

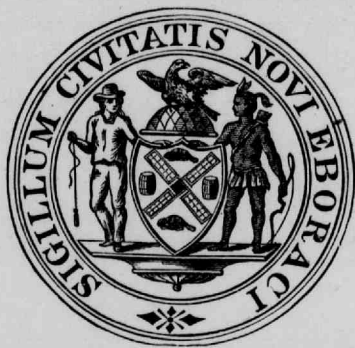
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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1880.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—In pursuance of the provisions of section 27 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments respectfully report:

That the books of Annual Record of Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate were duly opened on the second Monday (12th) of January last, pursuant to the requirements of section 8 of chapter 302 of the Laws of 1859.

As the time allowed by law for making corrections has not expired, no comprehensive statement can be made by the Commissioners as to the alterations that may be made in the assessed valuations.

A decision rendered by the Supreme Court of the United States, at the October term, relative to the taxation of National Bank shares for State and local purposes, declares a portion of the law under which bank shares have heretofore been assessed by this Department, to be in conflict with the Act of Congress establishing National Banks.

This decision materially affects the mode of assessment hitherto practised by this Department, so far as National Bank shares are concerned, and renders it necessary that a different method be adopted for making said assessments, and in order more fully to comply with the requirements of said decision, a law was recently enacted by the Legislature, upon the request of the Commissioners, authorizing an extension of the time, and investing the Commissioners with power to receive applications for, and make corrections of assessments.

This act (chapter 89) reads as follows:

CHAPTER 89.

AN ACT to extend the time for making assessments and correcting assessments for taxes in the city of New York.

Passed April 1, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

SECTION 1. Any assessments made by direction of the commissioners of taxes and assessments for the year eighteen hundred and eighty, in the city of New York, authorized by any law of this state shall be as valid, if made on or before the eighth day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty, as if they had been made on or before the second Monday in January, and any person against whom an assessment may be made, under the provisions of this act, shall have the right to apply for a correction of his assessment at any time prior to the twenty-ninth day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty, and the said commissioners are hereby invested with power to receive such application and to make the corrections.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

The various suits brought against this Department recently, on writs of certiorari, to reduce the assessed valuations of their real estate, have been decided by the Supreme Court in favor of the Commissioners, and their assessments were maintained and confirmed.

JOHN WHEELER, Commissioners
JOHN N. HAYWARD, of
GEO. B. VANDERPOEL, Taxes and Assessments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, April 19, 1880.

The Board of Health met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on applications for permits; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on certain street pavements; on operations of Sanitary Corps of Police; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; on work performed by Vaccinating Corps; on work performed by Meat Inspectors; on work performed by Milk Inspectors; on vacating cellar at No. 29 William street; on bridge of Elevated Railway at Chatham square; on application to construct a sewer from the Home for Incurables at Fordham, to Mill Brook; on Saw and Planing Mill in One Hundred and Twenty-eight street, between Lexington and Third avenues; on application for relief from orders.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly mortuary statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; report on attendance of clerks; application to record birth of Homer Donaldson.

Communications received from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance—Comptroller's weekly statement.

Reports referred to other Departments.

To the Department of Public Works—On street pavements in front of 210 and 212 West Forty-second street, and in front of 20 North William street.

To the Department of Public Parks—On drain in Grove street, between Third and Brook avenue, on sewer in Brook avenue at Westchester avenue, on sidewalk north side Spuyten Duyvil road.

Communications Received.

From Joseph W. Cremin—In respect to 213 East Fifty-first street.

From Charles W. Torry—In respect to premises 29 Park street.

Bills Audited.

Edward C. Cullen..... \$165 00
Williamsburgh Color and Chemical Co..... 287 00

Permits Granted.

To drive three cows from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

To keep six chickens at 105 Avenue B.

To keep five chickens at 155 Leonard street.

To keep ten chickens at 76 Lewis street.

To keep four chickens at 179 Stanton street.

To keep six chickens at 207 First avenue.

Permits Denied.

To occupy basement at 454 Seventh avenue.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Murtha, upon the condition of the bridge of the elevated railway at Chatham Square, be forwarded to the President of said company for the necessary action.

Resolved, That order on premises 108 East Sixty-sixth street, be extended to July 20, 1880.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors, upon the condition of certain street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action, as follows:

Street pavement in front of 210 and 212 West Forty-second street.

Street pavement in front of 20 North William street.

Public sewer in Batavia street, between Roosevelt and New Chambers street.

Resolved, That a copy of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors, upon the condition of certain drains and sewers, be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks for the necessary action, as follows:

Drain in Grove street, between Third and Brook avenues.

Sewer in Brook avenue.

Sewer at Westchester avenue.

Sidewalk on west side Spuyten Duyvil road.

Resolved, That order on premises No. 54 Mulberry street be and is hereby extended to May 1, 1880.

Resolved, That leave of absence for two (2) days be and is hereby granted to B. F. Martin.

Resolved, That orders on premises Nos. 29 Henry street, and 101 Monroe street, 182, 186 and 188 Madison street, be and are hereby reaffirmed, and the owner of the same required to comply within one week from receipt of notice.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 463) for light and ventilation of seven tenement houses proposed to be built as follows: one on the northeast corner of First avenue and Seventy-seventh street, 25 feet by 75 feet, on a lot 25 feet by 94 feet; three adjoining on First avenue, each 25 feet by 55 feet, with an extension 18 feet deep by 17 feet wide, on lots each 25 feet by 94 feet; and three next adjoining, 25 feet by 55 feet, on lots each 25 feet wide and 68 feet, 74 feet, and 80 feet deep, respectively, submitted to this Board under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, and Laws of 1879, chapter 504, by John F. Wilson, provided, 1st, that each of the light shafts be made at least 12 square feet in area and not less than 2 feet wide; 2d, that each and every interior room have a window at least 12 square feet in area opening directly on a light shaft; 3d, that each light shaft begin at the floor of the first story which it lights; and 4th, that all of the light shafts be smooth and white within, be and the said plan is hereby approved.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending April 17, 1880:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,944, as follows, viz.: 2 public buildings, 1,065 tenement houses, 104 private dwellings, 48 other dwellings, 3 manufactories and workshops, 13 stores and warehouses, 43 stables, 36 slaughter-houses, 1 lime kiln, 2 manure dumps, 1 garbage dump, 3 lodging-houses, 1 foundry, 3 public sewers and drains, 11 sunken and vacant lots, 1 lard-rendering establishment, 1 still house, 1 public bridge, 80 yards, courts, and areas, 100 cellars and basements, 84 waste-pipes and drains, 184 privies and water-closets, 39 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 42 dangerous stairways, 1 cesspool, 5 smoky chimneys, 14 other nuisances, together with 56 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 1,049.

During the past week 100 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 100 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 57 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 53 houses, 53 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

One case of diphtheria and one of typhoid fever were removed to hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending April 17, 1880:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
April 10.....	0	5	44	2	89	40	0
April 17.....	0	5	41	5	92	46	0

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 506 births, 51 still-births, 159 marriages, and 628 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, April 17, 1880. This shows a decrease of 6 births and 12 marriages, and an increase of 3 still-births and 68 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1879, there was an increase of 100 births, 8 still-births, and 116 deaths, and a decrease of 8 marriages. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from scarlatina decreased 4; diphtheria, 2; croup, 5; erysipelas, 1; typhoid fever, 1; puerperal diseases, 9; diarrhoeal diseases, 6; alcoholism, 4; heart diseases, 4; meningitis and encephalitis, 2; convulsions, 1; Bright's disease and nephritis, 4; while the deaths from measles increased 6; whooping cough, 2; cerebro-spinal fever, 4; malarial fevers, 5; inanition, 2; rheumatism and gout, 2; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 6; pneumonia, 29; marasmus, tabes, mesenterica, and scrofula, 10; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 12; apoplexy, 3; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 2; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 2; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 4; surgical operations, 1; suicide, 2. The number of deaths from bronchitis, aneurism, cyanosis and atelectasis, and drowning was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

WEEK ENDING—		Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Con- gestive and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																		Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
April	17, 1880	..	18	7	20	14	6	..	3	6	12	6	96	112	32	54	33	141	198	256
"	10, "	..	12	11	22	19	4	..	4	2	7	12	90	83	32	52	34	115	170	223
"	3, "	..	13	7	20	21	3	..	6	5	5	12	87	59	22	57	26	112	153	208
March	27, "	..	13	1	12	17	6	..	8	3	12	12	103	61	30	56	22	111	159	219
Total.....		..	56	26	74	71	19	..	21	16	36	42	376	315	116	219	115	479	680	906

The ages of 141 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 198 under two years; 256 under five years, and 48 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age were 33 more than the number reported during last week, and represent 40.76 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death Occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending April 17, 1880:

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	7	10	..	..	1	..	2	6	4	4	1	..	..	..	1	10	27
Scarlatina.....	3	4	..	..	..	1	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	9	25
Diphtheria.....	7	12	..	..	1	1	6	7	1	1	1	..	..	1	3	0	3
Membranous Croup..	4	10	..	..	..	..	5	4	4	1	..	..	..	..	2	8	15
Whooping Cough....	..	3	..	..	3	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	9	16
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	26	0	20
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	3	3	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	21
Malarial Fevers.....	7	4	..	..	1	..	3	3	3	1	1	..	..	..	26	7	19

DISEASE.	WARDS.																				TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	
Small-pox.....
Measles.....	1	2	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	3	1	1	18
Scarlatina.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	7
Diphtheria.....	1	1	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	3	5	..	20
Membranous Croup..	1	..	..	..	1	1	3	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	..	14
Whooping Cough....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	6
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
Malarial Fevers.....	3	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	1	2	1	..	12

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		Not started.
Small-pox. ....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles. ....	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	2	..	2	1	1	..	14
Scarlatina. ....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Diphtheria.	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	1	4	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	20
Membranous Croup..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	14
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Typhus Fever. ....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever. ....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	10	..	..	6	
Malarial Fevers.	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 100 were in institutions, 326 in tenement houses, 186 in houses containing 3 families or less, 7 in hotels and boarding-houses, 8 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 5 were on the basement floor, 126 on the first, 182 on the second, 112 on the third, 72 on the fourth, 22 on the fifth, 0 on the sixth. 622 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 6 non-residents. 71 were stated to be single, 155 married, 67 widowed, and the condition of 335 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 628; still-births, 51; bodies in transitu, 39. Of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births 66 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 506 births, 159 marriages, 51 still-births, 628 deaths, 39 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated. 55 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 10 transcripts of the birth record, 6 of marriage, and 34 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending April 17, 1880, was 50.9 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.797, the mean humidity was 69, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,594, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.13 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 603 deaths and still-births, or 88.81 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 9; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 243; City, pauper burial ground (undenominational), 57; Greenwood (undenominational), 41; Lutheran, (undenominational), 82; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 29; Evergreen (undenominational), 71; Woodlawn (undenominational), 32; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 12; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 5; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 2; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 5; Washington (undenominational), 13.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending April 10, 1880, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 8; Second, 0; Third, 3; Fourth, 9; Fifth, 8; Sixth, 11; Seventh, 20; Eighth, 23; Ninth, 21; Tenth, 15; Eleventh, 33; Twelfth, 39; Thirteenth, 12; Fourteenth, 16; Fifteenth, 8; Sixteenth, 17; Seventeenth, 38; Eighteenth, 21; Nineteenth, 80; Twentieth, 51; Twenty-first, 49; Twenty-second, 53; Twenty-third, 9; Twenty-fourth, 4.

The actual mortality for the week ending April 10, 1880, was 548; this is 65 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1879, and 17.2 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.70 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,108,720.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns, of Philadelphia was 20.53; Brooklyn, 19.53; St. Louis, 14.87; Baltimore, 18.47; Boston, 21.80; San Francisco, 15.34; Louisville, 20.49; Buffalo, 17.1; Cleveland, 17.14; Charleston, 24.63; Dayton, 18.27; Erie, 24.14; Lowell, 31.78; Worcester, 21.58; Cambridge, 14.44; Fall River, 18.04; Lawrence, 20.21; Lynn, 16.46; Springfield, 14.72; Dubuque, Iowa, 15.60; monthly returns: Chicago, 20.33; New Haven, 19; Paterson, 24.90; Nashville, 20.76; St. Paul, 26.36; Hartford, 14.62. Foreign cities—weekly returns: London, 24.7; Liverpool, 27.2; Birmingham, 23.7; Manchester, 31.8; Glasgow, 27.5; Edinburgh, 26.9; Dundee, 27.5; Dublin, 42.8; Belfast, 38.6; Cork, 32.2; Brussels, 26.1; Antwerp, 25.4; Ghent, 28.3; Buda Pesth, 40.3; Paris, 31.38; Rome, 29.4; Naples, 35.5; Zaragoza, 31.39; Turin, 30.5; Venice, 32.4; Berlin, 23.6; Munich, 38; Breslau, 32.97; Vienna, 31.8; Cadiz, 28.58; Copenhagen, 25.4; Stockholm, 26.5; Christiania, 17.36; Amsterdam, 33.7;

Rotterdam, 27.7; The Hague, 35.7; Calcutta, 29.1; Bombay, 42.4; Madras, 38.3; Geneva (with suburbs), 22.9; Basel, 22.5; Bern, 28.2; St. Petersburg, 58.10; Murcia, 28.98; Havre, 29.37; Palma, 22.98; Barcelona, 31.94; Malaga, 33.65; monthly returns: Alexandria, Egypt, 34.81; Hamburg (State), 30.24.

On motion, the Board adjourned.
By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Births* reported during the week ending April 17, 1880.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILF.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
506	505	1	260	246	..	262	121	77	31	..	..	11	4	..	347	159

Marriages* reported during the week ending April 17, 1880.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.											
	WHITE.		COLORED.		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.
159	149	149	10	10	67	61	92	98	..	..	..	..	127	137	27	13	3	2	..	1	2	6

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending April 17, 1880, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending April 10, 1880.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
2	Austria.....	12	12	5	7	2	1	..	..
2	British America.....	4	3	3	3	2	1	1	..
2	England.....	19	11	23	5	7	1	1	1
2	France.....	3	3	3	2	2	2	..	..
50	Germany.....	115	106	199	153	18	15	16	14
113	Ireland.....	201	209	76	75	23	26	10	11
0	Italy.....	15	15	5	1	1	1	3	3
..	Poland.....	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
3	Scotland.....	4	5	1	3	2	3	3	1
1	Switzerland.....	2	1	1	3	..	..	..	..
346	United States.....	138	137	152	209	92	98	13	19
1	Unknown or not stated.....	13	12	15	..	..	..	..	..
2	West Indies.....	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
2	Other countries.....	13	12	23	16	10	4	3	1

Still-Births reported during the week ending April 17, 1880.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
51	28	23	..	50	1	13	38	..	19	32	..	..	..	..	1	4	8	6	5	27	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending April 17, 1880.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.															RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.										New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.			Not Stated. †
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not stated.	Single.				Married.	Widowed.		
628	100	326	186	7	8	1	5	126	182	112	72	22	..	..	..	622	6	..	71	155	67	335

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending April 17, 1880, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending April 10, 1880.

SIR—There were 628 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, April 17, 1880, which is an increase of 68, as compared with the number reported during the preceding week, and 116 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1879. The actual mortality for the week ending April 10, 1880, was 548, which is 17.2 above the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.70 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,108,720.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending April 17, 1880, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending April 10, 1880.

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* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1875.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrheal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.						Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.
NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHThERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																			
Actual Mortality during the Week ending April 10, 1880.																			
First	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	6	14,298	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, 1, U. S. Marine Hospital, 1; Lutheran Emigrant Home,
Second	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,012	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, ..; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 3; Newsboys' Lodgings,
Third	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,874	Fourth Precinct Station, ..; Mission Home, ..; St. James' Home,
Fourth	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,628	Fifth Precinct Station, ..; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street,
Fifth	168	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,951	City Prison, ..; Home of Industry, ..; Centre Street Dispensary, ..; Park Street Mission Home,
Sixth	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19,861	Seventh Precinct Station, ..; Sailors' Home, ..; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway,
Seventh	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45,636	Eighth Precinct Station, ..
Eighth	183	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32,405	St. Vincent's Hospital, 2; Jefferson Market Prison, ..; St. Luke's Home, ..
Ninth	322	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49,403	Essex Street Prison, ..; Tenth Precinct Station, ..; Ludlow Street Jail, ..
Tenth	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41,757	St. Francis' Hospital, 3; Eleventh Precinct Station, ..
Eleventh	196	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63,855	Reception Hospital, 99th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, 3; Sheltering Arms, ..; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 1; Colored Orphan Asylum, ..; Ward's Island, 4; Randall's Island, 1; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, ..; St. Joseph's Asylum, ..; House of Refuge, ..; Infirmary of Mercy, ..; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, ..; Union Home and School, ..; House of Good Shepherd, 1; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, ..; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, ..; Homoeopathic Hospital, 4; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, ..; Leake and Watts Orphan Home, ..; Unsectarian Home, ..; Infirmary, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, ..
Twelfth	5,504.13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60,510	Thirteenth Precinct Station, ..
Thirteenth	107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34,013	R. C. Orphan Asylum, ..; Lying-in Asylum, ..; Fourteenth Precinct Station, 1; House of Mercy, ..
Fourteenth	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20,453	Fifteenth Precinct Station, ..; Midnight Mission, ..; Prot. Half Orphan Asylum, ..; Juvenile Asylum, ..
Fifteenth	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,529	Samaritan Home for the Aged, ..; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, 1; Shelter, Church of Holy Communion, 1
Sixteenth	348.77	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	48,335	Office of Commissioners Charities and Correction, ..; Eye Infirmary, ..; Seventeenth Precinct Station, ..
Seventeenth	331	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	101,075	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ..; New York Hospital, ..; New York Infirmary for Women and Children, ..; Home for Aged, Church of the Holy Communion, ..; Reception Hospital, ..
Eighteenth	449.89	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	61,195	Presbyterian Home, ..; Presbyterian Hospital, ..; German Hospital, 2; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 1; Foundling Hospital, 4; Women's Asylum, ..; City Lunatic Asylum, 2; Almshouse, ..; Penitentiary, ..; Small-pox Hospital, ..; Charity Hospital, 7; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ..; Colored Home Hospital, ..; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 2; St. Luke's Hospital, 4; Workhouse, 2; Fever Hospital, ..; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, ..; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, ..; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), 1; Chapin Home for the Aged, 1; Hahnemann's Hospital, ..; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 49th street and Lexington avenue, ..; Hebrew Shelter, ..; Maternity Hospital, ..; Infirmary, Sisters of Mercy, 1; St. Joseph's Infirmary, ..; Baptist Home, ..; Inst. for the Blind, 1; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, ..; St. Mary's Hospital, ..; St. Vincent de Paul Orphan Asylum, ..
Nineteenth	1,480.60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	118,727	Bellevue Hospital, 21; in Ambulances, ..; Morgue, ..; Women's Hospital and College, ..; St. Stephen's Home, ..; Twenty-first Precinct Station, ..; Home of the Friendless, ..; Emergency Hospital, 2.....
Twentieth	444	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	79,764	Roosevelt Hospital, 6; Old Ladies' Home, ..; New York Infant Asylum, ..; Hahnemann's Hospital, ..
Twenty-first	411	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58,831	New York Orphan Asylum, ..; Industrial School of St. Vincent de Paul, ..; M. E. Home,
Twenty-second	1,529.42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	83,420	Thirty-third Precinct Station, ..
Twenty-third	4,267.023	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24,320	House of Rest for Consumptives, ..; Home for Incurables, ..; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, ..; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, ..
Twenty-fourth	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11,874	
Totals	24,893.156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,041,886	Total mortality in Public Institutions.

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 19th day of April, 1880.
Present—Commissioners French, Wheeler and Voorhis.
Resolved, That the following named employees of the police steamboat Seneca be and are hereby removed, their services being no longer required:
George Huyck, Engineer.
Thomas Leonard, Fireman.
Anthony Bishop, " "
Adjourned.

Michael McQuade, Deck-hand.
George Martin, " "
James Brown, Cook.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
April 23, 1880.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., *Supervisor City Record*:

SIR—Pursuant to section 44, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I hereby submit the following list of appointments and applicants for appointment in the Police Department, for the two weeks ending Thursday, April 22, 1880:

Appointments as Patrolmen.

John J. Doolin, cooper, 130 Henry street,
Thomas Stephenson, porter, 669 Third avenue.
John Kelly, clerk, 443 East Fifteenth street.
John Burns, agent, 158 West Eighteenth street.
Henry Lunt, conductor, 297 Third avenue.

Applicants for Appointment as Patrolmen.

Frank S. Nichols, sailor, 43 South Washington square. Rejected.
Cornelius Hayes, truckman, 372 Cherry street. Passed.
Lawrence McGovern, carman, 310 East Thirty-third street. Passed.
John Apple, porter, 220 Second street. Passed.
Joseph Cottrell, Jr., conductor, 320 West Forty-seventh street. Passed.
Michael Toner, watchman, 216 West Thirty-second street. Rejected.
John S. Roddy, varnisher, 403 West Forty-first street. Rejected.
Michael Casey, laborer, 3 Attorney street. Passed.
William H. Byrne, conductor, 122 West Nineteenth street. Passed.
George W. Trimble, printer, 116 Christopher street. Passed.
John B. Ryan, plumber, 271 East Tenth street. Passed.
Robert Jackson, laborer, 343 West Seventeenth street. Rejected.
William J. Collier, driver, Port Jervis, N. Y. Rejected.
Eugene Mace, cartman, 343 West Twelfth street. Passed.
Irving C. Tompkins, conductor, 164 West Thirty-fifth street. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,
S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That Hulbert Peck be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Hulbert Peck, whose term of office expires April 12, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 30, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 13, 1880.

Resolved, That Edward J. Knight be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward J. Knight, whose term of office expires the 18th of April, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 30, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 13, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas F. Tracy to erect a bay-window southeast corner One Hundred and Eleventh street and Lexington avenue, he having the consent of property owners adjoining, the work 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, March 30, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 13, 1880.

Resolved, That George W. White be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of George W. White, whose term of office expires April, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 6, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 17, 1880.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of the persons whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office expire at the time stated:

	Term Expires.
Charles M. Berrian, in place of Charles M. Berrian.....	April 12, 1880
Francis J. Gallagher, " Jacob Berlinger.....	" 18, "
Jacob Green, " Alexander A. Cauldwell.....	" 12, "
Charles S. Arthur, " John W. Campbell.....	" 30, "
Bernard Fitzsimmons, " Bernard Fitzsimmons.....	" 13, "
Richard F. Harrison, " Richard F. Harrison.....	" 18, "
Edward R. Harper, " Edward R. Harper.....	" 18, "
Charles F. Duryee, " Moses B. Maclay.....	" 18, "
Thomas F. Carney, " P. O'Beirne.....	" 5, "
John H. McCoy, " Timothy D. O'Brien.....	" 18, "
Samuel G. Barnard, " William Sarback.....	" 18, "
David Freidsam, " Denis A. Spellissy.....	" 27, "
William F. McCusker, " Angel J. Simpson.....	" 18, "

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 13, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 15, 1880.

Resignation of Thomas S. Evers as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That James W. McGowan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Thomas S. Evers, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 13, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 15, 1880.

Resignation of William Sparks as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That Frederick W. Harth be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William Sparks, resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 13, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 15, 1880.

Resignation of James H. Caulfield as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That Thomas D. Reilly be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James H. Caulfield who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 13, 1880.
Approved by the Mayor, April 15, 1880.

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; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

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

Permit and License Bureau Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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

Bureau of 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 W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

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.

LAW DEPARTMENT

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

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

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

Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.
Corner Cortlandt and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, 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 23rd and 24th Wards.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PRTER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, 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, JOHN W. BARROW,

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.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, 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 5 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 22, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING ALL THAT PART of Pier old 31, near the foot of Duane street, N. R., with the sheds and buildings thereon, which lies westerly of a line about 50 feet westerly of the new bulk-head line, except the crib work below low-water mark, the deck plank, sheathing, and oak fender piles, and preparing for and building a new wooden pier, north of said Pier old 31, to be known as Pier new 21, N. R.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING A PART of Pier old 31, and all the sheds and buildings thereon, and for building a new wooden pier near the foot of Duane street, N. R., indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1880,

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and the bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of eighteen thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. Yellow Pine Timber—			
4" x 10".....	47,100 feet B. M.,	measured in the work.	
4" x 12".....	1,024 "	"	"
5" plank.....	267,725 "	"	"
5" x 10".....	45,375 "	"	"
5" x 12".....	55,070 "	"	"
5" x 16".....	13,534 "	"	"
6" x 12".....	13,560 "	"	"
8" x 8".....	6,197 "	"	"
10" x 10".....	194,616 "	"	"
12" x 12".....	260,316 "	"	"
Total.....	905,117 "	"	"

2. White Oak Timber—			
5" x 12".....	7,525 "	"	"
6" x 12".....	300 "	"	"
7" x 10".....	52,442 "	"	"
8" x 12".....	14,575 "	"	"
12" x 12".....	768 "	"	"
Total.....	75,611 "	"	"

3. Spruce Timber—

3" x 4"..... 3,072 " " "

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

4. Locust treenails, about..... 3,800

5. Yellow Pine or Cypress piles..... 1,035

(It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 65 to 75 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for driving, hereinafter contained.)

6. 2" x 1½" x 1½" x 1½" and ¾" x ¾" wrought-iron screw-bolts & ¾" iron round washers, about..... 27,024 pounds.

7. 1" and ¾" wrought-iron square washers and wrought-iron square washers for the ¾" bolts, to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about... 2,500 "

8. ¾" x 22" x 14" x 14" x 18" x 18" x 10" x 10" x 10" x 10" x 10" x 10" square, and ¾" x 12" x 12" x 6", ¾" x 4" round, wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, about..... 62,369 "

9. Boiler plate armatures, wrought-iron corner bands, column and pile shoes, about..... 8,648 "
10. Cast-iron mooring posts, about..... 3,600 "
11. Cast-iron washers for 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" screw-bolts, about..... 13,826 "
12. Columns of 20" x 20" section, 8 1/2 feet or more in length..... 66
13. Putting in place and furnishing about 584 feet of oval sewer box, to be fastened by Department of Docks.
14. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling, or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling, or tarring, and the wedges for the trunnels, etc., and labor of every description: for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 6,500 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier, 52,750 square feet.

The foregoing are the quantities which have been estimated approximately for the construction of the work. They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that neither the Department of Docks nor the Corporation of the City of New York is to be held responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders are required to examine the plans and the premises, and to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The time allowed for the completion of the work (except about 100 feet of the shore end of the pier) which will not be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is erected, and is to be completed within 30 days after notice, to be given by the Department, that work on the said 100 feet may be commenced and proceeded with) is five months from the date of an order to be given by the Engineer-in-Chief to commence the work, or within as many days after the five months have expired as the premises may have been occupied, after the date of said order, by the Department of Docks in dredging for the pier; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for fulfillment has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day, in each case.

All the old material taken from said Pier, old 31, and the sheds and buildings thereon, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate for doing this work, in addition to inserting the same in figures. Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid, or proposal, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the proper security for forty-eight hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it is accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the city of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII. 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

The right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, is annexed.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 15, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work, the name of the bidder, and the number of the work, as in the advertisement, indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 28th day of April, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read, for the following:

- No. 1. SEWER in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets.
- No. 2. SEWER in Sixty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- No. 3. SEWER in Ninety-sixth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
- No. 4. SEWER in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Sixth avenue and Summit west of Sixth avenue.

No. 5. SEWER in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Seventh avenue and Summit east of Seventh avenue.

No. 6. SEWERS in Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets, between Third and Fourth avenues; in Ninety-eighth street, between Third and Lexington avenues; and in Lexington avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets.

No. 7. SEWER in Macdougall street, between West Fourth street and West Washington place, from end of present sewer in West Washington place.

No. 8. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS for Aqueduct purposes in Tenth avenue, Eighty-fifth street, and Central Park, from Ninety-third street to Aqueduct in Central Park.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to enclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the following offices: sewers, Room 21, City Hall, and laying Croton pipes, at Room 11 1/2 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.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Long Island Sound; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Harlem river to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Westchester avenue, from Third avenue to the City line at the Bronx river; and to the opening of Cliff street, from Third avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Jerome avenue (late Central avenue) to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of Tinton avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and to the opening of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Elton avenue; and to the opening and widening of Morris avenue, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held at the Chambers of said Court in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 28th day of May, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 21, 1880.

MEYER BUTZEL,
HENRY LEWIS,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Welch street, from the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Kingsbridge road, as said Welch street has been laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 315 of the Laws of 1879, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

Pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers of said Court in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, A. D. 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Welch street, from the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Kingsbridge road, as said Welch street has been laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 315 of the Laws of 1879, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

Dated New York April 16, 1880.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row,
New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1880.

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 Tenth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair; blue eyes; heart, cross, anchor, and star tattooed on right arm. Had on dark overcoat, black frock coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, gray knit drawers, white socks, brogan shoes, felt hat.

Unknown man from Nineteenth Precinct Station-house—aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; sandy moustache and imperial; blue eyes. Had on dark overcoat, brown canvass overalls, black diagonal vest, blue woolen undershirt, blue check jumper, gaiters, scotch cap.

Unknown man from 66 Third avenue (Hebrew); aged about 55 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; black hair and beard mixed with gray; blue eyes. Had on black overcoat, gray frock coat, check pants, white drawers, striped hickory shirt, black felt hat, lace shoes. On his person was found card, with address: Israel Nathan, 320 West Thirty-first street; envelope marked Wenzel, 505 South Fifth street, Philadelphia.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Bridget Connor; aged 56 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black dress, white chemise, shawl, stockings, hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Mary Hayes; aged 45 years; 4 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRY GOODS, PAINTS, AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

- 30,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
800 pounds Creamery Butter (sample on exhibition April 28th).
50 dozen canned Tomatoes.
20 barrels (160 lbs. net each) Crushed Wheat.
20 " (200 lbs. net each) Oatmeal.
50 " " New Family Mess Pork.
300 bags (40 lbs. each) Bran.
500 bales long and bright Rye Straw.
100 barrels best quality Russia Turnips.
100 " " Carrots.
50 " " Red Onions.

DRY GOODS.

- 100 Dozen Women's Stockings.
500 Pounds Knitting Cotton.

PAINTS.

- 5 Tons Pure White Lead in Oil, to be equal to "Atlantic," in packages of 25 to 100 pounds each, as may be required.
10 Pounds best English Vermilion (dry.)

CROCKERY.

- 10 Gross Bowls.
1 " Spilt Cups.

LUMBER.

- 500 Pieces best quality Spruce Flooring, 1 1/4 x 9 inches.
250 Pieces best quality Rough Spruce Plank, 2 x 9 inches.
500 Feet 1 1/2 inch Clear Pine, tongued and grooved.
200 Feet 1 inch Shelving.
200 Feet 1 inch Ash.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M., of Friday, the 30th day of April, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, endorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Provisions, Dry Goods, Paints, and Lumber," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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 is 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates

if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, April 16, 1880.

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, April 16, 1880.

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 off Battery—Unknown man, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and side whiskers. Had on black coat and vest, dark pants with gray stripe, brown striped shirt, white shirt, gray ribbed drawers, blue woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from off Governor's Island. Had on blue woolen socks, boots; about one year in water. At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Jane Connors, aged 20 years; 5 feet 1 1/2 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 14, 1880.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Ann Quinlan; aged 50 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, brown calico dress. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Thomas Dooley; aged 42 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat, black pants, colored shirt, felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Cornelia Smith; aged 53 years. Committed April 1, 1880. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Lawrence Mulligan; aged 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown coat, dark pants, gray vest. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Lizzie Briel; aged 36 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; light hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, green dress, striped shawl petticoat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

THE CITY RECORD

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
HENRY HAFKEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 19, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE opening of proposals for the following:

- Furnishing two (2) Steam Fire Engines, advertisement dated April 8, 1880.
Furnishing one (1) Steam Fire Engine, advertisement dated April 7, 1880.

Furnishing Coal, advertisement dated April 7, 1880.
Alterations and repairs quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. —, advertisement dated April 6, 1880.

—is postponed to 9 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, the 24th instant.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with two hundred and fifty (250) chestnut telegraph poles will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 5th proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

The poles are to be of the following dimensions and descriptions:

One hundred and seventy-five (175) poles, each 35 feet long; twenty-five (25) poles, each 40 feet long; twenty-five (25) poles, each 50 feet long; ten (10) poles, each 55 feet long; ten (10) poles, each 60 feet long; five (5) poles, each 65 feet long; all to be straight, well proportioned, peeled, trimmed, and butted, not less than six inches diameter at the top, and to be delivered at such times and places in this city as may be required.

No proposal will be received or considered after the hour named.

Two responsible sureties will be required with each proposal, who must each justify thereon prior to its presentation, in not less than one-half the amount thereof.

Blank proposals and further information will be furnished upon application at these Headquarters, where the form of contract to be entered into may also be seen.

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope to the Board of Commissioners, with the indorsement "Proposals for Furnishing Telegraph Poles," and the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

HEADQUARTERS,
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TWO (2)
steam fire engines (one Smith, and one Lee &
Larned, maker) will be sold at public auction, by Van
Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, to the highest bidder
for cash, on Thursday, the 29th instant, 1880, at 12 o'clock
M., at the Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third
street.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
(155 & 157 MERCER STREET),
NEW YORK, April 8, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TO
this Department two steam fire engines, will be re-
ceived at these Headquarters until 9 A.M., on Wednesday,
the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and
read.

The engines are to be what is known as first-size double-
pump and cylinder steam fire-engines.

The boilers to be vertical, 38 inches diameter, and 60
inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having
copper smoke-flues, and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron,
each hanging tube having circulating strips. To be of
sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required
in doing fire duty, and to have ample steaming capacity to
keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest
work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded
with brass bands, nickel-plated. To have one safety valve
made of composition.

The boilers to be in all respects as to form and construc-
tion exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 42 of this
Department, being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular
Boiler, patent of 1878.

The boiler to be surmounted with a dome of brass.
The main pumps to be double-acting, made entirely of
composition, with cylinders each 4 1/2 inches diameter, and
having a stroke of 8 inches. To have two discharge gates
and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinders to be 8 inches diameter, each
having a stroke of 8 inches, and to be fitted to a bed plate
containing the steam passages.

The steam cylinders, steam chest, and bed plate to be
cased in brass, nickel-plated.

The air chambers to be made of copper, nickel-plated.
There is to be a fresh-water tank to connect with feed
pumps, also suitable fresh water connection.

The wheels to be the Archibald Pattern, made of
selected timber, prepared in the best manner, painted
with best English vermilion and striped with gold leaf.

The tires to be 3 inches wide, 7/8 inch thick.
The coal bunker to be of strong iron, and to be painted
same as wheels.

The axles, frames, braces, etc., to be made of Bessemer
steel.

The boilers to be hung on half elliptic springs, similar
in every respect to the crane-neck engines now in use in
this Department.

The brake to be arranged to bear upon the rear wheels,
and so constructed as to be controlled by the driver.
The suction hose to be smooth bore, in two lengths, and
each length to have suitable couplings, the thread to be
the same as on suction and hydrants in use by this De-
partment.

The hydrant connection to have two female couplings,
one 4 1/2 inches diameter and one 2 1/2 inches diameter, and
to have same thread as suction on large coupling, and
regulation thread on the 2 1/2 inch.

The drawing rig to be such that the engines may be
drawn by horses. There is to be a driver's seat upon the
forward part of the engines, fitted with cushions, two lan-
terns, and whip-sockets.

The engines to be fitted up with pole and whiffletrees
for horses.

All stuffing boxes to be so constructed as to take up
while engine is running.

Each engine to be supplied with—
Two nickel-plated steam-gauges.

One nickel-plated water pressure gauge.

One glass water-gauge, same as in use in this Depart-
ment.

One nickel-plated foam pipe containing four gauge-
cocks.

One surface blow cock and attachment for thaw-hose.

Two heater connection pipes.

One nickel-plated signal whistle.

One variable exhaust nozzle and steam jet.

Two number plates.

One suction basket.

Two brass hose pipes, to have regulation thread.

Five nozzles.

One pipe holder stick.

One length thaw hose, 18 feet, and nozzle.

One fresh water connection of composition metal.

The safety and throttle valves, feed pumps, eccentric
straps, connecting rod bearings, and pipe holders to be of
composition.

All parts of the apparatus to be painted with English
vermilion and striped with gold leaf, except air chamber,
steam cylinders, dome, and working parts.

The engines to be what is known as "crane neck," and
to be fully supplied with all necessary tools.

The engines are to be delivered at the Repair Shops of
the Fire Department within ninety days after the execu-
tion of the contract, in complete working order, with a
guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the
best character, and to replace, at the expense of the con-
tractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is
properly attributable to defective material or inferior
workmanship. Said engines shall have a full and com-
plete trial of their working powers at New York, under the
superintendence of a competent engineer.

No proposals will be received after the hour named, or
considered if not made in strict compliance with the terms
of this advertisement.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each pro-
posal, who must each justify in one-half the amount there-
of, upon the proposal prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Furnishing
two Engines," with the name of the bidder, and be ad-
dressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Depart-
ment.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further
information as may be required, may be obtained upon
application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed
form of contract may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject
any or all proposals received, or any part of such pro-
posals, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
(155 & 157 MERCER STREET),
NEW YORK, April 7, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:

1,700 tons Egg Coal,
1,000 tons Stove Coal,

to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton, or Lack-
awanna Valley, weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be
well screened and free from slate, will be received at
these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A.M., on Wednesday,
the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and
read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the
hour named.

Proposals may be made for one or more of the items,
specifying the price per ton.

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

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each pro-
posal, amounting in the aggregate to One Thousand dol-
lars, or more, who must each justify in one-half the amount
thereof upon the same, prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Furnishing
Coal," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to
the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such information
as may be required, may be obtained upon application at
these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract
may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject
any or all proposals received, or any part of such proposals,
if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK
and furnishing the materials required in the proposed
alteration and repairing of the building No. 126 East
Fiftieth street (known as the quarters of Hook and Lad-
der Company No. 2), will be received as above until 9
o'clock A.M., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they
will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the
hour named.

Plans and specifications and the form of contract to be
entered into by the successful bidder may be seen, and
blank proposals will be furnished on application at these
Headquarters.

Two responsible sureties will be required with each
proposal, who must each justify thereon prior to its pre-
sentation in not less than one-half the amount thereof.

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope "To the
Board of Commissioners," with the indorsement, "Pro-
posal for Alterations and Repairs, No. 126 East Fiftieth
street," and the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or
all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the
interests of the city.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 7, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TO
this Department one steam fire engine, will be re-
ceived at these headquarters until nine o'clock A.M., on
Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly
opened and read.

The engine is to be what is known as a first-size double-
pump and cylinder steam fire-engine.

The boiler is to be what is known as a Latta boiler, with
Ahrens improvements, made of the best materials and of
sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required
in fire duty. It must have ample steaming capacity to
keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest
work, with a guarantee to make steam from cold water and
throw a stream of water through one hundred (100) feet
of hose with regular gauge of water inside of
four minutes from the time of lighting the fire, and to gen-
erate and maintain an ample working pressure of steam
for effective fire duty. The boiler is to be covered with
a Russia iron jacket and surmounted with a brass dome.

The steam cylinders and pumps are to be placed perpen-
dicular to the boiler. The steam cylinders are to be cased
in German silver. The main forcing pump must be double
acting and be made entirely of composition. It must be
so constructed that it can be taken apart and put together
again should repairs be required. There must be two
discharge gates, also a circulating or churn valve for the
purpose of feeding the boiler when the streams are cut off.

The engine is to be made complete of the best materials,
in the most workmanlike manner, with all recent
improvements, and is to be furnished with one air
pump (latest improved), improved safety valves,
without scale, two nickel-plated steam gauges, one
nickel-plated water-pressure gauge, one glass water
gauge, eight gauge cocks, two blow cocks for steam—
one up and one down—one surface blow cock, and at-
tachment for thaw hose, one signal whistle, one variable
exhaust nozzle and steam jet, one large copper air cham-
ber, one ornament on the air chamber, twenty-two feet of
rubber suction-hose attached to the pump, to be carried in
brackets around the engine, ready for immediate service,
copper suction strainer, a full set of discharge pipes, five
(5) nozzles, various sizes, foot brake, one number plate,
which together with the glass in the lamp is to be en-
graved with the number; also all the tools and wrenches,
etc., to work the engine, oil cans, fire shovel, poker; and
to be furnished with box for tools. The machine is to be
handsomely finished and painted with gold striping and
ornamental work. The wheels are to be what is known
as the Archibald pattern of the latest improved kind.

The fuel-box, on the back of the boiler, must be large
enough to carry coal for one or two hours' running, and
will be painted the same as the wheels.

The working parts of the engine are in all cases to be
perfectly fitted and polished. All of the steel and iron
works are to be finished in first-class style. The throttle-
valve, feed-pump, eccentric strap, and pipe-holders and
other parts are to be of fine composition.

The engine is to be fitted to be drawn by horses, with a
pole and whiffletrees and a seat for the driver.

Size of steam cylinder to be 7 1/2 inches diameter, 8
inches stroke. Size of pump to be 4 1/2 inches diameter,
8 inches stroke. Front wheels to be 24 inches high; rear
wheels to be 60 inches high. Tire, 2 1/2 by 7/8 inches.

The engine is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the
Fire Department within ninety days after the execution of
the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee
that its material and workmanship are of the best charac-
ter, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such
parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly at-
tributable to defective material or inferior workmanship.
Said engine shall have a full and complete trial of its
working powers at New York, under the superintendence
of a competent engineer.

No proposals will be received after the hour named,
or considered if not made in strict compliance with the
terms of this advertisement.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each
proposal, who must each justify in one-half the amount
thereof, upon the proposal prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Furnishing
one Engine," with the name of the bidder, and be ad-
dressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Depart-
ment.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further
information as may be required, may be obtained upon
application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed
form of contract may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject
any or all proposals received, or any part of such pro-
posals, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

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,
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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 19, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold
at public auction on Friday, April 30, 1880, at 10 o'clock
A.M., at the stables of Vantassel & Kearney, No. 110 East
Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39,
NEW YORK, March 30, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New
York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following
property now in his custody without claimants: Boots,
iron, coffee, wine, clothing (male and female),
watches, revolvers, trunks and contents, wagons, etc.,
also small amount of money taken from prisoners and
found by officers, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

MARKET CELLARS AT ESSEX AND FULTON
MARKETS, AND LOFTS OF BUILDING, No. 3
DUANE STREET, TO BE LEASED AT PUBLIC
AUCTION, ON MONDAY, APRIL 26, 1880.

LEASES OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED
premises, belonging to the Corporation of the City of
New York, will be sold by order of the Commissioners of
the Sinking Fund, at public auction, at the New County
Court-house, on Monday, April 26, 1880, at 11 o'clock
A.M., for the term of one year from May 1, 1880, viz.:
Essex Market Cellar, No. 1.
Fulton Market Cellars—No. 5 alone; Nos. 14 and 15
together; Nos. 19, 20, and 21 together.
Two upper floors, No. 5 Duane street.

TERMS OF SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel,
to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time
and place of sale, and the successful bidder will be required
at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two
sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying
into effect the terms of sale.

Twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the
first quarter's rent; or the same will be forfeited, if the
said successful bidder does not execute the lease and bond
within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller
shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises
bid off by any person failing to comply with the terms of
sale; and the person so failing to comply shall be liable
for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person shall be received as lessee or surety who is
delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation.
No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears
to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a
defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to
the Corporation, as provided by section 99 of the Charter
of 1873.

The leases will contain the usual covenants and con-
ditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel
the lease whenever the premises may be required for
public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees,
and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by
reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the
city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double
the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be
approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the pay-
ment of the rent quarterly, and the fulfillment on their
part of the covenants of the lease.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
April 14, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE, TUES-
DAY, APRIL 27, 1880.

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 Tuesday, April 27, 1880, at
noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in
the City of New York, the following-described real estate
belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York,
viz.:

Four story house and lot (25 x 95.6), No. 48 Chatham
street, north side, 100 feet from corner of Tryon row, sub-
ject to lease expires May 1, 1882.

Three story house and lot (25 x 100), No. 118 Sullivan
street, west side, 125 feet from Prince street, subject to
lease expires May 1, 1881.

Three story house and lot (25 x 91.4), No. 115 Chris-
topher street, north side, 218.10 1/2 feet from Hudson street.

Three story house and lot (29.9 x 102.6 irregular), No.
70 Barrow street, north side, 177 feet from Hudson street.

Three story house and lot (21 x 80), No. 399 Cherry
street, south side 162.3 feet from Scamell street.

School house and lots (45 x 93.2), Nos. 186 and 188
South Fifth avenue, west side, 80 feet from Broome street.

Lot (24.11 1/2 x 100), No. 84 Mangin street, east side,
152.6 1/2 feet from Rivington street.

Lot (25 x 100), No. 86 Mangin street.

Lot (24.11 1/2 x 100), No. 67 Tompkins street, west side,
152.6 1/2 feet from Rivington street.

Lot (25 x 100), No. 69 Tompkins street.

Lithographic maps of the above designated property
may be obtained at the Comptroller's Office, at the New
County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1880.

Full warranty deeds will be given to purchasers.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's
fees, on each lot, to be paid at the Comptroller's Office im-
mediately after the sale; thirty per cent. on May 1st next,
when the deeds will be ready for delivery; and the bal-
ance (sixty per cent.), or any portion thereof, at the
option of the purchaser, may remain on bond and mort-
gage for five years from May 1, 1880, with interest at the
rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half yearly.

Mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest
clause. The amount on bond and mortgage may be paid
off at any time within five years, on giving one month's
notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid in installments
of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when in-
terest is due within the five years. The bonds and mort-
gages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation,
and twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for the
expense of drawing, acknowledging, and recording each
separate mortgage.

Purchasers are informed that if more than one lot is
included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be
paid off before any release can be given by the corpora-
tion, as any release of part of the premises included in a
mortgage to the corporation is forbidden by law.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the lots bid
off by those failing to comply with the terms of the sale,
and the party so failing to comply will be held liable for
any deficiency that may result from such resale.

The premises designated as No. 48 Chatham street and
118 Sullivan street will be sold subject to the unexpired
term of a lease on each of said premises. The lease of 118
Sullivan street expires on the first day of May, 1881, and
the lease of 48 Chatham street on the first day of May,
1882.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 14, 1880.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS
of the City and County of New York, due May 1,
1880, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his
office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 27, to
May 1, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM No. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 25, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 13, ENTERED FEBRUARY 21, 1880.

Bronx River road opening, from Grand avenue to the
north line of the City of New York.

All payments made on the above assessment on or
before April 26, 1880, 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.