

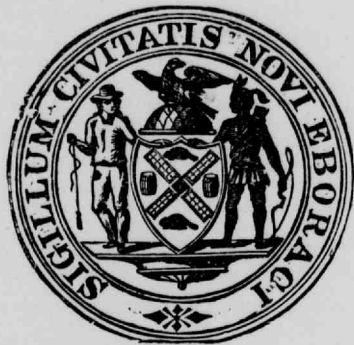
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, September 26, 1882.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; weekly reports on Riverside Hospital; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; on work performed by the Milk Inspectors; on work performed by the Meat Inspectors; on work performed by the Sanitary Company of Police; on work performed in cleaning and disinfecting of Mill Brook; on work performed by the Summer Corps; on sanitary condition of premises No. 430 East Seventy-first street, with certificate of the Sanitary Superintendent; on filling in of vacant lots on West Eighty-third street between Eighth and Ninth avenues; on condition of premises, Tilden & Co., No. 639 West Fortieth street; on street pavements, etc.; on applications for relief from certain orders; on petition complaining of dummy engines in Canal street (referred to District Attorney).

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly reports; reports on application to register the birth of Lina Thurnauer, December 14, 1866, and Catharine H. Noach, December 14, 1874, which were approved, and, on motion, the applications were denied.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly letter; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of births and still-births; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks.

Communications from other Departments.

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

From the Department of Street Cleaning: In respect to dumping refuse at Brook avenue near Westchester avenue.

From the Board of Aldermen: Authorizing this Department to procure a steam boiler in the open market.

Miscellaneous Communications.

From Norwood and Coggeshall: To change the route for driving sheep. Referred to Sanitary Superintendent.

From E. H. Martin & Co.: In respect to repairs to roof of pavilion on Blackwell's Island.

Bills Audited.

Thomas F. White	\$3,000 00	Charles Lederer	\$128 82
M. J. & D. F. Mahoney	12,042 00	McKesson & Robbins	141 39
Joseph Lutz	106 00	Ph. Happersberger & Son	10 60
John Reyniers & Co.	13 60	N. Y. Roofing Co.	44 00
Rubber Clothing Co.	25 00	E. Remington	100 00
Met. Telephone and Telegraph Co.	61 66	Thurber & Co.	105 31
E. D. Bassford	49 15	M. A. Pidgeon	18 27
John A. Seaman	8 52	American Veterinary College	54 00
John Garrie	97 82	Gridley & Co.	228 25
C. E. Palmer	99 40		
Pay-roll Fruit Inspection			\$213 00
Pay-roll employees Disinfecting Corps, September			248 00
Pay-roll Commissioners, officers and employees, September			12,443 16
Pay-roll Small-pox Hospital, September			838 26

Permits Granted.

To keep a cow at No. 1414 Avenue A.
To keep six cows at foot of Seventieth street and North river.
To keep one cow at No. 418 West Forty-eighth street.
To keep one cow at No. 341 Sixth street.
To keep three cows at No. 456 East Seventy-third street.
To keep fifteen chickens at No. 1045 Second avenue.
To keep chickens at No. 355 West Twenty-sixth street.
To keep thirty fowls at No. 63 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
To keep twelve chickens at No. 153 Chrystie street.
To keep six chickens at No. 635 East Ninth street.

Permits Denied.

To keep four goats at No. 324 East Thirty-fifth street.

Resolutions.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated on lot No. 430 East Seventy-first street, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, therefore,

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 430 East Seventy-first street be required to vacate said building on or before the seventh day of October, 1882, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair, and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

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:

Tree on sidewalk at No. 198 Waverley place.
Fire-hydrant at northwest corner Fifty-fifth street and Eleventh avenue.
Gutter-stones at No. 31 Hester street.
Street sewer corner Cedar street and Broadway.
Water supply in Park place.
Street pavement in front of No. 201 West Thirty-ninth street.
Street pavement at junction Stanton and Clinton streets.
Sewer pipe opposite 547 West Twenty-sixth street.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Stillwell, upon the dangerous condition of building No. 508 Tenth avenue, be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby suspended as follows:

No. 15,377, on premises Nos. 113 and 115 Cedar street, until October 1, 1882.
No. 14,191, " " Nos. 254 and 256 West Twenty-second street until November 1, 1882.
No. 13,614, " " No. 197 Greene street, extended until May 1, 1883.
No. 15,289, " " No. 419 West Fifty-sixth street, suspended until May 1, 1883, provided the usual stipulation is signed.

No. 14,619, on premises 88 Avenue B, suspended until May 1, 1883, provided the usual stipulation is signed.

No. 14,618, on premises 86 Avenue B, suspended until May 1, 1883, provided the usual stipulation is signed.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded:

No. 15,306, on premises No. 653 Ninth avenue.

No. 15,111, " " No. 438 Tenth avenue.

Resolved, That leave of absence be and are hereby granted as follows:

John T. Nagle two weeks on account of illness.

J. N. McChesney one week.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of September, when approved by the Finance Committee, shall be signed by the President, and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police the amount of the salaries of thirty policemen detailed to the service of the Board of Health, pursuant to the provisions of section 5, chapter 399, Laws of 1880, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police for the current year, to wit: 30 patrolmen, \$3,000.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby suspended and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for examination and report:

No. 15,917 on premises Nos. 67 and 69 Thomas street.

No. 13,609, " " No. 2364 Fourth avenue.

No. 13,610, " " No. 2366 Fourth avenue.

No. 13,611, " " No. 2368 Fourth avenue.

No. 13,612, " " No. 2370 Fourth avenue.

No. 13,613, " " No. 2372 Fourth avenue.

" " No. 123 West Twenty-sixth street.

" " No. 706 East Twelfth street.

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

Henry Bushby and Mary Ann Phillips, April 2, 1882.

Chas. A. Decker and E. L. Tuller, April 20, 1882.

James G. Troiss and Jennie L. Ryan, May 2, 1882.

Thomas A. Felch and Emma Leach, June 4, 1882.

George E. Fawcett and Mary H. Gorman, July 4, 1882.

Michael J. Cahill and Annie Way, July 17, 1882.

Amelia Nathan Barend, March 16, 1882.

Female child Ellen Carrol Donovan, May 9, 1882.

Male child of Sarah E. Barnett O'Brien, June 1, 1882.

Female child of Maria Foley Higgins, June 6, 1882.

Male child of Elizabeth Stanton Flynn, June 8, 1882.

Female child of Bridget Farley Coby, June 10, 1882.

Male child of Maggie McGlynn McLaughlin.

Male child of Lizzie S. Russel, June 16, 1882.

Male child of Turtiana Matthew Watt, June 19, 1882.

Female child of Sarah Campbell Darke, June 20, 1882.

Male child of Margaret Paterson Conn, July 16, 1882.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the register of births and deaths, as follows:

Adolph Bleichroeder, born August 4, 1882, instead of Adolph Bleichvoeder.

Mary Van Murbeke, died April 5, 1866, instead of Mary Van Kurbeke, the same being clerical errors.

Resolved, That the services of the following-named persons, Fruit Inspectors, be and are hereby dispensed with on and after September 30, the fund for that purpose being exhausted:

John Waters, Jr., Peter Goodheart, John Trainor,

John Kearney, Michael McCarty, John R. Vernan.

The Departmental Estimate of expenditure for the year 1883 was approved and ordered forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Secretary presented the Quarterly Report for the Quarter ending June 30, which was approved and ordered forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

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

Resolved, That plans for light and ventilation of the tenement-houses be and are hereby approved as follows:

Plan No. 1308-2, six tenements, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, 125 feet east of Eighth avenue.

Plan No. 1649-2, one tenement at No. 446 West Thirty-sixth street.

Plan No. 1651, one tenement on the northwest corner of Willis avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street.

Plan No. 1660-2, two tenements, northeast corner of Seventh avenue and Twenty-eighth street.

Plan No. 1671-2, one tenement at No. 226 east Twenty-seventh street.

Plan No. 1680, one tenement, south side of Ninety-ninth street, 85 feet east of Third avenue.

Plan No. 1681, one tenement on the east side of Third avenue, 366 feet north of Grove street.

Plan No. 1682, one tenement at No. 781 north Third avenue.

Plan No. 1683, two tenements, north side of Seventy-sixth street, 225 feet east of Fourth avenue.

Plan No. 1684, one tenement on the east side of Second avenue, 25 feet south of One Hundred and Sixth street.

Plan No. 1685, one tenement, St. Nicholas avenue, Eighth avenue and Twenty-third street.

Plan No. 1686, two tenements on the east side of Eighth avenue, 25 feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

Plan No. 1687, one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, 160 feet east of Fifth avenue.

Plan No. 1688, one tenement, north side of Fifty-seventh street, 125 feet east of Ninth avenue.

Plan No. 1689, one tenement on the south side of Ninety-second street, 225 feet west of Third avenue.

Plan No. 1690, one tenement on the southwest corner of sixty-ninth street and Eleventh avenue.

Plan No. 1693, one tenement, south side of Fifty-eighth street, 100 feet east of Ninth avenue.

Plan No. 1694, nine tenements, south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, beginning 15 feet east of Third avenue.

Plan No. 1695, one tenement south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, 100 feet east of Third avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 1696, four tenements on the north side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, 125 feet west of Brook avenue.

Plan No. 1697, two tenements at Nos. 313 and 315 west Forty-seventh street.

Plan No. 1698, one tenement on — side of Forty-second street, 105 feet west of Second avenue.

Plan No. 1699, three tenements on — side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, 425 feet east of Eighth avenue.

Plan No. 1700, one tenement at No. 37 Carmine street.

Plan No. 1702, one tenement at No. 430 East Fourteenth street.

Plan No. 1703, eight tenements on the south side of Ninety-seventh street, 300 feet west of Second avenue.

Plan No. 1704, five tenements on the south side of Ninety-eighth street, 110 feet east of Third avenue.

Plan No. 1705, three tenements on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, — feet west of Fifth avenue.

Plan No. 1691, one tenement on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, 232 feet west of Third avenue.

Plan No. 1692, one tenement on the south side of Ninety-second street, 225 feet west of Third avenue.

The weekly report of inspections of tenement-houses in course of erection was received and ordered on file.

Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby approved, as follows:

Plan No. 709, one office building, north side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, 25 feet west of Tenth avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 712, two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Ninth street, 65 feet east of Third avenue.
Plan No. 713, one tenement, northeast corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street.
Plan No. 714, three tenements, east side of Third avenue, 20 feet north of East One Hundred and Ninth street.
Plan No. 715, one stable at No. 159 Chatham street, conditionally.
Plan No. 716, one tenement, east side of St. Nicholas' avenue at junction of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street, conditionally.
Plan No. 717, one tenement, east side of North Third avenue, 366 feet north of Grove street, conditionally.
Plan No. 718, two tenements on the east side of Eighth avenue, 25 feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
Plan No. 719, five tenements on the east side of Second avenue, beginning south side of One Hundred and Fourth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 720, five tenements on and adjoining the southwest corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Eighth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 721, eight tenements, south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, 75 feet west of Second avenue, conditionally.
Plan No. 722, three tenements, north side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, 188 feet east of Madison avenue.
Plan No. 723, three tenements on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, 137 feet east of Madison avenue.
Plan No. 724, six dwellings, three on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and three on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, beginning, respectively, 75 feet west of Lexington avenue.
Plan No. 726, one tenement on the west side of Third avenue, 125 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Plan No. 727, three tenements on the south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, 100 feet east of Second avenue.
Plan No. 728, addition to St. John's College, Fordham.
Plan No. 729, ten dwellings on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, 200 feet east of Eighth avenue.
Plan No. 730, one tenement at No. 326 East Eighty-fifth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 731, one store at 640 Broadway.
Plan No. 732, one tenement northwest corner of One Hundred and Fortieth street and Willis avenue.
Plan No. 733, one stable, south side of Seventy-third street, beginning 100 feet east of Lexington avenue, as amended.
Plan No. 734, one office building, corner of Nassau street and Liberty place, as amended.
Plan No. 735, one dwelling, north side of Thirteenth street, 200 feet east of Sixth avenue.
Plan No. 736, two dwellings, northeast corner of College avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 737, one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, 100 feet east of Third avenue.
Plan No. 738, nine tenements, south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, 115 feet east of Third avenue.
Plan No. 739, four tenements on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, 125 feet west of Brook avenue.
Plan No. 740, five tenements on the south side of Ninety-seventh street, 100 feet west of Second avenue.
Plan No. 741, one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, 25 feet east of Lexington avenue.
Plan No. 742, five tenements, south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, 42 feet east of Lexington avenue.
Plan No. 743, one dwelling on the south side of Eighty-second street, 60 feet west of Second avenue.
Plan No. 744, two dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, 175 feet east of Second avenue.
Plan No. 745, one tenement on the south side of Forty-second street, 105 feet west of Second avenue.
Plan No. 746, five houses on the south side of Ninety-eighth street, 110 feet east of Third avenue.
Plan No. 748, one store building at Nos. 211 and 213 Greenwich street.
Plan No. 749, seven dwellings, north side of Sixty-third street, 75 feet west of Fourth avenue.
Plan No. 750, one stable, Nos. 157 and 159 West Fifty-sixth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 753, lodging-house at No. 26 James street, conditionally.
Plan No. 754, one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, 100 feet west of Portland avenue, conditionally.
Plan No. 755, one factory at No. 348 East Twenty-third street.
Plan No. 756, one tenement at No. 430 East Fourteenth street, conditionally.
Plan No. 757, one stable, south side of Ninety-fifth street, 205 feet east of Third avenue.
Plan No. 758, one store-house east side of Broadway, 125 feet — of Bleecker street.
The weekly reports of Assistant Sanitary Engineers on the plumbing and drainage of new houses were received and ordered on file.

Violations referred to the Attorney.

Resolved, That violations of law in the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:
Two houses, south side of Forty-second street, 206 feet east of Third ave. (Violation No. 295.)
One house at No. 504 East Tenth street. (Violation No. 288.)
Four houses on One Hundred and Eleventh street, north side, 100 feet east of Second avenue. (Violation No. 284.)
One house on One Hundred and Twenty-third street, 315 feet east of Fourth avenue. (Violation No. 282.)
Two houses at Nos. 167 and 169 east One Hundred and Thirteenth street. (Violation No. 281.)
One house on the northeast corner of Alexander avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. (Violation No. 280.)
Four houses on the east side of Alexander avenue, 20 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. (Violation No. 279.)

Work of the Summer Corps.

SANITARY BUREAU,
NEW YORK, September 19, 1882. }

To WALTER DEF. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent :

SIR—I have the honor to present the following final report of the entire work performed by the Summer Corps during the five weeks ending September 4, 1882 :

Number of houses visited	26,883
" families visited	153,983
" patients treated	3,671
" patients revisited	662
" circulars distributed	23,111
" excursion tickets	4,802

Of the cases treated 2,186 were diarrhoeal, 472 were pulmonary or bronchial, 238 were contagious, and the remainder were miscellaneous. Eleven deaths are reported, of which 3 were diarrhoea, 1 cholera infantum, 1 Bright's disease, 1 dentition, 2 marasmus, 1 malaria, and 2 scarlatina. A large proportion of cases of contagious disease reported were whooping cough, showing, as is also shown by the records of this Bureau, that the ordinary contagious diseases are of far less frequent occurrence than during the corresponding period of last year, and it may be added that when found they are generally of a mild type.

One important element in the mission of the Summer Corps, is the distribution of sanitary circulars containing plain directions in regard to the care and feeding of infants. These circulars are always gratefully received and carefully read by mothers, and in many instances preserved from year to year for reference.

The free excursions on the floating hospital of St. John's Guild, have, it is believed, proved an important auxiliary to the efforts of this Department towards promoting and preserving the health of tenement-house children. Tickets for these excursions have been liberally supplied, and the Inspectors have distributed them wherever in their judgment it was necessary or even desirable. These excursions, though not equal to a protracted sojourn in the country, or by the sea shore, afford a good deal of relief from the monotony of tenement-house life, and the doors of the Guild's Sanitarium are always open to sick children who need a week's stay at the water side.

Although the main object of this service is to seek out and afford relief to the needy poor, instructions are always given to the visitors to take note of, and report to this Bureau, any nuisance or violation of the sanitary code found in the course of their visits. Accordingly, a number of such complaints accompanied the weekly reports, and were immediately referred to the proper officers. It may be added that it is the general expression of those who have previously been in this service, that a gradual improvement is being made in the sanitary condition of premises visited, as evinced by less sickness and fewer violations of sanitary law.

The apparent result of several years' experience is, that this service becomes year by year more popular, visits are received with increasing confidence and interest, and the advice given carefully followed. The benefits however are not limited to the immediate relief of the sick.

The more lasting results is the better education of mothers in matters relating to the sanitary welfare of the family, effected by circulars distributed and advice imparted.

The limited term of this service renders it impossible to so arrange the work as to always include the time in which it is most needed. I would therefore respectfully recommend that in making the estimate for the ensuing year, the Board ask for such additional appropriation as will be necessary to extend the service through the months of July and August. All of which is

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. JANES, M. D.,
Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending September 17, 1882.

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,494, as follows, viz. : 5 public buildings, 283 tenement-houses, 77 private dwellings, 67 other dwellings, 16 manufactories and workshops, 22 stores and warehouses, 46 stables, 54 slaughter-houses, 1 roadway, 1 lodging-house, 1 gas-main, 1 brewery, 13 sunken and vacant lots, 62 yards, courts and areas, 82 cellars and basements, 183 waste-pipes and drains, 200 privies and water-closets, 26 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 7 dangerous stairways, 7 smoky chimneys, 7 cesspools, and 31 other nuisances.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 617. During the past week 196 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

94 permits were granted to consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of this Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 72 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 59 houses, 59 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

5 cases of contagious disease were removed to the hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending September 23, 1882.

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,384, as follows, viz. : 3 public buildings, 585 tenement-houses, 96 private dwellings, 75 other dwellings, 15 manufactories and workshops, 12 stores and warehouses, 42 stables, 54 slaughter-houses, 2 mills, 16 sunken and vacant lots, 49 yards, courts and areas, 91 cellars and basements, 131 waste-pipes and drains, 162 privies and water-closets, 28 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 5 dangerous stairways, 5 smoky chimneys, 5 cesspools, and 8 other nuisances.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 503.

The number of complaints received during the past week from citizens was 196.

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

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 70 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 53 houses, 53 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

5 cases of contagious disease were removed to the hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 589 births, 61 still-births, 212 marriages, and 613 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, September 16, 1882. This shows an increase of 80 births, 9 still-births and 4 deaths, and a decrease of 25 marriages when compared with the number received during the preceding week ; but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1881, there was an increase of 157 births and 17 still-births, and a decrease of 49 marriages and 75 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from diphtheria decreased 3 ; croup, 2 ; whooping cough, 10 ; erysipelas, 1 ; cerebro-spinal fever, 1 ; malarial fevers, 5 ; alcoholism, 2 ; rheumatism and gout, 2 ; cancer, 1 ; phthisis pulmonalis, 5 ; pneumonia, 4 ; meningitis and encephalitis, 12 ; apoplexy, 3 ; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 10 ; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 3 ; cyanosis and atelectasis, 2 ; suicide, 2 ; drowning, 1 ; while the deaths from measles increased 1 ; scarlatina, 1 ; diarrhoeal diseases, 7 ; inanition, 3 ; bronchitis, 3 ; heart diseases, 9 ; aneurism, 1 ; marasmus, tabes mesenterica, and scrofula, 11 ; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 4 ; convulsions, 4 ; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 1 ; Bright's disease and nephritis, 7 ; premature and preterm births, 6 ; surgical operations, 1. The number of deaths from typhoid fever and puerperal diseases 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, Contagious, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal 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.
August 26, 1882.	..	4	8	20	7	23	2	12	2	10	173	95	25	20	44	38	237	307	368
September 2, "	..	7	11	25	10	11	..	13	4	17	138	74	29	14	50	32	183	257	310
" 9, "	..	3	5	14	3	18	..	11	3	27	116	98	32	14	52	35	178	236	288
" 16, "	..	4	6	11	1	8	..	11	2	22	123	93	28	17	42	45	195	251	281
Total	18	30	70	21	60	2	47	11	76	550	360	114	65	188	150	793	1051	1235

The ages of 195 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year 251 under two years ; 281 under five years ; and 29 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 1 less than the number reported during last week, and represent 45.84 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 September 16, 1882.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.								Not stated.	AVERAGE AGE.			
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.		Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox
Measles	1	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	0	15
Scarlatina .....	..	6	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	6	4
Diphtheria	2	9	..	..	..	2	1	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	5	6	17
Membranous Croup .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	0	10	6
Whooping Cough ...	3	4	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	5
Typhus Fever .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever	3	3	..	..	5	..	4	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	31	7	29
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	0	12	24
Malarial Fevers	10	9	..	..	3	..	6	8	4	1	..	..	..	..	27	5	6

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	0
Measles	4
Scarlatina	6
Diphtheria	11
Membranous Croup	1
Whooping Cough....	8
Typhus Fever	0
Typhoid Fever	11
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2
Malarial Fevers.....	22

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.	
Small-pox	0
Measles	4
Scarlatina	6
Diphtheria	11
Membranous Croup	1
Whooping Cough....	8
Typhus Fever	0
Typhoid Fever	11
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2
Malarial Fevers.....	22

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 112 were in institutions, 357 in tenement-houses, 129 in houses containing three families or less, 4 in hotels and boarding-houses, 11 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 9 were on the basement floor, 109 on the first, 145 on the second, 133 on the third, 65 on the fourth, 26 on the fifth, — on the sixth; 613 were stated to be residents of New York City and — non-residents; 44 were stated to be single, 149 married, 51 widowed, and the condition of 367 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, 613; still-births, 61; bodies in transitu, 18. Of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births 57 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 460 births, 212 marriages, 61 still-births, 613 deaths, 18 applications for transit permits, were recorded, indexed, and tabulated; 84 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and — transcripts of the birth record, 4 of marriage, and 44 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending September 16, 1882, was 66 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.822, the mean humidity was 86, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,625, and the total amount of rain-fall was 3.32 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 584 deaths and still-births, or 86.65 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 18; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 262; City pauper burial ground (undenominational), 78; Greenwood (undenominational), 31; Lutheran (undenominational), 89; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 21; Evergreen (undenominational), 32; Woodlawn (undenominational), 16; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 8; Union (Methodist Protestant), 5; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 5; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 5; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 6; Washington (undenominational), 8.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending September 9, 1882, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 8; Second, 1; Third, 5; Fourth, 9; Fifth, 7; Sixth, 8; Seventh, 20; Eighth, 20; Ninth, 26; Tenth, 22; Eleventh, 33; Twelfth, 62; Thirteenth, 22; Fourteenth, 16; Fifteenth, 7; Sixteenth, 23; Seventeenth, 40; Eighteenth, 26; Nineteenth, 119; Twentieth, 29; Twenty-first, 40; Twenty-second, 59; Twenty-third, 20; Twenty-fourth, 8.

The actual mortality for the week ending September 9, 1882, was 630; this is 255 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1881, and 27.4 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.46 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,286,654.

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 22.35; Brooklyn, 26.31; Baltimore, 22.12; New Orleans, 22.85; San Francisco, 22.43; Buffalo, 29.42; Charleston, 14.91; Dayton, 16; Erie, 24.38; Savannah, 23.6; Lowell, 20.98; Worcester, 19.93; Cambridge, 32.54; Fall River, 24.41; Lawrence, 31.85; Lynn, 28.52; Springfield, 20.28. Monthly returns—Chicago, 32.82; District of Columbia, 21.22; Nashville, 27.20; Hudson county, N. J., 28.1; Paterson, 36.22; Lansing, 12.74; Yonkers, 24; Oakland, 12.34; Detroit, 25.34; Wilmington, Del., 33.55. Foreign cities, weekly returns—London, 19.7; Liverpool, 25.4; Birmingham, 28; Manchester, 30.8; Glasgow, 22.9; Edinburgh, 19; Dundee, 19.7; Dublin, 27.2; Belfast, 24.8; Cork, 23.9; Brussels, 24.5; Antwerp, 32.5; Ghent, 30.3; Liege, 20.2; Palma, 25.5; Paris, 23.35; Rome, 18.6; Turin, 18.7; Venice, 28.1; Berlin, 30; Munich, 24.5; Breslau, 40.2; Vienna, 22.5; Trieste, 33.5; Copenhagen, 33.2; Stockholm, 37.8; Christiania, 28.1; Amsterdam, 18; Rotterdam, 23.8; The Hague, 21.9; Calcutta, 26; Bombay, 25.6; Warsaw, 38.2; Havre, 30; Salford, 32; Prague (with suburbs), 32.7; Lisbon, 33.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 514 births, 56 still-births, 204 marriages, and 635 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, September 23, 1882. This shows an increase of 54 births and 22 deaths, and a decrease of 5 still-births and 8 marriages when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1881, there was an increase of 16 births, 20 still-births and 4 marriages, and a decrease of 70 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 3; typhoid fever, 3; malarial fevers, 5; puerperal diseases, 2; diarrhoeal diseases, 21; pneumonia, 2; heart diseases, 5; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 1; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 4; Bright's disease and nephritis, 2; drowning, 3; while the deaths from scarlatina increased 3; diphtheria, 7; croup, 4; whooping cough, 12; cerebro-spinal fever, 1; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 16; bronchitis, 6; marasmus, tabes, mesenterica and scrofula, 2; meningitis and encephalitis, 8; convulsions, 5; direct effect of solar heat, 1; apoplexy, 2; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 14; cyanosis and atelectasis, 4; premature and preterm births, 2; suicide, 2. The number of deaths from inanition, rheumatism and gout, aneurism, hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, and surgical operations, was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

WEEK ENDING—	Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Colic, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal 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.
September 2, 1882 ..	7	11	25	10	11	..	13	4	17	138	74	29	14	50	32	183	257	310	
" 9, " ..	3	5	14	3	18	..	11	3	27	116	98	32	14	52	35	178	236	382	
" 16, " ..	4	6	11	1	8	..	11	2	22	123	93	28	17	42	45	195	251	281	
" 23, " ..	1	9	18	5	20	..	8	3	17	102	109	26	23	56	39	204	272	302	
Total	15	31	68	19	57	..	43	12	83	479	374	115	68	200	151	760	1016	1175	

The ages of 204 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 272 under two years, 302 under five years, and 47 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 21 more than the number reported during last week, and represent 47.56 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 September 23, 1882.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	In Streets, Rivers, etc.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	0	9
Scarlatina	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	4	1	..	..	..	..	2	11	9	0
Diphtheria	7	11	..	..	..	..	..	7	7	1	3	..	..	..	..	4	5	21	0
Membranous Croup.	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	5	10	22	23
Whooping Cough...	7	12	..	..	1	..	..	5	8	4	1	1	..	..	..	1	2	18	18
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	4	..	..	3	..	..	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	27	9	23	23
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	22	22
Malarial Fevers.....	9	6	..	..	2	..	1	4	7	2	1	..	..	..	..	35	0	7	7

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.	
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
Measles .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Scarlatina .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Diphtheria	2	1	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	2	..	1	2	1	..	1	1	1	1	18
Membranous Croup ..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Whooping Cough....	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	2	1	2	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	1	20
Typhus Fever .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
Typhoid Fever .....	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Cerebro-Spinal Fever ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	3	..	1	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	17

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 125 were in institutions, 336 in tenement-houses, 160 in houses containing three families or less, 6 in hotels and boarding-houses, 8 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 7 were on the basement floor, 113 on the first, 162 on the second, 120 on the third, 80 on the fourth, 20 on the fifth, 0 on the sixth; 634 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 1 non-resident; 56 were stated to be single, 123 married, 77 widowed, and the condition of 379 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, 635; still-births, 56; bodies in transitu, 27; of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births 52 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 514 births; 204 marriages; 56 still-births; 635 deaths; 27 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated, 92 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 6 of marriage, and 54 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending September 23, 1882, was 70.1 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.92, the mean humidity was 82, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,291, and the total amount of rain-fall was 12.12 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph.D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 594 deaths and still-births, or 85.96 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 15; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 233; City pauper burial ground (undenominational), 92; Greenwood (undenominational), 46; Lutheran, (undenominational), 104; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 21; Evergreen (undenominational), 23; Woodlawn (undenominational), 19; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 9; Union (Methodist Protestant), 7; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 6; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 3; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 8; Washington (undenominational), 8.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending September 16, 1882, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 15; Second, 0; Third, 4; Fourth, 9; Fifth, 7; Sixth, 11; Seventh, 19; Eighth, 16; Ninth, 21; Tenth, 19; Eleventh, 36; Twelfth, 64; Thirteenth, 20; Fourteenth, 17; Fifteenth, 10; Sixteenth, 15; Seventeenth, 47; Eighteenth, 32; Nineteenth, 99; Twentieth, 29; Twenty-first, 37; Twenty-second, 39; Twenty-third, 14; Twenty-fourth, 5.

The actual mortality for the week ending September 16, 1882, was 585; this is 69 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1881, and 50.8 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 23.63 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,287,364.

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 18.59; Brooklyn, 22.06; Baltimore, 21.74; New Orleans, 17.40; Rochester, 21.60; Charleston, 39.78; Dayton, 21.33; Erie, 16.88; Savannah, 41.79; Lowell, 21.85; Worcester, 13; Cambridge, 12.82; Fall River, 26.53; Lawrence, 19.91; Lynn, 29.88; Springfield, 35.87. Monthly returns—Hartford, 31.01; Bridgeport, 23.47; Norwich, 26.11; Meriden, 32.72; Rochester, 21.60; Mobile, 27.22; Toledo, 22.32; Norfolk, 33.32; Shelby county, Tenn., 33.22; Macon, 24; Minneapolis, 22.35. Foreign cities, weekly turns—London, 17.7; Liverpool, 20.2; Birmingham, 23.1; Manchester, 23.5; Glasgow, 22.8; Edinburgh, 14.5; Dundee, 25.4; Dublin, 27.5; Belfast, 19.3; Cork, 19.2; Brussels, 22.3; Antwerp, 27.5; Buda-Pesth, 29.8; Paris, 21.68; Rome, 19.3; Turin, 15; Venice, 26.6; Berlin, 28.8; Munich, 24.7; Breslau, 32.1; Vienna, 24.3; Trieste, 30.2; Copenhagen, 27.1; Stockholm, 26.2; Christiania, 25.1; Amsterdam, 21.9; Rotterdam, 16.8; The Hague, 21.9; Calcutta, 23.8; Bombay, 25; Geneva (with suburbs), 14.3; Basel, 17.9; Bern, 18.4; Warsaw, 37.2; Havre, 32.9; Salford, 22.9; St. Petersburg, 39; Prague (and suburbs), 25.9; Liege, 15.6; Madrid, 33.9; Valencia, 28.9; Malaga, 43.5; Zaragoza, 34.4; Granada, 40.5; Palma, 27.3. Monthly returns—Canada, 37.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED 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.

Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staatz Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation;
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.
Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

No. 199 Chrystie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM LAIMEER, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes

No. ————

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

ALEX. V. DAVIDSON, Order Arrest Clerk.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880, TO REVISE, VACATE, OR MODIFY ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN PURSUANCE OF SAID ACT AND THE ACT AMENDATORY THEREOF, GIVE NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS AFFECTED THEREBY THAT THE NOTICES REQUIRED BY THE SAID ACT MUST BE FILED WITH THE COMPTROLLER OF SAID CITY AND A DUPLICATE THEREOF WITH THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, AS FOLLOWS:

As to all assessments for local improvements confirmed before June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1882. As to all assessments for local improvements completed before June 9, 1880, and since confirmed, on or before November 1, 1882. As to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

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

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, June 6, 1882.

EDWARD COOPER,

JOHN KELLY,

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

GEORGE H. ANDREWS,

DANIEL LORD, JR.,

Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,

Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,

36 UNION SQUARE,

NEW YORK, September 25, 1882.

POLICE UNIFORMS.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 11th day of October, 1882, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened and read, for furnishing uniforms for the Police Force of the Department.

The number and kind of uniforms required is as follows:

83 uniform overcoats for winter wear.
83 pairs of uniform pants for winter wear.

The material to be of the best quality heavy weight West Point Cadet grey mixed cloth.

The time for the completion of the work of furnishing said uniforms will be thirty days (30) after the date of the contract.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a price for each article of uniform, and must be accompanied by two samples of the cloth proposed to be furnished.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their several names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in a 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 in said proposal or estimate, or in the work or supplies 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 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 proposal or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if deemed for the interest of the city.

Forms of proposals and the terms of the contract (including the specifications), settled as required by law, may be obtained at the office of the Secretary as above.

The envelope inclosing the proposal must be addressed to the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Police Uniforms," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

SMITH E. LANE,
SALEM H. WALES,
CHARLES F. MACLEAN,
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE,

Commissioners Department Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Tree planting on Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twelfth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fourth avenue.

No. 3. Paving Eighty-third street, from the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4. Regulating and paving Seventy-sixth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 5. Paving Ninety-fourth street, from Third to Lexington avenue.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in Seventieth street, from the Eighth to the Tenth avenue.

No. 7. Sewer in Montgomery street, between Madison and Monroe streets.

No. 8. Paving Fifty-fifth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Eighth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

No. 10. Filling in and fencing sunken lots on the northeasterly corner of Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 11. Sewer in Second avenue, west side, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, with branch in Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 12. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 13. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 14. Sewer in Cherry street, between Jackson and Corleais streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 17. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 19. South side Thirty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 will state the price for doing either of the works, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued in the manner specified in the contract.

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

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

Dated New York, October 2, 1882.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 131, THIRTY AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1882.

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 65 Division street, unknown man, age about 35 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on dark mixed suit, white shirt, dark flannel shirt, colored socks, black felt hat, boots.

Unknown man from Port Morris, age about 60 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, gray hair, moustache and beard. Had on red flannel shirt, black striped pants.

Unknown man from Pier 37, East River, age about 35 years, 5 feet 5 inches high, no hair, clean shaved. Had on dark cloth vest and pants, white shirt, gray knit undershirt, white drawers, ribbed socks, gaiters.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, Jane Lewis (colored), age 40 years. Had on when admitted, dark calico wrapper, blue woollen skirt, white shirt, striped woollen shawl, black straw hat.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, Harriet Ross, age 44 years, 5 feet 3 1/2 inches high, gray hair, blue eyes. Catharine Maloney, age 68 years, 4 feet 9 1/4 inches high, brown hair, blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, Frank Cranion, age 48 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, check jumper, brown pants, brogan shoes.

Conrad Bass, age 59 years, 5 feet 8 inches high, brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted, gray coat, plaid pants, black vest, brown felt hat.

Maria Owego, age 43 years, 5 feet 2 inches high, black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, gray skirt, brown and black shawl.

Paul McCoy, age 46 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, blue pants, brown vest, check jumper.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island, Catharine Histerman, age 54 years, blue eyes, brown hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1881.

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
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY, Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 15, 1881.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto heard or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors,
Room 17, New County Court-house.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1882, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from September 28 to November 1, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1882.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER ABOLISHING THE "BUREAU OF LICENSES," IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
April 24, 1882.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 3 of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, which authorizes a head of a Department to abolish and consolidate offices and bureaus in the same Department, I hereby abolish the Bureau provided for by section 33 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled as follows, to wit:

"A Bureau of Licenses; the Chief Officer of which shall be called 'Register of Licenses.'"

Said Bureau has never had any practical existence in the Finance Department, and is declared to be null and void.

Signed) ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1882, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 23 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, September 28, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING ON BOTH SIDES and at the outer end of the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-fifth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1882,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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 One Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of material necessary to be dredged, in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth below mean low water named in the specifications, is 10,000 cubic yards.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per cubic yard to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of October, 1882, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract 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.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited, in all respects, according to law, and any material dredged, not so deposited, shall not be paid for.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard for doing such dredging, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which said person would be entitled on its completion, and that which said 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 to be done, 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 a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

WILLIAM LAMBEER,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 22, 1882.

RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED for the government and proper care of piers, bulkheads, slips, and other wharf property, under the provisions of subdivision 7 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, by the Board of the Department of Docks, and published, to take effect on and after

MAY 1, 1882.

The said subdivision 7, among other things, provides as follows:

"The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regulation, or order of said Board shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said Board."

And every person guilty of a violation of or disobedience to any of the following rules or regulations, in addition to the penalties thereby fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions, is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to be punished by such fine and imprisonment, or by both.

No. 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform be erected, nor shall any filling in any kind be made on any part of the water-front of the city, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars, for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit any such work to be done upon his premises before such permit therefor has been obtained, and under the further penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day which shall elapse before any piles so driven, or platform so erected, or material so filled-in, without such permit being first obtained, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time which may be allowed for such removal, by a notice served upon such owner, lessee, or occupant, by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, to be also recovered from such owner, lessee, or occupant.

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoisting-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or

maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district to remove any such structure, erection, or obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occupant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the removal thereof specified in said notice.

No. 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel upon any bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such vessel is being unladen, after service by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, upon the owner, consignee, master, or other officer, or stevedore, of such vessel, of a notice that such bulkhead or structure will be endangered by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every such offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the damages of every description which shall be caused by the further discharging of cargo upon such bulkhead or wharf structure, after the service of the said notice, both of such penalties to be recovered from such owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally and respectively.

No. 4.—All goods, merchandise, and materials of every kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, or upon reclaimed land, must be removed therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within twenty-four hours after the Corporation Wharfinger for the district shall have served upon the owner, shipper or consignee, of such cargo, a notice to remove the same, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each and every day, during which any part of said cargo shall remain upon such pier, bulkhead, structure, or land, after the expiration of the said twenty-four hours, to be recovered from such owner, shipper, or consignee, severally and respectively.

No. 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard, at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such property, and all expense incurred for such removal and storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon, and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal and storage has been paid.

No. 6.—No person shall construct or maintain any engine-house, tally-house, or other small structure, under a permit of the Board, on any unsheded pier, or other wharf structure, unless the same be placed on wheels so as to admit of easy removal thereupon when required, and to prevent the accumulation of dirt or refuse thereunder, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day which may elapse before the discontinuance of such offense.

No. 7.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or discharged by horse power, nor shall stones or similar cargo be discharged from any vessel, upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper planking be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure from injury consequent upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of the stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of five dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging such stones or like cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 8.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel unless canvas or similar material be extended from the vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of the sand into the water, and if the surface of any such wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the sand dumped thereon from going through into the water, then no sand shall be discharged thereon from any vessel, unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall elapse before they comply with such notice.

No. 10.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables or any other substances, shall be thrown into the waters surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant, severally and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf structure, or other property, from which any such substance shall be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the same; or if any such substance be thrown from any vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the Department, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to be recovered from the owner, consignee, or master of such vessel, severally and respectively.

No. 11.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier, bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any such snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually dumping the same, severally and respectively.

No. 12.—All lumber, brick, or other material in bulk discharged on any bulkhead not sheded, shall be at once removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending removal, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day, for each and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed, on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

No. 13.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads constructed under the new plans adopted by the Department shall be at the same rates as are now, or shall hereafter be fixed and established by laws of this State, until otherwise ordered by the Board.

No. 14.—The term "Board," when used in the foregoing rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York."

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