

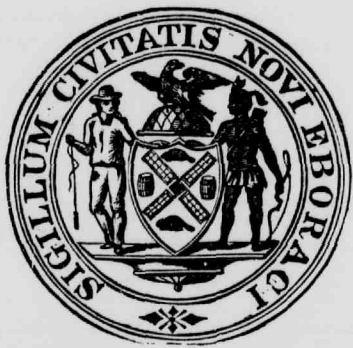
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1879.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith the Report of the Board of Health of the Health Department of the City of New York, for the quarter ending March 31, 1879.

Very respectfully, etc.,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

THE SANITARY BUREAU.

The following is a summary of the operations of the Sanitary Bureau, which is charged with the duty of inspecting and reporting in proper form, all nuisances or causes of danger to the public health, with the execution of the orders of the Board, and with the care of contagious diseases.

The number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 22,114, as follows:

Public buildings.....	42	Bladder drying establishments.....	2
Tenement houses.....	10,767	Lodging houses.....	76
Private dwellings.....	2,014	Lime kilns.....	14
Other dwellings.....	697	Manure dumps.....	225
Manufactories and workshops.....	125	Garbage dumps.....	15
Stores and warehouses.....	172	Ash dumps.....	6
Stables.....	584	Oil works.....	2
Slaughter-houses.....	476	Stream.....	1
Pork packing establishments.....	2	Soap factories.....	6
Smoke-houses.....	4	Swamp.....	1
Piers and docks.....	7	Dumping grounds.....	5
Slips.....	1	Coal Yard.....	1
Mill.....	1	Privies and water-closets.....	1,636
Uninhabitable dwellings.....	4	Streets, gutters, and sidewalks.....	501
Public sewers.....	10	Dangerous and smoky chimneys.....	19
Fat rendering establishments.....	77	Piggeries.....	6
Lard rendering establishments.....	4	Cisterns and cesspools.....	23
Fertilizing works.....	8	Dangerous stairways.....	60
Glycerine works.....	2	Sunken and vacant lots.....	238
Stock yards.....	8	Yards, courts, and areas.....	617
Gut cleaning establishments.....	3	Cellars and basements.....	881
Dyeing establishment.....	1	Waste-pipes and drains.....	1,588
Roadway.....	1	Other nuisances.....	174
Markets.....	2	Visits to contagious diseases.....	1,002
Breweries.....	2		

The number of complaints received from citizens during the three months ending March 31, 1879, was 1,243, all of which were referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

The Sanitary Superintendent during the same period granted, under instructions and authority of the Board, 516 permits to discharge cargoes upon proper vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port; 580 permits to scavengers to empty privies, their work being inspected by officers of this Board detailed for the purpose; 39 permits to land rags (in bulk) under bonds; 26 permits to transport manure; and 57 miscellaneous permits under the Sanitary Code.

The number of cases of contagious diseases reported during the three months ending March 31, 1879, was:

Typhus fever.....	0
Typhoid fever.....	77
Cerebro-spinal meningitis.....	22
Scarlet fever.....	2,608
Measles.....	92
Diphtheria.....	655

Total..... 3,454

The amount of meat, fish, offal, etc., received at the offal dock for the quarter ending March 31, 1879, was: horses, 1,206; cows, 76; cats and dogs, 4,223; sheep, 17; calves, 208; goats, 57; offal, 4,295 barrels; hogs, 5; 480 barrels of eggs; 2,800 pounds of fish; and 10,940 pounds of meat.

The following statement gives the amount of work performed by the Vaccinating Corps for the purpose of preventing the spread of small-pox during the quarter ending March 31, 1879:

Number of primary vaccinations.....	1,027
Number of vaccinations.....	14,973
Total.....	16,000

The ages of those upon whom primary vaccinations were performed are as follows:

Under one year old.....	413
Between one and two years old.....	307
“ two and three years old.....	141
“ three and four years old.....	68
Over four years old.....	98
Total.....	1,027

The amount received for the sale of virus, and deposited with the City Chamberlain, was.. \$125 40

The number of quill-points gratuitously furnished to charitable institutions was..... 482

The number of vaccinations performed in the public schools and institutions was as follows:

Grammar Schools Nos. 16, 19, 32, 53, 41, 59, 70.....	6,218
Primary Schools Nos. 7, 13, 18, 24.....	1,152
Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island.....	106
Industrial Schools.....	1,845
Children's Aid Schools.....	630
Roman Catholic Industrial Schools.....	612
“ Parochial Schools.....	2,426
“ Foundling Asylum.....	36
“ House of Mercy.....	29
Work-house and Penitentiary at Blackwell's Island.....	1,371
Station-house lodgers.....	454

Total..... 14,879

Number of complaints of nuisances.....	5
“ contagious diseases investigated.....	57
“ visits to sick children.....	133
“ sick children brought to the office for treatment.....	44
“ prescriptions given.....	131
“ “ filled at the office.....	309
“ persons sent to hospital.....	14
“ death causes investigated.....	2

The Disinfecting Corps was engaged in the disinfection of houses infected with contagious diseases as follows:

1879.	NATURE OF INFECTION.					DISPOSITION OF CASES.			
	Scarlatina.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Typhoid Fever.	General Infectious and other Diseases.	Removed to Hospital Morgue.	Final Disinfection.	Partial Disinfection.	Nothing Needed.
January 1 to January 4.....	52	..	11	4	..	..	..	62	5
“ 11.....	162	..	19	1	2	1	7	141	36
“ 18.....	133	..	18	5	..	..	13	107	36
“ 25.....	162	..	14	..	2	1	21	126	31
February 1.....	150	1	25	1	..	1	24	127	26
“ 8.....	114	..	34	4	4	..	10	127	19
“ 15.....	128	..	28	2	2	..	14	114	32
“ 22.....	103	..	20	3	4	2	14	100	16
March 1.....	138	..	16	1	2	..	10	131	16
“ 8.....	96	..	19	3	4	1	8	103	11
“ 15.....	103	..	12	1	1	2	10	101	6
“ 22.....	103	..	8	1	2	1	12	84	18
“ 29.....	140	..	8	2	..	1	5	132	13
On March 31.....	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	1
Total.....	1,603	1	232	28	23	10	148	1,473	266

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.

Report of Fever Hospital for Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

	Health Department.	Bellevue Hospital.	Charity Hospital.	St. Vincent's Home.	Sisters of St. Dominick.	WHITE.		COLORED.		Native.	Foreign.	Total.
						Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			
<i>Admissions.</i>												
Scarlatina	9	4	1	1	..	8	5	..	2	9	6	15
Intermittent Fever.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Bronchitis.....	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	2	2
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Diphtheria.....	1	1	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	2	1	3
Varicella.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Tonsilitis.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Erysipelas.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Pharyngitis.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Measles.....	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Pneumonia.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total.....	14	6	1	7	..	19	7	..	2	19	9	28
<i>Deaths.</i>												
Croupous Pneumonia.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Croup.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Measles.....	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total.....	2	1	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	2	2	4

	Health Department.	Bellevue Hospital.	Charity Hospital.	St. Vincent's Home.	Sisters of St. Dominick.	WHITE.		COLORED.		Native.	Foreign.	Total.
						Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			
<i>Discharges.</i>												
Scarlatina.....	10	4	1	2	6	9	12	..	2	16	7	23
Intermittent Fever.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Bronchitis.....	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Diphtheria.....	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	2
Varicella.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Tonsillitis.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Erysipelas.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Pharyngitis.....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Pneumonia....	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total.....	13	5	1	9	6	19	13	..	2	25	9	34

Nurses and children accompanying patients, 4.

Report of Small-Pox Hospital for Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

	Quarantine.	WHITE.		COLORED.		Native.	Foreign.	Total.
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			
<i>Admissions.</i>								
January.....	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
February.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
March.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
<i>Discharges.</i>								
January.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February.....	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
March.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

The number of deaths in the City of New York during the quarter ending March 31, 1879, was..... 7,576
During the corresponding period in 1878..... 6,664
" " " 1877..... 6,002
" " " 1876..... 7,633
" " " 1875..... 7,842

The deaths for the above period are classified as follows :

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.
Zymotic Diseases.....	2,163	2,165	1,205	1,456	1,816
Constitutional Diseases.....	1,662	1,618	1,469	1,630	1,692
Local Diseases.....	3,260	3,176	2,734	2,927	3,334
Developmental Diseases.....	500	454	411	457	530
Deaths by Violence.....	257	220	183	194	204

The number of deaths from contagious diseases during the quarter ending March 31, 1879, was one thousand one hundred and seventy-eight, as follows :

DEATHS FROM CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	AVERAGE FOR PAST FOUR YEARS.	1879.
Small-pox.....	372	194	5	1	143.0	..
Measles.....	18	172	9	128	81.7	5
Scarlatina.....	186	245	293	317	260.3	730
Diphtheria.....	608	725	226	331	472.5	224
Whooping Cough.....	132	139	92	63	106.5	219
Total.....	1,316	1,475	625	840	1,064.0	1,178

The following abstract presents a comparison of the chief pulmonary diseases during the first quarter of the year in the past four years, also of the total number of deaths in the first year, and in the first five years of life, and of the total mortality in public institutions :

CAUSES OF DEATH.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	AVERAGE FOR PAST FOUR YEARS.	1879.
Bronchitis.....	396	437	371	391	398.7	434
Pneumonia.....	1,071	946	753	833	900.8	922
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	1,188	1,123	1,054	1,163	1,132.0	1,214
Deaths of Children under one year of age.....	1,680	1,680	1,325	1,426	1,527.7	1,525
Deaths of Children under five years of age.....	3,258	3,555	2,406	2,882	3,000.2	3,097
Deaths in Institutions.....	1,395	1,240	1,068	1,016	1,179.7	1,179

During the three months ending March 31, 1879, seven thousand five hundred and seventy-one (7,571) permits were granted for burials. During the same period two hundred and sixty-five (265) applications for transit permits were received and permits granted; five hundred and thirty-seven (537) permits were granted for the burial of still-born children; seven hundred and forty-five (745) Coroners' certificates were received and recorded; four hundred and ninety-five (495) searches of the records of births, marriages and deaths were made; and three hundred and sixty-four (364) transcripts of the records of deaths, sixty-nine (69) of marriages, and forty-eight (48) of births from said records were issued. There were three thousand five hundred and eighty-four (3,584) persons registered as married during the quarter, and six thousand four hundred and fifty-six (6,456) children were born during the same period.

The statistics of marriage during the last quarter of the year 1878, and the first quarter of the present year, compare as follows :

Total Marriages for the Quarter ending December 31, 1878.

COLOR.				NATIVITY.								TOTAL.
WHITE.		BLACK.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		
Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
2,153	2,154	51	50	1,164	958	1,004	1,206	1	..	35	40		2,204

Total Marriages for the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

1,736	1,743	56	49	974	795	782	959	1	..	35	38	1,792
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The statistics of births during the last quarter of the year 1878, and the first quarter of the present year, compare as follows :

Total Births for the Quarter ending December 31, 1878.

COLOR.			SEX.		NATIVITY OF PARENTS.			FOREIGN.		NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY.		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY.		BORN AT SEA.		TOTAL.
White.	Colored.	Not Stated.	Male.	Female.	Foreign.	Native.	Not Stated.	Father.	Mother.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Male.	Female.	
6,668	90	..	3,487	3,271	..	3,814	1,574	7	952	337	8	..	30	36	..	
..	

Total Births for the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

6,367	89	..	3,312	3,144	..	3,628	1,476	7	912	368	4	..	24	37	..	6,456
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Comparative Table of Mortality from the Principal Causes of Death in the First Quarter of the Year 1879, with the Corresponding Quarter of the Preceding Five Years.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	1879.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	Total for Five Years Preceding 1879.	Average for Five Years Preceding 1879.
Total Deaths from all Causes.....	7,576	6,552	7,842	7,633	6,002	6,664	34,693	6,938.6
Total Zymotic Diseases.....	1,816	1,602	2,163	2,165	1,205	1,456	8,591	1,718.2
Total Constitutional Diseases.....	1,692	1,504	1,662	1,618	1,469	1,630	7,883	1,576.6
Total Local Diseases.....	3,334	2,761	3,260	3,176	2,734	2,927	14,858	2,971.6
Total Developmental Diseases.....	530	442	500	454	411	457	2,264	452.8
Deaths by Violence.....	204	243	257	220	183	194	1,097	219.4
Small-pox.....	..	22	372	194	5	1	594	118.8
Measles.....	5	94	18	172	9	128	421	84.2
Scarlatina.....	730	330	186	245	293	317	1,371	274.2
Diphtheria.....	224	348	608	725	226	331	2,238	447.6
Membranous Croup.....	140	138	254	194	136	195	967	193.4
Whooping Cough.....	219	107	132	139	92	63	533	106.6
Typhus Fever.....	1	6	5	3	7	..	21	4.2
Typhoid Fever.....	35	64	61	56	41	33	255	51.0
Puerperal Diseases.....	121	116	135	97	103	89	540	108.0
Diarrhoeal Diseases of Children under five years of age.....	71	83	104	81	88	87	443	88.6
Diarrhoeal Diseases of all ages.....	127	117	159	118	118	122	634	126.8
Alcoholism.....	46	37	57	31	26	29	180	36.0
Cancer.....	134	111	111	105	121	142	590	118.0
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	1,214	1,009	1,188	1,123	1,054	1,163	5,537	1,107.4
Bronchitis.....	434	349	396	437	371	391	1,944	388.8
Pneumonia.....	922	763	1,071	946	753	833	4,366	873.2
Heart Diseases.....	373	216	260	246	244	294	1,260	252.0
Marasmus—Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....	91	106	111	110	88	105	520	104.0
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....	183	187	169	201	138	172	867	173.4
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	177	166	166	185	162	155	834	166.8
Convulsions.....	196	171	152	206	142	153	824	164.8
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Apoplexy.....	122	115	104	106	100	127	552	110.4
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....	666	642	624	649	567	601	3,083	616.6
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	376	256	296	327	270	282	1,431	286.2
Deaths by Suicide.....	29	29	31	32	23	33	148	29.6
Deaths by Drowning.....	10	16	11	20	10	21	78	15.6
Deaths in Institutions.....	1,179	1,081	1,395	1,240	1,068	1,016	5,800	1,160.0
Deaths of Persons seventy years old and over.....	609	420	516	508	455	458	2,357	471.4
Deaths of Children under one year of age.....	1,525	1,487	1,680	1,680	1,325	1,426	7,598	1,519.6
Deaths of Children under two years of age.....	2,183	2,073	2,421	2,533	1,803	2,109	10,939	2,187.8
Deaths of Children under five years of age.....	3,097	2,854	3,258	3,555	2,406	2,882	14,955	2,991.0

Abstract of Births for the Three Months ending March 31, 1879.

DATE—1879.	TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.		NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.		AGE OF PARENTS.																		
		White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	Nativity of Father stated only.		Nativity of Mother stated only.		Not stated.	Stated.	Not Stated.	MOTHER.								Multiple Births.	FATHER.										
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.				12 to 15 years.	15 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	40 to 45 years.	45 to 50 years.		Over 50 years.	Not stated.	15 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	40 to 45 years.	45 to 50 years.	Over 50 years.	Not stated.
January	2,140	2,113	27	1,112	1,028	1,211	497	303	107	..	..	11	7	4	1,747	393	..	118	484	583	435	232	89	23	..	176	34	..	129	441	516	475	277	92	36	174
February.....	1,777	1,745	32	926	851	1,019	380	254	108	..	1	11	4	..	1,422	355	..	96	313	439	425	266	77	18	..	143	39	2	135	334	430	379	247	78	32	140
March.....	2,539	2,509	30	1,274	1,265	1,398	599	355	153	..	3	15	13	3	2,093	446	..	174	496	611	509	420	125	19	..	185	45	5	240	500	537	467	325	219	53	193
Totals....	6,456	6,367	89	3,312	3,144	3,628	1,476	912	368	..	4	37	24	7	5,262	1,194	..	388	1,293	1,633	1,369	918	291	60	..	504	118	7	504	1,275	1,483	1,321	849	389	121	507

Number of Children Borne by each Mother.

	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	Not Stated.
Native.....	680	479	368	304	175	115	64	43	29	11	4	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	145
Foreign.....	692	560	567	520	446	322	252	163	101	62	40	18	13	11	5	1	1	..	..	..	344
Not Reported.....	1	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
At Sea.....	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals.....	1,373	1,040	937	826	622	437	317	206	130	73	45	24	13	13	5	1	1	..	..	..	493

Total number of Births reported during the quarter ending March 31, 1879..... 6,456

Total number of Births reported during the quarter ending March 31, 1878..... 6,680

Nativity of Parents of Children Born in New York City and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

NATIVITY OF MOTHER.	NATIVITY OF FATHER.																										
	TOTAL.	Austria.	Bohemia.	Belgium.	British America.	Denmark.	England.	France.	Germany.	Holland.	Ireland.	Italy.	Norway.	Poland.	Russia.	Scotland.	Sweden.	Switzerland.	Spain.	United States.	Unknown.	Wales.	West Indies.	Australia.	China.	At Sea.	South America.
Austria	53	40	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bohemia.....	134	5	107	..	4	..	..	..	7	..	...	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Belgium	4	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British America	41	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	3	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	24	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Denmark.....	12	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
England	179	1	1	..	2	1	70	..	19	1	36	..	..	2	1	5	..	..	..	37	1	1	1	..	..	..	..
France.....	54	..	..	..	..	..	2	27	10	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Germany	1,916	9	1	..	..	..	11	6	1,753	2	12	2	1	7	3	1	2	4	..	95	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Holland	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ireland.....	1,304	..	..	..	8	..	38	8	37	1	1,027	1	1	..	..	10	3	1	..	156	8	2	2	1	..	..	..
Italy.....	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	...	..	...	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poland.....	106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	...	..	..	103	1	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Russia	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	1	1	16	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scotland	63	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	10	..	..	..	..	24	2	..	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sweden.....	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Switzerland	19	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	7	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Spain	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States.....	2,425	10	2	2	17	10	66	16	463	4	259	8	3	11	2	16	3	9	1	1,476	37	2	6	..	1	1	..
Unknown.....	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wales.....	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..
West Indies	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	10	..	..	..	1
At Sea.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South America	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
China.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Africa.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	6,456	65	111	6	34	18	192	59	2,315	17	1,360	63	13	129	24	56	23	25	1	1,844	68	7	21	1	2	1	1

Abstract of Marriages Solemnized in the City of New York, and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, for the First Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

MONTHS.	TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.									
		WHITE.		BLACK.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
January.....	673	654	658	19	15	368	302	288	354	..	..	17	17	514	534	88	73	8	..	..	1	63	65
February.....	589	569	571	20	18	320	269	259	310	1	..	9	10	456	457	91	77	6	4	1	..	35	51
March.....	530	513	514	17	16	286	224	235	295	..	..	9	11	420	425	79	66	3	5	..	..	28	34
Totals.....	1,792	1,736	1,743	56	49	974	795	782	959	1	..	35	38	1,390	1,416	258	216	17	9	1	1	126	150

NOTE.—One Groom, 71 years, third marriage; bride, 51 years, fourth marriage. Two white brides married colored grooms.

Ages of Persons Married.

MONTHS.	AGES.																											
	UNDER 20.		20 TO 25.		25 TO 30.		30 TO 35.		35 TO 40.		40 TO 45.		45 TO 50.		50 TO 55.		55 TO 60.		60 TO 65.		65 TO 70.		70 TO 80.		80 TO 90.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
January	9	159	226	289	200	111	100	39	55	34	25	6	32	7	9	9	4	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	9	18
February	9	147	186	232	188	113	88	44	51	27	31	14	18	7	7	1	5	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
March.....	14	125	171	228	150	88	92	38	44	26	25	8	16	5	6	2	4	3	4	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	5
Total.....	32	431	583	749	538	312	280	121	150	87	81	28	66	19	22	12	13	3	10	2	3	..	4	..	1	..	10	27

Nativity of Persons Married in New York City, and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the First Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

NATIVITY OF BRIDE.	TOTAL.	NATIVITY OF GROOM.																												
		Austria.	Bohemia.	Belgium.	British America.	Denmark.	England.	France.	Germany.	Holland.	Ireland.	Italy.	Norway.	Poland.	Russia.	Scotland.	Sweden.	Switzerland.	Spain.	United States.	Unknown.	Wales.	West Indies.	Mexico.	China.	Hungary.	At Sea.	India.	Europe.	Greece.
Austria.....	17	13	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bohemia.....	29	4	18	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Belgium.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British America.....	9	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Denmark.....	5	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
England.....	69	1	..	..	1	..	20	1	7	2	8	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
France.....	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Germany.....	356	10	1	..	1	3	3	4	271	2	3	..	..	2	6	1	..	11	..	36	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Holland.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ireland.....	194	..	..	..	2	..	10	4	15	..	117	1	..	..	..	3	1	2	..	38	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Italy.....	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poland.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Russia.....	18	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scotland.....	8	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sweden.....	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Switzerland.....	9	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Spain.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States.....	959	9	5	2	8	..	29	6	159	..	41	4	2	1	7	6	1	..	1	662	1	1	7	..	1	3	1	1	1	..
Unknown.....	38	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wales.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
West Indies.....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hungary.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Mexico.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Australia.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Alsace.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Europe.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
India.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals.....	1,792	37	25	3	15	6	75	26	464	5	172	42	5	10	29	10	6	19	2	782	35	2	10	1	2	4	1	1	2	1

Still-Births in New York City, reported during the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

NATIVITY OF MOTHER.	TOTALS.	NATIVITY OF FATHER.														
		Austria.	Bohemia.	British America.	England.	France.	Germany.	Ireland.	Italy.	Poland.	Russia.	Scotland.	Switzerland.	United States.	Unknown, or not stated.	West Indies.
Austria.....	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Bohemia.....	7	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Belgium.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British America.....	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
England.....	16	..	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..
France.....	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Germany.....	127	..	..	..	1	..	121	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..
Ireland.....	138	..	..	..	2	..	7	115	..	..	..	..	..	12	2	..
Italy.....	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poland.....	10	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Russia.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Scotland.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..
Switzerland.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States.....	188	..	..	..	4	1	22	9	1	1	..	1	3	142	3	1
Unknown, or not stated.....	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..
West Indies.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals.....	537	3	5	1	15	5	153	125	10	12	1	4	3	166	31	3

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.			NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	Not stated.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
							Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	First.	Second.	Thrd.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Not stated.
537	297	240	..	517	20	..	166	340	31	188	324	25	..	2	6	12	40	51	63	73	182	7	1

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DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Hour not stated.	TOTALS.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		
Small-pox
Measles.....	1	1	1	..	1
Scarlatina.....	23	32	29	25	34	25	34	26	41	36	34	32	25	28	28	30	28	22	26	29	28	33	32	19	26	72
Diphtheria.....	12	9	11	6	13	9	11	10	7	9	11	12	9	6	6	12	9	12	7	6	8	12	14	4	2	22
Membranous Croup.....	6	9	7	6	5	5	4	4	4	8	7	4	4	2	6	7	6	6	8	6	9	9	3	3	3	14
Whooping Cough.....	7	10	6	10	15	5	13	9	6	4	3	7	8	9	10	11	11	13	8	6	11	7	15	6	10	22
Typhus Fever.....	1
Typhoid Fever.....	..	4	1	..	4	1	4	1	1	1	1	..	1	2	1	..	3	2	..	2	1	2	3	1	1	3
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	1	5	1	2	2	3	4	3	1	1	2
Malarial Fevers.....	1	2	11	3	3	2	2	2	5	5	2	3	2	1	6	4	4	3	1	4	2	5	3	1	1	7

ACCIDENT AND NEGLIGENCE.	No. of Cases.	ACCIDENT AND NEGLIGENCE.	No. of Cases.	ACCIDENT AND NEGLIGENCE.	No. of Cases.	ACCIDENT AND NEGLIGENCE.	No. of Cases.
Fractures and contusions (not defined).....	2	Struck by a block of wood.....	1	Burns—		Suicide—	
Crushed—		“ and dragged by train of N. Y. E. R. R.....	1	By explosion of gas.....	1	By chloroform.....	1
Boys falling on him.....	1	Poison by chloroform (three years' use).....	1	By upsetting kerosene oil-lamp.....	1	By morphine.....	2
By elevators.....	3	Falls—		Scalds—		By opium.....	1
By locomotive of N. Y. C. R. R.....	1	In streets.....	8	By hot water.....	10	By laudanum.....	1
Between two pieces of iron.....	1	In rooms.....	3	“ coffee.....	1	By prussic acid.....	1
By fall of building at fire, 75 Vesey street.....	1	In yard.....	1	Suffocation—		Diseases certified by coroners.....	526
“ wall at fire, Broadway and Grand st.....	1	From roofs.....	2	By coal gas.....	1		
“ keg of water.....	1	“ windows.....	4	By lodgment of meat in larynx.....	1	RECAPITULATION.	
“ barrel of coal.....	1	“ stairs.....	11	By being overlaid in bed.....	4	Fractures and contusions.....	29
Caught between cars while coupling.....	1	“ hatchways.....	4	By inhalation of steam from coffee-pot.....	1	Wounds.....	4
“ by bell-rope of locomotive and dragged.....	1	“ elevator.....	1	Freezing to death.....	1	Killed by vehicles in the streets.....	8
Falling in of embankments.....	2	“ fire-escape.....	1	Poison—		Falls.....	51
Fall—		“ shed.....	1	By lead.....	2	Burns.....	23
Of iron mould.....	1	“ ladder.....	1	By morphine.....	2	Scalds.....	11
Of a brick.....	1	“ derrick.....	1	By laudanum.....	1	Poison (accidental).....	7
“ spar on steamer.....	1	“ bed.....	1	By opium (smoker).....	1	Suffocation (asphyxia).....	7
“ stone.....	1	“ boxes on vessel.....	1	Drowning.....	10	Drowning.....	10
“ bag of corn.....	1	“ N. Y. E. R. R.....	2	Homicide—		Surgical operations (primary).....	12
“ log.....	1	“ mast of vessel.....	2	By blows.....	5	Homicide.....	13
“ bale of goods.....	1	“ sled.....	1	By cut, stab.....	2	Suicide.....	29
Knocked down by shaft of a wagon.....	1	Over ship side.....	1	By gunshot.....	3	Total.....	204
“ a team.....	1	baluster.....	2	By abortion.....	1	Variety of Railroad Cars and Vehicles.	
Kick of horse.....	1	Down dumb-waiter shaft.....	1	Thrown down.....	1	Wagons.....	2
On a stone.....	1	On a stone.....	1	“ stairs.....	1	Cart.....	1
Burns—		Burns—		Suicide—		Truck.....	1
Clothes fired while lighting candles on Christ- mas tree.....	1	Clothes fired while lighting candles on Christ- mas tree.....	1	By hanging.....	2	Eighth Avenue Railroad car.....	1
Clothes fired while lighting rags.....	1	Clothes fired while lighting rags.....	1	By cut, stab.....	3	N. Y. Central Railroad.....	1
“ by matches.....	1	“ by matches.....	1	By gunshot.....	13	Hudson River Railroad.....	1
“ paper.....	1	“ paper.....	1	By carb. acid.....	1	Long Island Railroad.....	1
“ stove.....	14	“ stove.....	14	By Paris green.....	4		
“ range.....	1	“ range.....	1				
By street R. R. cars.....	1	“ spool-cotton.....	1				
By steam R. R. cars.....	3	“ fire-place.....	1				
By other vehicles.....	4						

PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CAUSES.	No. of Cases.	PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CAUSES.	No. of Cases.	PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CAUSES.	No. of Cases.
Amputation of thigh, diffused popliteal aneurism.....	1	Operation, thoracocentesis for empyema, cyanosis, 3 days.....	1	Tracheotomy, croup.....	1
Amputation of feet from ankle, club feet, exhaustion, 5 days.....	1	Operation, cancer of breast, December, 1877, and May, 1878.....	1	Tracheotomy, 10 days, military tuberculosis, phthisis, laryngitis.....	1
Amputation of thigh, diffused popliteal aneurism, uremia.....	1	Operation, cancer of breast, 11 months, 3 months.....	1	Tracheotomy, diphtheria, 9 days.....	1
Extirpation of breast, cancer of axilla and thorax, 3 days.....	1	Operation for irreducible femoral hernia of right side.....	1	Tapped 4 times for ovarian dropsy, 2 months.....	1
Circumcision, hemorrhage.....	2	Operation for cancer of neck, second growth, 28 months.....	1	Resection of right knee, fracture of patella, accidental fall.....	1
Circumcision, erysipelas, 12 days.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian cyst, 1 month.....	1	Removal of fibroid tumor of uterus.....	1
Craniotomy, childbirth, rupture of cervix uteri, 2 days.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian cyst, 4 months.....	1	Removal of cancer of rectum, 35 days, diarrhoea.....	1
Herniotomy, femoral strangulated hernia.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian cyst, 6 months.....	1	Removal of cancer of rectum, 8 months.....	1
Amputation of thigh, caries and necrosis of knee joint.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian tumor, septicæmia.....	1	Total.....	37
Ligation of spermatic vein for varicocele, 5 days.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian tumor, 1 year.....	1		
Operation, strangulated inguinal hernia, phthisis, peritonitis, 7 days.....	1	Ovariectomy, ovarian tumor, paralysis of heart, 1 day.....	1	Primary cases.....	12
Operation, strangulated inguinal hernia, 3 days.....	1	Tracheotomy, croup, 4 days.....	1	Secondary cases.....	25
Operation for internal and external hæmorrhoids, tetanus.....	1	Tracheotomy, scarlatina, pneumonia.....	1		
Operation (?), erysipelas.....	1	Tracheotomy, croup, pneumonia, 7 hours.....	1		

Deaths by Suicide for the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

DATE.	AGE—YEARS.	CONDITION.	OCCUPATION.	NATIVITY.	TIME OF RESIDENCE IN CITY.	MEANS USED.
Jan. 8, 1879	65	Married	Patentee	New York	Life	Pistol shot of head.
" 9, "	33	Single	Not stated	France	"	"
" 10, "	26	Married	Cigar maker	Germany	17 years	"
" 13, "	22	Single	Merchant	New York	Life	"
" 14, "	48	Married	Cooper	Ireland	7 days	Sulphate of morphine.
" 23, "	45	"	Peddler	Germany	9 years	Hanging.
" 23, "	35	Single	Reporter	"	26 "	Morphine.
" 31, "	33	"	Barber	United States	Life	Paris green.
Feb. 5, "	55	Married	Carpenter	Germany	20 years	Pistol shot of stomach.
" 6, "	30	Single	Cigar maker	New York	Life	Paris green (sunstroke 5 years ago).
" 7, "	22	"	Drug clerk	Germany	4 years	Prussic acid.
" 7, "	43	Married	Carpenter	"	8 "	Pistol shot of head.
" 14, "	54	"	Not stated	"	"	Cutting his throat with a razor.
" 18, "	40	Widower	Clerk	Ireland	12 years	" "
" 19, "	27	Single	Drug clerk	Spain	10 "	Inhaling chloroform, neuralgia.
" 20, "	22	"	Driver	United States	Life	Pistol shot of brain.
" 21, "	31	"	Not stated	Ireland	15 years	Carbolic acid.
" 25, "	37	Married	Confectioner	Germany	28 "	Pistol shot of brain.
" 26, "	28	Single	Laborer	England	20 "	Cutting his throat with a razor.
" 27, "	38	"	Bartender	Germany	4 "	Pistol shot of chest.
Mar. 9, "	40	Unknown man	"	Ireland	"	Laudanum.
" 10, "	32	Married	Piano maker	Germany	18 years	Cutting his throat.
" 11, "	37	Single	Broker	New York	Life	Pistol shot of mouth.
" 11, "	70	Married	Not stated	Germany	25 years	Paris green.
" 12, "	30	"	Housekeeper	New York	Life	"
" 13, "	27	Single	Medical student	"	"	Opium.
" 13, "	36	Married	Newsdealer	Germany	16 years	Pistol shot of head.
" 19, "	39	"	Baker	"	8 "	Hanging.
" 26, "	39	Widower	Not stated	"	18 "	Pistol shot of temple.

Deaths of Persons 90 Years of Age and Over, during the Quarter ending March 31, 1879.

DATE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AGE.			TIME OF RESIDENCE IN CITY.	NATIVITY.	CONDITION.	OCCUPATION.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
		Years.	Months.	Days.					
Jan. 1, 1879	Sarah Kelly	98	..	..	25 years	Ireland	Widow		Old age.
" 2, "	John Downey	90	..	..	31 "	"	Widower	Farmer	"
" 6, "	Catherine Ahern	92	..	..	26 "	"	Widow		Pneumonia.
" 7, "	Harriet Leader	91	9	10	87 "	Nova Scotia	Single		Old age.
" 9, "	Eliza Reilly	103	..	..	95 "	Ireland	Widow		"
" 9, "	Marie Morrison	90	..	..	26 "	"	"		"
" 13, "	Frances Westervelt	97	..	..	60 days	New Jersey	"		Fall down stairs.
" 13, "	Eliza Ryan	106	..	..	86 years	Ireland	Single		Old age.
" 14, "	Polycorpo W. Taylor	92	8	26	50 "	New York	Married		Bronchitis, age.
" 16, "	Eliza Ackerson	90	..	..	40 "	New Jersey	Widow		" "
" 16, "	Henry Springmeyer	93	1	23	30 "	Germany	Widower	Cabinet maker	" "
" 25, "	Andrew Peasley	91	..	..	65 "	Ireland	Married		Cystitis, nephritis.
" 26, "	Catherine Healy	103	..	..	20 "	"	Widow		Old age.
" 26, "	Jacob Weber	96	..	..	20 "	Germany	Single	Soldier	Bronchitis, age.
" 27, "	Suseman Oppenheimer	94	..	..	15 "	"	Widower		"
" 28, "	Annie Scully	102	..	..	33 "	Ireland	Widow		Old age.
" 28, "	Mary Sheridan	97	..	..	29 "	"	"		Apoplexy.
" 28, "	Phoebe Nichols	102	11	14	Life	New York	" colored		Old age.
Feb. 1, "	John McArdle	92	..	..	10 years	Ireland	Widower		Phthisis pulmonalis.
" 2, "	Barbara Uilman	97	..	..	17 "	Germany	Widow		Pneumonia, cedema.
" 3, "	Rosanna Hammond	106	7	..	38 "	Ireland	Single		Old age.
" 4, "	Cecelia Farr	96	2	20	..	New Jersey	Married		Remittent fever.
" 4, "	Winefried Reynolds	92	..	..	43 years	Ireland	Widower		Bronchitis.
" 14, "	Anne McCloskey	108	1	8	40 "	"	Widow		Old age.
" 14, "	Lavinia Ryer	96	..	..	Life	New York	Single		"
" 14, "	Mary Brock	101	8	..	49 years	Ireland	Widow		"
" 19, "	Sarah Gallagher	105	2	15	34 "	"	"		"
" 22, "	James Martin	91	6	..	40 "	"	Widower	Cabinet maker	Diarrhoea, age.
" 24, "	Bridget Rooney	93	..	..	50 "	"	Widow	Housekeeper	Old age.
" 25, "	Mary McGrath	106	4	..	26 "	"	"		"
" 26, "	Robert McCoy	98	1	26	12 "	"	Widower		Paralysis, age.
" 27, "	Mary Kelly	94	5	27	35 "	"	Widow		Rheumatism.
Mar. 4, "	Mary Brickley	90	..	..	18 "	"	"		Bronchitis.
" 10, "	Ellen Barry	91	..	..	10 "	New York	"		Valvular disease of heart.
" 11, "	Rebecca Brown	91	..	..	28 "	Ireland	"		Bronchitis, age.
" 14, "	Sarah Dunbar	90	..	..	85 "	England	"		Cerebral embolism, aphasia.
" 24, "	James Molloy	93	..	..	35 "	Ireland	Widower	Mason	Old age.
" 26, "	Barbara Tözerrich	99	4	9	27 "	Germany	Widow		Phthisis pulmonalis.
" 27, "	Rosa Russ	93	..	..	35 "	"	"		Bronchitis.
" 30, "	Rosa Hertler	90	7	..	28 "	"	"		Apoplexy.
" 30, "	Mary Dunlay	94	..	..	40 "	Ireland	"		Old age.

MONTH.	Number of Deaths Reported.	PLACE OF DEATH.															RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.			
		Number of Deaths in Institutions.	Number of Deaths in houses containing Three Families and less.	Number of Deaths in houses containing Four Families and over.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Class of Premises not stated.	FLOORS.								In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated.	
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.									Not stated.
January.....	2,695	420	817	1,403	28	1	33	564	811	505	254	75	5	..	2	26	2,687	8	..	307	715	359	1,314
February.....	2,303	388	663	1,208	28	3	23	484	637	420	261	70	4	..	3	13	2,289	14	..	269	619	275	1,140
March.....	2,574	391	784	1,342	32	..	32	545	748	509	250	68	5	..	1	25	2,564	10	..	294	630	316	1,334
Totals.....	7,572	1,199	2,264	3,953	88	4	88	1,593	2,196	1,434	765	213	14	..	6	64	7,540	32	..	870	1,964	950	3,788

REPORTED MORTALITY.																																
NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	NATIV- ITY OF MOTHER	NATIVITY OF FATHER.																													
			Austria.	Belgium.	British America.	Bohemia.	Denmark.	England.	France.	Germany.	Holland.	Ireland.	Italy.	Norway.	Poland.	Russia.	Scotland.	Sweden.	Switzerland.	Spain.	United States.	Unknown, or not stated.	Wales.	West Indies.	At Sea.	Australia.	China.	Greece.	Portugal.	South America.	South Africa.	Turkey.
29	Austria.....	47	39	1	1
3	Belgium.....	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
38	British America....	42	..	..	20	..	..	4	..	..	..	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	Bohemia.....	58	..	..	..	56	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3	Denmark.....	5	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
158	England.....	276	1	..	3	1	..	194	3	8	1	22	1	..	2	..	3	1	..	..	33	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
52	France.....	84	..	..	..	..	..	1	66	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..
732	Germany.....	1,664	6	..	..	..	..	2	12	1,591	2	4	..	..	4	3	..	..	4	..	32	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4	Holland.....	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,435	Ireland.....	2,781	..	..	4	..	1	36	4	15	..	2,611	2	..	..	7	2	..	2	..	88	4	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
16	Italy.....	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	58	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5	Norway.....	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7	Poland.....	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	Russia.....	53	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	49	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
54	Scotland.....	102	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	9	..	..	..	..	77	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	Sweden.....	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29	Switzerland.....	43	2	6	1	32	..	2	
5	Spain.....	5	4	1	
4,917	United States.....	2,033	1	1	12	..	1	48	7	162	2	130	3	..	1																	

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* All Cemeteries.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY—NOTICES OF THE BOARD.

The notices of the Board for the abatement of nuisances are issued upon the facts and evidence contained in the written reports of the Sanitary Inspectors, the result of personal inspection of the premises complained of. During the three months ending March 31, 1879, the number of notices issued by the Board was 2,073; these notices call attention of owners, lessees, and agents to a violation of the Sanitary Code in each case, and require the necessary alteration, repair, cleansing, and improvement of the premises named within five days from the receipt of the notice. If, upon reinspection, it is found that the requirements of the notice have not been complied with, a suit for penalty is commenced against the delinquent under section 82, chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

The subject of the notices of the Board above referred to and the number of each, are as follows:

Alleys cleaned, disinfected, graded, paved, repaired, connected with street-sewer or gutter.....	46
Apartment cleaned, disinfected, or ventilated.....	23
Areas cleaned, connected with sewer, disinfected, pavement of graded and repaired.....	85
Balusters of stairs repaired.....	28
Basements cleaned and disinfected.....	7
Business of lard-rendering, slaughtering, gut-cleaning, fat-rendering, storing bones, manufac- turing fertilizers, smoking sausages, or storing rags, discontinued.....	2
Buildings cleaned or inclosed.....	1
Ceilings cleaned, whitewashed, or repaired.....	34
Cows (number of notices) removed.....	69
Cesspools disinfected, emptied, cleaned, filled, constructed, repaired, or covered.....	5
Chimneys repaired, extended, cleaned, or obstructions in, removed.....	3
Cisterns disinfected emptied, cleaned, or covered.....	4
Drains cleaned, constructed, covered, repaired, removed, obstructions in removed, or connected with sewer.....	12
Excavations cleaned, repaired, relaid, graded, cemented, or connected with sewer.....	10
Floors cleaned, repaired, relaid, graded, cemented, or connected with sewer.....	3
Fowls removed (number of notices).....	68
Gutters (house or street) provided, repaired, cleaned, disinfected, obstructions in removed, connected with street sewer, street gutter, or cesspool.....	25
Garbage receptacles provided, removed, cleaned and disinfected.....	9
Halls cleaned.....	7
Hydrants removed.....	5
Joints closed or caulked with lead.....	113
Leaders repaired, provided, extended, adjusted, connected with sewer, street gutter, or privy vault.....	109
Lots (vacant) cleaned, disinfected, inclosed, filled, graded, connected with sewer or street gutter.....	57
Manure-vaults disinfected, emptied, cleaned, repaired, covered, filled, constructed or lined.....	24
Manure removed (number of notices).....	3
Manholes covered or repaired.....	9
Openings closed.....	74
Pipes (soil, waste and supply) repaired, trapped, removed, extended, graded, cemented, ventilated, or repaired.....	1,189
Premises connected with street sewer.....	37
Privy-vaults disinfected, emptied, cleaned, ventilated, lined with brick, repaired, cemented, constructed, filled, or removed.....	218
Privy houses cleaned, disinfected, repaired, constructed, removed, adjusted to vaults, or seats of provided with covers.....	71
Pipes (soil, waste, sewer, or iron) provided.....	95
Railings provided.....	4
Roofs repaired or cleaned.....	48
School sinks provided or cleaned.....	21
Sewer-pipes repaired, provided, obstructions in removed, trapped, or openings inclosed.....	104
Sinks provided, repaired, cleaned, removed, flushed, connected with street sewer or street gutters.....	34
Sidewalks cleaned, repaired, graded, flagged, or obstructions in removed.....	20
Smoke-pipes extended, repaired, or adjusted.....	4
Stables cleaned, removed, repaired, or connected with street sewer.....	7
Stairways cleaned or repaired.....	12
Stagnant water removed (number of notices).....	2
Spaces cleaned, disinfected, graded, cemented, filled, or connected with street sewer.....	17
Urinals cleaned, disinfected, repaired, flushed, constructed, removed, connected with sewer, or floor covered with zinc.....	5
Walls cleaned, whitewashed, or repaired.....	45
Water-closets repaired, cleaned, disinfected, flushed, constructed, ventilated, or connected with street sewer.....	97
Yards cleaned, disinfected, filled, graded, paved, grade of pavement repaired, relaid in cement, or connected with street sewer.....	155

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY AND COUNSEL.

The number of actions commenced was.....	300
Add pending actions.....	179
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Discontinued for all causes.....	226
Judgments obtained.....	60
Dismissal or non-suit.....	31
Pending at close of quarter.....	62
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No costs or penalties collected during the quarter.

Amount of fees received for searches and transcripts of the records of births, marriages, and deaths, and deposited with the City Chamberlain, was \$209.67.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Board,

C. F. CHANDLER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, {
June 18, 1879.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Trials.

Fireman John F. Williams, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16 (detailed to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10), charged with "intoxication" and "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 19th instant.

Fireman Cornelius J. Kingsley, of Engine Co. No. 15, charged with "being under the influence of liquor." Charge laid over on 11th instant was also considered. Found guilty on both charges and fined five days' pay.

Charges preferred against Private Daniel J. Fagan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, were laid over to 25th instant.

The minutes of meetings held 11th, 16th and 17th instant were read and approved.

Communications.

From—

Superintendent of Telegraph, recommending that station No. 472 be assigned to the Park Theatre, and station No. 426 to building occupied by Lord & Taylor; the Chief of Department having been directed to make the necessary assignments, by order of the President. Action approved, and filed.

Committee on Repairs and Supplies, recommending that proposals for plastering, etc., at 108 East Thirtieth street, be filed, the work not being required. Approved.

Chief of Department—Report of compliance with directions to furnish hose, etc., for use at dog pound. Filed.

Same—Report of inspection of buildings in district of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, under resolution adopted December 1, 1875. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles, with directions to examine into violations reported.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 17th instant. Filed. Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That Margaret Ryder, 306 West Thirty-first street; Mrs. John Meyers, 127 Columbia street; Jacob Grier, 639 Tenth avenue; James McKenna, 441 West Forty-ninth street; Thomas Ritchie, 641 Eleventh avenue; William Hughes, 105 Washington street; Mrs. Edward Marum, One Hundredth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues; Henry Murphy, 324 East Thirty-fourth street; and Mrs. Sarah A. Eddy, 212 West Twenty-ninth street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Superintendent of Telegraph, reporting location of alarm boxes furnished by Barbour, Palmer & Jones. Filed, with directions to prepare order of instructions for promulgation.

Same—Report relative to poles on Ward's Island blown down on 15th instant, and returning communication from Department of Charities and Correction. Filed, with directions.

Medical Officer, recommending leave of absence to

Foreman Thomas Coyle, of Engine Co. No. 23.

Engineer of Steamer Thomas McMurray, of Engine Co. No. 3.

Fireman Dennis J. Leary, of Engine Co. No. 10.

" Daniel McKnight, of Engine Co. No. 25.

" Edward Meehan, of Engine Co. No. 33.

" Wm. A. Robinson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

" Francis Murray, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18.

Granted.

Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to

Engineer of Steamer James Massie, Jr., of Engine Co. No. 43.

Fireman Edward Meehan, of Engine Co. No. 33.

" Jacob Mang, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

Approved.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 20, reporting recovery of patrol badge lost by Fireman Edward Harrington. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund with recommendation that fine be refunded.

Assistant Foreman Alexander McKeever, of Engine Co. No. 20, applying for promotion (taken from file) and report of medical examination. Promotion to rank of Foreman ordered, to take effect 19th instant, and assigned to Engine Co. No. 14.

Assistant Foreman Thomas Conlon, of Engine Co. No. 21, applying for promotion. Filed.

Fireman David Closey, of Engine Co. No. 6, and Wm. H. Cox, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board.

Firemen Joseph R. Harway, of Engine Co. No. 6, and Martin Meagher, of Engine Co. No. 24, requesting transfer. Filed.

Deputy Secretary of State—Certified copy of chapter 513, Laws of 1879. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 14th instant. Filed.

A. M. Coffin—Notice relative to alteration of building No. 65 Pearl street. Referred to Department of Buildings.

Abner Greenleaf, offering to the Department the use of portable water tower. Laid over.

B. Greenbert, M. D., requesting inspection of fire escape on building No. 526 Broome street. Referred to Department of Buildings.

Manchester Locomotive works, stating that boilers furnished by them are not patented, with list of patents covering manufacture of Amoskeag engines, etc. Filed with directions.

James Masterson, late fireman of Engine Co. No. 31, requesting a reopening of his case. Denied.

William Orr, applying for appointment in Repair Shops. Filed.

W. F. Seavey and Chief of Department—Relative to test of portable stand pipe. Laid over.

Jacob Sebastian, stating that fuel wagon is ready for delivery. Referred to Chief of Department for acceptance and assignment.

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Requisition for material, estimated cost, \$1.50. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending plumbing work at quarters of Engine Companies Nos. 18 and 32, and at Headquarters, and painting at quarters Chief of Eighth Battalion, estimated cost \$5, \$20, \$10.50, and \$32, respectively. Ordered.

Acting Superintendent of Repair Shops—Requisitions for materials, estimated cost \$1.20 and \$6, respectively. Purchase ordered.

Supply Clerk—Requisition for articles required, estimated cost \$6. Purchase ordered.

Superintendent of Horses, recommending selection of horses for Engine Co. No. 16. Ordered.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 12, recommending repairs to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Assistant Foreman Commanding Engine Co. No. 16, recommending repairs to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Eureka Fire Hose Co., offering to furnish "Red Cross" hose. Laid over.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of Thomas Hughes for plumbing at Headquarters, amounting to \$10.09, be approved and audited for payment. Adopted.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to obtain copy of alleged patent on four way connections.

Transfers

—to take effect 20th instant.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer Patrick J. Walsh, Engine Co. No. 31 to Engine Co. No. 15.

" " William Peto, Engine Co. No. 15 to Engine Co. No. 31.

Fireman George T. Russell, Engine Co. No. 29 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17.

" Cornelius J. Kingsley, Engine Co. No. 15 to Engine Co. No. 20.

" John McCarthy, Engine Co. No. 20 to Engine Co. No. 15.

" Andrew Gilmartin, Engine Co. No. 34 to Engine Co. No. 10.

" Timothy McAuliff, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 34.

Private Celey B. Jones, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17 to Engine Co. No. 29.

Contract executed:

for furnishing 2,600 tons coal, \$9,022.

Principal—Henry E. Bowns, 111 Broadway.

Sureties—Joseph K. Wells, 111 Broadway.

John D. Heissenbuttel, 111 Broadway.

Bills

Audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the current year—Schedule No. 25.

Bergen, William G., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$525 00	Marshall, O. T., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$900 00
Dixon, Joseph Crucible Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	72 00	Norris & Williams, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	102 50
Dobbs, William H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	572 00	Screw Dock Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	50 00
Doremus & Corbett, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	198 00	Sheldon, George H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	20 91
Dunham, Thomas C., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	108 37	Sullivan, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	190 05
Jones, C. A. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	48 02		<hr/> \$2,780 85

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JUNE 20, 1879.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. Application of Fireman Oscar A. Pesoa, of Engine Co. No. 26, for promotion, and report of medical examination, were received. Promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman ordered, to take effect 21st instant, and assigned to Engine Co. No. 27.

Transfers

—to take effect 21st instant:

Assistant Foreman Patrick McCarthy, Engine Co. No. 27 to Engine Co. No. 20.

Fireman Andrew Gilmartin, Engine Co. No. 10 to Engine Co. No. 32.

" Patrick V. Doyle, Engine Co. No. 32 to Engine Co. No. 10.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

His Honor Mayor Edward Cooper, Comptroller John Kelly, President James F. Wenman of the Department of Public Parks, and President Vincent C. King of the Fire Department, met pursuant to the following notice, which had been addressed to each one of the officials above named, and to Allan Campbell, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works, who was not present:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 6, 1879.

SIR—The Mayor directs me to request you to attend a meeting at the Mayor's office, on June 10, at 2 P. M., of the following officers, viz.: the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the consideration of a requisition of the Board of Fire Commissioners for premises for a new Engine Company in the section of the city lying within the following boundaries, viz.: Seventy-fourth street, Lexington avenue, Seventy-eighth street and Second avenue, in accordance with the provisions of section 15, of chapter 742 of the Laws of 1871.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed), JOHN TRACEY, General Clerk.

On motion of the Comptroller, his Honor the Mayor was elected Chairman, and President King of the Fire Department was elected Secretary.

The following requisition in writing from the Board of Fire Commissioners to the Comptroller, was read by the Secretary, and filed:

HEAD-QUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, March 19, 1879. }

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller:

SIR—I have the honor to inform you of the adoption of the following resolution at the meeting of the Board held on the 10th instant:

"Resolved, That the Comptroller be notified that this Department requires premises for quarters of a new Engine Company, in the section of the city lying within the following boundaries: Seventy-fourth street, Lexington avenue, Seventy-eighth street, and Second avenue, and that he be requested to arrange for a meeting of the officials named in section 13, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, for the purpose of obtaining such premises in the manner therein prescribed."

Very respectfully,

(Signed), VINCENT C. KING, President.

President King suggested the adoption of preambles and resolution authorizing the Commissioners of the Fire Department to procure estimates of the cost of a suitable lot, and for the erection of an engine-house thereon, according to Plans and Specifications, to be approved by the Commissioners of the Fire Department.

His Honor the Mayor questioned the authority to issue bonds under the provisions of law referred to (section 13, chapter 742, Laws of 1871) for the cost of the erection of an engine-house, and suggested that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment issue bonds for the purchase of a suitable lot, upon which the Fire Department should then erect an engine-house, and pay for the same out of the appropriation for the current year; and that the Board of Fire Commissioners ascertain whether it is not desirable to postpone building one of the engine-houses which it is proposed to build down town this year, and apply so much of the appropriation for "building three new engine-houses" as may be necessary to build an engine-house in the location referred to in their communication to the Comptroller.

The opinion of Assistant Counsel to the Corporation Andrews, who appeared for the Counsel to the Corporation, was to the effect that there was no authority in the law referred to for the issue of bonds for the cost of erecting an engine-house, but that the authority was ample for the purchase of premises for that purpose.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

VINCENT C. KING, Secretary.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, }
June 24, 1879, 2 o'clock P. M. }

His Honor Mayor Edward Cooper, Comptroller John Kelly, Commissioner of Public Works Allan Campbell, and President Vincent C. King of the Fire Department, met pursuant to the following notice, which had been addressed to each one of the officials above named, and President James F. Wenman of the Department of Public Parks, who was absent:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL, }
NEW YORK, June 23, 1879. }

SIR—The Mayor directs me to request you to attend a meeting at the Mayor's office on Tuesday, June 24th, at 2 P. M., of the following officers, viz.: the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, for premises for a new Engine Company in the section of the city lying within the following boundaries, viz.: Seventy-fourth street, Lexington avenue, Seventy-eighth street, and Second avenue, in accordance with the provisions of section 13 of chapter 742, of the Laws of 1871.

Yours, respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 10th instant, were read and approved.

President King offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The necessity for the location of an engine-house in the district bounded by Seventy-fourth street, Seventy-eighth street, Second avenue, and Lexington avenue, has been certified to the Comptroller by the Fire Commissioners; and

Whereas, In the opinion of the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, or a majority of them, the necessity for an engine-house in the locality referred to exists; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the issue of bonds necessary for the purpose, under the provisions of section 13 of chapter 742 of the Laws of 1871, not exceeding in amount the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—His Honor the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

On motion, a recess was then taken.

Secretary.

2:30 P. M.

Reconvened.

Present—His Honor the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, and the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

Absent—The President of the Department of Public Parks.

His Honor the Mayor offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has authorized the issue of bonds to the amount of not exceeding three thousand five hundred dollars, for the purchase of a lot for an engine house in the district bounded by Seventy-fourth street, Seventy-eighth street, Second, and Lexington avenues; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the lot situated on the south side of East Seventy-sixth street, two hundred and seventy-five (275) feet west of Third avenue, being twenty-five (25) feet front on Seventy-sixth street, and one hundred and two (102) feet in depth, be purchased at a cost not exceeding three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500), on approval of the title by the Counsel to the Corporation.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—His Honor the Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

On motion the Board then adjourned.

VINCENT C. KING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held June 18, 1879,

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meeting held the 11th inst. were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From Comptroller—In reference to the qualification of sureties on contracts awarded to Dwyer & Lydon and John M. C. Scully. Secretary directed to notify Nellie R. Lydon and Geo. J. Ray, sureties on contract of Dwyer & Lydon, to call at once upon the Commissioners in reference to the said contract.

From Police Department—Asking that wharf accommodations be afforded to it between Fiftieth and Seventy-fifth streets, East river, for dumping purposes. Secretary directed to advise said Department that the foot of Sixty-second street, E. R., can be assigned for its use for the

erection of a dumping board, etc., and requesting that this Board be informed if the above location will be suitable for the purpose.

From Engineer-in-Chief—In reference to the rebuilding of the bulkhead between Piers 41 and 42, E. R., owned by private parties. Secretary directed to notify John L. Roome, Junior, lessee of Pier 41 and bulkhead adjoining, E. R., to call upon the Commissioners in reference to the repairs necessary to be made to the premises.

From Police Department—To have the sunken wreck removed from the slip adjacent to pier at Twenty-second street, E. R. Secretary directed to notify the owners of said wreck to remove it from above-named premises without delay, or this Department will do so at their cost and expense.

Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report an estimate of the cost of removing said wreck from the above premises.

From Health Department—In reference to the berth heretofore used by the night-soil boat at the upper side of Pier 61, East river. Secretary directed to address a communication to the Commissioners of the Health Department, requesting them to attend a meeting of this Board, to be held 25th instant, in reference to the subject, and asking that the contract existing between the city and the contractors for the removal of night-soil be then submitted for examination.

The following communications were received; read, and,

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

From John J. Dally and others—Requesting that a berth be set aside at the Pier at One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river, for the use of a boat engaged in the removal of night-soil, etc. Applicants informed that this Department will shortly arrange for a berth at said premises, to be used by the boat belonging to the contractor for removing night-soil.

From Comptroller, approving of sureties to proposal of Chandler H. Loomis, for dredging at various piers, opened May 26, 1879.

From Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report advising that the work of covering the sewer at Clarkson street, North river, had been completed at a cost of \$123.58.

2d. Report in reference to the dredging performed at Gansevoort street, North river. Application of N. Y. City Ice Co. to have dredging done at said premises taken from the table and placed on file, and applicants informed that after a careful examination of the slip by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, he reports that he is unable to discover the ridge which they stated existed thereat, and that the soundings taken immediately after the work of dredging was completed, indicated a very uniform depth of 10 feet at mean low water.

3d. Report in reference to the dredging needed at the bulkhead at Twenty-third street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make requisition for the necessary dredge, scows, and labor to excavate and remove the mud from slip at above premises, at a cost not exceeding \$950, in accordance with the recommendation contained in his report.

Application of Twenty-third Street Railroad Company, to have dredging done at the foot of Twenty-third street, North river, taken from the table and placed on file.

4th. Report as to work performed during week ending June 14, 1879.

From Washburn & Co.—Asking that a lease of the pier at Twenty-second street, East river, be granted to them. Applicants informed that the premises have been assigned to the Police Department for the use of the Bureau of Street Cleaning.

From George S. Holmes, U. S. Deputy Marshal, offering to sell to the Department the seventeen pieces of granite stones, now at the East Seventeenth street yard, in his custody, for the sum of \$450. Secretary directed to advise that said offer is declined, for the reason that the expense to be incurred for cutting said granite in order to render it fit for the purposes of the Department will be in excess of the price for which the Department can obtain stone all ready for laying.

From F. E. Bean—To erect a platform for discharging ice, and place scales between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, North river. Applicant informed, that this Department has no objection to his placing and retaining on the bulkhead between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, North river, a platform seventy-five feet long, and scale, for the purpose of discharging ice, the consent of the lessee of said premises having been filed in this office, but the Department reserves the right to cause their removal at any time it may so elect.

From Geo. V. Hecker & Co.—For permission to insert an 8-inch drain pipe in the bulkhead between Piers 40 and 41, East river, and enclosing consent thereto of the lessee of said premises. Permission granted. The work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and the said pipe to remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of twenty-two bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$3,648.16; and, being read, was

On motion, accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisition for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

The Secretary stating that the Engineer-in-Chief, in his report on Secretary Order 1173, had reported that the New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, had the use of the Woodcock Boring Machine belonging to this Department, for one day instead of four days.

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized and directed to prepare a statement in the sum of \$20, and present the same to the New York, Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, for payment, being for the use of the Woodcock Boring Machine for four days instead of one day, as directed by the Board on 26th March last.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, JUNE 9 TO 14, 1879.

Present—Commissioners Cox, Brennan, and Hess.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending June 7, 1879: Males, 47; Females, 8. On file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 10 patients received during week ending June 7, 1879. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 11 patients received during week ending June 7, 1879. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending June 7, 1879, \$175. On file. Proposals for dry goods, groceries, lumber, leather, etc., etc., opened in presence of Commissioners Cox, Brennan, Hess, and the Comptroller.

By the Board—

Resolved, That the proposals of Haynes, Lord & Co. to furnish and deliver 100 pieces oiled muslin, at \$1.41 3-4 per yard;

J. M. Ingersoll, 10 pieces 4-4 bleached muslin, at 8.90-100 cents per yard; 10 pieces 4-4 unbleached muslin, at 7.15-100 cents per yard; 1,000 palm-leaf fans, at \$10 per 1,000;

Groth & McLaren, 5,000 pounds cheese, at 5 cents per pound;

H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co., 10,000 pounds butter, at 11.97-100 cents per pound; 100 pounds chocolate, at 35.95-100 cents per pound; 150 barrels oat meal, at \$5.10 per barrel;

Horace Ingersoll, 250 bags bran at 27 cents per bag;

L. T. Willets, 13,250 eggs, at 14 cents per dozen; 12 dozen canned tomatoes, at 94 1-2 cents per dozen;

John Moonan, 250 bags bran, at 27 cents per bag;

C. P. Woodworth & Co., 500 barrels potatoes, at \$2.15 per barrel;

Miles & Holman, 150 barrels hominy, at \$3.12 1-2 cents per barrel, less 12 1-2 cents for each empty barrel returned;

Putnam Conklin, 13,250 eggs, at 14 cents per dozen;

Austin, Nichols & Co., 20 kits mackerel, at \$1.45 per kit;

Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., 150 barrels common lime, at 57 cents per barrel; 50 boxes IX roofing tin, at \$5.74 per box;

Manchester & Philback, 100 barrels Jointa lime, at 80 cents per barrel; 5,000 feet sawed lath, at \$1.70 per M;

Benj. F. Bogart, 50 barrels plaster paris, at \$1.07 per barrel;

Adams & Shaler, 1,000 sides sole leather, at 16.79-100 cents per pound;

F. W. Devoe & Co., 1,500 pounds whiting, at 50 cents per 100 pounds; 100 pounds yellow ochre, at 7 cents per pound;

Evans & Carmichael, 10,000 pounds white lead, at 6.24-100 cents per pound;

Duryee & Ludlam, lumber as per specification, for \$3.26.19-100;

Seward Brother, 20 dozen papier-mache spittoons, at \$5.75 per dozen;

Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., 2 dozen garden rakes, at \$5.44 per dozen;

—be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved of by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted.

Proposals for lime, cement, tin, lumber, opened in presence of Commissioners Cox, Brennan, Hess, and the Comptroller.

By the Board—

Resolved, That the proposals of Samuel W. Sears to furnish and deliver 100 barrels common lime (Thockmorton or Rockland), at 77 cents per barrel; 100 barrels best Rosedale cement, perfectly fresh, at \$1.09 per barrel; 6 boxes IX charcoal tin, 14x20, at \$5.74 per box; 40 kegs 4d nails, at \$2.99 per keg; 8 kegs 6d nails, at \$2.74 per keg; 12 kegs 8d nails, at \$2.49 per keg; 45 kegs 10d

nails, at \$2.24 per keg; 15 kegs 12d nails, at \$2.24 per keg; 12 kegs 40d nails, at \$2.24 per keg; 18 kegs 60d nails, at \$2.24 per keg;

Duryee & Ludlam, lumber as per specification, for \$4,498.57;—be accepted and the contracts awarded to them, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved of by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted.

Proposals for repairs to hull of propeller "Fidelity," opened in presence of Commissioners Cox, Brennan, Hess, and the Comptroller. By the Board—

Resolved, That the proposal of James D. Leary for repairing hull of propeller "Fidelity" for the sum of \$32,333, be accepted, and the award made to him, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of his sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted.

Appointments.

- June 9. John Trapp, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
9. Luther H. Horton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
10. Mary A. C. Kerrin, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.
10. William A. Page, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
11. Bogart Roper, Orderly, Penitentiary Hospital.
12. Timothy Murray, Cook, Branch Lunatic Asylum.
14. Charles H. Dixon, Pilot, propeller "Fidelity."

Resignations.

- June 11. William McCarthy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
11. George Brownlow, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
12. Emma J. Fox, Nurse, Infants' Hospital.
12. Walter Butler, Keeper, Work House.

Dismissals.

- June 9. Francis Sacchi, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, April 2, 1879.

Appointment of Commissioners.

It appearing by the application, made to me on the 4th day of March, 1879, by fifty reputable householders and taxpayers of the City and County of New York, in the State of New York, verified upon oath before a Justice of the Supreme Court, that there is need in said city and county of a street railway or railways for the transportation of passengers, mails and freight; and thirty days not having expired since said application, now, in pursuance of the provisions of the act entitled, "An Act further to provide for the construction and operation of a steam railway or railways in counties of the State," passed June 18, 1875, three-fifths being present, I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint the following five persons, residents of said city and county, to be commissioners under and in pursuance of the provisions of said act, namely: Henry F. Spaulding, Benjamin G. Arnold, Henry G. Stebbins, Lewis G. Morris, Samuel R. Filley.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name, the 2d day of April, 1879.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted along the line of Riverdale avenue and Broadway, from the Presbyterian Church to the Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and lamps lighted in Denman place, from Union to Concord avenue (Twenty-third Ward), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in Washington avenue, from Morris street to Talmadge street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

Resolved, That Sixty-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

AN ORDINANCE to prevent accidents by the falling of flower pots, and other articles used for cultivating flowers, from the windows of buildings in the City of New York.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall not be lawful for any person to place or keep on any window-sill, railing of balcony, top of porch, or any other projection from any house or other building in the City of New York, any earthen flower-pots, wooden box, or other article or thing whatever for the cultivation or retention of flowers, shrubs, vines, or any other article or thing whatever, unless every such flower-pot, box or other article is securely and firmly fastened or protected by iron railings, so fastened as to render it impossible for any such pot, box, or other article to fall into the street, under a penalty of ten dollars for every offense, to be recovered in the manner now specified by law for the collection of fines imposed for violations of ordinances of the corporation.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and is hereby authorized and directed to cause one thousand copies of all laws relating particularly to this city, passed at the late session of the Legislature, to be printed in the usual manner, in document form, for the use of the Mayor, Common Council, and Departments; the expense of procuring certified copies of such laws, which shall not exceed the usual legal fees, to be paid from the appropriation for "City Contingencies" by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. D. Hall to erect and retain a tin awning in front of premises occupied by him corner of Hudson and Franklin streets, known as Nos. 101 Hudson street and 165 Franklin street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 3, 1879.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 17, 1879, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel A. Suydam to retain the signs now on the awning in front of his place of business, No. 550 Hudson street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work to be done 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, June 3, 1879.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 17, 1879, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending June 21, 1879.

Barometer.

DATE.	JUNE.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	15	29.706	29.597	29.592	29.451	29.526	29.411	29.485	29.814	29.700	0 A. M.	29.510	29.401	12 P. M.
Monday,	16	29.504	29.389	29.568	29.443	29.786	29.688	29.507	29.882	29.797	12 P. M.	29.488	29.379	4 A. M.
Tuesday,	17	29.898	29.819	29.970	29.872	30.032	29.947	29.879	30.060	29.989	12 P. M.	29.822	29.737	0 A. M.
Wednesday,	18	30.074	30.000	30.120	30.019	30.180	30.095	30.038	30.180	30.095	9 P. M.	30.060	29.989	0 A. M.
Thursday,	19	30.224	30.139	30.280	30.179	30.260	30.175	30.164	30.266	30.190	12 P. M.	30.174	30.098	0 A. M.
Friday,	20	30.272	30.194	30.250	30.134	30.228	30.125	30.151	30.272	30.194	7 A. M.	30.228	30.125	9 P. M.
Saturday,	21	30.254	30.161	30.230	30.100	30.204	30.098	30.119	30.254	30.161	7 A. M.	30.188	30.090	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.906 inches.
Maximum " at 7 A. M., June 20..... 30.194 "
Minimum " at 4 A. M., June 16..... 29.379 "
Range "815 "

Thermometers.

DATE. JUNE.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.				MINIMUM.				MAX IMUM	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.		Wet Bulb.	Time.		Dry Bulb.	Time.			Wet Bulb.	Time.
Sunday,	15	70	68	82	75	72	70	74.7	71.0	85	3 P. M.	76	3 P. M.	68	5 A. M.	66	5 A. M.		130
Monday,	16	72	69	76	70	65	61	71.0	66.6	78	12 M.	70	12 M.	60	12 P. M.	58	12 P. M.		134
Tuesday,	17	58	57	65	55	60	58	61.0	56.7	66	3 P. M.	62	6 P. M.	55	12 P. M.	54	12 P. M.		127
Wednesday,	18	56	55	66	60	60	59	60.6	58.0	68	4 P. M.	61	4 P. M.	53	5 A. M.	53	5 A. M.		128
Thursday,	19	60	56	66	58	60	58	62.0	57.3	70	4 P. M.	62	3 P. M.	54	4 A. M.	54	4 A. M.		128
Friday,	20	57	56	71	63	67	62	65.0	60.3	76	4 P. M.	65	4 P. M.	53	4 A. M.	53	4 A. M.		139
Saturday,	21	63	60	77	66	68	62	69.3	62.7	77	2 P. M.	66	2 P. M.	61	3 A. M.	59	3 A. M.		132

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week..... 66.2 degrees..... 61.8 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 15th.... 85. " at 3 P. M., 15th.... 76. "
Minimum " " at 4 A. M., 20th.... 53. " at 4 A. M., 20th.... 53. "
Range " " 32. " 23. "

Wind.

DATE.	JUNE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	15....	SSW	SSW	SE	72	50	48	170	¾	1½	0	20¾	4.30 P. M.
Monday,	16....	SW	W	WNW	32	75	93	200	1	1	¾	4½	12 M.
Tuesday,	17....	WNW	WNW	WNW	35	65	75	175	½	1½	¾	4½	5.10 P. M.
Wednesday,	18....	WNW	NNW	NW	43	36	12	91	¾	0	0	2¾	8.40 A. M.
Thursday,	19....	NNE	E	E	16	40	27	83	¾	¾	0	1	10.30 A. M.
Friday,	20....	W	SW	S	12	14	31	57	¾	0	¾	1	5 P. M.
Saturday,	21....	SSW	SE	S	51	41	59	151	¾	¾	¾	2½	5 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 927 miles.
Maximum force " " 20¾ pounds.

DATE. JUNE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, 0. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of	
Sunday,	15	.658	.773	.706	90	71	90	5 Cir. Cu.	8 Cu.	4 Cir.	4.30 P. M. 10.30 P. M.	5.30 P. M. 11.30 P. M.	1 00 1 00	.54 .50	..
Monday,	16	.668	.652	.483	85	73	78	1 Cu.	5 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Tuesday,	17	.452	.300	.456	94	49	88	0	7 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Wednesday,	18	.420	.438	.487	93	69	94	0	8 Cu.	Hazy. 1 Cir.	5 15 P. M.	6 P. M.	0 45	.06	..
Thursday,	19	.396	.376	.456	76	59	88	0	8 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Friday,	20	.436	.469	.489	94	62	74	0	7 Cu.	5 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Saturday,	21	.478	.492	.476	83	53	70	0	1 Cu.	4 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	..	..

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.10 inches.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit and License Bureau Office.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KRECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

Bureau of City Revenue.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

No. 236 West Forty-third street.
ELIJAH W. ROE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

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

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

HENRY F. SPAULDING, 15 Nassau street.
BENJAMIN G. ARNOLD, 125 Front street.
HENRY G. STEBBINS, 48 Exchange place.
LEWIS G. MORRIS, 25 Pine street.
SAMUEL R. FILLEY, Prospect avenue and 165th street.

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 31.
Part I, Room No. 32.
Part II, Room No. 33.
Part III, Room No. 34.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 35.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 36.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 37.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOS. BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 23.
Special Term, Room No. 24.
Chambers, Room No. 25.
Part I, Room No. 26.
Part II, Room No. 27.
Part III, Room No. 28.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 29.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street.
Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of

exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

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

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, furniture, male and female clothing, revolvers, gold watch, silver watches, trunks and contents, bags and contents, coffee, tea, liquor, boots, shoes, etc., also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1879.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirteen horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M., by Arch. Johnston, General Auctioneer, at Nos. 19, 21, 23 and 25 East Thirtieth street.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1.—Paving Seventy-fourth street, between Avenue A and East river..... \$3,417 87

No. 2.—Flagging First avenue, west side, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets..... 55 50

No. 3.—Flagging Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets..... 161 40

No. 4.—Flagging Fifty-first street, north side, between Broadway and Eighth avenue..... 31 39

No. 5.—Fencing Madison avenue, east side, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and in Eightieth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues..... 189 47

No. 6.—Fencing Sixth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets..... 113 09

No. 7.—Fencing Seventy-fourth street, southwest corner of and Fourth avenue..... 85 31

No. 8.—Fencing Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues..... 21 79

No. 9.—Flagging Sixtieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue..... 785 32

Total..... \$4,861 14

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE articles and materials below enumerated will be sold by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, July 7, 1879, as follows:

Lot No. 1. Old scrap iron, wrought and cast.

" 2. Old tire iron.

" 3. Old iron wire.

" 4. 26 old iron bedsteads.

" 5. Old combination hose.

" 6. Old rope.

" 7. 40 old iron hay-racks.

" 8. Old wheel felloes.

" 9. 1 buggy.

" 10. 1 sleigh.

" 11. 2 two-wheel hose jumpers.

" 12. 1 four-wheel hose carriage.

" 13. 64 composition iron hitch fastenings.

" 14. 4 old truck springs.

" 15. 1 composition tower bell, 5,156 pounds.

" 16. Striking apparatus for tower bell.

" 17. 1,876 pounds composition metal.

" 18. 472 pounds composition boiler tubes.

" 19. 270 pounds composition lathe turnings.

" 20. 324 sets and 46 single parts composition hose couplings.

" 21. 17 empty oil barrels.

The several articles, etc., may be seen at any time prior to the sale, as follows:

Lots 1 to 14, inclusive, at No. 20 Eldridge street.

Lots 15 to 21, inclusive, at the Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street.

The sale will begin at No. 20 Eldridge street promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. on the day named, and will be proceeded with in the order of enumeration.

All the articles must be removed from the premises within twenty-four hours after the sale.

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

HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE advertisement dated May 26th, 1879, inviting proposals for furnishing materials and supplies for the Fire Alarm Telegraph, Supply Room, and Repair Shops of this Department, to be opened at 9 A. M., on the 11th day of June, 1879, being for items Nos. 1 to 67, inclusive, is withdrawn until further notice.

VINCENT C. KING,
President.

HEADQUARTERS

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

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

By order of the Board.

VINCENT C. KING, President,

JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, TIN, SHEET IRON, LUMBER, AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

27,500 Fresh Eggs (Candled).
5,000 pounds Dried Apples.
25,000 " Rice.
500 " Baking Powder.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 " New Family Mess Pork.
100 boxes Candles.
6 dozen Gelatine.
250 bags Fine Meal.
20 " White Meal.

TIN, SHEET IRON, ETC.

50 boxes 14 x 20 XX best Charcoal Tin.
20 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 22.
20 " Common Iron, No. 22.
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has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the supplies, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated, June 19, 1879.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1879.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Twenty-fifth street, North river—Unknown man; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair. Had on blue check jumper, gray linen pants, white shirt, white socks, laced shoes; body about five days in water.

Unknown man, from off Governor's Island; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair and beard. Had on black coat and pants, dark vest, calico shirt, white drawers, red flannel shirt, white socks, boots.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Ellen Agnes Cleary; aged 40 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, black cashmere shawl, brown wrapper, black skirt. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Rose Stetson; aged 27 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, gray waist, black skirt and sacque, gaiters.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Frederick Lutz; aged 31 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier Forty-four (44), old number, North river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all lots, and improved or unimproved lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected thereby; and to all others whom it may concern.

That we have completed our report and estimate, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, may present their objections in writing, duly verified, to James Matthews, Esq., our chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 13 Cortlandt street (Room No. 76), in said city, on or before the 31st day of July, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten weekdays next after the said 31st day of July, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That our said report and estimate, together with a transcript of the testimony taken before us upon the hearing, and used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of August, 1879.

That the metes and bounds of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected by our said report, are as follows: Beginning at a point about two hundred and sixty-eight feet northerly from the northeast corner of Spring and West streets, and seventy feet west of the east side of West street, said point lying on the city boundary line of 1807, on the south side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846; thence westerly, along the southerly side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846, and continued westerly out to the new pier line as established in 1871, a total distance of seven hundred and seventy feet; thence northerly, along said pier line forty feet; thence easterly four hundred and ten feet, parallel with the south side of said Pier 44; thence northeasterly about ten feet; thence easterly, along the northerly side of said Pier 44 three hundred and fifty feet, to the old city boundary line; thence southerly, along said line, forty-six feet and ten inches, to the point of beginning.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the Court-house in the City of New York, on the 27th day of August, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 28, 1879.

JAMES MATTHEWS,
WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,
LOUIS FITZGERALD,
Commissioners.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT P. H. Jones, Esq., to whom was referred by order of this Court, dated the 20th day of June, 1879, the bill of costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of this proceeding, for examination preliminary to taxation, will hear all parties interested herein, at his office No. 150 Nassau street, City of New York, on Wednesday, the 2d day of July, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Dated June 26, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Ninety-first street, from Eighth avenue to the new road or drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WILLIAM M. Prichard, Esq., to whom was referred, by order of this Court, dated the 12th day of June, 1879, the bill of costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of this proceeding, for examination preliminary to taxation, will hear all parties interested herein at his office No. 49 Wall street, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 1st day of July, 1879, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated June 18, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to opening Ninety-first street, from Eighth avenue to the new road or drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1879, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and that a motion will be there and then made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 22, 1879.

CHARLES PRICE,
ANDREW D. PURTELL,
HENRY M. GARVIN,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees of Common Schools of the several Wards, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for Repairing and Painting School Buildings; for furnishing New Furniture; for furnishing New Heating Apparatus; to be done and furnished mainly during the months of July and August, 1879, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Fifth Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for Sliding Doors, etc., and for Fire-proof Stairs for Grammar School No. 44.

JOHN HAM,
Chairman.

ANDREW W. LEGGATT,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Fifth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 10½ o'clock A. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for Outside Iron Stairway for Grammar School No. 3.

CHARLES S. WRIGHT,
Chairman.

ELLERY DENISON, M. D.,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Ninth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for new Closets for Grammar School No. 20.

HENRY R. ROOME,
Chairman.

PETER DENNERLEIN,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Tenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, until 4½ o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 7, 1879, for new Sashes, etc., for Grammar School No. 30.

FRANKLIN SMITH, M. D.,
Chairman.

GEORGE THUM,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Fourteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Sliding Doors, etc., for Grammar School No. 10.

JOSEPH BRITTON,
Chairman.

HENRY M. TABER,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Fifteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Painting and Repairing Grammar School Building No. 14. Also for Steam Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for the new building on the rear of Grammar School No. 14. Also for the Furniture for the new building last named. Also for Painting and Repairing portions of Grammar School Building No. 49.

JOSEPH R. SKIDMORE,
Chairman.

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Twenty-first Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 2 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for Altering Grammar School Building No. 17. Also for Steam Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 51. Also for Furniture for Grammar School No. 51.

JOEL W. MASON,
Chairman.

WALTER CARTER,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Twenty-second Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 3½ o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 8, 1879, for building new Closets for Grammar School No. 61.

NATHAN S. KING, M. D.,
Chairman.

GEO. J. A. NORMAN,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

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

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

No substitution will be considered from persons who are permitted without first obtaining in writing permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

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

Dated New York, June 23, 1879.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday the 30th day of June, 1879, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of a New School House on the west side of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

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

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

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

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

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

No substitution will be considered from persons who are permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

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

DAVID H. KNAPP
CHARLES CRARY
ANDREW L. SOULARD
GERMAIN HAUSCHEL,
ROSEWELL G. ROLSTON,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward

Dated New York, June 16, 1879.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1879.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder and the title and number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until the 14th of July, 1879, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department, and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Lexington avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-fifth street, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 2. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 3. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Fifty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 4. PAVING with Belgian or trap-block pavement Sixty-ninth street, from First to Third avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 4, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1879.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, the title and number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until Wednesday, July 2, 1879, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department, and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. SEWERS in West street, between Spring and West Eleventh streets, with connections to present sewers, and alterations and improvements to existing sewers in Sewerage District No. 20.

No. 2. SEWERS in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 3. SEWER in Fifty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, from end of present sewer to near Lexington avenue.

No. 4. SEWER in Fifty-eighth street, between Avenue A and East river.

No. 5. SEWERS in Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 6. SEWERS in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues; in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, and in One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

No. 7. SEWER in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Tenth avenue and summit east of Tenth avenue.

No. 8. SEWER in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Sixth avenue and summit west of Sixth avenue.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Room 21, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1879.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office, until Wednesday, the 2d day of July, 1879, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for

CONSTRUCTING AN IRON BRIDGE AT FOURTH AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, WITH THE NECESSARY ABUTMENTS, RETAINING WALLS, ETC.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained, at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11½, City Hall.

Bidders are particularly notified that the city only pays one-half the entire cost of the bridge, and that the New York and Harlem Railroad Company pays one-half on the additional certificate of their Engineer, as stated in the agreements.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

By Order of the Committee,

J. GRAHAM HYATT,
Chairman.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,
Auctioneers.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

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

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

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

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

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

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

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,

March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

The sale of the above premises is adjourned to Thursday, July 10, 1879, at the same hour and place.

NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,

June 12, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JUNE 5, 1879.
1st avenue, sewer, between 92d and 110th streets, and 2d avenue, sewer, between 95th and 109th streets, with branches in 93d, 96th, 97th, 98th, 100th, 101st, 102d, 103d, 104th, 105th, 107th, and 108th streets.

4th avenue, regulating and grading, between 116th and 124th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 9, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 15, ENTERED MAY 20, 1879.
Inwood street opening, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 5, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 29, 1879.

76th street, paving, from 8th avenue to Riverside Park.

10th avenue, sewer, between 77th and 81st streets, with branches in 77th, 78th, 79th, and 80th streets.

57th street, sewer extension at East river.

70th street, basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.

68th street, paving intersections of 4th avenue.

Fordham avenue, crosswalk near 11th street (24th ward).

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 1st, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in