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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, October 29, 1895.

The Board met, pursuant to adjournment. Present—Commissioners Charles G. Wilson, George B. Fowler, M. D., and the Health Officer of the Port. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Finance Committee presented the following Bill:

Which was approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment: Emmons Clark, \$46.25.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

1st. Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected.

Orders received for prosecution, 429; attorneys' notices issued, 456; nuisances abated before suit, 319; civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (San. Code), 0; civil suits commenced for other causes, 60; nuisances abated after commencement of suit, 69; suits discontinued—by Board, 67; suits discontinued—by Court, 0; judgments for the Department—civil suits, 1; judgments for the defendant—civil suits, 0; judgments opened by the Court, 3; executions issued, 0; judgments for the People—criminal suits, 0; judgments for defendant—criminal suits, 0; civil suits now pending, 362; criminal suits now pending, 75; money collected and paid to cashier—civil suits, \$0; money paid into the Court—criminal suits, \$0. Ordered on file.

2d. Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

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

Leopold Henderson, 1245; Ferera Gaetano, 1386; William Roe, 1430; Leopold Gotlieb, 1518; Samuel Phillips, 1685; Joseph Kahn, 1762; Lena Weiss, 1839; Matthew Coogan, 1888; William Walsh, 2054; John Lipman, 2057; Stephen H. Jackson, 2086; Emma L. Jacquelin, 2113; Joseph Levy, 2171; Emil and David Flegenheimer, 2200; Edward Marrin, 2204; Daniel Kelleber, 2205; Mary Bullowa, 2226; The New York Daily News, 2228; Christian Reiner, 2234; John Wendel, 2249; Emma Herman, 2261; Sarah Taub, 2269; Elias Krautman, 2279; Edward Griman, 2290; Thomas J. McKee, 2293; Frank Beck, 2305; Christopher Heill, 2313; William A. Skahan, 2316; Knox McAfee, 2317; Rachel Holbron, 2325; Henry Wronkow, 2327; Sophia Bopp, 2332; James McKee, 2334; J. Frederick Kernochan, 2337; Jonas Weil and Bernard Mayer, 2340; Charles Shnee, 2342; Nathan Shancupp, 2344; Louis Studinski, 2349; Mary Cohen, 2351; John and Thomas McNulty, 2352; William P. Allen, 2353; Bernard Cohen, 2356; John Romolo, 2362; Edward Frederick, 2365; John Block, 2366; John Mackley, 2367; Theodore W. E. DeLemos, 2368; Moritz Bauer, 2370; Samuel Sonneberg, 2372; Kate Walsh, 2378; Curtis B. Pierce, 2381; Thomas B. Kerr, 2382; Morris Brockman, 2386; Joseph Fusco, 2390; Anthony Markert, 2393; Irving Ruland, 2406; John Frank, 2407; J. Edgar Leaycraft, 2408; Harris Gossett, 2413; Simon Radigan, 2414; John A. L. Diaz, 2415; William Ramsey, 2416; George Fanning, 2419; Edward Schreiber, 2424; James Malcolm, 2444; Moses Barnett, 2450; Charles Lessner, 2453; Oscar Meyer, 2466; Daniel Rosenthal, 2479.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

1st. Weekly Report of Sanitary Superintendent; ordered on file. 2d. Weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; ordered on file. 3d. Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police; ordered on file. 4th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps; ordered on file. 5th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of offal and night-soil docks; ordered on file. 6th. Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses; ordered on file. 7th. Weekly report of work performed by Chemist and Assistant Chemists; ordered on file. 8th. Weekly report of work performed by Milk, Meat, Fish and Fruit Inspectors; ordered on file. 9th. Weekly report of work performed by Inspector of Offensive Trades; ordered on file. 10th. Weekly report from Willard Parker Hospital; ordered on file. 11th. Weekly report from Reception Hospital; ordered on file. 12th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); ordered on file. 13th. Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); ordered on file. 14th. Report on changes in the Hospital Service.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following changes in the Hospital Service be and are hereby approved:

Florence C. Harris, Nurse, salary, \$420, appointed October 25, 1895; Edward G. Bryant, Assistant Resident Physician, salary, \$1200, resigned October 23, 1895; Katharine A. Murphy, Nurse, salary, \$360, appointed October 25, 1895.

15th. Monthly report of condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage. Ordered on file. Report of the seizure of two carcasses of cow beef affected with tuberculosis. Ordered on file. Reports of inspections of the elevated railroad stations and cars. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded, for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed:

Vacations.

Order No. 15468, southeast corner of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street, and extending fifty feet south on Fifth avenue and seventy feet east on One Hundred and Ninth street; Order No. 21173, No. 352 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street; Order No. 19506, No. 20 Suffolk street; Order No. 20293, No. 359 West Forty-third street; Order No. 22423, No. 106 Bayard street (front and rear); Order No. 21246, No. 74 East One Hundred and Fifth street; Order No. 19270, No. 565 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; Order No. 20360, No. 252 Henry street; Order No. 18470, No. 333 East One Hundred and Sixth street; Order No. 15764, No. 2114 Boulevard; Order No. 11437, No. 113 Macdougall street; Order No. 14867, No. 36 Montgomery street; Order No. 22813, No. 410 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street; Order No. 21692, No. 661 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street; Order No. 19019, No. 130 Baxter street.

Public Nuisances.

Order No. 14993, No. 529 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.

Report on Applications for Leaves of Absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, Leaves of absence be and are hereby granted, as follows:

Clerk Wilson, from October 24, on account of sickness; Inspector Vermilye, from October 31, absence from city.

Report in respect to owner of premises No. 368 West Thirty-first street refusing to allow an Inspector of this Department to make an inspection of premises.

Mr. Van Ort, the owner, appeared before the Board and made a statement, and the matter was referred to the President for investigation.

Reports and Certificates on Overcrowding in the Following Tenement-houses:

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in said houses, it is Ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

Order No. 616, No. 32 Cherry street, first rear house, first floor, south, Nicolo Penatoro, adults 2, children 3.

Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at No. 61 Sheriff street, northwest corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Boulevard, No. 2282 Eighth avenue, No. 444 Second avenue, No. 77 Mulberry street, No. 24 Orchard street, No. 63 Attorney street, No. 167 Hester street and No. 41 Park street.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 61 Sheriff street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 61 Sheriff street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises that is likely to cause sickness among the occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot northwest corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Boulevard has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot northwest corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Boulevard be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the

drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 2282 Eighth avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 2282 Eighth avenue be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 444 Second avenue has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 444 Second avenue be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 77 Mulberry street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage and plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 77 Mulberry street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing and drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 24 Orchard street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 24 Orchard street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 63 Attorney street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 63 Attorney street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 167 Hester street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 167 Hester street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 41 Park street has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 41 Park street be required to vacate said building on or before November 4, 1895, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Charles F. Roberts, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Reports on Applications for Permits.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:

No. 138, to keep a lodging-house at No. 98 Bowery for 158 lodgers; No. 139, to keep a lodging-house at No. 340 Bowery for 135 lodgers; No. 8363, to use 869 beds in dormitories, at Eighty-ninth street and Avenue A; No. 8364, to use 1,740 beds in dormitories, at Ninetieth street and Avenue A; No. 8365, to keep one cow at corner One Hundred and Forty-first street and Brook avenue; No. 8366, to keep fourteen chickens at Ogden avenue and Orchard street; No. 8367, to sell live poultry in crates only at No. 284 Washington street; No. 8368, to render lard at No. 579 Second avenue; No. 8369, to use smoke-house No. 579 Second avenue; No. 8370, to board and care for three children at No. 212 West Seventeenth street; No. 8371, to board and care for two children at No. 225 West Twenty-ninth street; No. 8372, to occupy basement of No. 198 East Broadway for living and sleeping purposes; No. 8373, to occupy basement of No. 155 East Fifty-fourth street for living and sleeping purposes; No. 8374, to occupy basement of No. 100 West Ninety-first street for living and sleeping purposes; No. 8375, to occupy basement of No. 106 Waverley place for living and sleeping purposes; No. 8376, to keep and sell fancy fowl at No. 190 East Houston street; No. 8377, to keep one cow at Western Boulevard, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets; No. 8378, to occupy basement of No. 16 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street for living and sleeping purposes; No. 8379, to use manure in gardening for fertilizing purposes at One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Gerard avenue; No. 8380, to board and care for four children at No. 128 East Tenth street; No. 8381, to board and care for one child at No. 410 West Fiftieth street.

On motion, it was Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied as follows:

No. 139, to keep eight chickens at No. 337 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street; No. 140, to occupy basement at northwest corner Eighty-seventh street and Columbus avenue; No. 141, to occupy basement at No. 666 East One Hundred and Sixtieth street.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:

No. 71, to keep a lodging-house for 77 lodgers at No. 340 Bowery; No. 130, to keep a lodging-house for 149 lodgers at No. 98 Bowery; No. 7522, to use beds in dormitories at Ninetieth street and Avenue A; No. 8208, to use beds in dormitories at Eighty-ninth street and Avenue A.

Reports on Applications for Relief from Orders.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following orders be suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:

Order No. 11729, No. 114 Pitt street, extended to November 15, 1895; Order No. 18687, No. 348 East One Hundred and Tenth street, extended to November 4, 1895; Order No. 20600, No. 511 West Thirty-seventh street, extended to November 15, 1895; Order No. 21913, No. 307 West Thirtieth street, extended to November 4, 1895; Order No. 22247, north side Dyckman street, Inwood, extended to November 10, 1895; Order No. 22248, north side Dyckman street, between Kingsbridge road and Prescott avenue, extended to December 1, 1895; Order No. 22436, No. 337 East Fourth street, extended to November 10, 1895; Order No. 23377, No. 47 East Twenty-seventh street, extended to November 15, 1895; Order No. 23581, No. 119 East Third street, extended to November 15, 1895; Order No. 23814, No. 1201 Lexington avenue, extended to November 15, 1895, on that part of order relating to plumbing; Order No. 24627, Nos. 18 and 20 Lafayette place, extended to November 15, 1895; Order No. 24664, No. 182 Division street, extended to November 1, 1895, on that part of order relating to school sink; Order No. 24676, Nos. 175 to 179 Second

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1895.

Table with columns: No., DATE OF CONTRACT, DEPARTMENT, NAMES OF CONTRACTORS, NAMES OF SURETIES, AMOUNT OF BOND, DESCRIPTION OF WORK, COST.

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, Etc.

Table with columns: COURT, NAME OF PLAINTIFF, AMOUNT, NATURE OF ACTION, ATTORNEY.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME OF CLAIMANT, AMOUNT, NATURE OF CLAIM, ATTORNEY.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.: November 4. The Department of Street Improvements, 23d and 24th Wards—For regulating, paving, etc., and for constructing sewers in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated October 1, 1895, published in the CITY RECORD.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.: November 6. For regulating and paving with asphalt pavement, on present stone-block pavement, 9th st., from University pl. to Stuyvesant st., and Stuyvesant st., from 2d to 3d ave.;

Official Designation.

November 8. Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller November 9, 1895. RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 15, 1895.

The Hon. William L. Strong, Mayor; Francis M. Scott, Counsel to the Corporation, and William Brookfield, Commissioner of Public Works, the officers designated by section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, met this day.

On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the form of contract for supplying printed, lithographed and stamped forms for the use of the City Departments, Courts and Bureaus during the year 1896, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his approval, and the Supervisor of the City Record was authorized to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

The Secretary presented the following communication, which was read for the information of the Board:

Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall: DEAR SIR—As we are one of the largest manufacturers in the United States of pure rubber elastic bands, we have been desirous for some years of introducing them in the various departments of the City of New York, but whenever we have made the attempt we have been confronted by the fact that some particular make or brand of bands is specified, thus barring out any but the manufacturers of said brand or brands.

After general discussion, it was the unanimous decision of the Board that the Supervisor, in advertising for articles of stationery, should call for the best grades of articles and for such only as will insure the freest and fairest competition and conserve the best interests of the City.

The Commissioner of Public Works offered the following, which was adopted by a concurrent vote of the Board: Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be authorized to insert a brief advertisement, or reading notice, in reference to the contracts for supplying stationery, blank books, printed and lithographed forms, etc., in the following newspapers: The "Tribune," "Times," "World," "Sun," "Herald," "Press," "Staats Zeitung," "Evening Post," "Commercial Advertiser," and "Mail and Express."

The following bills were approved: International Bank Note Co. (Voucher No. 633), \$3,995.25; Francis & Loutrel Co. (Voucher No. 637), \$944.50; John F. Hahn (Voucher No. 665), \$211.20; Richard Evans (Voucher No. 666), \$143.50; Thomas C. Cowell (Voucher No. 667), \$20; "New York Law Journal" (Voucher No. 668), \$333.33; M. B. Brown (Voucher No. 682), \$3,678.64; (Voucher No. 684), \$650; (Voucher No. 683), \$7,162.85.

The following pay-rolls were approved: Henry J. Goggin (Voucher No. 668), \$100; Joseph Fehr (Vouchers Nos. 669, 670, 671), each \$21; (Voucher No. 672), \$17.50; William H. Levett (Vouchers Nos. 673, 674), each \$21; (Voucher No. 675), \$17.50; Gustav A. Schurmann (Vouchers Nos. 676, 677, 678), each \$21; John McMahon (Vouchers Nos. 679, 680), each \$21; (Voucher No. 681), \$17.50.

The following requisition was unanimously approved: Finance Department.

3343. Coupon certificates. 1350. Registered certificates, in book form. Plates to be engraved and certificates printed by the Homer Lee Bank Note Co. in accordance with directions to be given by the Finance Department. Total cost, as per agreement, \$5,000.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure, by direct order, that is without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the requisitions allowed, that course being deemed to be for the best interest of the City. On motion of the Commissioner of Public Works, the Board adjourned.

JOHN A. SLEICHER, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., NOVEMBER 16, 1895.

Estimated Population, 1,189,895.

Death-rate, 18.57.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

Table showing weekly statistics of infectious diseases from August 17 to November 16, 1895.

Summary table of vital statistics: Marriages reported (461), Births (1,000), Deaths (676), Still-births (52), Burial permits issued (676), Transit permits issued (7), Searches made (285), Transcripts issued (239).

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

Table showing deaths by cause, age group, and sex for the week ending Nov 16, 1895.

* This column contains the average number of deaths for the corresponding week of the past ten years, increased to correspond with the increase of population. † This column gives the total number of deaths for the corresponding week of the previous year. ‡ Including premature births, atrophy, inanition, marasmus, atelectasis, cyanosis and pre-natural births. § Police Census, April 15, 1895, 1,851,000. Population of Annexed District estimated at 17,000 on July 1.

Nervous.—Convulsions, 8; Meningitis and Encephalitis, 10; Apoplexy, 2; Paralysis, 2; Insanity, 2; Tetanus, 1; Myelitis, 1; Congestion of Brain, 1; Chronic Hydrocephalus, 1; Cerebral Hyperæmia, 1.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

Table with columns for Week Ending (Aug. 24 to Nov. 16) and rows for Total deaths, Annual death-rate, and various diseases like Diphtheria, Croup, Malarial Fevers, etc.

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

Table comparing Willard Parker Hospital and Riverside Hospital for various diseases like Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Small-pox, etc.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

Table with columns for Wards (First to Twenty-fourth) and rows for Sickness (Diphtheria, Croup, Measles, etc.) and Deaths Reported.

Inspections of Premises.

Table listing inspections of tenement-houses, private dwellings, lodging-houses, stables, slaughter-houses, and other premises.

Inspection of Foods, Chemical Analyses, etc.

Table listing inspections of milk, specimens examined, quarts of milk destroyed, inspections of fruit, vegetables and canned goods, etc.

Analytical Work—Summary.

Table showing analytical work summary for Milk, Croton water, and Complete sanitary analysis.

Analysis of Croton Water, November 15, 1895.

Appearance, very turbid; color, dark yellow brown; odor, strong marshy.

Table showing results expressed in grains per U. S. gallon of 231 cubic inches and results expressed in parts by weight in one hundred thousand for Chlorine in Chlorides, Phosphates, etc.

Temperature at hydrant, 50° Fahr.

Infectious and Contagious Diseases.

Table listing total number of cases visited by inspectors, premises visited by disinfectors, rooms disinfected, etc.

Pathology, Bacteriology and Disinfection.

Table listing total number of premises visited by inspectors, autopsies, bacteriological examinations, etc.

Executive Action.

Table listing total number of orders issued for abatement of nuisances, Attorney's notices issued, civil actions begun, etc.

The 676 deaths represent a death-rate of 18.57, against 19.81 for the previous week and 17.36 for the corresponding week of 1894.

Contagious and infectious diseases show a slight decrease, the number of cases reported of diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and small-pox being respectively 152, 119, 60, 27 and 1, against 162, 112, 55, 39 and 0 for the previous week, a total of 359 against 368.

By order of the Board. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 2, 1895.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending October 26, 1895: Males, 47; females, 3. On file. List of 37 prisoners to be discharged from November 3 to November 9, 1895. Transmitted to Prison Association.

