sun	68

V.

Table showing the Elastic Force of Aqueous Vapor in Inches of Mercury, and Relative Humidity; Saturation being 100.

MONTHS, 1887.	ELASTIC FORCE OF AQUEOUS VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			
	Mean at 7 A. M.	Mean at 2 P. M.	Mean at 9 P. M.	Month Mean.	Mean at 7 A. M.	Mean at 2 P. M.	Mean at 9 P. M.	Month Mean.
January	.128	.139	.125	.130	76	68	71	72
February	.124	.139	.137	.133	70	66	71	69
March	.168	.182	.171	.170	60	49	60	57
April	.179	.188	.199	.187	65	46	59	56
May	.364	.438	.404	.402	73	57	71	67
June	.445	.502	.518	.484	70	56	72	66
July	.664	.728	.705	.699	77	64	75	72
August	.457	.506	.517	.491	68	56	69	64
September	.364	.403	.418	.395	73	60	73	68
October	.259	.267	.289	.269	74	53	66	64
November	.175	.186	.176	.179	73	56	64	64
December	.129	.149	.139	.140	68	62	66	65

Year mean at 7 A. M.	.282	70.
" 2 P. M.	.313	57.
" 9 P. M.	.311	68.
Mean for the year	.301	65.

VI.

Table showing the Duration and Depth of Rain and Snow during the Year 1887.

RAIN.

MONTHS, 1887.	NUMBER OF DAYS IN WHICH RAIN DESCENDED.	DURATION.			DEPTH IN INCHES.	TOTAL DEPTH IN INCHES.	DEPTH OF WATER PRODUCED IN INCHES.
		Days.	Hours.	Minutes.			
January	6	1	21	05	2.99	2.99	....
February	8	2	21	35	3.37	6.36	....
March	7	2	6	00	2.90	9.26	....
April	7	1	19	55	1.69	10.95	....
May	4	0	5	40	.34	11.29	....
June	11	2	21	10	7.76	19.05	....
July	16	3	4	05	5.29	24.34	....
August	6	1	11	55	3.59	27.93	....
September	11	2	20	20	1.93	29.86	....
October	11	1	19	10	2.43	32.29	....
November	6	1	6	40	1.54	33.83	....
December	8	2	15	00	3.30	37.13	....
Totals	101	25	04	35	37.13	....	....

SNOW.

January	6	2	2	20	6½	6½	1.43
February	6	1	16	50	9	15½	2.59
March	2	0	7	00	2	17½	.17
April	3	1	3	15	5	22½	1.10
May	2	0	6	20	¼	22½	.48
June	4	1	1	50	9	31½	1.09
Totals	23	6	13	35	31½	....	6.86

Rain fall for the year.....Inches. 37.13
Snow water for the year.....6.86
Total water fall for the year.....43.99

VII.

Table showing the Horizontal Movement of the Wind in Miles, Maximum Force of Wind in Pounds per Square Foot; the Prevailing Wind, and also the Ozone during the Year 1887.

MONTHS, 1887.	MILES.	DAILY MEAN.	HOURLY MEAN.	PREVAIL- ING WINDS.	GREATEST MOVE- MENT IN 24 HOURS.	DATE.	MAXI- MUM FORCE.	TIME.	OZONE 0 10
January	6,360	205.1	8.54	NW	433	2d	16½	8.20 P. M., 17th	1.48
February	6,527	233.1	9.71	W	529	28th	31	2 P. M., 27th	1.57
March	7,264	234.3	9.76	NW	495	29th	19	2.50 P. M., 29th	2.64
April	5,921	197.3	8.22	WNW	384	30th	12	8.20 A. M., 6th	1.83
May	4,059	130.9	5.45	SE	254	7th	6	2.50 P. M., 24th	0.25
June	4,129	137.6	5.73	SE	289	1st	11¼	6.15 A. M., 23d	0.96
July	4,395	141.7	5.90	SE	300	5th	15½	10 P. M., 17th	0.83
August	3,740	120.6	5.02	NNE	233	18th	9½	7 P. M., 11th	1.41
September	4,141	138.0	5.75	WNW	239	24th	6½	4.20 P. M., 7th	1.03
October	4,888	157.6	6.56	WSW	313	24th	13¾	9.50 P. M., 23d	0.61
November	6,105	203.5	8.47	W	416	12th	19¾	3.10 P. M., 11th	1.00
December	6,230	204.1	8.50	WNW	561	29th	25¼	5.30 P. M., 29th	.74

Total movement of wind during the year.....Miles. 63,859
Greatest movement in 24 hours.....561
Maximum force of wind during the year.....Pounds. 31

VIII.

Table showing the Points from which the Wind came during the Year 1887.

POINTS.	JANUARY.			FEBRUARY.			MARCH.			APRIL.			MAY.			JUNE.			JULY.			AUGUST.			SEPTEMBER.			OCTOBER.			NOVEMBER.			DECEMBER.			TOTALS.
	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.	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.	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.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.				
N	3	0	4	2	1	2	1	1	1	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	2	5	1	3	3	3	2	3	1	2	2	0	1	3	2	2	61
NNE	4	5	4	3	3	1	5	3	2	5	2	4	4	1	0	4	5	0	1	0	0	5	3	3	3	1	1	4	4	3	3	3	1	2	1	6	99
NE	2	2	2	3	1	3	2	1	2	4	1	1	6	3	3	5	6	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	0	3	0	1	3	1	2	1	1	3	5	2	77
ENE	1	0	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	3	2	4	2	0	1	1	1	0	1	4	1	2	1	1	0	0	2	3	1	1	0	1	1	44
E	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	2	4	1	0	5	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	38
ESE	0	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	1	3	2	1	0	4	1	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	38
SE	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3	1	1	9	4	2	5	6	4	8	3	0	3	4	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	72
SSE	1	2	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	2	2	0	3	4	1	2	5	1	2	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	43
S	2	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	4	2	1	0	2	2	3	0	2	3	0	1	2	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	37	
SSW	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	4	1	2	3	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	35	
SW	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	4	4	4	2	1	0	4	6	4	3	3	2	1	4	6	1	3	1	3	4	4	4	2	0	2	82
WSW	4	3	3	1	3	3	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	3	1	0	3	0	2	6	6	5	3	1	3	2	2	0	67
W	2	2	1	3	5	3	2	1	2	3	4	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	1	2	3	5	5	7	5	4	6	5	92
WNW	5	1	2	3	3	4	6	7	3	4	6	4	4	0	1	4	3	0	4	3	2	1	3	3	5	2	6	4	5	2	2	0	2	5	6	5	121
NW	2	2	5	4	4	3	7	9	10	4	4	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	4	3	2	2	3	3	6	4	1	4	1	1	2	8	5	4	1	3	130
NNW	2	1	1	2	0	1	5	0	3	1	2	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	2	2	2	3	3	2	0	2	2	2	1	3	4	3	1	59

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1888.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners James C. Bayles, Joseph D. Bryant, and the Health Officer of the Port.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Attorney and Counsel presented the following reports:

Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected:	176
Orders received for prosecution	218
Attorney's notices issued	151
Nuisances abated before suit	41
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code)	32
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit	24
Suits discontinued—By Board	6
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits	6
Executions issued	19
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits	2
Judgments for Defendant—Criminal suits	272
Civil suits now pending	90
Criminal suits now pending	436 00
Money paid into the court—Criminal suits	

Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit:

Names.	No.	Names.	No.
Lydia Greely	319	Michael Gafney	830
Levy & Roth	433	Samuel Leboritz	843
John F. Bellman	552	Susan Wright	855
Henry Kaufman	619	Michael J. Adrian	857
Morris Isaacs	659	Dora Fisher	867
Sarah Lese	664	John Halloway	872
Max Meyer	712	Henry Hardet	873
Robert Geur	742	Dennis O'Connor	897
Simon Herman	756	J. A. O'Gorman	898
Mayer Sire	769	Lewis Schumely	902
Carlo Barsotti	775	Ignatz Goetz	923
Mary Solomon	808	Ellen E. Hannigan	927
S. Van Rensselaer Cruger	824	Moses H. Moses	938
Sidney Dillon	825	Miles P. Palmer	943
Moses H. Moses	938	Joseph J. West	952

The following reports were received from the Sanitary Committee:
Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); weekly report from Reception Hospital.

Report on Changes in the Hospital Service.

That the following persons be and are hereby employed as follows:

Michael Horan, Fireman, from January 26, at \$300, vice Gustave Boehl, discharged on January 25.
Annie Flaherty, transferred as Helper to Chambermaid, February 1, at \$144, vice Annie Ryan, resigned on January 31.

Kate Coyne, transferred as Ward Helper to Helper, February 1, at \$144, in place of Annie Flaherty, transferred.
Mary Donnelly, as Ward Helper, from February 1, at \$168, in place of Kate Coyne, transferred.

The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

Names.	Amount.	Names.	Amount.
William McKenna	\$13 75	Arthur McGerald	\$88 97
Daily Register Co.	10 00	E. Gross	20 00
E. J. Denning & Co.	111 25	J. B. Purroy	166 66
C. W. Klappert Sons	365 51	C. Golderman	324 53
John J. Lenehan	347 32	Eimer & Amend	112 51
Park & Tilford	150 00	John Reynolds & Co.	3 50
F. A. Goetz	16 20	McKesson & Robbins	151 50
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The following communications were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent; weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; weekly report of Chemist and Assistant Chemist; weekly report of work performed by the Inspector of Offensive Trades; weekly report of Special Inspector Morris; weekly report on manure dumps; weekly reports on condition of offal and night-soil boats; weekly report on condition of slaughter-houses; monthly reports of charitable institutions.

Report and recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent relative to street-cleaning dump on premises at Seventy-seventh to Seventy-ninth street, North river, the condition of said dump being a violation of section 112 of the Sanitary Code.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of officer Smith, in respect to dumping ashes and garbage at the foot of Seventy-seventh to Seventy-ninth street, North river, be forwarded to the Department of Street Cleaning, with the request to cease dumping on said premises.

Report of Inspector Sprenger with recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent relative to condition of sidewalk and gutter in front of No. 321 East Fortieth street.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Sprenger and of the communication of General John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works, in respect to the condition of premises No. 321 East Fortieth street, be forwarded to the Honorable Board of Aldermen, with the request that the necessary ordinance be adopted authorizing the construction of a retaining wall in front of said premises as a sanitary necessity.

Special report of Inspectors Sprenger and Goldschmidt, as to premises Nos. 35 and 37 East

Fifty-eighth street, with opinion of the Sanitary Superintendent; referred to the Secretary to answer.
Report of permits issued to sand certain sections of horse-car railroad routes in this city.
Report of absence on account of sickness.
Resolved, That Inspector Nevins be and is hereby excused for absence from duty on January 23, by reason of sickness.

Reports on Applications for Permits.

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted, as follows:
No. 4597, to maintain manure vault on premises at Nos. 571 and 573 Washington street.
No. 4598, to maintain manure vault on premises at No. 89 Avenue D.
Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied, as follows:
No. 11, to keep six chickens on premises at No. 220 East One Hundred and Twentieth street.
No. 12, to keep one cow on premises west side Ninety-fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.
No. 13, to use smoke-house on premises at No. 137 Pitt street.
No. 14, to remove manure until 10 A.M. on premises at Durland's Riding Academy Co., Grand Circle, Central Park.

Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:
No. 89, on premises at No. 150 Spring street, April 10, 1888, on uncompleted portion of order.
No. 204, on premises at No. 542 West Forty-eighth street, April 1, 1888, as to the privy vault only.

No. 214, on premises at No. 1358 Avenue A, April 1, 1888, for the grading and flagging the yard.
No. 352, on premises at No. 1853 Ninth avenue, February 17, 1888.
No. 380, on premises at No. 451 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, April 2, 1888.
No. 393, on premises at No. 293 Madison street, April 1, 1888, if the roof is repaired and cellar cleaned and disinfected at once.

No. 395, on premises at No. 307 Madison street, April 1, 1888.
No. 445, on premises at No. 220 East Thirty-fifth street, April 15, 1888, for completing the work.
No. 463, on premises at No. 618 Ninth avenue, modified so as to require but one water-closet, if balance of order is complied with.

No. 465, on premises at No. 29 Allen street, April 1, 1888, as to water-closets, urinal and flagging of yard only.

No. 779, on premises at No. 241 Delancey street, April 1, 1888, if the yard is cleaned as soon as the weather permits, and if the urinal is connected with the school sink.

No. 798, on premises at No. 503 Second avenue, April 1, 1888, if the yard is cleaned as soon as the weather permits, and if the urinal is connected with the school sink.

No. 812, on premises at No. 353 Madison street, April 1, 1888, for completing the work.

No. 825, on premises at No. 45 Hamilton street, May 1, 1888, for additional water-closets and the whitewashing only.

No. 858, on premises at No. 519 Greenwich street, May 1, 1888, if the roof is repaired and walls and ceilings of hall throughout the house are repaired, cleaned and whitewashed as soon as weather will permit.

No. 863, on premises at Nos. 121 and 123 South Fifth avenue, April 1, 1888, for completing the order.

No. 934, on premises at No. 126 East Thirty-second street, April 1, 1888.

No. 938, on premises at No. 108 East Sixty-sixth street, March 1, 1888.

No. 939, on premises at No. 110 East Sixty-sixth street, April 1, 1888.

No. 1006, on premises at No. 38 Crosby street, March 1, 1888, on the uncompleted portion of order.

No. 1020, on premises north side of Pelham avenue, near Cambridge avenue, March 15, 1888.

No. 1062, on premises at No. 318 Spring street, April 2, 1888, as to whitewashing and repairing of ceilings only.

No. 1065, on premises at No. 622 Water street, suspended during pleasure of the Board.

No. 1084, on premises at No. 344 East Ninth street, May 1, 1888, for the water-closets only.

No. 1112, on premises at No. 200 Church street, modified as requested.

No. 1141, on premises at No. 359 West Twenty-sixth street, May 1, 1888.

No. 1308, on premises at No. 86 Chrystie street, April 1, 1888, as to extra water-closets only.

No. 1389, on premises at No. 2 Liberty street, April 1, 1888, if the rain leader is repaired at once.

No. 1398, on premises at No. 511 West Forty-ninth street, rescinded.

No. 1404, on premises at No. 188 Broome street, May 1, 1888, if defective joints in lead waste pipe are made gas tight.

No. 8670, on premises at Nos. 157 to 161 East One Hundred and Eighth street, rescinded.

No. 9469, on premises at Nos. 120 and 122 East Sixty-third street, March 1, 1888.

No. 11689, on premises at No. 405 East Seventeenth street, April 15, 1888.

No. 14467, on premises at Nos. 512 to 518 East Eighteenth street, April 15, 1888.

No. 15695, on premises at No. 311 East Thirty-ninth street, April 15, 1888.

No. 15724, on premises at No. 304 East Thirty-fourth street, rescinding all that portion of order having reference to house drains.

No. 16773, on premises at Nos. 517 and 519 East Eighty-fifth street, April 1, 1888.

No. 16873, on premises at No. 310 West Forty-fourth street, February 15, 1888.

No. 17366, on premises southeast corner One Hundred and Ninth street and Fifth avenue, April 15, 1888.

No. 17390, on premises at Nos. 300 to 306 Rivington street, April 1, 1888, as to the paving of yard and alley.

No. 17771, on premises at Nos. 351 and 353 East Sixty-first street, March 20, 1888.

No. 17943, on premises at No. 648 Water street, May 1, 1888, as to the privy vault only.

No. 17972, on premises at No. 136 East Twenty-second street, May 1, 1888, as to flagging yard and connecting with sewer only.

No. 18273, on premises northeast corner Watts and Varick streets, May 1, 1888.

No. 18283, on premises south side of Ninety-seventh street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue, two hundred feet, March 1, 1888.

No. 18532, on premises at No. 237 West Thirty-ninth street, April 1, 1888, for grading yard; balance of order to be complied with.

No. 18533, on premises at No. 13 West Forty-fourth street, April 1, 1888.

No. 18647, on premises at No. 53 Spring street, April 1, 1888.

No. 19156, on premises at No. 230 East One Hundred and Third street, May 1, 1888.

No. 19179, on premises at No. 51 Orchard street, May 1, 1888.

No. 19297, on premises at No. 15 Stanton street, April 1, 1888.

No. 19439, on premises at No. 103 Clinton street, order modified if access is given to the water-closet.

No. 19458, on premises at No. 33 West Third street, February 10, 1888.

No. 19495, on premises at No. 945 Tenth avenue, May 1, 1888, if the house remains vacant.

No. 19529, on premises at No. 288 Avenue A, April 1, 1888.

No. 19888, on premises at No. 173 1/2 Division street, April 1, 1888, as to water-closets, paving, grading and sewer connecting same, and as to front leader.

Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied:

No. 426, on premises at No. 317 East Eighty-fifth street.

No. 470, on premises at No. 187 East One Hundred and Eighth street.

No. 718, on premises at No. 244 West Fifty-sixth street.

No. 1265, on premises at No. 94 Stanton street.

No. 12113, on premises at No. 332 East Twenty-seventh street.

No. 14479, on premises at No. 18 Beach street.

No. 18397, on premises at No. 136 Delancey street.

No. 18633, on premises at No. 369 Cherry street.

No. 19196, on premises at No. 202 West Fifty-fifth street.

The following communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases:

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases; weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian; report on absence on account of sickness.

Resolved, That Inspector Lucas be and is hereby excused for absence from duty, January 24 to 26 inclusive, by reason of sickness.

The following communications were received from the Register of Records:

Weekly letters; weekly abstracts of births; weekly abstracts of still-births; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report of clerks; reports on delayed birth and marriage returns.

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

Male child of E. and A. Hill, November 18, 1887.

Male child of N. and L. Engel, November 12, 1887.

Female child of J. and C. Gallagher, November 11, 1887.

James Kirwin, November 6, 1887.

Female child of G. and N. Murphy, October 23, 1887.

John Corbett, October 12, 1887.

Female child of J. and E. Flynn, October 1, 1887.

Male child of M. and M. Gallagher, September 17, 1887.

William J. McNevis, September 17, 1887.

Male child of T. and B. Moore, September 14, 1887.

Male child of G. and T. Jones, September 13, 1887.

Kate Gallagher, September 3, 1887.

Kate O'Neil, August 24, 1887.

William F. Nugent, August 11, 1887.

Thomas F. Downes, August 10, 1887.

Male child of C. and F. Raabe, August 10, 1887.

Catherine Boyce, August 9, 1887.

Female child of P. and M. Keenan, August 5, 1887.

Male child of E. and L. Mann, July 30, 1887.

Female child of P. and A. Brady, July 28, 1887.

Female child of O. and M. Boyle, July 27, 1887.

Male child of M. and R. Ward, July 26, 1887.

Female child of W. and M. Manning, July 24, 1887.

Male child of A. J. and L. L. Smith, July 18, 1887.

Female child of J. and J. Magnan, July 10, 1887.

Edith P. O'Gorman, July 12, 1887.

Male child of L. and D. McLaughlin, July 3, 1887.

Male child of T. and C. Brady, July 5, 1887.

Franklin A. Rockwell, married, October 27, 1887.

Report, with recommendation of the Register, that certain tables now in use be discontinued.

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, Resolutions, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received.

The resignation of Sanitary Inspector J. J. Smith was received.

"That the resignation of Sanitary Inspector J. J. Smith, to date from February 1, be and is hereby accepted."

Resolved, That the office of Special Inspector of Schools and Institutions for Children be abolished, and that the Division of Contagious Diseases be charged with the inspection of schools and institutions for children.

Resolved, That Inspector Moreau Morris be assigned to the Division of Contagious Diseases, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, from February 1, 1888.

That, Joseph M. Trowbridge, provisionally employed as a Sanitary Inspector in this Department, having served six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed a Sanitary Inspector in this Department, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, pursuant to the Rules and Regulations of the Civil Service.

"Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be directed to ascertain the extent to which sand is used on the horse railroads of the city, and to recommend the revocations of permits in every case in which the roads are found to have exceeded the conditions of such permits."

A communication from the Police Department, enclosing a report of Captain Carpenter in respect to the removal of ashes and garbage in certain streets, was received and

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Captain Carpenter of the Police Department, in respect to the removal of ashes and garbage in certain streets of the city, be forwarded to the Department of Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That Orders Nos. 1210 and 1211, on premises No. 100 West Seventy-first street and No. 100 West Seventy-third street, be and are hereby cancelled.

Dr. Edwin V. Brendon appeared before the Board and made a statement in respect to certain violations of the Sanitary Code, and, on motion, the Attorney was directed to discontinue suit.

The following communications were received from the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation: Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation; weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage, plans of new buildings.

Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for the Light and Ventilation of New Tenement-houses.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions described in the permits issued in each case, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

Plan No. 4027, for four tenements, southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, modified by easement agreement.

Plan No. 5727, for one tenement, No. 430 East Eleventh street, as amended.

Plan No. 5733, for one tenement, south side of Herter street, fifty feet east of Baxter street, as amended.

Plan No. 5731, for ten tenements, northeast corner of Southern Boulevard and Willis avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 5745-2, for one tenement, No. 26 Stanton street.

Plan No. 5753, for one tenement, No. 304 Delancey street.

Plan No. 5754, for one tenement, No. 421 West Nineteenth street.

Plan No. 5755, for two tenements, Nos. 442 and 444 West Fifty-fifth street.

Plan No. 5756, for two tenements, Nos. 260 and 262 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Plan No. 5758, for one tenement, No. 237 East Thirty-third street.

Plan No. 5757, for three tenements, west side of Ninth avenue, twenty-five feet ten inches south of Eighty-fourth street.

Plan No. 5759, for six tenements, from No. 143 to No. 153 Lincoln avenue.

Plan No. 5760, for two tenements, Nos. 635 and 637 Sixth street.

Plan No. 5762, for two tenements, Nos. 217 and 219 East Seventieth street.

Plan No. 5763, for one tenement, No. 88 Chrystie street, as amended.

Plan No. 5765, for an alteration to one tenement, No. 1574 Park avenue.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That Plan No. 5489-2, for two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, one hundred and eighteen feet west of Pleasant avenue, be and is hereby disapproved.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

Plan No. 5722-2, for one tenement, southwest corner of Market and Division streets.

Plan No. 5749, for one tenement, southwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street.

Plan No. 5761, for three tenements, northeast corner of Prince and Mott streets.

Resolved, That the application for modification of Plan No. 4848, for light and ventilation of two tenements on southwest corner of Ninth avenue and Seventeenth street, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the application for modification of Plan No. 6364, for the plumbing and drainage for one stable, Nos. 32 and 34 West Third street, be and is hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for the Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following new houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

Plan No. 6802-2, for three dwellings west side of Audubon avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7294, for (amendment) one theatre, Broadway, Seventh avenue and Forty-first street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7512, for one dwelling, No. 1196 Ogden avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 7652, for four dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, seventy feet east of Manhattan avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 7670-2, for one tenement, No. 239 East Tenth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7674, for one dwelling, east side of Audubon avenue, seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7676, for one dwelling, east side of Lorillard street, one hundred and fifty-three feet north of Kingsbridge road, conditionally.

Plan No. 7679, for one tenement, No. 237 East Thirty-third street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7680, for ten dwellings, west side of West End avenue, from Eighty-ninth to Ninetieth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7681, for one dwelling, east side of Fox street, near One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7682, for three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, one hundred and eighty-six feet east of Railroad avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 7683, for three dwellings, north side of Coles street, northwest corner of Decatur avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 7685, for four tenements, northwest corner of Lexington avenue and Ninety-sixth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 7686, for one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, ten feet west of Eighth avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 7689, for one factory, north side of Twenty-fourth street, two hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, conditionally.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

Plan No. 7671, for one tenement, No. 19 Suffolk street.

Plan No. 7673, for one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet east of Tenth avenue.

Plan No. 7675, for one tenement, No. 7 Elizabeth street.
Plan No. 7677, for one shop, north side of Forty-sixth street, two hundred feet west of Tenth avenue.

Plan No. 7678, for one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, one hundred feet west of Madison avenue.

Plan No. 7684, for four tenements, south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, one hundred feet west of Fifth avenue.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:

Nos. 134, 151, 172, 200, 265, 284, 306, 312, 314, 328, 329, 330, 4553, 4712, 5015, 5119, 5135.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:

Nos. 777, 780, 803, 846, 849, 861, 868, 869, 878, 892, 893.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 28, 1888:

There were 4,994 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 431 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 306 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 31 permits.

There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 10 permits.

There was issued, under the Sanitary Code, 1 miscellaneous permit.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 18 permits.

The certificates of 686 births, 62 still-births, 246 marriages and 802 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, January 28, 1888. This shows an increase of 76 births, 6 still-births and 53 deaths, and a decrease of 61 marriages, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1887 there was an increase of 101 births and 67 deaths, a decrease of 17 marriages, and the same number of still-births. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from diphtheria decreased 10; croup, 2; erysipelas, 2; cerebro-spinal fever, 3; malarial fevers, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 1; bronchitis, 1; pneumonia, 4; convulsions, 5; gastritis, gastro enteritis and peritonitis, 3; Bright's disease and nephritis, 5; suicide, 3; drowning, 2; while the deaths from small-pox increased 3; measles, 3; scarlatina, 1; typhoid fever, 1; puerperal diseases, 5; diarrhoeal diseases, 6; alcoholism, 2; rheumatism and gout, 1; cancer, 3; heart diseases, 8; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 1; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 5; meningitis and encephalitis, 3; apoplexy, 1; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 9; premature and pretermatural birth, 16. The number of deaths from whooping cough, infantile, aneurism, all diseases of the brain and nervous system, cyanosis and atelectasis and surgical operations was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

WEEK ENDING—	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Contingent, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.
Jan. 7, 1888.....	7	35	60	25	5	..	5	3	4	7	80	96	48	66	54	135	184	286	
" 14, "	1	6	21	47	17	8	..	4	1	10	8	105	119	46	73	49	127	163	222
" 21, "	4	26	64	24	6	..	1	4	5	7	110	119	47	63	57	139	198	284	
" 28, "	3	7	27	54	22	6	..	2	1	4	13	109	115	46	63	50	184	234	313
Total.....	4	24	109	225	88	25	..	12	9	23	35	404	449	147	265	210	585	779	1305

The ages of 184 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 234 under two years, 313 under five years, and 48 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 29 more than the number reported during the preceding week, and represents 39.03 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending January 28, 1888.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	In Transit.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.							AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Not Stated.	Days.
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34
Measles.....	1	6	..	..	..	2	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	16
Scarlatina.....	8	13	..	1	3	..	2	11	7	3	..	..	1	..	4
Diphtheria.....	10	28	..	6	..	7	12	12	13	3	..	..	..	..	5
Membranous Croup.	3	19	..	..	1	6	8	4	2	1	..	..	..	..	25
Whooping Cough....	1	5	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	21
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

DISEASE.	WARDS.																			TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	
Small-pox.....	3
Measles.....	7
Scarlatina.....	27
Diphtheria.....	54
Membranous Croup....	22
Whooping Cough....	6
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	2
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1
Malarial Fevers.....

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	
Small-pox.....	3
Measles.....	7
Scarlatina.....	1	2	1	2	2	1	..	2	2	..	1	2	..	1	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
Diphtheria.....	4	2	3	2	4	2	1	2	4	3	2	3	4	1	5	1	3	1	1	1	3	2	1	..	54
Membranous Croup....	22
Whooping Cough....	6
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1
Malarial Fevers.....	4

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 167 were in institutions, 443 in tenement-houses, 169 in houses containing three families or less, 12 in hotels and boarding-houses, 8 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 7 were on the basement floor, 141 on the first, 187 on the second, 153 on the third, 101 on the fourth, 34 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth; 784 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 18 non-residents; 113 were stated to be single, 222 married, 99 widowed, and the condition of 468 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 802; still-births, 62; bodies in transit, 13; of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births, 100 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 685 births, 246 marriages, 62 still-births, 802 deaths; 13 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 155 searches of the registers of births, marriages and deaths were made, and 8 transcripts of the birth record, 10 of marriage, and 114 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending January 28, 1888, was 12.5 degrees Fahr.; the mean reading of the barometer was 29.943; the mean humidity was 55, saturation being 100; the number of miles traveled by the wind was 2,137, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.90 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 753 deaths and still-births, or 87.15 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 29; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 325; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 117; Greenwood (undenominational), 39; Lutheran (undenominational), 96; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 20; Evergreen (undenominational), 36; Woodlawn (undenominational), 30; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 9; Union (Methodist Protestant), 4; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 13; Macphelah, L. I. (Jewish), 2; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 14; Washington (undenominational), 19.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending January 21, 1888, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 9; Second, 1; Third, 1; Fourth, 7; Fifth, 4; Sixth, 13; Seventh, 25; Eighth, 20; Ninth, 29; Tenth, 25; Eleventh, 25; Twelfth, 113; Thirteenth, 11; Fourteenth, 16; Fifteenth, 8; Sixteenth, 20; Seventeenth, 38; Eighteenth, 29; Nineteenth, 104; Twentieth, 48; Twenty-first, 59; Twenty-second, 76; Twenty-third, 22; Twenty-fourth, 9.

The actual mortality for the week ending January 21, 1888, was 712; this is 76 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1887, and 52.6 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.58 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,566,546.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Brooklyn, was 21.95; Baltimore, 19.40; Boston, 29.41; New Orleans, 22.93; Richmond, 20.80; Charleston, 26.52; Worcester, 18.98; Fall River, 13.35; Lawrence, 25.08; Lyon, 19.46; Springfield, 14.85; Pittsburgh, 19.77; Kansas City, Mo., 13.57. Monthly returns—Hudson County, N. J., 23.9; Chattanooga, 16.86. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 23.6; Liverpool, 21.0; Birmingham, 24.6; Manchester, 34.9; Glasgow, 25.0; Edinburgh, 25.7; Dundee, 27.2; Paris, 26.16; Rome, 23.9; Venice, 28.9; Berlin, 18.4; Munich, 27.8; Breslau, 34.34; Vienna, 23.0; Trieste, 36.9; Copenhagen, 27.3; Stockholm, 24.7; Christiania, 42.3; Amsterdam, 24.0; Rotterdam, 26.4; The Hague, 22.1; Calcutta, 31.3; Madras, 41.6; St. Petersburg, 28.0; Salford, 23.7; Liege, 21.4; Prague and suburbs, 37.9; Lisbon, 38.2. Return for ten days—Palma, 34.9. Monthly return—Melbourne and suburbs, 16.4.

Analyses of Croton Water for Week ending January 28, 1888. Results expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

	SUNDAY, Jan. 22.	MONDAY, Jan. 23.	TUESDAY, Jan. 24.	WEDNESDAY, Jan. 25.	THURSDAY, Jan. 26.	FRIDAY, Jan. 27.	SATURDAY, Jan. 28.
Appearance.....	Turbid.	Somewhat Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Somewhat Turbid.	Somewhat Turbid.	Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.
Color.....	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.
Odor (heated to 102° Fahr.).....	..	..	..	None.	..	..	..
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.135	0.145	0.129	0.134	0.133	0.143	0.135
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride.....	0.222	0.235	0.213	0.220	0.219	0.235	0.222
Phosphates.....	..	..	..	None.	..	..	..
Nitrates.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites....	..	..	..	0.0326	..	..	..
Free Ammonia.....	..	..	..	0.0011	..	..	..
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	..	..	..	0.0029	..	..	..
Hardness equiv. to before boiling....	..	..	..	2.187	..	..	..
Carbonate of Lime after boiling....	..	..	..	2.140	..	..	..
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).	0.437	0.933	0.787	0.758	0.904	0.875	0.904
Mineral matter (non volatile).....	2.537	2.508	2.799	2.566	2.858	2.624	2.712
Total solids (by evaporation).....	2.974	3.441	3.586	3.324	3.762	3.499	3.616

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 7th day of February, 1888.

Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave and Voorhis.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Sergeant William F. Kirchner, Thirty-second Precinct, three days, half pay.

Patrolman James A. Keiley, Twenty-ninth Precinct, four days, half pay.

Report of the Superintendent of members of the force competent to perform mounted duty, was referred to the President.

Reports Referred to the Treasurer to Pay the Amounts Stated into the Pension Fund.

Superintendent, enclosing \$885 fees for mask ball permits.

Captain Stephenson, Thirty-fourth Precinct, enclosing \$1.50, proceeds of sale of manure.

Reports Ordered on File.

Board of Examiners, eligible list for Roundsmen.
 Death of Patrolman Peter Brannick, Nineteenth Precinct, on 4th instant.
 " " James Thompson, Twenty-second Precinct, on 5th instant.
 Report of Surgeon Damainville that he had relieved Patrolman George J. Andrews, Thirty-second Precinct, from duty because of contagious disease in his family, was approved.

Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Patrolman Emil H. Stebbins, Fifteenth Precinct.
 " John Jose, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 " Hugh Martin, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

J. F. Goeppert, at Germania Assembly Rooms, February 14. Fee, \$25.
 John Lellemen, at Germania Assembly Rooms, February 18. Fee, \$25.
 Adolph Neef, at Teutonia Assembly Rooms, February 8. Fee, \$25.
 John L. Miller, at Harmony Rooms, February 13. Fee, \$25.
 A. Gehrein, at Harmony Rooms, February 14. Fee, \$25.
 C. Langenstein, at Salzer's Casino, February 13. Fee, \$25.
 P. Groschlands, at Tammany Hall, February 18. Fee, \$25.
 H. E. Kantrowicz, at Arlington Hall, February 14. Fee, \$25.
 Joseph M. Ohmeier, at Beethoven Hall, February 21. Fee, \$25.
 Joel Graveur, at Irving Hall, February 25. Fee, \$25.
 Carl Quentin, at Walhalla Hall, February 16. Fee, \$25.
 Thomas B. Earley, at Walhalla Hall, March 3. Fee, \$25.

Applications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

Corporation Counsel, for certified copy of record of William Gibson.
 Viscount M. Mishima, Tokio, for annual reports.
 Secretary Civil Service Board, for information relative to John J. McKenna and Edward J. Burton.

Application of Sergeant John A. Croker, Ninth Precinct, for permission to leave the city twice a month for six months, on his off days, was granted.
 Application of T. R. Conlie for appointment as Patrolman, was ordered on file.
 Communication from the Unity Folding Ladder Co., proposing to furnish ladders for saving lives at piers, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.
 Communication from the Property Clerk, relative to case of William H. Middleton, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent for Action.

From the Mayor—Sundry complaints, etc.
 From the Board of Excise—Licenses rejected, six cases; licenses revoked, forty-seven cases.

Transfers, etc.

Sergeant Henry Woods, from Twentieth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.
 " Patrick Walsh, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.
 Patrolman Zabriskie H. Mullen, from Twentieth Precinct to Fourth Precinct, detail as Precinct Detective.
 Patrolman Herman Wagner, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct, detail as Precinct Detective.
 Patrolman Richard Sullivan, from Twenty-first Precinct to Twelfth Precinct, detail as Precinct Detective.
 Patrolman Edward Shalvey, from Fourth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct, detail as Precinct Detective.
 Patrolman John Crook, Twelfth Precinct, remand to patrol.
 " James McGuire, Twelfth Precinct, remand to patrol.
 Roundsman Thomas Morgan, Thirty-first Precinct, remand as Roundsman.
 Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to detail an officer in citizen's dress for thirty days in front of the store of R. H. Macy & Co., for purposes referred to by and to confer with said firm.
 Resolved, That the Captain of the Nineteenth Precinct be directed to detail Patrolman Andrew Foy to Violation Corporation Ordinances, or other light duty, for sixty days, unless he be sooner able to perform full duty.
 Resolved, That the Captain of the Thirty-third Precinct be directed to detail Patrolman Edward Butlinger to light duty for thirty days.
 Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

James Black, Timothy E. Donohue,
 Joseph Burns, James Keating.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Walter Peiletreau, Second Precinct, February 3, 1888.
 " Frederick Rohr, Eighth Precinct, February 3, 1888.
 " Michael Heyman, Sixteenth Precinct, February 3, 1888.
 " Daniel McGrath, Twenty-seventh Precinct, February 3, 1888.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Maurice O'Connor, Twenty-fourth Precinct, February 7, 1888.
 " John H. Smith, Twenty-fifth Precinct, February 5, 1888.
 " James McMahon, Thirty-fourth Precinct, February 4, 1888.
 " John J. O'Keefe, Thirty-fifth Precinct, February 5, 1888.

Sent to Civil Service Board with Certificate.

Roundsman Thomas McCormick, Twenty-third Precinct.

Appointed Patrolman.

William D. Tracey, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Employed as Hostler.

Dicklan Cotter, at Thirty-second Precinct Stables.
 Resolved, That the bill of George W. Bromhead, \$7.50, for services as Poll Clerk at last election, be referred to the Comptroller for payment.
 On reading and filing opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in the case of Patrick Master-son, it was
 Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to reserve payment of salary, pending the result of appeal.
 Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board for an eligible list of names of persons to be employed as Probationary Patrolmen, sufficient in number to fill forty-seven vacancies now existing.

N. Y. CITY COURT.

William Rogers }
 vs. } Writ of replevin.
 The Property Clerk. }
 Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.
 Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
 NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.

I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10 of the Laws of 1888, do hereby designate the Sun, Herald, Times, World, Star, Tribune, Journal, Press, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, Graphic, Telegram, Evening Sun, Evening World, Mail and Express, Staats Zeitung, New Yorker Zeitung and Daily News as the newspapers in which the advertisements provided for in said act may be printed.

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT,
 Mayor.

CIVIL SERVICESUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
 Supervisor City Record:

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:

If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer the names of as many

persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,
 LEE PHILLIPS,
 Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, May 31, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
 Supervisor:

DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:

"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

Pursuant to the above action, I hereby designate the two hours between 2 and 4 o'clock in afternoon as the time for which the offices shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public.

Very respectfully,
 LEE PHILLIPS,
 Secretary and Executive Officer.

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.
 ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal,
 GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. PITT SHARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
 JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHERMAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LUFFY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
 Address, M. COLEMAN, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen
 FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. M. DEAR, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ALSTON CULVER, Water Purveyor.

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.
 GEO. E. BAROCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
 MARTIN J. KESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor,
 DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ARTHUR S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES J. KELSO, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
 GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.
 GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VERDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
 JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
 Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 HENRY R. BREKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation;
 ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 RICHARD J. MORRISON, 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; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.

Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
 RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
 HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSER, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SHERV, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHIELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.
 Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
 JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
 Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

L. J. N. STARK, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
 Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HOKNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES MCCABE, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 24 Bond street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN E. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A.M. to 12.30 P.M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A.M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 12, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms No. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A.M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
RICHARD L. LAKEMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A.M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVES and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 19.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.
DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10 o'clock A.M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A.M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, Jr., JAMES T. KELLY, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.
GEORGE W. CRECHER, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tombs, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, February 11, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, February 17, 1888, at 10 o'clock A.M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.
By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1887.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from No. 49 Oliver street—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet high; black hair, blue eyes. No clothing received with body.
At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Louis Wagner, aged 63 years. Committed December 20, 1887.
At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ann Carr, aged 49 years; dark hair, blue eyes. Transferred from Almshouse January 29, 1888.
Margaret Coshin, aged 24 years; 4 feet 1 1/2 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted brown dress.

Annie M. Muckle, alias Schade, aged 75 years; 4 feet 6 1/2 inches high; brown hair, gray eyes. Had on when admitted black shawl, blue dress.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frank Altman, aged 28 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black cassimere overcoat, sack coat, vest and pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Leo Eichorn, aged 57 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, brown pants, boots.

Frank Hoffmeister, aged 70 years; 6 feet 2 inches high. Had on when admitted gray coat and vest, black pants, black derby hat.

Joseph Keltner, aged 42 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, dark brown hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, black coat, pants and vest.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1888.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Bellevue Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and beard; blue eyes. Had on brown plaid overcoat, gray striped pants, calico shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, pink cotton socks.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John McBride, aged 45 years. Committed January 9, 1888.
Sarah Thurman, aged 44 years. Committed January 30, 1888.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Honora Bennett, aged 37 years; 5 feet 4 1/2 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Admitted November 30, 1876.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—James Wilson, aged 51 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes, light brown hair. Had on when admitted blue coat, gray vest, brown pants, laced shoes, brown felt hat.

Margaret Clark, aged 49 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted red and black shawl, gray merino waist, gray skirt, black straw bonnet.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1888.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third avenue, on Tuesday, February 14, 1888, at 11 o'clock A.M., the following, viz:

1,250 BARRELS BONES

—to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street (semi-weekly deliveries), and to be paid for as follows: Twenty-five per cent. of estimated value to be paid on day of sale and the remainder on delivery.

R. E. CLEARY,
Storekeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, February 4, 1888.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Monday, February 13, 1888, the following:

At the Arenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue.

Lost and unclaimed property, consisting of Clothing, Watches, Jewelry, Revolvers, Tools, Surgical Instruments, Umbrellas and miscellaneous articles, in lots.

At the Stables, Eighty-fifth Street and Transverse Road.

Five (5) Horses.
One (1) Bay Horse (impounded).
One (1) Brown Horse (impounded).

At Sixty-fifth, Eighty-first and Ninety-sixth Streets, near Eighth Avenue (Central Park).

Four (4) lots of Wood, in pieces of different sizes and lengths, cut on the parks.

The sale to begin at the Arsenal, Central Park, at 11 o'clock A.M., with the lost and unclaimed property, and continue at the Stables in Eighty-fifth street and Transverse road with the horses, and conclude with the sale of wood at the various points designated.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.
All articles to be removed immediately after the sale.
By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1888.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE MATTER OF the proposed grade of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Franklin and Union avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward, are requested to call at the office of the Commissioners of Public Parks, at Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, within ten days from date, and examine the map showing the same, and make known their views in relation thereto.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, on Thursday, February 23, 1888, at 11 o'clock A.M., hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the contemplated change in the classification of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, lying between Weeks street and the westerly boundary of Crotona Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city.

The proposed change consists in the designation of said street as of the first-class (now part second and part third-class), in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

M. C. D. BORDEN,
WALDO HUTCHINS,
J. HAMPTEN ROBB,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Room 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 1.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND delivering and laying 48-inch Cast-iron Pipes and their Appurtenances from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue to the proposed Gate-house in the Central Park Reservoir, and doing all other work in connection therewith, necessary to complete Section 16 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved form of contract and specifications, on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office, until Wednesday, the 29th day of February, 1888, at 3 o'clock P.M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds and also the plans for said work and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Room 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 2.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND delivering Cast-iron Pipes and Special Pipe Castings, to be used on Section 15 and Section 17 of the New Aqueduct, at such places in the City of New York as may be designated by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and as provided for in the approved form of contract and specifications now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 29th day of February, 1888, at 3 o'clock P.M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Room 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 3.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR HANDLING AND hauling and laying 48-inch Cast-iron Pipes and their Appurtenances from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue to the proposed Gate-house in the Central Park Reservoir, and for doing all other work in connection therewith necessary to complete Section 16 of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the approved form of contract and specifications, on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office, until Wednesday, the 29th day of February, 1888, at 3 o'clock P.M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF FERRY, EAST TENTH STREET AND GREENPOINT, L. I.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM foot of East Tenth street to Greenpoint, L. I., will be sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the Comptroller's Office, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of February, 1888, at 12 o'clock, M., for the term of five years from February 1, 1888, the lease to contain the usual terms and conditions of ferry leases, a form of which can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of the sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount bid, which shall be credited on the first quarter's rent, or be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified by the Comptroller.

The lessee will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants of the lease, and the payment of the rent quarterly.

The right to reject any bid is reserved, if deemed to be for the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 2, 1888.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS IS HEREBY GIVEN that the time for receiving plans and specifications of a building for Criminal Courts and other purposes, proposed to be erected in the City Hall Park of the City of New York, as heretofore advertised, is extended from the first day of March, 1888, to the second day of April, 1888.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

RICHARD A. STORRS,
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 30, 1888.

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 1853 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00
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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE obtained at No. 2 City Hall northwest corner basement). Price three cents each.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, October 31, 1887.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK of dredging and removing from Mott Haven Canal 150,000 cubic yards of mud and deposit, more or less, with price per cubic yard; also, price for the job, will be received at this office until March 1, 1888.

JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 31, 1888.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH held at its office, Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, January 27, 1888, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 13 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said building or any part thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot of its height and space above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, and for which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occu-

pancy of cellars or rooms less elevated than aforesaid, and as a part of any building rented or let, when they are not let or intended to be occupied or used by any person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.

JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.
EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Tenth Avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of February, 1888, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, January 26, 1888.
CHARLES A. HERRMANN,
JOHN A. GOODELL,
JACOB P. BERG,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that portion of LIND AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Wolf Street to Devoe Street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 20 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the sixteenth day of March, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said sixteenth day of March, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the sixteenth day of March, 1888.

Third—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 in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the northerly side of Wolf Street, easterly by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Lind Avenue and extending from the southerly side of Wolf Street to the southerly side of Devoe Street, southerly by the northerly side of Devoe Street, and westerly by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Lind Avenue and extending from the southerly side of Devoe Street to the southerly side of Wolf Street; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of the streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the amendments thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the thirtieth day of March, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 26, 1888.
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
JOHN A. GOODELL,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of NORTH THIRTEEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the southerly side of Pelham Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 20 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fourth day of February, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fourth day of February, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-fourth day of February, 1888.

Third—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 in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by an irregular line, distant about 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Pelham Avenue, and extending from the easterly side of Webster Avenue to the easterly side of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad, a line parallel or nearly so with, and distant

about 600 feet northerly from the northerly side of Pelham Avenue, and extending from the easterly side of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point where the said line would intersect the prolongation northerly of the westerly side of Washington Avenue, and the southerly side of Pelham Avenue; easterly by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about 1,000 feet easterly from the easterly side of North Third Avenue as widened, and extending from the southerly side of Pelham Avenue to the westerly side of Franklin Avenue, the westerly side of Franklin Avenue and a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about 200 feet easterly from the easterly side of North Third Avenue, and extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street; southerly by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street, the Twenty-third Ward line and an irregular line distant about 120 feet southerly from the Kingsbridge road, and extending from the easterly side of the lands of the New York and Harlem Railroad; and westerly by an irregular line extending from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street to the Twenty-third Ward line, distant at East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street about 93 feet, westerly from the westerly side of North Third Avenue, the easterly side of Washington Avenue, an irregular line parallel or nearly so with and distant about 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of North Third Avenue, and extending from Wendover Avenue to the westerly side of Vanderbilt Avenue, east, the westerly side of Vanderbilt Avenue, east, and its prolongation northerly to North Third Avenue, the easterly side of Webster Avenue, and the easterly side of the New York and Harlem Railroad; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of the streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the amendments thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of March, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and as soon thereafter, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 11, 1888.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,
JAMES I. TRAYNOR,
CHARLES C. LEARY,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, entitled "An Act to provide for the erection of a building for Criminal Courts and for the use of the New York City Jail," the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund will receive plans and specifications until the first day of March, 1888, for the building provided for in the said act, to be erected in connection with the City Court House, in accordance with a general plan which has been approved by the said Commission, and which can be examined at the office of the Comptroller.

The plans submitted must give the elevation of the said building on all four sides and on the inner court, and must be accompanied by floor plans and specifications for the construction of the said building in sufficient detail to enable the working drawings to be made therefrom. An estimate of the cost of the structure must accompany each plan in sufficient detail to enable the Commission to modify the plans if desired.

For the plan which may be adjudged by the Commission to be the best, a premium of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS will be paid; for the second best, a premium of FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS; for the third best, a premium of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS; for the fourth best, a premium of TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS; and for the fifth best, a premium of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS. But no obligation shall rest upon the Commission to award premiums to any plan which shall not be regarded as meritorious.

The premiated plans shall become the property of the City, and may be used and combined in any manner which the Commission may approve. No obligation shall be created by the acceptance of any plan to employ the author thereof as the architect to construct the building, it being discretionary with the Commissioner of Public Works to determine in what manner the supervision of the building shall be provided for. Each plan submitted shall be marked with such assumed designation as the architect may select, provided there shall be filed with the Mayor a statement giving the real name of the author of the plan so designated, which will not be opened until after the award of the premiums.

Lithograph copies of the general plans of the building adopted by the Mayor at the opening of the Sinking Fund on October 7, 1887, can be obtained by architects upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, together with any other special instructions.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor and Chairman.
City of New York, November 1, 1887.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.

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
HENRY D. PURROY, President
RICHARD CROKER,
Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1887.

RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED for the government and proper care of piers, bulkheads, slips and other wharf property under the provisions of sections 711 and 717 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, to take effect on and after

JANUARY 1, 1888.

Said sections 711 and 717 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, among other things, provide as follows:

"The violation of, or disobedience to, any rule, regulation or order of the board shall be deemed a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said board." And every person guilty of a violation of, or disobedience to, any rule, regulation or order of the board, in addition to the penalties thereby fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions, is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to be punished by fine and imprisonment, or by both.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Established for the government and proper care of Piers, Bulkheads, Slips, and other Wharf Property, under the provisions of sections 711 and 717 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, being chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as follows:

SECTION 711. The department of docks shall have exclusive charge and control, subject in the particulars hereinafter mentioned, to the commissioners of the sinking fund of said city, of all the wharf property belonging to the corporation of the city of New York, including all the wharves, piers, bulkheads and structures thereon, and waters adjacent thereto, and the slips, basins, docks, water-fronts, land under water, and structures thereon, and the appurtenances, easements, uses, reversions, and rights belonging thereto, which are now owned or possessed by the corporation, or which said corporation is or may become entitled, or which said corporation may acquire under the provisions hereof or otherwise; and said department shall have exclusive charge and control of the repairing, building, rebuilding, maintaining, altering, strengthening, leasing and protecting said property and every part thereof, and of all the cleaning, dredging and deepening, necessary in and about the same. Said department is also hereby invested with the exclusive government and regulation of all wharves, piers, bulkheads and structures thereon, and waters adjacent thereto, and all the basins, slips and docks, with the land under water in said city not owned by said corporation.

SEC. 712. The department of docks shall establish and enforce all needful rules and regulations for the government and proper care of all the property placed in its charge and under its control by the provisions of this title relating thereto, and shall publish such rules and regulations to all the owners and occupants of such property, and shall make all needful orders and adopt all resolutions necessary to carry out the provisions of this title relating thereto into effect, and its penalties for disobeying such rules, regulations or orders, and shall publish such orders. The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regulation or order of said department shall be deemed a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said department. The penalties aforesaid may be recovered by suit in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and such suit shall be prosecuted by the counsel to the said corporation, when directed by the board; and in default of such suit shall be permitted to plead ignorance of any such order, rule or regulation.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

RULE 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform be erected, nor shall any filling-in of any kind be made on any part of the water-front of the city, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the department of docks, and upon payment of one hundred dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit the same to be done, or who shall be found guilty of such offense, before the permit is obtained, and there shall be a further penalty of twenty dollars a day for each and every day which shall elapse until any piles so driven, or platform so erected, or filling-in so made, or other such permit being first obtained therefor, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time specified in a notice for such removal, to be signed and served upon such owner, lessee or occupant, by the Dock Master of the District or other representative of the Department, said penalty to be also recovered from such owner, lessee or occupant.

RULE 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or any other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, crane, hoist, coal-hopper, sign or advertising device, or any other erection or obstruction of any kind, be placed or maintained on any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the department of docks, and upon payment of one hundred dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the person desiring such permit. It shall not be lawful to erect or maintain any booth, stand or structure for the sale of merchandise or refreshment upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or upon any reclaimed land under control of this Department; nor shall any sign or advertising device other than those used for the business of the parties occupying the premises, be placed or maintained on any pier or structure erected on property under control of this Department; and if the owner, lessee, occupant, or agent shall place or erect any structure for which permit has not been duly obtained from the department of docks, or shall place or erect any sign or advertising device on such pier or structure, or shall place or erect any sign or advertising device on property in charge of this Department, and shall fail to remove the same on notice being given to said owner, lessee, occupant or agent, signed and served by the Dock Master of the District, or other representative of the Department, then for failure to remove, said owner, lessee, occupant or agent shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty dollars for each and every day after the expiration of the time specified in such notice of removal, until said removal shall have been made; said penalty to be recovered by the Counsel to the Corporation in favor of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

RULE 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel upon any pier, bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such vessel is being unladen, after notice signed and served by the Dock Master of the District, or other representative of the Department, upon the owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, of such vessel, that such pier, bulkhead or structure will be endangered by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under penalty of one hundred dollars for every such offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the damages of every description which shall be caused by the further discharging of cargo upon such pier, bulkhead or wharf structure, to be recovered from the said owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally and respectively.

RULE 4.—No manure, ashes, cellar dirt, garbage, offal, dead animals, or refuse of any kind shall be received or delivered at any pier, bulkhead or reclaimed land, or placed thereon, without a special permit, to be applied for in writing, having first been obtained from the Department; and if any party or parties receiving or discharging said manure, ashes, cellar dirt, garbage, offal, dead animals, or refuse of any kind, or placing the same on any pier, bulkhead or reclaimed land, without a permit so obtained therefor as specified, shall be subject to a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, and a further penalty of twenty-five dollars a day for each and every day after the placing of the same on any pier, bulkhead or reclaimed land, until the removal thereof, to be recovered from the owner, agent, consignee of the vessel or of the manure, ashes, cellar dirt, garbage, offal, dead animals, or refuse of any kind so received, or placed thereon, as specified, respectively, and it shall be the duty of the Dock Master to enforce this rule and report any violation thereof.

RULE 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead or wharf structure, or upon any reclaimed land, must be removed therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within twenty-four hours after the Dock Master of the District, or other representative of the Department, shall have caused the owner, shipper or consignee of such cargo a notice signed and served by the Dock

Master of the District, or other representative of the Department, to remove the same, under penalty of twenty dollars per day for each and every day during which any part of said goods, merchandise or materials shall remain upon such pier, bulkhead, structure or reclaimed land, after the expiration of said twenty-four hours, to be recovered from such owner, shipper or consignee severally and respectively.

RULE 6.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard, at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such goods, merchandise, or materials, and all expense incurred in such removal and storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon, and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal and storage has been paid.

RULE 7.—All permits issued by this Department for the removal of goods, merchandise, or other like structures, shall continue only during the pleasure of the Board, and shall expire by limitation on the first day of May of each year, unless sooner revoked. Persons desiring such permits must make application in writing to the Board of Commissioners of this Department, stating the dimensions, character, uses, etc., of the structure for which permit is requested, and any permit issued by this Department shall be kept posted in a conspicuous place in the interior of the structure authorized by it, except in cases of derricks, etc., when it shall be produced on requirement of the Dock Master of the District.

RULE 8.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or discharged by horse-power, nor shall stones or similar cargo be discharged from any vessel, upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper planking be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure from injury consequent upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of ten dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging stones or similar cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore, of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if any penalty be recovered for using horses, discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

RULE 9.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel unless canvas or similar material be extended from the vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of the sand into the water; and if the surface of any such wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the sand therefrom from going through into the water, then no sand shall be discharged therefrom from any vessel, unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging sand from a vessel, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant, of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

RULE 10.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged, and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices shall be served upon the owner, lessee or occupant, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners lessees or occupants so notified fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day which shall elapse until such owners, lessees or occupants shall comply with such notice.

RULE 11.—It shall not be lawful for the owners, lessees or occupants of any pier, wharf or bulkhead, which has been covered with a shed, pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, and constructed in conformity with the authority of the Board of this Department, to use such shedded pier, wharf, or bulkhead for the permanent storage of goods, merchandise, cargo or material of any kind which may be discharged or placed thereon. Piers, wharves and bulkheads thus shedded are designed for the protection of merchandise and cargo transit, as prescribed by the statute in such cases made and provided, and cargo must be removed therefrom after the expiration of a reasonable period.

RULE 12.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables, or any other substances shall be thrown into the waters surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant, severally and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf, structure, or other property from which any such substance shall be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the same; and if any such substance be thrown from any vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the Department, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to be recovered from the owner, consignee or master of such vessel, severally and respectively.

RULE 13.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier, bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually dumping the same, severally and respectively.

RULE 14.—All lumber, brick or other material in bulk, discharged on any pier or bulkhead not so shedded, shall be at once removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending removal, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day, for each and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed, on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

RULE 15.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads constructed under the new plans adopted by the Department, shall be at the same rates as are now, or shall hereafter be, fixed and established by laws of this State, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

RULE 16.—The term "Board," when used in the foregoing rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York." At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of this Department, duly held December 29, 1887, it was unanimously

Resolved, That the foregoing rules and regulations, numbered respectively from No. 1 to 16, both inclusive, be and they are hereby adopted and established as the rules and regulations of and for the Department of Docks, pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, to take effect January 1, 1888; provided, however, that nothing in the said rules and regulations so adopted and established as aforesaid shall in any manner impair or affect any violation of any rule or regulation so adopted or imposed, or any action or proceeding in relation thereto, or for the recovery thereof, prior to January 1, 1888.

L. J. N. STARK,
JOHN A. MATTHEWS,
CHARLES H. MARSHALL,
Commissioners of Docks.

the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at this office, during the same period.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.