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### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 20, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for the three months ending March 31, 1888.

Yours, very respectfully,  
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, President.

#### Census Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Dec. 31, 1887.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Eloped.	Adopted.	Pardoned.	Executed.	Remaining Mar. 31, 1888.
City Prison	386	7,592	1,067	5,613	...	2	...	...	...	...	394
District Prisons	123	8,401	3,509	4,888	...	...	...	...	...	...	147
Bellevue Hospital	603	2,923	2,541	...	...	354	...	...	...	...	618
Workhouse Help.	51	243	215	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital	23	78	53	26	...	8	...	...	...	...	14
Workhouse Help.	5	30	20	4	...	...	...	...	3	...	6
Gouverneur Hospital	24	156	63	79	...	17	...	...	...	...	20
Workhouse Help.	4	26	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Harlem Hospital	20	210	83	107	...	20	...	...	...	...	27
Workhouse Help.	8	71	40	6	...	...	13	...	4	...	17
Charity and Maternity Hospitals	839	1,467	1,256	...	...	123	...	...	...	...	848
Workhouse Help.	78	178	176	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80
Hospital for Nervous Diseases	37	26	24	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	39
Penitentiary	980	492	499	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	971
Alms-house	1,390	376	205	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	1,442
Workhouse Help.	30	147	149	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	160
Blind Asylum	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86
Incurable Hospital	107	8	7	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	101
Workhouse	1,404	5,347	5,471	1,865	1,911	30	6	...	...	...	1,287
Lunatic Asylum, E. I.	1,626	137	71	19	...	68	...	...	...	...	1,603
Workhouse Help.	11	14	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Homoeopathic Hospital—											
Patients	575	1,378	1,245	...	...	123	...	...	...	...	585
Insane Patients	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Workhouse Help.	63	149	130	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	67
Inebriate Asylum	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
N. Y. C. Asylum for Insane, W. I.	1,706	156	36	10	...	54	...	...	...	...	1,762
Workhouse Help.	26	50	42	11	...	...	...	...	5	...	24
Randall's Island Hospital—											
Children	244	75	45	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	271
Adults	172	597	432	8	...	38	...	...	...	...	291
Insane Patients	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Epileptics	35	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40
Workhouse Help.	88	293	255	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	104
Idiot Asylum	280	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	297
Infants' Hospital—											
Children	193	211	97	21	...	132	...	4	...	...	160
Adults	79	68	72	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	67
Workhouse Help.	70	107	99	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	63
Branch Workhouse	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Workhouse Help.	327	461	427	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	314
Branch Lunatic Asylum, H. I.	1,086	21	5	...	...	76	...	...	...	...	1,086
Randall's Island Farm	14	21	19	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Farmed-out Children	50	11	3	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	47
Colored Home and Hospital	249	157	97	...	...	43	...	...	...	...	257
	13,132	31,707	19,497	12,698	1,911	1,228	23	7	12	...	13,285

#### Quarterly Report, Ending March 31, 1888.

Salaries	\$115,568 43
Supplies	223,991 04
Alterations, additions and repairs to buildings and apparatus	7,158 78
Transportation of paupers, etc., and support of out-door poor	659 95
Donations to discharged prisoners	12,993 75
Two water-closet towers at Bellevue Hospital	598 50
One passenger-elevator at Charity Hospital	98 87
Total	\$362,069 92

Very respectfully,  
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

#### OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDING MARCH 31, 1888.

Admissions to the different Institutions from Central Office.

#### ADULTS.

To Examining Physician	4,850
Charity Hospital (direct)	225
Alms-house	355
Colored Home	165
Randall's Island	70
Workhouse	115
	5,780

#### CHILDREN.

To Nursery Hospital	92
Infants' Hospital	211
	303
Discharged—To parents and guardians	151
Out-door poor interments in City Cemetery	530
Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment	152
Number of families relieved with coal	6,749

Transportation has been afforded one hundred sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, thereby preventing them from becoming a charge on the county.

There have been two hundred and sixty-one (261) insane, sick and destitute persons committed to the State Almshouse at Flaubush, Kings County, to be cared for by the State Board of Charities, thus relieving this Department of their care and maintenance.

There have also been forty-seven (47) alien paupers sent to their homes in Europe, through the State Board of Charities, thus relieving this County of their care and maintenance.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent Out-door Poor.

#### Quarterly Report of the Examining Physician.

OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,  
NEW YORK, April 16, 1888.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIRS—I hereby transmit for your consideration the report for the first quarter ending March 31, 1888:

Number of applicants during January, 1888	2,297
" " February, 1888	2,106
" " March, 1888	2,181
Total	6,584

	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Number of Patients assigned to—				
Bellevue Hospital	1,034	970	919	2,923
Charity Hospital	569	453	445	1,467
Homoeopathic Hospital	454	411	513	1,378
Randall's Island Hospital	183	230	260	673
Emergency Hospital	18	10	6	34
Hospital for Nervous Diseases	9	9	8	26
Number of applicants rejected	12	6	14	32
Number of applicants refusing to go to Hospital	6	12	12	30
Number of cases of contagious diseases referred to Department of Health	6	5	4	15
Total	2,297	2,106	2,181	6,584

Respectfully submitted,

THEO. PARKER, Examining Physician.  
Per W. B. ARNOLD.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
March 31, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending March 31, 1888, the number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the result accomplished during the quarter.

Very respectfully,

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

Blacksmiths—New work: Made 168 bedsteads, 139 bedsteads altered, 16 bolts, 50 bucket ears, 25 bucket straps, 25 bucket standards, 1 bandage brace, 2 cold chisels, 6 crowbars, 2 cart rungs ironed, 2 coal tubs (iron), 1 coal bucket (iron), 3 chain links, 48 chisels, 68 dirt picks, 144 feathers, 8 fire hoes, 1 furnace bar, 3 guards, 150 guard nails, 8 hot chisels, 102 hand drills, 14 hooks, 3 iron wheelbarrows, 7 iron cot frames, 1 iron rope hook, 1 iron cleft, 4 pairs ice tongs, 5 irons, 12 ice hooks, 7 handles, 8 knees, 3 keys, 1 large iron ice hook, 178 plugs, 108 points, 7 poles, new iron railing for Bellevue Hospital, with 1 lock and 2 keys; 619 rivets, 2 rake heads, 6 scratch awls, 8 staples, 12 spikes, 37 steel stonemasons' hammers, 12 stonebreakers' hammers, 3 S hooks, 1 steel carving knife, 1 stove lifter, 3 slice bars, 1 wheelbarrow axle and 9 wheels. Repaired 16 ambulances, 1 axle welded, 1 brass pipe, 6 buggies, 12 bedsteads, 1 bolt, 1 carriage, 6 children's crib beds, 1 pair compasses, 42 cot frames, 8 carts, 1 coal-barrow (iron), 3 cleavers, 13 crowbars, 1 chain, 1 devil's claw, 1 door, 1 fry pan, 3 fire hoes, 11 hand trucks, 3 pairs hames, 2 pairs ice tongs, 1 invalid cart, 2 meat forks, 1 medicine box, 1 key, 8 locks, 18 picks, 5 poles, 1 scraper, 2 slice bars, 3 striking bars, 3 sledges, 3 trucks, 2 tires reset, 1 van, 1 ticket punch, 15 wheels, 1 wagon altered to dead wagon, 12 wagons, 1 whiffletree, 3 wheelbarrows, 1 wagon pole, and sharpened 321 augers, 5,680 chisels, 2,526 hand drills, 4,536 points, 30 pitching tools, 56 stone axes and 21 wedges.

Carpenters—New work: Made 1,610 bed blocks, 1 barrel, 219 bedsteads painted, 14 bread boxes, 4 brackets, 1 baker's trough, 48 breaching straps, 72 benches, 12 buckets, 7 boxes, 6 pairs crutches, 666 coffins, 500 clothes pins, 4 clamps, 7 dipper handles, 2 document boxes, 6 doors, 1 egg box, 50 food stands, 2 gang-planks, 12 head rests, 1 pair hames, 72 handles, 4 ice coolers painted, 1 small ladder, 1 50-foot ladder, 3 pairs lines, 19 mallets, 10 mattresses, 1 pump handle, 35 pillows, 4 row locks, 1 sign painted and lettered, 12 straight edges, 12 spittons, 1 pair skids, 22 steps, 48 settees, 1 shoe for gang-plank, 2 stationary wash tubs, 10 sticks, 40 tables, 11 tubs, 200 tallies, 2 towel rollers, 1 pair traces, 2 wooden horses, 1 wooden bridge, 1 wire screen, 130 water pails, 1 wagon jack, 4 washstands, 50 wheelbarrow hubs and 58 wheelbarrows. Repaired 9 ambulances, 98 barrels, 1 bench, 2 belly bands, 4 bread boxes, 1 bureau, 3 buggies, 163 buckets, 1 breaching strap, 3 bridles, 1 pair blinds, 4 boxes painted and lettered, 8 carts, 13 cart saddles, 8 cart breechings, 52 chambers, 3 cushions, 2 coupes, 57 chairs, 1 coal-barrow, 1 door, 1 food tray, 1 foot bath



Painted, 11 horse collars, 6 pairs hames, 2 iron coal-barrows, 1 lamp, 21 lasts, 2 pairs lines, 2 mattresses, 11 pails, 1 pump handle, 1 rubber, 1 restraining belt, 6 settees, 1 saloon table, 7 straps, 1 screen painted, 1 sucker pump, 9 snow shovels, 2 stools, 1 sugar box painted and lettered, 55 spittoons, 2 trucks, 1 tail board, 16 tubs, 4 pairs traces, 12 wheelbarrows, 4 wheels, 6 wagons and 1 wardrobe.

Tinsmiths—New work: Made 5 ash cans (galvanized iron), 100 bake pans, 26 coffee boilers, 306 cups, 74 cans, 67 coffee-pots, 7 feet conduct pipe, 76 coal hods, 6 dinner pails, 280 dish pans, 301 dippers, 300 dust pans, 100 gingerbread pans, 55 elbows, 12 food boxes, 2 fire buckets, 1 lamp lighter, 1,925 mess pans, 3 oilers, 56 pails, 1 20-foot pump, 10 large pudding pans, 22 large roasting pans, 50 shovels, 200 feet roofing strips, 12 spittoons (galvanized iron), 60 feet stove-pipe, 2 strainers, 18 saucepans, 1 skimmer, 881 wash-basins, 4 water-coolers and 17 tea cans. Repaired 610 pieces tinware, also repaired roofs of Prison and buildings on Blackwell's Island, and roof of Insane Asylum, Ward's Island.

Tailors and Coymakers—New Work: Made 111 cot bottoms, 430 jackets, 124 pairs mittens, 1 mangle apron, 10 pairs pants, 12 vests and 1 tarpaulin. Repaired 352 cot bottoms, 47 caps, 388 jackets, 2 mats, 225 pairs mitts, 866 pairs pants and 279 vests.

Broom and Brushmakers—New work: Made 200 dozen brooms, 306 dozen scrubs and 2 dozen whisk brooms. Repaired 5 dandruff brushes.

Shoemakers—New work: Made 2,162 pairs men's shoes and 1,355 pairs women's shoes. Repaired 1,497 pairs men's shoes and 89 pairs women's shoes.

In the stone shed the prisoners cut 872 feet building stone, 32 feet coping stone, 9 feet door jambs, 12 feet pier stone, 133 feet window jambs, 157 feet window lintel course, 135 feet window sill course and 145 feet water table course.

In the sewing-room the female prisoners made 584 adult shrouds, 200 bed-ticks, 50 babies' cloaks, 100 children's night-gowns, 100 children's aprons, 200 children's petticoats, 325 chemises, 276 crib-blankets bound, 100 crib spreads, 100 dresses, 5 hair mattresses, 172 hand towels, 36 mattress-ticks, 150 night-gowns, 200 pillow-cases, 668 pillow-ticks, 50 roller towels, 1,475 shirts, 300 pairs suspenders, 800 sheets, 1,236 pair shoes bound, 100 women's petticoats and 5 tablecloths. Repaired 3 bed-ticks, 339 chemises, 273 dresses, 229 pillow-ticks, 58 petticoats, 63 pairs stockings, 1,119 pairs socks, 2,147 shirts and 553 undershirts.

By prisoners employed at out-door labor the roads and sea-wall have been kept in proper repairs; 2,120 tons of coal have been discharged from boats.

The daily average number of male prisoners during the quarter has been 823, employed as follows:

48 blacksmiths.  
60 carpenters, painters, upholsterers and harnessmakers.  
35 tinsmiths.  
85 shoemakers, tailors and coymakers, broom and brushmakers.  
34 gardeners.  
93 stonecutters.  
70 stonebreakers.  
112 quarrymen.  
13 cutting garments.  
10 whitewashing cells and cleaning dormitory.  
10 at building Lunatic Asylum.  
44 repairing roads, etc.  
5 painting at Charity Hospital.  
52 at Randall's Island.  
116 in and about Prison—cleaning, etc.  
18 continually sick in Hospital.

The daily average number of female prisoners during the quarter has been 142, employed as follows:

Sewing..... 62  
Washing garments..... 27  
Domestic work..... 40  
Disabled..... 3  
Continually sick in hospital..... 10

#### Warden's Report.

The following is the report of New York Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for the quarter ending March 31, 1888:

	MALES.		FEMALES.		TOTAL.	Native.	Foreign.
	White.	Colored.	White.	Colored.			
Remaining at last report.....	776	53	124	27	980	611	369
Received.....	444	12	35	1	492	317	175
Total imprisoned.....	1,220	65	159	28	1,472	928	544
Discharged.....	416	29	48	6	499	325	174
Transferred.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Died.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total discharged.....	418	29	48	6	501	325	176
Total remaining.....	802	36	111	22	971	603	368

Decrease.....	9
Males. { Men.....	838
{ Boys.....	838
Females. { Women.....	132
{ Girls.....	1
Total belonging to Penitentiary.....	971

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Number of prisoners.....	838	133	971
Number of paid officers and employees boarding at Penitentiary.....	59	9	68
Total.....	897	142	1,039

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

"TOMBS" CITY PRISON, NEW YORK, April 5, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Subjoined your Honorable Board will please find statistical report and labor report for the quarter ending March 31, 1888, the latter at no expense to the Department but for the material furnished.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS P. WALSH, Warden.

#### Statistical Quarterly Report of "Tombs," ending March 31, 1888.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
FIRST DISTRICT.			
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	326	60	386
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	5,158	2,434	7,592
Total.....	5,484	2,494	7,978
Disposition.			
By Courts of General and Special Sessions—			
Sent to State Prison.....	208	..	208
" Penitentiary.....	458	35	493
" House of Refuge.....	22	..	22
" Elmira Reformatory.....	61	..	61
" House of Holy Family.....	..	2	2
" Westmore Home for Friendless Girls.....	..	1	1
" Roman Catholic Protectory.....	1	..	1
" New York Juvenile Asylum.....	1	..	1
" Hudson River State Hospital for Insane.....	1	..	1
" Utica Insane Asylum.....	1	..	1
By Police Courts—			
Sent to Workhouse.....	2,516	2,011	4,527
By Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction—			
Sent to Workhouse.....	85	74	159
" Bellevue Hospital.....	31	11	42
" Almshouse.....	3	8	11
" Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	70	14	84
" Charity Hospital.....	1	..	1
Died.....	2	..	2
Discharged.....	1,689	278	1,967
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	334	60	394
Total.....	5,484	2,494	7,978

CITY PRISON, NEW YORK, April 2, 1888.

The following improvements and repairs have been made at the City Prison from January 1 to March 31, 1888, by prison labor and without expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, except the cost of the material:

Painting—Painted halls, ceilings, windows, cell doors and iron railings in male prison; cell doors, iron railings and window sashes in boys' prison; hall in Warden's office, hall at entrance to female prison, office of female prison, window sashes of new prison, storm-house at entrance to Warden's office, walls of church room, doors and windows in Magdalen.

Carpenter work—Built a storm-house at entrance to Warden's office, a room for visitors in Warden's office, partition and wainscoting in front office, floor in room in office, sashes for windows, etc., etc.

Plumbing—Repaired gas-pipes in male and female prisons and Warden's office; also repaired water-pipes and water-closets.

Iron-work—Placed an iron gate at entrance to prison, placed bars in cell windows and repaired locks on cell doors, etc., etc.

Tin-work—Made new tin boilers, dippers, cups, etc., etc., and repaired tinware.

OFFICE OF SECOND DISTRICT PRISON,  
GREENWICH AVENUE AND WEST TENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 7, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President Department Public Charities and Correction:  
SIR—Herewith please find report of District Prisons of the City of New York for quarter ending March 31, 1888.

Respectfully,  
JAMES FINN, Warden.

#### Report of District Prisons, Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	38	16	54
Received, January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	1,919	874	2,793
Total.....	1,957	890	2,847
Less number transferred to City Prison.....	397	47	439
Total.....	1,560	843	2,403
Disposition.			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	491	424	915
" Workhouse, as vagrants.....	45	17	62
" Bellevue Hospital.....	50	28	78
" Superintendent Out-door Poor.....	7	1	8
Discharged.....	930	363	1,293
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	37	15	52
Total.....	1,560	843	2,403
THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	16	10	26
Received, January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	1,360	1,134	3,094
Total.....	1,376	1,144	3,120
Less number transferred to City Prison.....	468	37	505
Total.....	1,308	1,107	2,615
Disposition.			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	707	823	1,530
" Bellevue Hospital.....	22	16	38
Discharged.....	762	245	1,007
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	17	23	40
Total.....	1,308	1,107	2,615



	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
<b>FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.</b>			
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	20	10	30
Received, January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	1,106	272	1,378
	1,126	282	1,408
Less number transferred to City Prison.....	223	14	237
Total.....	903	268	1,171
<b>Disposition.</b>			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	323	140	463
" Workhouse, as vagrants.....	18	5	23
" Bellevue Hospital.....	32	9	41
" Superintendent Out-door Poor.....	5	1	6
Discharged.....	499	101	600
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	26	12	38
Total.....	903	268	1,171
<b>FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.</b>			
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	9	4	13
Received, January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	984	143	1,127
	993	147	1,140
Less number transferred to City Prison.....	156	7	163
Total.....	837	140	977
<b>Disposition.</b>			
Transferred to Workhouse.....	245	10	255
" Bellevue Hospital.....	33	67	100
" Superintendent Out-door Poor.....	2	1	3
Discharged.....	545	57	602
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	12	5	17
Total.....	837	140	977
<b>SIXTH DISTRICT PRISON.</b>			
Received, January 1 to March 31, 1888.....	76	12	88
<b>Disposition.</b>			
Transferred to Bellevue Hospital.....	....	2	2
Discharged.....	5	2	7
Transferred to Fifth District Prison*.....	71	8	79
Total.....	76	12	88

\* This item is included in Fifth District Prison, number received.

#### Labor Report.

##### SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired cell-door locks and water faucets, and placed bars on nine windows in male department.  
Painted cell doors in male and female departments.

##### THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired cell doors and office of prison; repaired cell locks and water faucets.

##### FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Painted office and prison throughout; repaired cell locks and water faucets.

##### FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Painted cell doors and prison; repaired cell-door locks and water faucets.

NEW YORK, April 7, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M.D., President:

SIR—I herewith submit a report on the business transacted by this Bureau during the first quarter of the current year.

Requisitions for drugs and medical supplies have been received from and filled for the following Institutions:

Bellevue Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Alms-house, Blackwell's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Insane Asylum, Ward's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Randall's Island Hospital, Randall's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Gouverneur Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Harlem Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
City Prisons (including District Prisons), various.  
Out-door Poor Dispensary, Bellevue Hospital, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6.  
Out-door Poor Dispensary, No. 702 Westchester avenue, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 3.  
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, Requisitions Nos. 1 to 5.  
Superintendent of Out-door Poor, various.  
Photographic Department, various.

In the Manufacturing Department the usual pharmaceutical and chemical preparations, required for filling the requisitions, have been made and the stock replenished by General Requisitions Nos. 1 to 6. In addition, a number of the more important articles of consumption have been contracted for at very advantageous terms.

A number of analyses have also been made during this time, both of materials purchased for the supply of the Institutions through my Bureau and by order of your Honorable Board, of certain articles supplied by contract (soap, condensed and cow's milk).

Very respectfully,  
CHARLES RICE, Chemist.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, April 10, 1888.

Hon. CHAS. E. SIMMONS, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—The following is a record of the labor performed in this institution by unpaid help during the quarter ending March 31, 1888:

Mason work—Repairing ceilings in wards and hallways that were broken by workmen laying new floors; also, ceilings in Emergency Hospital and in Dispensary of Out-door Poor Department.  
Painting—Main hall and stairways, four stories; Doctors' dining-room; reception office.  
Carpenter work—Making crutches; repairing chairs; making water-bed frames; putting up storm-doors on General Drug Department; and work at Ninety-ninth street Hospital.  
Male Help—Employed as clerical help, stretcher-men, messengers, tending Fire-room, Cook-house, Store Department and Drug Department; also laboring work.  
Female Help—Scrubbers and cleaners in wards and building; also in Laundries.

Respectfully,  
JAMES F. O'ROURKE, Warden.

#### Admissions, Births, Discharges and Deaths in Charity Hospital, Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

1888.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.		COLORED.		BIRTHS.		WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.		WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
January.....	376	168	3	12	10	569	201	368	313	159	...	472	151	321	23	12	1	36
February....	241	170	3	25	12	453	163	290	257	152	1	410	149	261	26	18	1	45
March.....	281	132	1	11	18	445	171	274	286	168	3	460	167	293	23	19	...	42
Total.....	898	470	7	48	40	1,467	535	932	856	479	4	1,342	467	875	72	49	2	123

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

#### Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

1888.	ADMISSIONS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.		WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.		WHITE.		COLORED.		Total.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
January.....	9	...	...	...	9	3	6	6	...	...	6	3	4	1	...	...	1	...
February....	9	...	...	...	9	5	4	11	...	...	11	7	4	1	...	...	1	...
March.....	7	...	1	...	8	6	2	11	...	...	12	6	6	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	25	...	1	...	26	14	12	28	...	...	29	15	14	2	...	...	2	...

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, B. I.,  
April 2, 1888.

#### Labor Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

Carpenters—Made 372 feet shelving in new store, 11 wall strips, 94 window weather strips, 4 doors, 1 door saddle, 2 table tops, 5 chair bottoms, 362 tallies, 55½ dozen swab sticks, 2 paper holders, 6 wardrobes, 1 large chest, 3 ironing boards, 25 screen frames, 100 tags, 2 sign boards, shelves and racks in 10 water-closets, 2 oak panels, 4 boards for ward, 2 knife handles, 4 tables, 1 tub cover, 1 box cover, 1 grating cover, 3 windows, 2 kitchen sinks, pickle house, partitions and shelving, 4 stands for bed pans, 1 packing box, 2 gratings for ice box, 2 partitions, 13 towel stands, 2 bed stands, 2 rulers, 2 towel rollers, 1 waste basin, 1 stretcher frame, 1 book case, 1 trap door, 1 bread-box cover, 200 feet of pipe-boxing, 10 stools, 2 bread boards, 1 water-closet cover, 1 wheelbarrow box, 4 window panels, 6 soldering-iron handles, 14 ceiling boards in new store, 2 water-closets, 4 brackets, 2 door ventilators, 1 box, 31 joists in Home, 300 feet of pine and 10 boards for ice-house, 1 closet, 1 hat rack, 141 feet of board in kitchen, 1 window pole, 25 joists in new dining-room; repaired 40 ash cords, 12 doors, 3 windows, 1 cornice, 1 clothes horse, 53 chairs, 4 rocking chairs, 1 lawn chair, 15 pairs of blinds, 126 stools, 4 bedsteads, 2 step-ladders, 1 clothes horse, 2 masons' horses, 5 tables, 2 ice boxes, 1 8-foot board in ward, 1 rolling pin, 1 head-rest, 3 screens, 1 operating table, pickle house, 2 meat boxes, Pavilion floor, 1 clock, 1 looking-glass stand, 1 window shade, 3 window curtains, 7 water-closets, 1 door spring, 70 square feet of flooring, 10 benches, 4 scaffold horses, 3 stools, shelving, 1 fence, 7 locks, 2 sinks, 1 ladder, put up racks and shelves in 3 female wards, put down carpets, covered 18 screens, changed partitions and water-closets in nurses' home, cut hole for stove-pipe, 2 stretchers, put up 32 hooks, ground 1 saw file, 1 meat saw, 2 pairs scissors, 23 knives.

Painters—Painted two medicine chests, 12 rooms, 52 bath tubs, 11 bath rooms, 10 lamp shades, 5 tin cans, 10 wards, 1 frame, 1 glass case, kitchen woodwork, 9 wardrobes, 1 tray band, board around ward, 3 screens, 22 spit cups, 54 stands, 1 water-closet, 3 foot tubs, 1 blackboard, 13 doors, 18 steam-pipes, 5 bedsteads, 17 tin boxes, 3 tin pitchers, 15 closets, 16 heaters, hall in Home, 49 tin spittoons, 27 soap dishes, 4 shelves, 2 ice boxes, main hall on second floor calcimined, painted and frescoed 2 grates and fenders, wainscot of main hall, 9 floors stained, ceilings of wards and halls calcimined, put in 187 panes of glass.

Tinsmiths—Made 2 funnels, 4 slop pails, 12 pans, 4 skimmers, 5 pail covers, 1 tea kettle, 1 wash boiler, 9 coal scuttles, 1 chamber pail, 4 large galvanized-iron pans, 5 joints of stove-pipe, 1 elbow, 28 galvanized-iron cans, casting for Laundry, 1 sheet-iron blower, 1 ash pan, 2 foot baths, 2 oven plates, 1 coffee pot, 1 fire pot, 48 spit cups, 2 large tin boxes, 2 scoops, 2 dippers, 2 3-gallon coffee pots, 3 1-gallon coffee pots, 3 galvanized-iron trays, 7 bread boxes, 14 strainers, 2 soap dishes, 49 spittoons, stove-pipe, 1 tin splint, 3 pie plates, 4 saucepans, 1 2-quart pail, 1 swivel top, 1 pint and 1 quart measure, 14 garbage pails, 12 tin cups, put zinc on Kitchen floor and under urinals, put up stove-pipe and range, repaired stove-pipe, roof of pavilion and marked and repaired a quantity of miscellaneous tinware.

Plasterers—Repaired plastering of walls, halls, ceiling and cornice, flooring in engine-room, sidewalks, nail holes in seven wards, brick-work of range, wash-house floor, rebuilt chimney on boat-house, set grate, put fire-brick in range, plastering of ice-house, whitewashed three rooms, cellar, stairways, walls and ceilings of wards, relaid brick, flagging, cemented traps, painted walls for painters, made mortar, lathed ceilings of Home and partition of new Dining-room, and various other small jobs.

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, R. I.,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1888.

Hon. CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M.D., President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following quarterly report:

Very respectfully,  
JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

#### Admissions, Discharges and Deaths.

	CHILDREN.		MOTHERS.		WORKHOUSE HELP.	NON-COMMITTED HELP.	TOTAL.
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	97	93	74	24	46	8	342
Admitted during the quarter.....	91	120	68	24	83	...	386
Total.....	188	213	142	48	129	8	728
Died during the quarter.....	29	103	...	...	...	...	132
Discharged during the quarter.....	81	28	75	33	82	3	302
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	78	82	67	15	47	5	294
Total.....	188	213	142	48	129	8	728



## LABOR REPORT.

The Carpenters have been employed making coal-boxes, refrigerators, doors, window screens, case for documents; putting on and removing locks, doors, closets, etc.; made and put 1 storm-door; repairs to boat-houses, and also the general repairs required in and about the institution.

The Tinsmiths made 4 galvanized iron chimney tops, 12 saucepans, 1 kerosene can, 1 faucet, 2 pudding pans, 2 cake pans, 2 graters, 5 coffee cans, 2 dippers, 5 tea cans, 1 cake turner, 2 gravy spoons, 1 copper wash-boiler, 10 strainers, 4 spittoons, 4 pails, 2 settee racks, 59 candlesticks, 1 douche, with stop-cock for wards, 2 trays, 1 copper ball, 3 pie plates, 2 piston-rod covers, 2 galvanized iron wash-tubs, 1 hot-water tank, 1 large crump kettle, and 4 tubes for same, 5 large tin boxes, 3 paper cutters; repaired 2 tea kettles, 2 wash boilers, 2 coffee pots, and lined 2 large ice boxes with zinc; plumbing, etc.

The Painters were employed painting and varnishing in wards and halls, doctors' rooms, etc.; glazing and calcimining.

The Male Workhouse help were employed in office, engine room, gas works, and at driving and general labor.

The Female Workhouse help were employed as cooks, chambermaids, waiters, scrubbers, and as general help in kitchen and laundry.

The Engineer, Firemen and assistants were employed in the manufacture of gas, and general repairs to the pipes, fitting and plumbing of the institution.

The Laundresses and helpers have laundered 94,341 pieces.

The Gas-Works—643,500 cubic feet of gas was manufactured to supply Randall's Island Hospital, Infants' Hospital and Pavilions.

## RANDALL'S ISLAND STABLES.

The horses were employed:

By Randall's Island Hospital.....	286 days.
" Randall's Island Improvements.....	96 "
" Randall's Island Farm.....	76 "
" Infants' Hospital.....	131 "

RANDALL'S ISLAND HOSPITAL,  
April 1, 1888.

Dr. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President of Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the following report of labor performed at Randall's Island Hospital during the quarter ending March 31, 1888.

Respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

Carpenter—Made 2 coal-boxes and 2 clothes-boxes for Pavilion F, 6 commode chairs, cover for Cellar Ward 1, 2 benches for Dormitory 3, sink for Ward 18, 3 head-rests for Wards 11 and 15, clothes horses for Drying-room, Laundry; enlarged Library, and put shelves in same; laid sewing table for Dormitory 6, 3 medicine boxes for Wards 17, 18 and 19; 4 sashes for Office, benches for Ward 4 and Pavilion A, head-rests for Wards 13 and 15, 4 pairs crutches, general use; 6 frames with wire netting, sink for Pavilion A, water-closet in Medical Staff's Rooms, closet for Fruit and Flower Mission, bed screens for Wards 18 and 19, 26 frames for wire netting. Repaired windows Pavilion A and Ward 1; cut panels for closet in Chapel; 4 doors, Pavilion F; floor, sashes, door and chairs, Idiot-house; 8 chairs, Ward 6; put 22 cords in windows, Idiot-house; floor and put in joists, Pavilion E; floor in bath-room, Ward 5; to gallery, Pavilion A; benches and chairs, Wards 7 and 8; to gallery, Pavilion E; hung window blinds and put blind-fasteners on Dormitory 6.

Painters—Painting at Pavilion F; coal-boxes and closets, Ward 16; medicine closet and medicine boxes for different wards; calcimining and varnishing at Idiot-house and Ward 13; jobbing at Wards 17 and 18; calcimining and varnishing Ward 3; play-room, Pavilion E; calcimining and varnishing Pavilion E and Library; graining and varnishing Pavilion A and Dormitory 6; washing off and calcimining Ward 16; calcimining upper hall, Idiot-house; calcimining and varnishing Ward 7; 6 medicine boxes and table, Ward 16; painting and graining part of Ward 10; staining and varnishing closet for Medical Staff. Glazing 241 lights of glass.

Plumbers—Made the necessary repairs throughout the different buildings.

Bricklayers—Repaired walks and all that was required to be done in various wards.

Plasterers—Repaired walls and ceilings and made all necessary alterations.

Tailor Shop—Repaired 870 jackets and 1,430 pants.

Dormitory 6, Epileptic Ward—Made 162 women's aprons, 70 men's shirts, 82 roller towels, 120 pairs suspenders, 4 tablecloths, 29 bed-spreads (hemmed), 25 women's dresses (altered), 492 articles. Repaired 203 shirts, 48 bed-ticks, 28 sheets, 153 women's dresses, 50 women's petticoats, 82 pairs drawers; 564 articles.

Laundry—Washed and cleaned 56,875 pieces.

HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND,  
April 1, 1888.

Hon. CHAS. E. SIMMONS, President of Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Report for the quarter ending March 31, 1888, is herewith respectfully forwarded:

## Quarterly Census.

PATIENTS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	334	241	575	133	442
Admissions.....	1,030	346	1,376	374	1,002
Births.....	1	1	2	2	.....
Total.....	1,365	588	1,953	509	1,444
Discharges.....	953	292	1,245	336	909
Deaths.....	82	41	123	42	81
Total.....	1,035	333	1,368	378	990
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	330	255	585	131	454

## Labor Report.

Carpenter work—32 square feet flooring put down in Ward B; 14 feet flooring put down in male workhouse dormitory; 21 feet flooring put down in Wards C and D; 116 feet flooring put down in patient's clothes-room; 10 feet moulding put down on stairs from Wards G to H; 28 feet moulding put down on stairs from Wards E to F; 72 feet 1 1/4 inch moulding put down in Staff's dining-room; 210 feet 1 1/4 inch moulding put down in Chief of Staff's offices; 70 feet of moulding put down on walls of Chief of Staff's offices to hang pictures on; 45 feet moulding put down in Visiting Staff's room; 2 shelves, each 6 feet by 20 inches, in Ward F; 1 board, 5 feet 5 inches by 2 feet 4 inches, for meat-room scales; 1 broom-stand for 10 brooms; 1 knife box; 9 diet trays; 2 extra diet boards; 8 door saddles; 3 new steps in main hall stairway; 1 light rack, 36 inches by 10 inches; 1 water-closet seat, 7 feet 6 inches long by 16 inches wide; 1 vegetable box, 4 feet long, 2 feet high, 18 inches wide, with 3 partitions; 1 frame for water-bed, 6 feet 6 inches long; 1 half-door for drug store; 15 snow shovels; 2 zinc racks, each 12 feet long, 4 feet 3 inches wide; 2 trellis-frames, each 12 feet by 4 feet 6 inches; 1 draining board and woodwork under sink in Ward A pantry; 1 platform to stairs from Wards B to C, 6 feet 6 inches long by 4 feet wide; 1 post 4 feet long, 3 1/2 inches square, to stairs from Wards G to H; 1 crockery closet, 6 feet high, 4 feet wide, 1 foot deep, with 4 shelves, double door, lock, bolts, etc., for Ward F. Repaired cellar stairs and railing, Ward E; stairs from Wards E to F, stairs from Wards B to C, stairs from cellar to Ward A, handrail of stairs from Wards G to H, banisters in main hall, priest's altar, 5 bedsteads, 39 chairs, 4 closets, 3 diet trays, 9 doors, 4 head-rests, 8 iron frame benches, 8 meat-boxes, 1 stretcher, 84 stools, 16 tables, 2 wardrobes, 3 washstands, 7 windows, 3 window blinds, new sash cord put in 43 windows.

Painted—20 bath-tubs, 1 broom stand, 1 crockery closet, 9 diet trays, 2 iron bedsteads, inside and shelves of large specimen case, 1 key rack and 22 names lettered on it, 22 keys lettered, centre pieces, walls, blinds and sashes to 3 windows; floor and all woodwork in Staff's dining room; walls, woodwork, blinds and sashes of Nurse's dining-room; woodwork, sashes and walls of receiving office; walls and woodwork of water-closet and pantry, Ward C; walls, blinds, sashes, floor and woodwork in Visiting Staff's office; ceilings, walls, blinds, floor and woodwork in Chief of Staff's offices; woodwork of closet, from Chief of Staff's office to Visiting Staff's office; walls, floor and bath-tub in Steward's bath-room; all the woodwork grained in Chief of Staff's 2 offices; walls and woodwork of Orderly's room, Ward C; part of walls and woodwork, Ward F; 8 iron frame benches, 1 vegetable box, 9 tin basins and lettered them for wards, Nurses, etc.; 13 bins in storeroom, 17 bins lettered, 6 barrel covers, 2 tables; 28 lights of glass put in window sash.

Calcimined—Ceiling in Orderly's room, Ward C; water-closet and pantry, Ward C; 10 feet in Ward F, ceiling in Staff's dining-room, ceiling in Visiting Staff's office, ceiling in Nurse's dining-room, ceiling and part of walls in receiving office.

Plastering—40 feet and parts of ceiling, Ward C; 25 feet, Ward E; 90 feet, Ward F; 179 feet, Ward G; 35 feet, Ward H; 119 feet in cellar, 40 feet in male workhouse dormitory, 50 feet in female workhouse dormitory, 14 feet of ceiling in third hall, parts of ceiling in Visiting Staff's office, 15 feet in Steward's kitchen, 25 feet in receiving office, 8 cold-air shafts.

Whitewashed—Lime-room, chapel and part of Ward B.

Mason-work—Cemented sewer-pipe in male workhouse dormitory; cutting out brick-work and rebuilding for 3 cold-air shafts in male workhouse dormitory; cutting out 45 feet in ceiling and walls in Visiting Staff's office; opening 12 feet for air-shafts in cellar; 2 sets of fire brick put in range, Corporation kitchen; washed ceiling in Visiting Staff's office; washed ceilings in Chief of Staff's 2 offices.

Grounds—Trimmed 127 large trees.

Engineer's Department—Repaired 35 feet 1-inch steam-pipe, 8 1-inch fittings, 34 feet 1 1/4-inch pipe, 14 1 1/4-inch valves, 3 1 1/4-inch valves, 20 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 6 3/4-inch fittings, 4 3/4-inch valves, 1 1/2-inch valve, 2 1 1/2-inch nipples, 2 1/2-inch fittings, 3 3/4-inch fittings in boiler-house; 2 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 3 1/2-inch angle-valves, 1 1/2-inch fitting, 2 valves packed, 2 3/4-inch compression bil-cocks in Corporation kitchen; 2 3/4-inch fittings, 4 feet 1-inch pipe, 3 1 1/4-inch fittings, 4 1-inch fittings, 3 1/2-inch fittings, 1 1/2-inch valve, 1 1/2-inch valve, 22 feet pipe, 100 feet water-pipe cleared, bath-waste cleared and 1 3/4-inch cock put in cellar; 150 feet 2-inch pipe, 1 2-inch valve and 4 fittings water-supply to hot-water boiler; water-closets cleared in male and female workhouse dormitories; water-closet cleared, Ward F; Nurses' water-closet cleared; water-closet cleared 4 times, Ward B; water-closet valve, Ward H; 25 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 5 fittings, in Steward's and Nurses' bath-room; 7 feet 3/4-inch pipe, 6 fittings to return-pipe in Steward's room; 1 1/2-inch cock put in and sink cleared, and 5 x 2 1/2 feet of sheet zinc put down in Chief of Staff's pantry; 1 1/4-inch bib-cock in laundry; 1 1/2-inch fitting, 6 3/4-inch fittings, Ward I; reset radiators in Chief of Staff's office; radiators in Wards C and I; 26 valves packed, 70 pieces tinware, 20 locks, 26 lengths of fire-hose tested and found correct.

Electric-light—3 double attachment fixtures put in Wards A and B; 2 safety-plugs put in Ward E; 3 sockets and 4 safety-catches put in Ward I; 1 safety-catch put in Ward H; 4 safety-plugs put in cellar; 1 fixture in employee's room repaired.

Made—14 pieces tinware; 2 cold-air boxes made and put up; 23 pass-keys fitted.

Linen-room—Repaired 433 chemises, 463 sheets, 256 slips, 490 cotton shirts, 79 blue over-skirts, 44 undershirts, 105 night-gowns, 71 bed-spreads, 247 dresses, 157 bed-ticks, 75 denim jackets, 133 pants, 58 petticoats, 21 tablecloths, 240 pairs stockings.

Made—200 sheets, 17 aprons; 85 bed-spreads hemmed.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. STRONG, Chief of Staff.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
April 11, 1888.

## Male Labor Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number of Days Worked.	Number of Days Employed.	Average Number Employed Daily.	OCCUPATION.
Steamboats.....	6,050	91	67	Firemen and Deck hands.
Bakery.....	5,224	77	68	Bakers and Assistants.
Almshouse Shop.....	995	75	13	Blacksmiths, Tinsmen, Coopers, etc.
Storehouse.....	2,329	91	26	Clerks and Laborers.
Stables and Ice-men.....	2,094	91	23	Drivers, Hostlers and Ice-men
Weavers.....	130	74	2	Weaving rag carpet for Department.
Lunatic Asylum Grounds.....	1,634	76	22	Working about grounds.
Lunatic Asylum, Detailed Gang.....	3,725	91	41	Cooks, Firemen, etc.
Tin and Lock Smiths.....	173	76	2	Repairing tinware, locks, etc.
Bread and Store Rooms.....	287	91	3	Cutting bread, etc., for inmates.
Kitchen.....	2,864	91	31	Cooks and Assistants.
Painters.....	228	76	3	Painting and glazing about house.
Labor Gangs (for Garden, Coal and Road.....)	8,166	76	107	Unloading coal, etc., and general labor.
Masons and Plasterers.....	858	68	11	Repairing sea-wall—plastering.
Scrubbers and Whitewashers.....	2,717	76	35	Scrubbing and cleaning hall.
Bucket Gang.....	986	91	11	Cleansing and keeping buckets in order.
Barbers and Bath-rooms.....	719	91	8	Shaving, hair-cutting, baths, etc.
Engine-room.....	861	91	9	Firemen, Steam-fitters, and Plumbers.
Gas-house.....	1,242	91	14	Gas-men and Assistants.
Rowboat.....	1,460	91	16	Rowing ferry-boat to and from city.
Cot Riggers.....	664	75	9	Making and repairing cots.
Bellevue Gang.....	471	41	11	Trimming coal at Bellevue Hospital.
Stone Shed.....	4,772	74	64	Breaking stone for Department.
Stone Cutters.....	188	26	8	Stone-cutting for Workhouse.
Shoemakers.....	2,660	75	35	Made. Repaired. 1,800 pair women's slippers. 500 pair women's slippers. 1,783 pair shoes.
Tailors.....	973	75	13	Made. Pressed. 168 coats. 84 pants. 564 suits of clothes.
Male Hall.....	4,012	91	44	Clerks, Messengers, Doormen, Dining-room.
Carpenters.....	422	74	6	Made. 3 wardrobes, 3 closets, 3 shelves, 1 bench, 9 wheelbarrows, 16 snow shovels, 13 tables, 1 tool box, 6 wooden horses, 15 sign boards, 1 shed for stone cutters, 1,200 tallies, 1 wheel, 1 gutter for green house, shelving for water closet.
				Repaired. 1 gate, 5 oars, flooring in laundry and female cells, 10 wheelbarrows, 1 closet, 4 doors, 6 clothes-horses, 1 meat cart, flooring in engine room, 3 frames in green house, floor in middle house, 1,600 feet flooring on tiers, 1 table, 1 ladder, 9 snow shovels.



## Female Labor Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number of Days Work.	Number of Days Employed.	Average Number Employed Daily.	OCCUPATION.
				<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Sewing Room—				<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Sewing.....	5,651	76	74	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Knitting.....	4,506	76	59	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Repairing.....	2,806	76	37	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Disabled.....	3,576	76	47	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Tailoresses' Room.....	5,351	76	70	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Laundry—				<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Washing.....	3,148	76	41	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Ironing.....	1,382	76	18	<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Female Hall—				<div>Made.</div> <div>Repaired.</div>
Dining-room.....	1,118	86	13	Waitresses and Dishwashers.
Tier Women.....	430	86	5	In charge of Tiers.
Scrubbers.....	2,686	76	36	Scrubbing and Whitewashing.
Sundry Work.....	2,736	76	36	Doorkeepers, Messengers, etc.
Steamboats.....	1,204	86	14	Cooks, Waitresses and General Help.
Almshouse Gang.....	3,079	76	41	Washers, Ironers and General Help.
Bakery.....	273	91	3	General Housework.
Storekeeper.....	606	91	7	General Housework.
Assistant Storekeeper.....	333	91	4	General Housework.

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. STOCKING, Superintendent.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
April 4, 1888.

## Census Report Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining at Workhouse December 31.....	735	669	1,404	696	708
Admitted during quarter.....	3,139	2,208	5,347	2,045	3,302
Returned during quarter.....	858	1,051	1,909	739	1,170
Returned from elopement during quarter.....	1	1	2	1	1
Total.....	4,733	3,929	8,662	3,481	5,181
Discharged during quarter.....	3,202	2,269	5,471	2,115	3,356
Died at Workhouse during quarter.....	16	17	33	13	20
Died at other institutions during quarter.....	3	....	3	....	3
Eloped from Workhouse during quarter.....	....	....	....	....	....
Eloped from other institutions.....	2	4	6	1	5
Transferred to other institutions during quarter.....	833	1,029	1,862	712	1,150
Total.....	4,056	3,319	7,375	2,841	4,534
Remaining at Workhouse March 31, 1888.....	677	610	1,287	640	647
Remaining at other institutions March 31, 1888.....	500	371	871	291	580
Remaining on registers March 31, 1888.....	1,177	981	2,158	931	1,227
Decrease for quarter.....				58 males.	59 females.

## Distribution of Transferred Prisoners March 31, 1888.

	MALES.		FEMALES.	
	Help.	Inmates.	Help.	Inmates.
Charity Hospital.....	1	1	79	..
Bellevue Hospital.....	2	..	58	..
North Brother Island Hospital.....	..	..	1	..
Randall's Island Hospital.....	47	..	57	..
Randall's Island Farm.....	15	..	..	..
Harlem Hospital.....	8	..	7	..
Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.....	10	..	..	4
Almshouse.....	..	47	57	2
Infants' Hospital.....	24	..	39	..
Ward's Island Asylum.....	24	7	..	..
Branch Workhouse.....	294	..	23	..
Homeopathic Hospital.....	20	..	44	..
Total.....	445	55	365	6

Respectfully submitted,

W. R. STOCKING, Superintendent.

BRANCH WORKHOUSE, HART'S ISLAND,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1888.

Hon. CHAS. E. SIMMONS, President Public Charities and Correction:

Sir: Following please find statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed by inmates of Branch Workhouse for the three months ended March 31, 1888.

## FOR BRANCH WORKHOUSE.

Carpenters—Repaired 1 building, inside, for hospital purposes; put up room therein for alcoholism and similar cases; built new covered stoop and two doors for said building; rebuilt 8 stoops; erected 2 masts and the necessary hoisting gear; made 1 dough-trough, 2 closets, 5 storm porches, 4 water tanks, 2 tubs, 1 privy seat and cover, 1 step-ladder, 3 peel handles, 1 peel, 2 wheelbarrows, 4 bread boxes, 18 stone breakers' hammer handles, 1 chair, 3 dumping-slats, 6 rollers, 1 trap-door; repaired 9 carts, 1 covered wagon, 23 wheelbarrows, 1 door, 1 closet, 12 stools, 2 chairs, 2 peels, 2 bread boxes, 1 barrel, 1 coal-bin, 1 mast; handles in 30 sledges and striking hammers.

Blacksmiths—Made ironwork for 1 derrick and 2 wheelbarrows, 1 cot frame, 3 spindles, 1 eye-bolt and ring, 1 stop-cock handle, 33 points, 32 chisels, 1 saddle-iron, 13 pitching tools, 2 braces, 2 straps, 2 bands, 1 axle, 1 stove lid, 7 hoops, 2 pivots, 32 rivets, 36 hooks, 80 staples, 22 "S" hooks, 6 door handles, 19 washers, 30 spikes, 6 window-guards, 1 scraper, 1 shade brackets, 50 feathers, 5 catches, 5 thumb-latches, 6 plugs, 29 bolts, 1 eye-plate, 5 plates, 20 nuts, 2 pairs hinges, 12 wedges, 4 hinge humps and plates, 1 pair strap hinges, 14 eye-bolts and plates, 46 tub handles, 3 anchors, 12 couplings, 27 hammer heads, 3 wrenches, 8 pairs tongs, 5 ventilator gratings, 19 chain links, 1 frame 10 inches by 18 inches altered, 1 iron railing; repaired 1 cot frame, 3 barrels, 4 ash-tubs, 1 chain, 4 carts, 1 covered wagon, 7 wheelbarrows, 3 tubs, 1 caldron cover, 5 bedsteads, 6 shovels, 1 fork, 1 poker, 1 saddle, 7 pails, 2 meat boxes, 1 pair tongs, 1 step-ladder, 1 rake, 13 forks, 1 cleaver; dressed and sharpened 1,986 points, picks, crowbars; put 17 sets shoes on horses.

Tinsmiths—Made 1 20 and 1 10 gallon boiler, 1 caldron cover, 7 tin boxes, 1 strainer, 12 3-pint cups, 25 1-pint cups, 12 cans, 8 dippers, 3 coffee-cans, 3 saucepans, 8 dish-pans, 2 apple-parers, 24 mess-pans, 1 cake-turner, 1 oil-can, 1 ash-can, 1 thimble; laid 320 square feet tin roofing, made 55 feet tin leaders, 9 elbows, 7 offsets; repaired 1 lamp, 20 roofs, 6 pumps, 3 tank connections, 9 stoves, 99 pieces tinware, 1 caldron, 3 locks, 4 waste-pipes, 7 water-service pipes, 1 door, 1 clothes-wringer.

Painters—Painted buildings inside, 1 building outside, trimmings of 2 buildings, 10 pairs window-blinds, 1 roof, 16 bedsteads, 5 storm porches, 3 tubs, 10 stoops, 1 tin box, 3 chimneys, 6 buckets; whitewashed 2 rooms, interior of 4 buildings; glazed 28 lights glass.

Miscellaneous Work—Excavated for and built stone-wall in 1 well; 8 cubic yards stone broken for roads; discharged 241 tons coal from boat; excavated 4 scow loads sand for building purposes elsewhere in the Department.

Tailors—Repaired 1,129 pairs pants, 226 vests, 641 jackets, 305 caps, 1,316 pairs mitts.

Shoemakers—Repaired 674 pairs men's and 41 pairs women's shoes.

Cotmaker—Repaired 117 cot bottoms.

Female Workhouse—Repaired 225 shirts, 295 undershirts, 434 pairs socks, 29 pairs stockings, 78 pillow cases, 18 sheets, 6 dresses, 22 chemises, 25 aprons; washed and laundered 26,313 pieces clothing and bedding.

## FOR HART'S ISLAND BAKERY.

Bakers made 167,538 pounds bread.

## FOR CITY CEMETERY.

Excavated 3 burial trenches, each 45 feet by 14 feet by 8 feet, and 1 trench, 45 feet by 20 feet by 8 feet; interred 980 bodies; disinterred 13 bodies for reinterment elsewhere by friends.

## FOR BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.

A total of 1,650 days' labor performed.

## ISLAND IMPROVEMENTS.

Discharged into the area of sunken land under water, inclosed by the crib-bulkhead, 26 scow loads street dirt and ashes received from the Street Cleaning Department.

Very respectfully,

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

## Labor Report, Almshouse, First Quarter, 1888.

Carpenters—Days' work: Central Office 14, dock 2, fence 4½, Storekeeper's house 18¾, Steward's house 3½, Chapel 4½, Dispensary 2, Tailor's shop 7½, sheds 25½, Almshouse 3½, Incurable Hospital 2½, Warden's Office ¼, Store-house ¼, repairing chairs 4, Wash-house 2, male buildings 5½; made 6 tables, 3 spittoons, 9 handles, 1 closet, 1 pair sash, 8 boards, 1 washstand, 2 bureaus, 4 files, 1 door saddle, 18 boxes, 1 stand, 1 cutting board, 25 plugs, 6 platform, 12 shovels, 4 sewing machine covers, 2 window frames and sash, 8 skylight sashes for vegetable boxes; repaired 11 wheelbarrows, 11 doors, 14 stools, 70 chairs, 1 window, 2 wagons, 1 crutch, 7 washstands, 4 tables, 1 waiter, 3 closets, 5 sashes, 1 roof, 1 clock frame, 1 chest, 5 wash-boards, 2 clothes-horses, 1 bureau, 1 bath-tub, 1 commode, 1 meat-board, 6 handles, 3 doors, 1 buck saw set, 1 baby carriage, 1 settee, 1 sink; put in 9 sash cords.

Blacksmiths and Machinists—New work: 2 door-knobs, 1 angle iron, 2 hoops, 2 fire pokers, 1 fire rake, 4 slice bars, 9 wheels, 16 holdfasts, 5 hooks, 1 stove jacket, 39 grate bars, 6 winches, 10 pairs hinges, 8 scrapers, 2 hasps, 5 staples, 2 shakers, 1 latches, 550 bolts, 301 spikes, 100 nails, 54 horseshoes, 310 rivets, 4 dough knives, 41 hooks, 2 bands, 4 frames, 2 shovels, 1 tire, 2 rings, 1 spindle, 2 wheelbarrows, 66 chisels, 4 hammers, 1 punch, 486 bucket ears, 10 washers, 64 handles, 3 screws, 1 set braces, 2 plates, 1 boat-hook, 3 gas burners, 1 ring, 13 meat knives; repaired 28 gas burners, 5 handles, 3 shakers, 38 wheelbarrows, 699 chisels, 25 fire rakes, 49 slice bars, 1 sifter, 5 trucks, 430 horseshoes, 126 clocks, 15 bedsteads, 11 bolts, 16 pokers, 4 crowbars, 10 hooks, 53 locks, 20 picks, 13 shovels, 11 hoes, 45 pairs hinges, 2 ice-tongs, 6 stoves, 2 covers, 2 pairs scissors, 7 hammers, 1 screw-driver, 1 knife, 1 bellows, 1 door-knob, 1 pendent, 2 rings, 2 nuts, 1 boat rudder.

Tinsmiths—Made 15 boilers, 51 pans, 5 kettles, 8 dippers, 42 boxes, 3 measures, 164 pails, 112 cans, 1 basin, 6 barrels, 1 screen, 1 ladle, 1 drum, 1 stove, 60 foot stove-pipe, 5 elbows, 2 cullenders, 12 milk cans, 2 tea-pots, 2 strainers, 2 tea-kettles; repaired 266 pieces tin-ware.

Coopers—Coopered 50 barrels; repaired 106 barrels, 52 pails, 7 tubs; made 121 wood pails, 10 barrels, 3 tubs.

Tailors—Made 173 jackets, 187 pairs pants, 58 vests, 24 pairs mittens, 124 pairs suspenders, 6 suits citizens' clothing; repaired 823 jackets, 702 vests, 1,188 pair pants, 239 caps, 3 army overcoats. Brush and Mat Makers—Made 7 dozen door-mats, 12 dozen scrub-brushes.

Shoemakers—Repaired 369 pairs men's and women's shoes.

Seamstresses and Knitters—Made 180 pairs socks, 242 shirts, 440 dresses, 23 towels, 60 bed-ticks, 125 hoods, 324 pillow cases, 470 sheets, 376 chemises, 120 cotton flannel shirts, 50 night-gowns, 50 men's aprons; repaired 486 dresses, 157 petticoats, 302 chemises, 1,298 shirts, 235 pillow cases, 600 pairs socks, 682 sheets, 16 blankets, 8 spreads, 70 bedticks, 29 knit shirts.

Washerwomen—Washed 80,708 pieces.

Painters and Plasterers—General repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

M. VOUGHT, Warden.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND,  
NEW YORK, April 6, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D., President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit the following detailed account of labor performed by inmates of this asylum during the quarter ending March 31, 1888:

Printing Bureau—For Commissioners—460 contracts and specifications, buildings, etc. For Secretary—2,000 envelope headings. For General Bookkeeper—1,000 postal cards; 740 letter headings; 6 reams note headings. For Purchasing Agent—1,000 note headings, 200 letter headings; 2,000 order blanks; 1,500 cards; 365 specifications. For Out-door Poor Department—37,500 passes to institutions; 5,500 cards; 1,000 medical certificates; 1,000 abandonment certificates; 1 ream foolscap coal blanks; 500 envelope headings. For General Drug Department—34,000 labels. For Bellevue Hospital—18,000 passes; 63,000 cards. For Ninety-ninth Street Hospital—500 Surgeon's passes. For Charity Hospital—4,500 daily return blanks; 2,000 death notices; 5,000 passes; 150 application blanks; 2,000 envelope headings; 2 reams letter headings; 1 ream note headings. For Penitentiary—1 ream letter headings; 2 reams note headings. For Storekeeper, Blackwell's Island—7 reams note headings; 1 ream receipt headings; 5,000 envelope headings. For Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—500 envelope headings; 500 postal cards; 200 transfer blanks; 300 return blanks; 500 diet blanks; 1,000 discharge passes. For Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island—500 medical certificates; 300 programmes; 2,000 examination blanks; 1,000 envelope headings; 5,500 passes; 2,000 library labels; 400 transfer blanks; 400 applications. For Homeopathic Hospital—1,000 postal cards; 3,000 envelope headings; 2,000 envelope headings; 3 reams note headings; 1,000 daily census blanks; 1,500 cards; 1,000 passes. For Insane Asylum, Ward's Island—125 circulars; 1,000 application blanks; 1,500 cards; 1,000 envelope headings; 3,760 letter headings; 50 application indorsements; 500 medical certificates; 195 dietary tables; 1,500 telephone blanks; 1,000 pay-order blanks; 9,000 census blanks; 7,000 passes; 3,000 labor reports. For Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island—5,000 letter headings; 5,000 note headings; 3,000 passes; 4,000 liquor orders; 1,000 census reports; 3,000 extra diet lists; 150 pay-order blanks; 1,000 laundry blanks; 50 monthly reports; 1,000



condemned lists; 2,000 admission cards. For Workhouse, Hart's Island—2 reams note headings. Laundry—Number of pieces washed for patients, 251,400; for attendants, 12,266. Shoemaker—New shoes, 10 pair; repaired shoes, 1,084 pair, new slippers, 4 pair. Tailor—New work, 176 jackets, 161 vests, 174 pants; repaired 1,028 jackets, 232 vests, 2,138 pants, 167 blouses, 37 blankets. Mat and Broom Maker—Brooms, 474. Mats—Brush 21, rush 99, coir 71, cloth 4; chairs caned 1, baskets 12. Carpenter—Made 62 calendar frames, 52 picture frames, 3 water-closet seats, 3 sign boards, 8 covers for boilers, 1 mail-box, 1 key case, 12 printers' galleys, 3 paper boxes, 3 towel racks, 8 peel handles for bakery, 9 doors, flooring, shelving, partitioning, etc., in various Wards; repairing doors, windows, fences, wheelbarrows, carts, steam horses, benches, chairs, tables, settees, ferry-gangway and float, hand-barrows, coal dock, locks, bars to doors and windows, elevator car, food car, molding over electric-light wires, etc., etc. Mason and Plasterer—Attended to mason and plastering repairs throughout main building, annex and branch. Painter and Glazier—General painting repairs throughout main building, in halls, wards, water-closets, kitchens, dining-rooms, etc. Oiling floors in several wards; painting bedsteads, beds, sign boards, boxes, fences, out-houses, new doors, etc.; varnishing tables, benches, partitions, calendar and picture frames, etc.; painting in branch and pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, and the glazing repairs throughout main building, annex and branch. Plumber—Attended to necessary repairs to plumbing, etc., throughout main Asylum and branches. Tinsmith—Attended to the general repairs to tinware, throughout Asylum and branches. Baker—Made 239,404 pounds white bread, 22,625 pounds graham-bread, 4,873 pounds ginger-bread, 500 pounds domestic cake. Blacksmith—Attended to the shoeing of the horses and general repairs to ironwork. Out-door Improvements—Cleared away snow from foot and cart roads; cut and stored about one hundred and eighty tons of ice; repaired roads; discharged coal from barges and carted same to Asylum and Homoeopathic Hospital boiler rooms, etc.; carted supplies from dock to Asylum and Homoeopathic Hospital; carted swill and refuse from kitchen, etc., and other general work about the grounds, stable, etc.

Very respectfully,

A. TRAUTMAN, Medical Superintendent.

LUNATIC ASYLUM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
April 1, 1888.

## Quarterly Labor Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1888.

SEWING.	GOODS MADE FOR LUNATIC ASYLUM.	GOODS MADE FOR OTHER INSTITUTIONS.	TOTAL.
Bed-ticks.....	200	563	763
Pillow-ticks.....	200	....	200
Check spreads.....	....	150	150
Sheets.....	500	950	1,450
Pillow-cases.....	700	1,100	1,800
Dresses.....	515	....	515
Petticoats.....	500	325	825
Muslin chemises.....	800	600	1,400
Canton flannel drawers.....	1,200	....	1,200
Canton flannel chemises.....	1,200	....	1,200
Night-gowns.....	200	200	400
Roller-towels.....	162	474	636
Hand-towels.....	120	408	528
Dish-towels.....	200	....	200
Suspenders.....	....	500 prs.	500
Grey flannel wrappers, faced red.....	27	....	27
Toboggan suits.....	69	....	69
Toboggan mitts.....	20	....	20
Aprons.....	....	150	150
Aprons, men's ticking.....	31	....	31
Caps, men's ticking.....	26	....	26
Uniform dresses, seersucker, for attendants.....	50	....	50
Uniform aprons, muslin, for attendants.....	114	....	114
Uniform caps, lawn, for attendants.....	700	....	700
	7,534	5,420	12,954

Knitting—Stockings, 500 pairs, Lunatic Asylum.

## CUTTING-ROOM—CUT.

Sheets.....	500
Pillow cases.....	500
Dresses.....	515
Petticoats.....	500
Muslin chemise.....	800
Canton flannel chemise.....	1,200
Canton flannel drawers.....	1,200
Night-gowns.....	200
Hand-towels.....	120
Grey flannel wrappers.....	27
Toboggan suits.....	69
Toboggan mitts.....	20
Men's tick aprons.....	31
Men's tick caps.....	26
Uniform dresses.....	50
Uniform aprons.....	114
Uniform caps.....	700
	6,572

## MANUFACTORY OF BRUSHES, MATS AND BASKETS.

Coir mats.....	30
Rag mats.....	15
Tampico mats.....	2
Hair mattresses.....	14
Hair pillows.....	6
Scrub brushes.....	1,351
Nail brushes.....	11
Baskets.....	6

Engineer's Department—Repaired Hitching's heaters in Pavilions B, D, G and K; put up 2 new "Veio" stoves in pavilions; repaired ironing-stove in laundry, fire-brick, grate, etc.; put in 50 feet new steam-pipe Hall 5; repaired gas-pipe Pavilion E, 50 feet pipe; put in new stationary tub in laundry; put in new water-closet for officers, main building; repaired steam-pipe, Hall 3, 75 feet pipe; repaired frozen pipe in pavilions, 225 feet pipe; new gas-pipe in rooms Hall 3, 85 feet; general repairs to gas-burners, faucets, etc., throughout buildings. Carpenter—Inspected and measured 75,000 feet lumber for General Storekeeper; new floor dining-room, Pavilion D, 1,500 feet flooring; new chair-rail in Halls 3, 6 and 7, 1,350 feet chair-rail; 16 new frames for windows guarded rooms, Returns 4, 5 and 6, 200 feet 1½-inch pine; new wainscoting to sink and repairs to floor of pantry, Pavilion G, 40 feet flooring, 35 feet wainscoting; new

hot-water tank, Pavilion K, 160 feet 2-inch pine; new hot-house, second-hand materials; repairs to public kitchen, 1 new block, 2 new tables, 1 new bin, new shelves and repairs to 4 blocks, 200 feet pine, 60 feet ash; new floor, alcoves Hall 2, 900 feet flooring, 60 feet base, 60 feet chair-rails, 75 feet saddle; repairs to floors Halls 1 and 5, 300 feet flooring; new wainscoting and seat in water-closet, main building, 25 feet wainscoting, 20 feet ash; new base, chair-rail and closet, Attendants' dining-room, 250 feet pine; new door, jambs and casings, Hall 1; 24 frames for dietary scales; 45 frames for pictures, 27 chairs and 55 settees repaired; also general repairs to doors, locks, windows, etc., throughout buildings.

Painting and glazing—Painted new hot-house; glazing new hot-house, 150 panes glass; painted public kitchen; painted Hall 7, wall, base and surbase; painted Attendants' kitchen, closets, shelving, etc.; painted Hall 1, doors and casings; painted Hall 6, wall and surbase; glazing throughout buildings, 330 panes glass.

Plastering—Patching to ceiling and around base-boards, Hall 1; taking down old ceiling in 2 bedrooms, hospital hall, and putting up new lathing and plaster, also repairs to base; patching to ceiling, Hall 8, taking down loose plaster, etc.; repairs to walls and ceiling in Pavilion C; patching plastering in Lodges 1 and 3; patching ceiling and repaired sidewalls, Return 3; also general repairs, patching, etc., throughout building.

Very respectfully,

E. C. DENT, Medical Superintendent.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE,  
HART'S ISLAND, March 31, 1888.

Hon. CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for the quarter ending this date.

Very respectfully,

ANDREW EGAN, Medical Superintendent.

## Summary of Admissions, Discharges and Deaths.

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining December 31, 1887.....	212	874	1,086	153	933
Admitted.....	2	19	21	3	18
Whole number treated.....	214	893	1,107	156	951
Died.....	1	15	16	6	10
Discharged.....	1	4	5	1	4
Remaining March 31, 1888.....	212	874	1,086	149	937

## LABOR REPORT.

The average number of male patients at work during the quarter was 112; they were employed as follows: 16 in kitchen, 40 in pavilions, 1 in carpenter shop, 2 in engine room, and 45 at shoveling coal, carrying clothes to and from the laundry, wheeling stones, removing freight from dock, removing snow and ice from roads, whitewashing, removing ashes and garbage from pavilions, blasting, preparing fertilizers, etc.

Of the female patients, an average number of 365 have been daily employed in the following manner: housework, sewing and knitting, 310; in the laundry, 40; scrubbing offices, store, drug store, employees' rooms, etc., 8; as help for medical staff and officers, 7.

Those employed in the laundry have turned out 100,656 pieces; for Hart's Island Asylum, 95,127; and for the Medical Staff of Ward's Island, 5,529.

Those engaged in sewing and knitting have made 3,573 articles, and have repaired 33,923. Following is an itemized statement:

## Sewing and Knitting.

ARTICLES.	FOR HART'S ISLAND ASYLUM.		FOR WARD'S ISLAND ASYLUM.
	MADE.	REPAIRED.	REPAIRED.
Aprons.....	118	287	57
Blankets.....	....	47	....
Bed-ticks.....	72	3,382	9
Caps.....	68	....	....
Chemises.....	299	3,820	....
Drawers.....	1,166	2,384	....
Dresses.....	454	5,282	....
Hats.....	....	37	....
Hoods.....	....	797	....
Jackets.....	....	282	....
Night-gowns.....	....	432	....
Petticoats.....	402	2,620	....
Pillow-cases.....	274	803	157
Pillow-ticks.....	....	1,205	2
Spreads.....	25	179	2
Sheets.....	252	1,407	994
Shirts.....	44	814	1,627
Socks.....	44	319	3,556
Stockings.....	142	2,691	....
Table-cloths.....	28	14	....
Towels.....	123	82	215
Trowsers.....	....	443	....
Undershirts.....	....	....	22
Ullsters.....	62	7	....
Vests.....	....	18	....
Total.....	3,573	27,352	6,571

The Engineer, Fireman and assistants, have assisted boiler-makers to repair large boiler on three different occasions; put in new hot-water stove and force-pump; made connections to bath-tub, hot water and cold water tanks in Pavilion "B"; put in new pump and hot-water stove and connections in Pavilion "D"; put in new springs at pump; new water and new gauge-cocks, also safety-valve at upright boiler; have blown down boilers, swept tubes, and cleaned them out every month; made new steam and cold-water connections to hot-water tank in laundry; have put in new fire-hose nipples, and connected 150 feet hose in Pavilion 4; have kept in repair hot and cold water tanks, water-closets, drain and sewer pipes, force pumps, stove-guards, stoves and stove-pipes, locks and keys, window-guards, hand-carts, wheel-barrows, crow-bars, rock-drills, chains, etc.; have made new, and repaired kettles, cans, boilers for kitchen, and at present are tinning the roof of Pavilion "C."

The Carpenter and assistants have completed new cistern-house, 18 feet in diameter; put on new locks on all the outside doors of the pavilions; have repaired all settees throughout the Asylum; have put up storm doors in Pavilions "A," "B," "D" and "E"; made a step-ladder and



repaired row-boat; put in a partition in Assistant Physician's apartments and one in Pavilion "B"; made doorways, and made and put in two new doors in engine-house; three new coal-boxes; put down floor, 30 by 30, in basement of new pavilion, and have enlarged eight Attendants' rooms, in Pavilions "D" and "E"; made a cover for water-tank in Pavilion "A," and made one round water-tank for Pavilion "D," 4 feet in diameter and 6 feet high; made a water-tank for Pavilion "B," and placed it in position; made a water-tank and cover for laundry, 4 feet in diameter and 4 feet high; made two panel doors, and made storm door for Assistant Physician's apartments; made one new clothes closet for laundry; put in new floor in well-house of Pavilion "D"; have completed the new carpenter and engineer shops; made new cutting-boards, 4 feet by 3, for all the pavilions; and nearly completed the rebuilding of Pavilion "C."

The Painter and assistant have painted Assistant Physician's residence; two rooms in the office building; the dining-rooms and pantries of Pavilions 1, 2 and 3, also the dining-room and Attendant's rooms in Pavilions "B," "D" and "E"; the storm doors of rear office, Pavilions "A," "B" and "C"; have primed the engine and carpenter shops; have primed Pavilion "C"; have finished the round pump and cistern house; have painted the water and steam pipes in the Kitchen and Laundry; painted the windows and sashes in bath-room, water-closet and pantry of Pavilion 2; painted cells of Pavilion 3; painted two new partitions in Pavilion 4, and the tank of Pavilions "B" and "C"; painted tanks in Laundry; painted the hose-reeler of fire-engine, and kept all paint work in repair; have put in panes of glass and window lights wherever required throughout the institution.

The Plasterer has kept all the walls and ceilings in repair, and has also laid 266 yards concrete and cement flooring in basement of new pavilion.

IDIOT SCHOOL, RANDALL'S ISLAND, March 31, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President Department of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit the report of this School for the three months ending March 31, 1888.

The number of children attending the School during the past quarter was one hundred and nine (109).

Number of pupils admitted during the quarter, four (4).

The following is the amount of sewing performed by the girls during the above period:

Articles made:

Aprons.....	69
Bed-spreads.....	24
Bibs.....	29
Towels.....	14
Button-holes.....	116

Articles made over and repaired:

Dresses.....	101
Aprons.....	76
Pillow-cases.....	44
Bed-spreads.....	78
Bed-ticks.....	47
Pillow-ticks.....	104

These girls have also washed during the past three months pieces to the amount of two thousand five hundred and thirty-seven (2,537).

When the enlargement of their wash-room that has been ordered by your Board will be completed, more can be accomplished by them. The amount of washing already done by these girls must relieve the General Wash-house to a very great extent.

The male pupils have made:

Door-mats.....	47
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The visiting ladies of the State Charities Aid Association have very kindly offered to procure a new piano for the School. I appreciate deeply the interest they evince for the advancement of the children, and also the kind manner in which they have expressed their satisfaction at the noticeable improvements that have taken place in the institution during the past year.

Very respectfully,  
MARY C. DUNPHY, Principal and Superintendent.

BAKERY, April 6, 1888.

Hon. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President Board of Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of labor performed by the inmates of this Department for the quarter ending March 31, 1888:

Number barrels of flour baked into bread.....	4,814
“ “ distributed.....	1888
Total.....	6,702

Number pounds of bread distributed to the various institutions during the month of January.....	437,592
Number pounds of bread distributed to the various institutions during the month of February.....	382,889
Number pounds of bread distributed to the various institutions during the month of March.....	395,712
Total.....	1,216,193

Distribution of labor, as follows:

In the making of bread.....	15
Mixing doughs and setting sponges.....	14
Laboring work.....	33
Total.....	62

Respectfully,  
A. CHANCELLOR, Master Baker.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of April, 1888, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter VI., Title VI., Revised Statutes, and Sections 56 and 216 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

DATE.	ESTATE OF	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Apr. 3, 1888	Wiebke Willers.....	.....	\$23 60	
" 3, "	Patrick Dillon.....	.....	8 48	
" 10, "	* Mary Ann Farrell.....	.....	112 77	
" 11, "	Francis McMahon.....	.....	95 23	
" 18, "	John Adam Dames.....	.....	30 43	
" 21, "	Mary Somers.....	.....	69 60	
" 10, "	William H. von L. Boemkamp.....	.....	2 38	
Mar. 27, "	Joanna Brown.....	.....	7 35	
Apr. 30, "	Commissioners Charities and Correction, as per annexed list.....	.....	\$43 75	
				\$393 59
	* Mary Ann Farrell—Paid into City Treasury, for the distributive shares of Michael and John Farrell, as per decree.....	.....		\$400 76

Cash Received from Commissioners of Charities and Correction for account of the following Estates.

Johanna Helmes.....	\$0 02	Robert Drummond.....	\$0 30
Henry Meyer.....	2 00	Fannie Doran.....	5 65
Mary Moore.....	1 58	Mary Brennan.....	31
Henry Meyer.....	26	Mathew Cusick.....	1 00
Antonio Lucese.....	33	Hannah Beck.....	05
Henry O'Brien.....	5 00	Mary Little.....	1 20
John F. McCoy.....	49	William Valp.....	15
Mary Shay.....	50	John Croman.....	1 07
Patrick Lynch.....	07	Michael Geary.....	1 10
John Morgan.....	1 00	Patrick Roberts.....	50
Simon Edwards.....	1 22	James Austen.....	47
John Kansteiter.....	62	Maurice Kiley.....	75
John Murphy.....	1 00	Nathaniel Jackson.....	1 51
Charles Merritt.....	2 36	Patrick Collins.....	2 00
Patrick O'Reilly or O'Brien.....	1 70	Philip Hogan.....	82
Samuel Alex.....	75	Samuel Sims.....	95
Annie Reilly.....	5 01	Peter Burke.....	10
John Osborne.....	1 00		
Frank O'Neill.....	34	Total.....	\$43 75
Francis Granger.....	57		

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the drinking-hydrant now on Third avenue, at the northwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, be removed and placed on the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, about one hundred and eight feet west of Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 3, 1888.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 17, 1888, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh O'Reilly to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, within the stoop-line, in front of corner of First avenue and Forty-eighth street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by four wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 24, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1888.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Gunst to remove the two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of No. 384 Grand, erected by permission of the Board of Aldermen October 3, 1879, and place the same in front of No. 387 Grand street; the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 24, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1888.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, April 18, 1888.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners James C. Bayles, Joseph D. Bryant, and the President of the Board of Police.

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:	
Orders received for prosecution.....	291
Attorney's notices issued.....	367
Nuisances abated before suit.....	137
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code).....	39
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit.....	21
Suits discontinued—By Board.....	26
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits.....	8
Executions issued.....	2
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits.....	15
Judgments for Defendant—Criminal suits.....	1
Civil suits now pending.....	273
Criminal suits now pending.....	93
Money paid into the court—Criminal suits.....	\$825 00

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

On motion, it was

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.
Michael Sheehy.....	391	Moses Schoenheit.....	1296
Joseph Kahn.....	877	Levy Wishkowsky.....	1306
Mary Ryan.....	1073	Thomas Cunningham.....	1316
Bridget Hogan.....	1148	William P. Earle.....	1319
Peter Steinmann.....	1218	D. & J. Frey.....	1321
Rose Idlemann.....	1242	Morris Isaacs.....	1324
Daniel Zimmerman.....	1265	Christian Sander.....	1340
Henry Apelles.....	1266	John Meyers.....	1370
Mary Ballou.....	1266	Alex Striker.....	1386
James McGay.....	1288	John Volz.....	1385

The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Reports:

Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox).

Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers).

Weekly report from Reception Hospital.

Report of changes in the Hospital service.

Bills Audited.

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

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
E. J. Denning & Co.....	\$78 95	McKesson & Robbins.....	\$48 00
Park & Tifford.....	94 08	H. Y. Canfield.....	142 02
E. G. Blackford.....	35 11	Gilbert & Barker Manufacturing Co.....	55 53
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.....	128 80		



*The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:*

Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent.  
Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector.  
Weekly report of the Chemist and Assistant Chemist.  
Weekly report of work performed by the Inspectors of Offensive Trades.  
Weekly report on manure dumps.  
Weekly reports on condition of offal and night-soil boats.  
Weekly reports on condition of slaughter-houses.  
Monthly reports of charitable institutions.  
Reports on applications for permits.  
Reports on applications for relief from orders.  
Report and recommendation of the Sanitary Superintendent, that the Board reconsider its action at the meeting of April 5 on premises No. 6 Rivington street, and that a permit for a lodging-house be granted.  
A communication as to delay in filling vacancy in the Sanitary Company of Police by the retirement of Patrolman Dalbec.

*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 application for leave of absence.

*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 work performed by clerks.  
Reports on delayed birth and marriage returns.  
Application to correct register of death, the same being a clerical error, in the registry of Caroline Augsburg on February 20, 1876.

*Permits Granted.*

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
625	To keep a lodging-house.....	No. 25 Bowery.
626	To keep a lodging-house.....	No. 6 Rivington street.
4627	To maintain a manure box.....	No. 279 East Third street.
4628	To keep and kill poultry.....	No. 11 Mott street.

*Permits Denied.*

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
29	To keep seven chickens.....	No. 74 Oliver street.

*Orders Suspended, Extended, Modified, Rescinded or Referred.*

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
127	No. 1834 Second avenue.....	June 1, 1888	
805	No. 1528 Avenue A.....	May 1, "	
942	No. 115 East Sixty-sixth street.....	Aug. 1, "	
1155	No. 5 Minetta street.....		Was modified, to allow the substitution of school-sinks for hopper-closets, as requested.
3162	No. 66 Avenue C.....	May 5, 1888	
3181	Nos. 86 and 88 Henry street.....		Was modified, not to require the premises to be connected with street sewer by separate connections, provided balance of order is at once complied with.
4149	No. 442 East Seventy-fifth street.....	May 1, 1888	On the uncompleted with portion of this order.
4208	No. 453 West Thirty-second street.....	" 1, "	
4276	{ South side Ninety-second street and north side Ninety-first street, two hundred and seventy-five feet east of Ninth avenue. }	" 10, "	
5766	No. 141 Barrow street.....	" 1, "	
5155	No. 202 East Thirty-third street.....	" 10, "	
5430	No. 19 Monroe street.....	" 1, "	
5452			Provided roof is repaired, all obstructions from water-closet removed, and the same properly flushed.
5522	No. 7 Baxter street.....	" 1, "	
5528	No. 214 Centre street.....	" 1, "	Provided roof is repaired at once.
5568	No. 419 East Eighteenth street.....	June 1, "	For cementing the ceiling.
5566	No. 320 East Twenty-sixth street.....	May 1, "	
5619	No. 110 Seventh avenue.....	" 1, "	Provided lead soil-pipe and window in ventilating shaft on first floor are attended to at once.
5684	No. 352 West Sixteenth street.....		Was rescinded.
5715	No. 318 Pearl street.....	May 5, 1888	
5774	Nos. 35 and 37 Crosby street.....	" 8, "	
5775	No. 43 Crosby street.....	May 1, 1888	Was rescinded.
5877	No. 448 Canal street.....		
5878	No. 274 Cherry street.....		Was modified, not to require fencing of lots, provided the lots are so graded that the surface water will not enter cellar of adjoining tenement, No. 272.
5988	No. 134 Reade street.....		Was modified, so far as the same refers to pumps, provided the applicant puts in a tank and keeps the same at all times supplied with water; also in relation to the steam-pipe. A re-inspection will be made in the early part of May, to see that the conditions upon which this modification is allowed have been complied with.
6031	Northwest corner Elton avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.....		{ Was suspended during pleasure of the Board, provided the lots are at once cleaned and disinfected.
6175	No. 306 East Seventy-third street.....	May 1, 1888	
6200	East side Boulevard, fifteen feet south of One Hundred and Tenth street.....	" 10, "	{ Provided the manure is removed and lots cleaned.
6246	Northeast corner Boulevard and One Hundred and Seventh street.....	June 1, "	
6263	No. 423 East Seventy-first street.....	May 1, "	
6269	No. 25 East Eighty-sixth street.....	" 1, "	
6314	No. 494 Pearl street.....	" 1, "	For whitewashing, provided the balance of the order is at once complied with.
6331	No. 71 West Ninety-second street.....	" 1, "	And a re-inspection at that time made to see if it will be necessary to enforce the order.
6431	No. 239 East Thirty-fifth street.....	" 1, "	
6540	No. 220 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	" 2, "	
6550	Nos. 17 and 19 Laight street.....		Was suspended for thirty days on the uncompleted portion of order. An inspection ordered for that time, to see if it will be necessary that order be enforced.
6607	No. 1556 Fourth avenue.....	May 1, 1888	For flagging yard, provided the cellar is cleaned at once.
6704	No. 342 East Fourth street.....	" 1, "	
6833	Nos. 49 and 51 Downing street.....	" 15, "	
6898	East side Kingsbridge road, first house south of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.	" 10, "	
6896	No. 316 East Houston street.....	" 12, "	
6971	No. 500 East Sixteenth street.....	" 1, "	
17598	No. 40 Watts street.....	" 1, "	
18317	Nos. 623 to 625 West Thirty-seventh street. }		Suspended during the pleasure of Board.
17718	No. 604 West Thirty-eighth street.....		Referred to Department of Public Works.
5622	Tenth avenue and Seventy-third street.....		

*Applications for Relief from Orders Demed.*

No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
1062	No. 318 Spring street.	6425	No. 30 Bank street.
4287	No. 141 Macdougall street.	6440	Nos. 194-198 Greene street.
4483	Nos. 94-96 Mott street.	6470	South side One Hundred and Sixteenth street, two hundred feet west of Fifth avenue.
4827	No. 119 Ludlow street.		
5143	No. 98 Mott street.	6757	Nos. 214½-218 West Forty-ninth street.
5508	No. 758 Seventh avenue.	6786	No. 49 Forsyth street.
5756	No. 85 Madison street.	19092	No. 81 Baxter street.
5992	No. 3663 Third avenue.	19203	No. 327 Madison street.
6320	No. 110 West Twenty-sixth street.		
6338	No. 218 Second street.		

*Communications from Other Departments.*

Comptroller's Office—Weekly statement.

*Resolutions.*

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

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
Irena Cregar.....	Born.....	Jan. 13, 1888
George A. Hansen.....	".....	Apr. 16, 1887
William Koch, Jr.....	".....	Feb. 2, 1888
Henry Schimmele.....	".....	Mar. 10, 1887
Nellie Boll.....	".....	Apr. 9, "
Emma Stein.....	".....	" 1, "
James W. Bachnell.....	".....	" 6, "
Amalia K. Swartz.....	".....	" 23, "
Oscar Young.....	".....	" 4, "
John P. Keckeisen.....	".....	" 5, "
Eliza Rau.....	".....	" 11, "
Wilhelmina C. Miller.....	".....	" 21, "
Frederick W. Rauch.....	".....	" 10, "
Philip Schrandel.....	".....	" 13, "
Ida Stolzenberg.....	".....	May 28, "
Lester Klein.....	".....	" 18, "
Frederick Miller.....	".....	" 31, "
Annie Gering.....	".....	" 20, "
Lilly M. Brulesauer.....	".....	" 2, "
Henry Hensing.....	".....	" 5, "
William Grunewald.....	".....	June 6, "
Carl C. Weller.....	".....	" 3, "
S. Wilton Hemmerson.....	".....	" 29, "
Elizabeth Henning.....	".....	" 22, "
Lilly Petch.....	".....	" 27, "
Gregen T. Vogt.....	".....	" 1, "
Bertha M. Armbruster.....	".....	Aug. 26, "
W. H. Becker.....	".....	" 31, "
Henry Straus.....	".....	" 14, "
Walter J. Marshal.....	".....	" 26, "
Mary Betch.....	".....	" 26, "
Harry M. J. Kolbenheyer.....	".....	Sept. 12, "
E. Selina A. Donsing.....	".....	" 24, "
Ellen N. Graf.....	".....	" 21, "
Theodore H. Raush.....	".....	Oct. 11, "
Louis Elmen.....	".....	Nov. 28, "
Lorenz F. W. Fischer.....	".....	" 30, "
Mary Lesh.....	".....	Dec. 14, "
Lena Finkelstein.....	".....	" 12, "
Robert McGuinness.....	".....	" 13, "
Otto Stabers.....	".....	" 10, "
Walter J. Geebel.....	".....	Jan. 2, 1888
Flora Berbeit.....	".....	" 15, "

*Report on Changes in the Hospital Service.*

Resolved, That Rosie Ackerson be and is hereby employed as Helper, from April 17, at \$144 per annum, vice Farley, resigned on April 16.

Resolved, That the action of the Board, on April 5, to keep lodgers at No. 6 Rivington street, is hereby rescinded, and that a permit be issued for a lodging-house at said premises.

Resolved, That leave of absence of three days be and is hereby granted Inspector Brailly, from April 14.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to amend the Register of Deaths in the record of Caroline Cuigsburg to Caroline Augsburg, who died February 20, 1876, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That John McMann be and is hereby appointed Laborer on the Disinfecting Corps, at \$50 per month.

Resolved, That the appointment of F. K. Perkins as Inspector of Vaccination for two months, his notice returned "not found," be and is hereby canceled.

*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 Light and Ventilation of 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.  
4928-3. For three tenements, northeast corner of Lexington avenue and Ninety-fifth street.  
4951-2. For one tenement north side of Eighty-second street, one hundred feet west of Eighth avenue.  
5257. For one tenement, No. 253 East Tenth street, as amended.  
5015-2. For one tenement, southwest corner of Boulevard and Ninety-fifth street, as amended.  
5637-2. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, two hundred feet west of First avenue.  
5820. For one tenement, southeast corner of Madison avenue and Williamsbridge road.  
5850-3. For two tenements, Nos. 540 and 542 East Thirteenth street, as amended.  
5909. For one tenement, southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, as amended.  
5936. For one tenement, No. 89 Division street, as amended.  
5930-2. For one tenement, No. 240 West Fortieth street.  
5938. For one tenement, Nos. 56 and 58 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street.  
5942. For one tenement, No. 236 Delancey street.  
5947. For one tenement, northwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Eighteenth street, as amended.  
5949. For one tenement, east side of Bergen avenue, one hundred and ninety-seven feet north of Grove street, as amended.  
5950. For one tenement, No. 322 Second avenue, as amended.  
5952-2. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, two hundred and fifty feet west of Second avenue, as amended.  
5960. For one tenement, No. 535 West Forty-third street.  
5963. For four tenements, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, one hundred and ninety feet east of Second avenue.



5966. For four tenements, north side of Fifty-third street, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue.  
5964. For one tenement, west side of Eighth avenue, twenty-seven feet north of Eighty-second street.  
5965. For one tenement, west side of Eighth avenue, forty-eight feet north of Eighty-second street.  
5967. For one tenement, southwest corner of Eighty-third street and Eighth avenue.  
5968. For one tenement, northwest corner of Madison and Jefferson streets.  
5969. For five tenements, north side of One Hundred and Fourth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet east of Tenth avenue.  
5970. For one tenement, southeast corner of Eighth avenue and Fortieth street.  
5971. For two tenements, north side of Eighty-sixth street, one hundred and thirteen feet three inches east of Madison avenue.  
5972. For one tenement, southwest corner of Lexington avenue and Eighty-fourth street.  
5974. For two tenements, north side of Eighty-fifth street, ninety-three feet west of Avenue B.  
5975. For one tenement, northeast corner of Eldridge and Rivington streets.  
5978. For one tenement, northeast corner of Division and Orchard streets, as amended.  
5980. For one tenement, No. 369 Madison street.  
5981. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, one hundred and sixty-five feet east of Fourth avenue.  
5985. For one tenement, northwest corner of Broad and Bridge streets.  
5986. For one tenement, southwest corner of Water street and Peck Slip.  
5993. For two tenements, southwest corner of One Hundred and Nineteenth street and Eighth avenue.  
5992. For one tenement, No. 309 West Thirty-third street.  
5994. For one tenement, No. 165 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.  
5995. For twelve tenements, north side of Ninety-seventh street, one hundred and fifteen feet east of Third avenue.  
6000. For one tenement, No. 32 Pike street.  
6002. For one tenement, No. 350 West Twenty-sixth street.

*Tabled for Amendment.*

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

- Plan No.  
5923-2. For one tenement, southwest corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-third street.  
5983. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, one hundred and forty feet east of Fourth avenue.  
5996. For one tenement, No. 99 Macdougall street.  
5992. For one tenement, No. 309 West Thirty-third street.  
6001. For one tenement, No. 929 Sixth avenue.

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

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following 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.  
7788. For one dwelling, east side of Bailey avenue, one hundred and fifty feet south of Old Boston road, as amended.  
7837-2. For one shop, No. 202 Clinton street, conditionally.  
7870. For five tenements, northwest corner of Western Boulevard and Ninety-second street, conditionally.  
7872-2. For four dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, one hundred feet east of College avenue, as amended.  
7920. For two tenements, Nos. 215 and 217 East Twenty-fifth street, as amended.  
7921. For three tenements, Nos. 263, 262 and 264 Stanton street, as amended.  
7936. For one business building, northwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, as amended.  
7941. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Morris avenue, as amended.  
7946. For one tenement, Nos. 56 and 58 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, as amended.  
7956. For two tenements, Nos. 50 and 52 Lawrence street, conditionally.  
7960. For four dwellings, southwest corner of Fourth avenue and Seventy-second street.  
7965. For one church building, Nos. 220 and 222 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.  
7979. One stable, No. 513 Hudson street, as amended.  
7991. For one stable (rear), south side of Eighty-sixth street, one hundred and twenty-two feet east of Riverside Drive.

*Tabled for Amendment.*

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

- Plan No.  
7778. For one tenement, No. 3474 Third avenue.  
7951. For south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Eleventh avenue (one dwelling).  
7952. For three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, eighty feet west of Lenox avenue.  
7953. For one tenement, southeast corner of Eighth avenue and Fourth street.  
7954. For one tenement, southwest corner of Water street and Peck Slip.  
7955. For six dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, one hundred feet east of Lenox avenue.  
7957. For one tenement, No. 76 Oliver street.  
7958. For one tenement, No. 305 West Twenty-ninth street.  
7959. For one tenement, No. 95 Macdougall street.  
7961. For one dwelling, west side of Fourth avenue, sixty-eight feet south of Seventy-second street.  
7962. For three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, seventy-five feet west of Seventh avenue.  
7963. For two tenements, Nos. 406 and 408 Ninth avenue.  
7964. For four tenements, northwest corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Fourth avenue.

*Amendments to Plumbing and Drainage Specifications.*

- Plan No.  
5778. For one warehouse, Nos. 490 to 502 Cherry street.  
6937. For nine tenements, north side of Eighty-third street, one hundred and six feet west of Avenue A.  
7028-3. For one tenement, northeast corner of Tenth avenue and Fifty-third street.  
7458. For two dwellings, east side of Washington avenue, one hundred and twenty-nine feet south of Tallmadge street.  
7493-2. For one slaughter-house, Nos. 640 to 644 West Thirty-fourth street.  
7512. For one dwelling, No. 1196 Ogden avenue.  
7569. For one tenement, No. 21 Suffolk street.  
7677. For one shop, Nos. 511 and 513 West Forty-sixth street.  
7922. For one store, No. 1455 Second avenue.

*Amendments to Plumbing Specifications Disapproved.*

6644. For one tenement, northeast corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.  
6341. For three dwellings, east side of Bainbridge avenue, corner One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

*Violations to Attorney.*

Nos. 445, 499, 614.

*Disapproved.*

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

- Plan No.  
5951. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, one hundred feet east of Madison avenue.  
5976. For three tenements, east side of Madison avenue, twenty-six feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street.  
5977. For one tenement, No. 305 West Twenty-ninth street.  
5981. For eight tenements, east side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets.

5991. For one tenement, No. 288 East Eighteenth street.  
Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:  
Nos. 562, 632, 991 and 1019.

*Amendments to Light and Ventilation Specifications.*

- Plan No.  
5660-3. For one tenement, southeast corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street.  
5774. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, one hundred and eighteen feet east of Ninth avenue.

Resolved, That the application of A. Koschel, for the modification of light and ventilation of Plan No. 4972, at No. 217 West Thirty-first street, be and is hereby denied.

*Sanitary Bureau.*

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending April 14, 1888:

There were 6,265 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 690 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 298 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, 68 permits.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 98 permits.

*Report of Vital Statistics for the Week Ending April 14, 1888.*

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates received and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000, Population Estimated at 1,516,686.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroner's Cases.	Scourges Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Registers.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	275	..	25	9.43	..	..	..	15	10	..	....
Births.....	652	83	..	22.36	..	..	..	27	24	400	....
Deaths.....	787	15	..	26.68	787	18	87	128	116	..	750
Still-births.....	67	14	..	2.30	67	..	6	..	..	..	....

Of the total number of deaths reported, those due to contagious diseases and to certain diseases whose prevalence may be due to variable local conditions were as follows:

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Deaths Reported.	Deaths Reported in Previous Week.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.										
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	6	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria.....	33	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Enteric Fever.....	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Erysipelas.....	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlatina.....	32	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox.....	4	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	4	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	16	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bronchitis.....	32	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Croup.....	10	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pneumonia.....	123	102	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Puerperal Diseases.....	11	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Under 1 Month.....	39	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1 Month and under 5 Years.....	265	230	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
65 and over.....	90	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	787	772	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

CAUSE OF DEATH.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.													
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	..	..	..	-1	..	+1	-1	+3	-1	..	-1	..	..	
Diphtheria.....	+6	-1	+1	+1	-2	+1	-2	+3	-1	+1	-5	+2	..	
Enteric Fever.....	..	..	-1	..	+1	-1	..	..	..	+1	+1	..	..	
Erysipelas.....	-1	..	..	..	-1	..	-1	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	-1	..	..	+1	+2	-1	..	..	
Measles.....	+1	..	+1	-1	..	..	+1	-1	..	+1	-1	..	..	
Scarlatina.....	+4	..	+1	..	+1	-3	+1	+3	-2	+3	+1	..	+1	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	-3	+2	..	..	..	..	..	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Whooping-cough.....	-1	..	-1	..	..	..	..	+2	-1	-2	..	..	..	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	..	..	-1	..	-2	-1	-1	+4	-1	-2	+1	-1	..	
Bronchitis.....	-3	+1	-5	..	-2	..	..	..	..	-2	-3	-1	+1	
Croup.....	-1	..	..	..	..	-1	..	..	-1	..	..	..	..	
Pneumonia.....	+6	+1	+4	+1	-4	+3	+8	..	-3	+5	+1	-3	-2	
Puerperal Diseases.....	-1	+1	..	+1	..	+2	..	+3	-3	-1	-1	..	..	
Under 1 Month.....	-7	-2	-2	..	+2	-2	+2	-2	+2	..	..	-2	..	
1 Month and under 5 Years.....	+7	+4	+2	..	-6	-10	-4	+29	-5	+3	+1	-2	+1	
65 and over.....	+10	+1	..	+1	-2	+2	..	-9	+3	+1	-4	+1	+2	
Total.....	+13	-1	+1	+1	-4	+3	+10	-1	-12	+12	-11	-6	-1	

Of the zymotic diseases diphtheria and scarlatina show an increase over last week (6 and 10 respectively). Diphtheria is less prevalent than in the corresponding week of last year and scarlatina more so, the number of deaths (32) being greater than in any week since that ending January 7, 1888, when there were 35.

Diphtheria increased in the Fifth, Seventh, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third wards, and decreased in the Fourth, Ninth, Thirteenth, Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-second. Scarlatina increased in the First, Tenth, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth wards, and decreased in the Sixth, Ninth, Eleventh, Seventeenth and Twentieth.

Death-rate for week, 26.98 per 1,000. Estimated population, 1,516,686.

Death-rate for corresponding week of 1887, 29.14. Population, 1,472,152.



Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending April 21, 1888. Results Expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

	SUNDAY, April 15.	MONDAY, April 16.	TUESDAY, April 17.	WEDNESDAY, April 18.	THURSDAY, April 19.	FRIDAY, April 20.	SATURDAY, April 21.
Appearance .....	Slightly Turbid.	Clear : Slight Sediment.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Turbid : Organic Sediment.	Clear : Slight Sediment.	Clear : Slight Sediment.
Color .....	Yellowish Brown : Dark.	Very Light Yellow : Brownish Cast.	Light Yellowish Brown.	Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellow : Brownish Cast.	Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellow : Brownish Cast.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.) .....	.....	.....	.....	Very faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides .....	0.120	0.108	0.118	0.112	0.117	0.109	0.109
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride .....	0.197	0.177	0.194	0.184	0.192	0.179	0.179
Phosphates .....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0264	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0048	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to (before boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	1.715	.....	.....	.....
Carbonate of Lime (after boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	1.429	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition) .....	0.991	0.991	1.050	1.050	0.933	0.904	0.875
Mineral matter (non-volatile) .....	1.983	1.808	1.778	2.047	1.983	1.924	2.041
Total solids (by evaporation) .....	2.974	2.799	2.828	3.091	2.916	2.838	2.916

By order of the Board.

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending April 21, 1888. Results Expressed in parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

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Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.) .....	.....	.....	.....	Very faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides .....	0.205	0.185	0.202	0.192	0.200	0.187	0.187
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride .....	0.338	0.304	0.332	0.316	0.330	0.307	0.307
Phosphates .....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0453	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0082	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to (before boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	2.94	.....	.....	.....
Carbonate of Lime (after boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	2.45	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition) .....	1.70	1.70	1.80	1.80	1.50	1.55	1.50
Mineral matter (non-volatile) .....	3.40	3.10	3.05	3.50	3.40	3.30	3.50
Total solids (by evaporation) .....	5.10	4.80	4.85	5.30	5.00	4.85	5.00

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

# HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SANITARY BUREAU, DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS, No. 301 Mott Street.

REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 21, 1888.

Col. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary Board of Health :

SIR—734 deaths were registered in this office during the week ending at noon of Saturday, April 21, 1888, representing an annual death-rate of 25.15 per 1,000 on an estimated population of 1,517,583.

Registered Mortality from the Principal Causes, with Ages of Deceaseds and Meteorology, for Week ending Saturday, April 21, 1888.

METEOROLOGY	WEEK ENDING—								AGES.												SEX, NATIVITY AND RACE.								
	Mean Barometer.....	Mean Humidity.....	Maximum Humidity.....	Minimum Humidity.....	Inches of Rain.....	Mean Temperature.....	Maximum Temperature (Fahr.).....	Minimum Temperature (Fahr.).....	Total for Week.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for Week.	Total for Corresponding Week of Last Year.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for same Week.	Average Annual Death-rate per 1,000 for past Ten Years.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Total under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.						25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and over.	Males.
Mean Barometer.....	29.978	29.968	29.711	29.881	30.074	29.659	30.049																						
Mean Humidity.....	86	86	91	92	90	80	82																						
Maximum Humidity.....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100																						
Minimum Humidity.....	64	62	68	72	62	51	49																						
Inches of Rain.....	14	.01	2.11	.79	1.65	1.35	1.24																						
Mean Temperature.....	27.9	23.7	26.9	30.0	38.9	44.9	40.9																						
Maximum Temperature (Fahr.).....	42	45	45	54	57	60	56																						
Minimum Temperature (Fahr.).....	8	10	4	12	10	33	26																						
CAUSE OF DEATH.	Mar. 3	Mar. 10	Mar. 17	Mar. 24	Mar. 31	April 7	April 14	Total for Week.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for Week.	Total for Corresponding Week of Last Year.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for same Week.	Average Annual Death-rate per 1,000 for past Ten Years.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Total under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and over.	Males.	Females.	Natives.	Foreign-born.	Colored.		
Total, all causes.....	803	799	800	861	768	772	787	734	25.15	760	26.82	26.73	49	122	62	62	295	35	43	137	142	62	407	327	464	270	22		
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	6	6	6	1	3	8	6	6	.21	4	.14	.16	..	1	1	3	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Diphtheria.....	42	40	48	57	47	27	33	42	1.44	30	1.27	1.10	..	5	12	17	34	7	1	..	..	..	21	21	4	38	4	..	
Enteric Fever.....	3	2	2	2	4	2	2	4	.14	2	.07	.25	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	1	3	1	..	
Erysipelas.....	3	3	3	9	4	2	2	2	.10	4	.14	.12	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	3	2	..	
Malarial Fever.....	5	5	0	4	2	5	7	5	.17	6	.21	.34	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	4	..	8	2	..	
Measles.....	2	3	8	3	3	4	5	10	.34	9	.32	.40	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	
Scarlatina.....	18	19	28	27	20	22	32	32	1.10	15	.51	.76	..	4	5	17	26	5	1	..	..	..	13	19	27	5	..	..	
Small-pox.....	1	2	4	3	4	7	4	7	.24	3	.11	.07	..	2	1	3	..	1	3	..	..	..	6	1	5	..	..	..	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Whooping-cough.....	4	3	6	13	4	7	4	7	.24	1	.04	.33	..	3	1	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	7	..	..	..	
Yellow Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.0005	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cholera.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cholera Morbus.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.002	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Other Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	18	22	10	11	11	18	16	19	.65	17	.60	.74	2	14	2	..	18	1	..	1	..	..	10	9	19	..	..	..	
Other Zymotic Diseases.....	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	3	.10	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	
Cancer.....	13	18	17	19	15	17	24	22	.75	16	.56	.54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	4	5	17	7	15	..	..	
Rheumatism.....	7	3	10	4	4	0	2	5	.17	4	.14	.13	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	2	5	1	..	..	
Tabes Mesenterica.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	.07	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	
Other Constitutional Diseases.....	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	1.10	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	1	1	..	5	..	4	6	4	6	..	..	
Apoplexy.....	14	15	16	15	14	19	24	14	.48	13	.46	.48	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	4	4	6	9	5	9	5	..	..	
Convulsions.....	17	19	16	15	15	14	18	6	.21	5	.28	.48	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	5	1	..	..	
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	18	24	19	18	13	22	21	20	.69	10	.35	.57	1	7	5	4	17	1	..	1	1	..	9	11	20	..	..	..	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.....	..	..	..	..	..	34	29	37	1.27	..	..	..	2	11	4	4	21	2	1	6	5	2	20	17	30	7	2	..	
Aneurism.....	3	1	1	..	3	..	..	1	.03	1	.04	.06	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	
Heart Diseases.....	54	37	33	38	37	42	25	40	1.37	47	1.66	1.18	2	..	..	..	2	2	1	8	22	5	17	23	15	25	2	..	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.....	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	5	.17	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	1	2	3	2	3	..	..	
Bronchitis.....	49	48	52	34	47	48	32	32	1.10	42	1.18	1.16	3	14	3	..	20	..	2	1	6	3	19	13	23	9	..	..	
Croup.....	20	12	16	19	11	12	10	..	.27	21	.74	.60	..	2	5	1	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	8	..	..	
Phthisis.....	130	115	111	117	115	126	129	103	3.53	132	4.06	3.92	..	..	..	..	1	..	20	52	26	4	63	46	45	58	9	..	
Pneumonia.....	131	122	129	139	124	102	123	89	3.25	114	2.48	2.48	..	19	13	6	35	5	7	17	10	2	53	36	57	32	..	..	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.....	..	..	..	..	..	10	15	11	.38	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	5	..	..	1	3	2	7	4	7	4	..	..	
Gastritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Enteritis and Peritonitis.....	11	17	23	19	11	19	16	11	.38	18	.64	.70	1	3	..	..	4	1	..	4	2	..	6	5	8	3	..	..	
Cholitis of Liver and Hepatitis.....	8	6	10	8	7	5	5	6	.21	9	.32	.25	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	1	4	1	4	2	1	5	..	..	
Other Diseases of Digestive System.....	..	..	..	..	..	9	18	18	.62	..	..	..	3	2	1	1	7	2	..	4	3	2	9	9	12	6	1	..	
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	61	52	38	51	46	47	49	49	1.68	50	1.76	1.39	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	17	16	13	33	16	19	30	..	..	
Premature and Preternatural Births, Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....	17	13	19	30	27	24	18	25	.86	19	.67	.77	23	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	11	25	..	..	..	
Puerperal Diseases.....	7	13	15	18	6	8	11	4	.14	10	.35	.20	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	
Old Age.....	10	12	19	24	18	9	13	1	.27	6	.21	.38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	1	7	..	..	
Alcoholism.....	1	2	5	5	3	2	1	5	.27	8	.28	.16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	5	..	3	2	..	..	
Sunstroke.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.08	.08	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Accident.....	7	24	24	38	11	29	19	17	.58	22	.98	.62	..	..	..	..	5	2	3	8	2	..	..	..	..	9	8	..	
Homicide.....	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	.04	.05	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Suicide.....	2	6	1	3	7	2	7	2	.24	6	.21	.14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	7	..	3	4	..	..	
Under One Month.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49	1.68	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
One Month and under One Year.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	122	4.18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total under Five Years.....	26	127	102	136	20	20	20	20	10.11	20	9.48	9.48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Sixty-five years and over.....	..	..	..	..	..	62	2.12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Natives.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	497	13.94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Foreign-born.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	327	11.20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Colored.....	34	22	18	16	13	28	12	22	.75	23	.81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	



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Buried in City Cemetery (pauper burial-ground), 83; others outside of the city, 616; inside of the city, 35, including 6 on Ward's Island (immigrants recently arrived)

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## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At an executive meeting of the Board of Docks, held April 27, 1888.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Marshall.

The minutes of the meeting held April 26, 1888, were read and approved.

The proposition of Thomas I. Madge for temporary use of east half of Pier 18, East river, was, On motion, laid on the table.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit: From Department of Street Cleaning—In reference to and stating that Piers, old 19 and new 32, East river, will be cleaned. The action of the President in notifying J. Rosenfeld's Sons to remove the material placed on Pier 19, East River, was approved.

From New York Rowing Club—Requesting permit to drive piles and locate boat-house at or near One Hundred and Sixty-third street, west side Harlem river. The action of the President in issuing a permit under the usual conditions was approved.

From People's Line of Steamers—Requesting permission to repair Pier, old 41, North river. The action of the President in issuing a permit under the usual conditions was approved.

From Charles Hutchinson, Dock-Master—Reporting that P. Gallagher has erected fence foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Kennedy, Rinehard & Co.—Requesting permission to place an ice bridge on north side of pier foot of Forty-fourth street, North river, and scale and weigh office on the approach to said pier. Permission granted the said ice bridge, scales and weigh office to be located thereat by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7735, in reference to the application of S. J. Colford for permission to run a 6-inch sewer pipe through bulkhead between Piers 10 and 11, East river, for sewage purposes. Permit granted under the usual conditions.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7688, dredging required at bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to make requisition for dredging as recommended in his report.

The following communications were,

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file:

From Department of Street Cleaning—Inclosing copy of communication from Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor.

1st. Respecting the assignment of a portion of Pier foot of West Thirty-seventh street, North river.

2d. In reference to granting the Barney Dumping-boat Company to use portion of dumping-board at Pier 12, East river.

From Barney Dumping-boat Company—Requesting permit to use portion of dumping-board at Old Slip, East river.

From Henderson Brothers, agents Anchor Line—Requesting berth at Pier, new 43, North river.

From Canda & Kane—Requesting lease of water-front property.

From Kennedy, Rinehard & Co.—Requesting berth at pier foot of West Fifty-fifth street, North river.

From Engineer-in-Chief—Report on Secretary's Order No. 7532, dredging required east side Third avenue bridge, Harlem river.

From Ellen Hughes—For use of dumping-board at Thirty-seventh street, North river.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7698, respecting the loading of scows with cellar dirt near the foot of Thirtieth street, North river, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the Secretary directed to notify the Dock Master not to allow the loading of cellar dirt into scows from any pier or bulkhead between Twenty-third and Forty-third streets, North river.

The application of John A. Bouker for permission to erect a dumping-board at bulkhead foot of Seventy-fifth street, East river, and the protests from Daniel Robinson and B. C. Geikaer and others, objecting to the erection of said dumping-board, were,

On motion, referred to the Dock Master to examine and report.

## IN THE MATTER

of

PERMIT TO EQUITABLE GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.

The application of the Equitable Gas light Company for permission to locate a floating-dump foot of Fortieth street, East river, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Equitable Gas-light Company to locate a floating-dump at the foot of Fortieth street, East river, the same to continue during the pleasure of the Board.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief respecting the completion of contract for building bulkhead at One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river, was

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work to be done by John Gillies, under Contract No. 258, for building a crib-bulkhead from the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Harlem river, including rip-rap embankment in its rear, be and hereby is extended to the 6th of April, 1888, and that the sum of \$500 be and hereby is directed to be deducted from the final estimate on said contract for non-completion of the work in the time specified in said contract.

## IN THE MATTER

of

Alterations at ferry slip, Whitehall Street,  
East River.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7748, in relation thereto, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company to make certain alterations in the shape of the ferry slips at the foot of Whitehall street, East river, in accordance with the diagrams submitted this day, which are hereby approved, permission being also granted to dredge in said slips; all of the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

The communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, transmitting form of leases for bulkhead adjoining Pier, New 26, North river, leased to the Old Dominion Steamship Company, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the officers of the Board authorized to execute said leases.

## IN THE MATTER

of

Permit to use Dumping-board at Pier 12, East river.

Upon reading and filing the application of Brown & Fleming, dated April 12, 1888, for permission to use and occupy a portion of the dumping-board at Pier 12, East river, and the Board having duly considered the same, and the Department of Street Cleaning having consented thereto,

Resolved, That license or permission be and hereby is granted to Brown & Fleming to use and occupy a portion of the dumping-board at Pier 12, East river, for the purpose of receiving cellar dirt at the price of \$45 per week, payable weekly, when due, to the Dock Master of the district, the said license or permission to continue only during the will of the Board, commencing Tuesday, May 1, 1888.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7722, submitting form of contract, etc., for dredging at Pier, new 43, and at Pier foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the form of contract and specifications as prepared and submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief for dredging the half slip south of Pier, new 43, North river, and at the Pier foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river, be and they hereby are approved, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed and proper advertisements inviting estimates for doing the said work inserted in the papers designated by law.

## IN THE MATTER

of

Use of Bulkhead South Pier, old 54, North River.

Upon reading and filing the application of the Wholesale Oyster Dealers' Association for permission to use a few feet of the bulkhead adjoining the southerly side of Pier, old 54, North river, and the Board having duly considered the same,

Resolved, That license or permission be and hereby is granted to the Wholesale Oyster Dealers' Association to use and occupy fifteen feet of the bulkhead at the southerly side of Pier, old 54, North river, at the price of \$1.00 per week, payable weekly when due to the Dock Master of the district; the said license or permission to continue only during the will of the Board, commencing Tuesday, May 1, 1888.

## IN THE MATTER

of

Permit of W. A. WINNE to occupy bulkhead between Piers, new 36 and 37, North river.

Upon reading and filing the application of W. A. Winne, dated April 21, 1888, for permission to use seventy-five feet of south half of bulkhead between Piers, new 35 and 37, North river, with the privilege of erecting an ice-bridge, scale and weigh-office thereat, and the Board having duly considered the same:

Resolved, That license or permission be and the same is hereby granted to W. A. Winne to use and occupy seventy-five feet of the south half of the bulkhead between Piers, new 36 and 37, North river, with the privilege of erecting a temporary ice-bridge, scale and weigh-office thereat, for the purpose of receiving and discharging ice, at the price of \$18 per week, payable weekly, when due, to the Dock Master of the district, and to deliver up possession thereof upon one week's notice, the said license or permission to continue only during the will of the Board, commencing Tuesday, May 1, 1888; provided that the said Winne shall deposit \$50 with the Treasurer to cover any expense that may be incurred by the Department in placing the property in the same condition in which it was when taken possession of by him, natural wear and tear excepted.

The following resolution was,

On motion, adopted:

Resolved, That Brown & Fleming be and they hereby are permitted or licensed to fill in behind the new cribwork bulkhead between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river, to the extent of 8,000 loads for the price of \$500, provided that all of the said filling shall be composed of clean ashes, earth, sand or stone if of stone; no piece of stone to be larger than sixteen inches in its largest dimensions; all of the said filling to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and provided further, that the said work shall be completed on or before the first day of July next.

## IN THE MATTER

of

Permit to JOHN EVERSON to occupy dumping-board at Forty-sixth street, North river.

Upon reading and filing the application of John Everson, dated April 12, 1888, for permission to use and occupy the dumping-board on the south side of Pier foot of West Forty-sixth street, and the Board having duly considered the same,

Resolved, That license or permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Everson to use and occupy the dumping-board on the south side of Pier foot of Forty-sixth street, North river, at the price of \$2 per day for each and every day, Sundays included, payable at the end of each week to the Dock Master of the district, to commence May 1, 1888; the said license or permission to continue during the will of the Board.

On motion, the permit issued January 10, 1888, to John Everson to use and occupy the outer dumping-board on the north side of pier at West Forty-seventh street was revoked, to take effect May 1, 1888.

The communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, respecting the acquisition of wharf property on the Harlem river, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following preambles and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of section seven hundred and fifteen of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, this Department is desirous of acquiring in the name and for the benefit of the Corporation of the City of New York, the land and land under water in said city, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street, distant seven hundred and twenty-five and sixty-one one-hundredths feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; running thence easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street, one hundred and forty-one and seventy-three one-hundredths feet, more or less, to the exterior or bulkhead-line of Harlem river, as established by the Legislature in 1857, as the same is shown on a map attached to a grant made by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to Richard Kelly, dated May eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and filed in the office of the Comptroller of said City in Book I. of Grants, page 554; running thence in a northerly direction along the said exterior or bulkhead-line of Harlem river, as shown on the map last mentioned, to the line of low water in the Harlem river, as shown on the map last mentioned; thence running still in a northerly direction along the said line of low water in the Harlem river, as shown on the map last mentioned, and along the line of low water in the Harlem river, as shown on another map attached to a grant made by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to James H. Welsh, dated September fifteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, and filed in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York in Book I. of Grants, page 549, until it intersects the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifth street; running thence westerly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifth street one hundred and forty-five and thirty-nine one-hundredths feet, more or less, and running thence in a southeasterly direction two hundred and twenty-four and six one-hundredths feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning; also any and all wharfage, cranes, advantages or emoluments growing or accruing by or from that part of the exterior line of the said city lying on the easterly side of said premises, fronting on the Harlem river. Saving and reserving out of that part of the premises hereinbefore described, which is included in the said grants to Richard Kelly and James H. Welsh, so much thereof as forms part of any street or streets, avenue or avenues that were at the dates of said grants respectively, or have since been assigned, designated or laid out through the said premises according to law; and

Whereas, George E. Ketcham is the owner of the said premises, and Robert J. Wright, or the firm of Kane & Wright, composed of Michael J. Kane and Robert J. Wright, are the lessees or owners of the existing lease thereof,

Resolved, That this Board hereby offers to pay for a good title to the said premises free from incumbrance the sum of forty-seven thousand dollars in cash, that is to say, to the said George E. Ketcham for the said premises, subject only to the said lease, the sum of forty-five thousand dollars, and to the said Robert J. Wright, or to the said Kane & Wright (whichever may be the owner of the existing lease of the said premises), for the whole interest as lessees under or owners of the existing lease of the said premises, the sum of two thousand dollars.

Resolved further, That copies of this resolution be served upon the said George E. Ketcham, Robert J. Wright and Kane & Wright, and that they be and are hereby requested, within ten days from the receipt thereof, to notify this Board in writing of their willingness to sell and convey their respective interests as aforesaid in the said premises to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York for the prices above mentioned; and in the event that they or any of them shall fail to notify this Board of their willingness to so convey their respective interests as aforesaid, it shall be deemed that no price can be agreed upon for the said premises between the owners thereof and this Department.

The report of the Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, amounting to \$2,670.43 was received, and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:







## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILSON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITT, 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 B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest 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, 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.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 9 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.  
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EDMAN, 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. 17, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARREY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN E. GOLDBERG, 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 Nos. 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. LAREMORE, 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-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.  
Parts, 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; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

## OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.15 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.

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.  
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
HENRY M. GOLDBERG, Justice.  
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second

Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays) and continues to the close of business.

AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.  
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.  
On and after Monday, October 3, 1887, the trial days of this Court will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.15 A. M.  
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.  
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.  
Eleventh District—No. 910 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
Room 9, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 4, 1888.

## ELEVENTH AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED AND POLICE PROPERTY.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, will sell at public auction at Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street, on Wednesday, May 23, 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following articles: Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, etc., Revolvers, Pistols, Firearms, etc., Men and Women's Clothing, Iron, Glass, Rope, Lead, Hand-carts, Wagons, Boats, Furniture, Harness, Blankets, Brass, and a lot of miscellaneous articles.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property 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 claims: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, trunks, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz:

- List 2419, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging the sidewalks four feet wide and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between the easterly curb-line of North Third avenue and the westerly curb-line of Brook avenue.
- List 2588, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging the sidewalks four feet wide and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from St. Ann's to College avenue.
- List 2589, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging the sidewalks four feet wide and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between the easterly curb-line of the Boston road and the westerly curb-line of Union avenue.
- List 2591, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging the sidewalks in One Hundred and Tenth street, from Boston avenue to Trinity avenue or Delmonico place.
- List 2603, No. 5. Paving with granite-blocks Ninth avenue, from Seventy-seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on:

- No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between North Third and Brook avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Brown place.
- No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from St. Ann's avenue to Mott Haven canal, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues, and extending on the west side of College avenue north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street about 500 feet, and south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street about 415 feet.
- No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
- No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Boston avenue to Trinity avenue.
- No. 5. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from a point distant 100 feet south of Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 31st day of May, 1888.

EDWARD GILSON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 30, 1888.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 5, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 3,000 tons Egg Coal,  
1,500 tons Stove Coal,  
500 tons Nut Coal.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, May 18, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton or Lackawanna, to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

All the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an inspector designated for that purpose by the Department upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance, in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered by the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, omit or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or his bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readjusted and relet as provided by law.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 5, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles: 450,000 pounds Hay, of quality of and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

80,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.  
4,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

2,000 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.  
—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday, May 18, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an inspector designated for that purpose by the Department upon scales furnished by the Department, which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance, in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance, in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 5, 1888.

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.

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 15, 1888, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS,  
Chairman.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Secretary, Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Thursday, May 10, 1888, at 4 o'clock P. M., for Plymouth Road Ash Coal, as follows:

- 300 tons Broken.
- 25 tons Stove.
- two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, to be delivered in the bins of the College, at Lexington avenue, between Second and Twenty-third streets, in quantities as required, not less than 100 tons at a time.

Proposals must be directed to the Executive Committee of the College of the City of New York.

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

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

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

CHARLES L. HOLT,  
WM. A. COLE,  
R. M. GALLAWAY,  
WILLIAM LUMMIS,  
MILES M. O'BRIEN,  
HENRY L. SPRAGUE,  
ED. J. H. TAMSEN,  
ALEX. S. WEBB,  
WILLIAM WOOD,  
Executive Committee.

Dated New York, April 26, 1888.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 4, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at the following places, to-wit: Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.

No. 1. For Repairing with Concrete and Mortar of Portland Cement, the Walk adjoining and in connection with the Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.

No. 2. For Repairing and Protecting the Foundation and Masonry of the Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.







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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth avenue to McComb's Dam lane, which was confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, April 25, 1888, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 2, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## PROPOSALS FOR \$358,000 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

## EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

## INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of Three Hundred and Fifty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$358,000), Registered Stock, denominated

## CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, and known as "School-house Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of said city, on the first day of November, in the year ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVEN, with interest at the rate of THREE PER CENTUM per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, chapter 438 of the Laws of 1882, chapter 434 of the Laws of 1885, and chapter 456 of the Laws of 1886, for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing the same for the use of the Common Schools of the City of New York, and is

## EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from State Taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 17, 1887, and as authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on June 16, 1887, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Education May 4, 1887.

## CONDITIONS.

Section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provides that, "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Common Council of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law," and provided also, "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

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

## CITY OF NEW YORK,

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 20, 1888.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Attorney street sewer, between Broome and Delancey streets.

Centies Slip widening sidewalks, setting curb-stones and flagging both sides, from Front to South street.

Avenue B sewers, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Claremont avenue regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Clifton street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks four feet wide, and laying crosswalks, from St. Ann's avenue to Union avenue.

Courtland avenue paving with trap-blocks, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

Kingsbridge road regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.

Lexington avenue sewers, between Eighty-ninth and Ninety-first streets, and between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets.

Fourth avenue fencing vacant lots on southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

Fourth avenue flagging sidewalks on east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets.

Eighth avenue outlet sewer, between One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Harlem river.

Ninth avenue sewer, east side, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

Eleventh avenue regulating and grading setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the Kingsbridge road.

Twentieth street and Avenue B receiving-basin, on the southeast corner.

Sixty-second street sewer, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Sixty-fourth street sewer, between Avenue A and East river.

Sixty-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, from the crosswalk on the west side of Tenth avenue to the crosswalk on the east side of Eleventh avenue.

Sixty-eighth street paving with trap-block pavement, from the crosswalk on the west side of Tenth avenue to the crosswalk on the east side of Eleventh avenue.

Sixty-ninth street regulating, grading, resetting curb-stones and relaying flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Forty-first street paving, from the westerly crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Ninth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-fifth street curbing and flagging, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Eighty-fifth street paving, from the westerly crosswalk of Avenue B to the easterly crosswalk of Avenue A, with granite-blocks.

Nineteenth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Ninety-fifth street paving with trap-block pavement, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Second avenue to the crosswalk on the easterly side of Third avenue.

Ninety-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, from the westerly crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Ninth avenue.

One Hundred and Second street sewer, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

One Hundred and Fifth street fencing vacant lots on south side, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

One Hundred and Fifth street and Tenth avenue receiving-basin, on the northwest corner of

One Hundred and Tenth street changing grade, from First avenue to the Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets fencing vacant lots, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street receiving-basin, on the northeast corner of Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street paving with granite-block pavement, and curbing, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street fencing vacant lots on the north side, between Eighth and Edgecomb avenues.

One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Convent to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-second street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, east, regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging sidewalks and laying crosswalks, between North Third avenue and Courtland avenue.

Ninety-fifth street paving with trap-block pavement, from the westerly crosswalk of Ninth avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Third street sewer, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 2, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 26, 1888.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Irving place sewer, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.

One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street outlet sewer, from Hudson river to and through road or public drive and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, to Tenth avenue, with branches in Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Kingsbridge road, in road or public drive and Eleventh avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street between Tenth avenue and road or public drive.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, April 23, 1888, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 2, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## CORPORATION SALE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPERTY.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING Fund of the City of New York will offer for sale at public auction on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Rooms (Limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, the lot, piece or parcel of ground, fifty feet front and rear by sixty-six feet deep, with the buildings thereon, known as Primary School No. 18, Ward No. 350, situate on the easterly side of Waverly place, between West Eleventh and East streets, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York. This property is sold pursuant to chapter 88, Laws of 1881 (section 186 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), which provides for the sale of any land or lands and the buildings thereon, owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, occupied or reserved for school purposes, and no longer required therefor, the money received in payment to be appropriated to the Board of Education for the purpose of purchasing property or erecting school buildings for new public schools.

## TERMS OF SALE.

The auctioneer's fee and ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance in cash within thirty days thereafter on delivery of warranty deed of the property from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under a resolution adopted March 28, 1888. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 1888.

## CORPORATION SALE OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Room (Limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, certain lots, pieces and parcels of unimproved real estate belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, as follows, to wit:

## TWELFTH WARD.

THE OLD CROTON AQUEDUCT, BETWEEN NINTH AND TENTH AVENUES.

1. On Ninety-ninth street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1025.

2. On One Hundred and First street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1027, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 1, 2. Lots to be sold separately.

3. On One Hundred and First street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 5, 6. Lots to be sold separately.

4. On One Hundred and Second street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1029, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 7, 8. Lots to be sold separately.

5. On One Hundred and Second street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1030, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 9, 10. Lots to be sold separately.

## MANHATTANVILLE.

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, one vacant lot, piece or parcel of land, known as Ward No. 73, Block No. 12656, in the Twelfth Ward. Sales Map No. 11.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of the sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent. of the purchase money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on said land and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time, within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid by installments of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when the interest is due, or on any day after notice. The bonds and mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording each separate mortgage. If more than one lot of land is included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be paid off before any release can be given by the Corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the Corporation is forbidden by law.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell any lot which may be struck off to the highest bidder who may fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who may fail to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be had at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, after April 30, 1888.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolutions adopted at meetings held March 28 and April 6, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 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 1850 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.  
9,600 pounds Dairy Butter: sample on exhibition, Thursday, May 17, 1888.  
5,000 pounds Dried Apples.  
4,000 pounds Chickens.  
4,500 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.  
30,000 pounds Rice.  
7,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
2,000 pounds Laundry Soap, 40-pound boxes.  
40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.  
30 dozen Chow Chow, "C. & B."  
3,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.  
58 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.  
1,600 heads prime good sized Cabbage.

## DRY GOODS.

10 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.  
250 Rubber Blankets, 16 gromets.  
200 packs Pins.  
100 gross Safety Pins, No. 3, 70 No. 3.  
200 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.  
25 gross Plantation Combs.

## CROCKERY.

3 gross Spit Cups.  
3 gross Tumblers.  
36 gross Spitoons.

## HARDWARE, TIN AND WOODENWARE.

1 dozen Handled Axes.  
8 dozen pairs Cast Butts, 2 1/2".  
1 dozen Claw Hammers.  
1 dozen Taper Saw Files, 3/4", 3/8", 1/2".  
1 dozen Scythe Blades.  
10 boxes first quality IX T. Tin, 14 x 20.  
20 boxes first quality IX T. Tin, 14 x 24.  
100 boxes Sand Paper, No. 0 to No. 3.  
10 dozen Lather Brushes.  
8 dozen Window Brushes.  
20 gross Matches.  
8 gross Safety Matches.  
10 bales Broom Corn.

## PAINTS AND OILS.

5 barrels first quality Boiled Linseed Oil.  
5 barrels first quality Raw Linseed Oil.

## LIME AND CEMENT.

25 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.  
25 barrels first quality Portland Cement.  
25 barrels first quality W. W. Lime.  
25 barrels first quality Hydrated Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.

## LEATHER, ETC.

400 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.  
1,500 pounds Offal Leather.  
1,000 pounds first quality Iron Shoe Nails, No. 13, 200 1/2", 300 1/2", 300 1/2".

## LUMBER.

10,000 feet first quality Clear Shelving, 12 to 16" x 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.  
100 bunches extra XXX clear sawed Pine Shingles, 18 inches.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 18, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his name and name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids and estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF IT SEEMED BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is a contractor to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

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

The amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above



his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

Dated New York, May 7, 1888.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,  
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR STEAM HEATING,  
ETC., A PAVILION (ALMSHOUSE) ON  
BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, May 11, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam-heating, etc., a Pavilion (Almshouse) on Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or her therein; and if no other person be so interested, shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate of the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies for which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be signed by the contractor, and if by all the persons interested, or if by one person, he must be a householder or freholder in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 7, 1888.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,  
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Dated New York, April 28, 1888.

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## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING THE  
HULL, JOINER WORK, ETC., OF THE  
STEAMER "MINNAHANONCK."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, May 11, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Rebuilding the Hull, Joiner Work, etc., of the Steamer 'MinnaHanonck,'" and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000) dollars.

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etc. at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 13, 19 and 25, and Primary School Building No. 22; also for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 13 and 25.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,  
CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, at the same place, until 9 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for new Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Plans and specifications



houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy



the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows:

**BAKERSIES.**—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

**BARNES SHOPS.**—shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bathtub therein.

**BATHING TUBS** in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

**BUILDING PURPOSES.**—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

**COWS.**—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

**DINING SALOONS.**—shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

**FISH STANDS** (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

**HORSES, PRIVATE.**—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

**HORSES, LIVERY.**—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

**HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.**—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

**HORSE TROUGHS.**—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.

**HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES** shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

**LAUNDRIES** shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

**LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS** shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-box.

**PHOTOGRAPH GALLERIES** shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

**PRINTING OFFICES**, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

**SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS** shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

**STREAM ENGINES**, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

**WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.**—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected with the sewer shall be charged at the rate of two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

**URINALS** shall be charged two dollars per annum each. Water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, pepper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any fan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe-waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

## METERS.

Under the provisions of section 252, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 252, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

## Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
75	05	10 50
100	05	12 00
125	05	13 50
150	05	15 00
175	05	16 50
200	05	18 00
225	05	19 50
250	05	21 00
275	05	22 50
300	05	24 00
325	05	25 50
350	05	27 00
375	05	28 50
400	05	30 00
425	05	31 50
450	05	33 00
475	05	34 50
500	05	36 00
525	05	37 50
550	05	39 00
575	05	40 50
600	05	42 00
625	05	43 50
650	05	45 00
675	05	46 50
700	05	48 00
725	05	49 50
750	05	51 00
775	05	52 50
800	05	54 00
825	05	55 50
850	05	57 00
875	05	58 50
900	05	60 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water day or night, is one-half cent, per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not heretofore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

**HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.**

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street tap, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, wagons, railway cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley attached to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoeps, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order,  
JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

## PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 500 and 521 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year's bill, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each case where a violation of the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the premises buildings or property, and if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges or water.

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

**PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS** Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaux in the Department, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

## NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

**NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN** made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all holders, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 200, STEWART BUILDING, No. 286 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, May 4, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DEEPENING AND** finishing Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, and constructing a Head House connected therewith, and doing all other work necessary to complete said shaft as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 22d day of May, 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 said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications therefor, 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 200, STEWART BUILDING, No. 286 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, April 20, 1888.

## 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 Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of MAY, 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 material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications therefor, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and forms 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 200, STEWART BUILDING, No. 286 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1887.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1887.

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when filed or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid in the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or estimates if deemed for the best interests of the City. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a squatter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## GAS COMMISSION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE PERIOD OF ONE YEAR, COMMENCING MAY 1, 1888, AND ENDING APRIL 30, 1889, FOR LIGHTING SUCH STREETS OR PARTS OF STREETS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AS MAY BE DETERMINED UPON BY THE MAYOR, COMPTROLLER AND COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS AFTER THE ESTIMATES ARE OPENED.**

**ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WILL BE RECEIVED** at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1888, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by said Commissioner and read.

Any person making an estimate for the above shall send the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing, Operating and Maintaining Electric Lamps"; and also with the name of the person making the same, and the date of its presentation.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that it is

made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same supplies and work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the district or several streets, avenues, piers, parks and public places, or parts of streets, avenues, piers, parks and public places in which they propose to perform the requirements herein contained, giving in detail the number of lamps which it is proposed to furnish for lighting each street, etc., and in case the district or any portion of the district which is contemplated in the bid is not lighted by the bidder with electric arc lamps at the time of the making of the bid, then a map or sketch showing clearly the proposed location of lamps, poles and connecting wires in such district must be submitted with the bid.

Bidders must state the kind or system of light they propose to furnish.

Bidders are required to state the price per night for each lamp at which they propose to furnish, operate and maintain a light in accordance with the requirements of the specifications and for the period mentioned in the agreement.

The bidders are required to write out the amount of their bids in their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are required to state the number and locations of the central stations at which the electric current is to be generated, and what provision, if any, will be made against the accidental extinction of the lights on account of damage to the central station or stations.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and an estimate can be deposited in the said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made, and the sum thereof so forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The award of any contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Should the person or persons to whom any contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice of the award has been awarded to his bid or estimate, or if he accept, but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, it may be readjusted and relet as provided by law and ordinance.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is also reserved, when an estimate is made containing bids for lamps in one or more streets, avenues, piers, parks or places, to accept from the estimate or bid so much of the same as may be the lowest per lamp in any one or more of such streets, avenues, piers, parks or places, and to reject the remainder of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lamps in any particular street, avenue, pier, park or place, will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder per lamp in such particular street, avenue, pier, park or place.

The right is also reserved to alter the number of lamps which may be erected and their location and disposition, in order to best illuminate the streets, parks or other public places for the lighting of which bids may be received. The right is also reserved to decline all estimates if deemed for the best interests of the City. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a squatter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any streets or parts of streets, parks or public places not lighted by electric arc lamps, or not so lighted by the bidder at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing, operating and maintaining lamps in such streets, or parts of streets, parks or public places shall be awarded to such bidder, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract, and such further time as may be deemed reasonable by the Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioner of Public Works, shall be allowed to such bidder in which to erect poles and lamps and establish or ducting wires, all of which shall be done by the party of the second part without expense to the City.

But no payment to such bidder, on account of any such claim, will be made for the time so allowed, nor until the same shall have been established in complete working order, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

The attention of bidders is called to the provisions of Specification 3 and paragraph P in the annexed form of agreement.

Blank forms of estimates can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW YORK, April 25, 1888.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
Mayor.

THEO. W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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