

## RECORD OF MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1908.

CITIES.	Reported deaths in each.	Deaths under five years.	CITIES.	Reported deaths in each.	Deaths under five years.
New York . . . . .	—	—	Quincy . . . . .	—	—
Chicago . . . . .	508	141	Waltham . . . . .	5	1
Philadelphia . . . . .	—	—	Pittsfield . . . . .	—	—
St. Louis . . . . .	—	—	GloUCESTER . . . . .	9	3
Baltimore . . . . .	233	95	Brookline . . . . .	3	—
Cleveland . . . . .	—	—	North Adams . . . . .	2	1
Buffalo . . . . .	—	—	Chilcope . . . . .	11	6
Pittsburg . . . . .	—	—	Northampton . . . . .	12	1
Cincinnati . . . . .	—	—	Medford . . . . .	3	—
Milwaukee . . . . .	—	—	Beverly . . . . .	6	2
Washington . . . . .	—	—	Leominster . . . . .	2	1
Providence . . . . .	60	24	Hyde Park . . . . .	4	1
Boston . . . . .	168	46	Melrose . . . . .	—	—
Worcester . . . . .	44	15	Newburyport . . . . .	—	—
Fall River . . . . .	42	26	Woburn . . . . .	1	—
Cambridge . . . . .	28	10	Westfield . . . . .	1	—
Lowell . . . . .	41	15	Marlboro . . . . .	5	1
Lynn . . . . .	21	7	Revere . . . . .	4	2
New Bedford . . . . .	28	13	Attleboro . . . . .	3	—
Springfield . . . . .	17	7	Pemboly . . . . .	—	—
Lawrence . . . . .	20	9	Adams . . . . .	3	1
Somerville . . . . .	25	7	Clinton . . . . .	3	0
Brookton . . . . .	14	7	Gardner . . . . .	3	2
Holyoke . . . . .	21	8	Milford . . . . .	—	—
Malden . . . . .	12	4	Watertown . . . . .	2	0
Chelsea . . . . .	5	1	Plymouth . . . . .	—	—
Newton . . . . .	3	—	Weymouth . . . . .	3	1
Salem . . . . .	11	6	Frammingham . . . . .	—	—
Haverhill . . . . .	11	—	Southbridge . . . . .	—	—
Fitchburg . . . . .	—	—	Wakefield . . . . .	—	—
Everett . . . . .	6	1	Webster . . . . .	—	—
Taunton . . . . .	10	2	Arlington . . . . .	8	1

## OFFICIAL LIST OF THE CHANGES OF STATION AND DUTIES OF COMMISSIONED AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND MARINE-HOSPITAL SERVICE FOR THE SEVEN DAYS ENDED JUNE 24, 1908.

WILLIAMS, L. L., surgeon. Granted leave of absence for one month from July 15, 1908. June 23, 1908.

GARDNER, C. H., passed assistant surgeon. Relieved from duty at San Francisco, Cal., and directed to proceed to Wilmington, N. C., assuming command of the Service at that port. June 23, 1908.

LAVINDER, C. H., passed assistant surgeon. Relieved from duty at Wilmington, N. C., and directed to proceed to Stapleton, N. Y., reporting to the medical officer in command for duty and assignment to quarters. June 23, 1908.

WHITE, M. J., passed assistant surgeon. Granted extension of leave of absence for fifteen days from July 1, 1908. June 23, 1908.

BERRY, T. D., passed assistant surgeon. Placed on "waiting orders" from June 1, 1908. June 20, 1908.

MANNING, H. M., assistant surgeon. Directed to report to the chairman of a board of examiners at the Bureau, Washington, D. C., July 6, 1908, for the purpose of determining his fitness for promotion to the grade of past assistant surgeon. June 23, 1908.

MANNING, H. M., assistant surgeon. Granted leave of absence for seven days. June 23, 1908.

CLARK, E. S., acting assistant surgeon. Granted leave of absence for ten days from June 11, 1908. June 23, 1908.

RUSH, J. O., acting assistant surgeon. Granted leave of absence for fourteen days from July 1, 1908. June 17, 1908.

STODDARD, C. S., acting assistant surgeon. Granted leave of absence for thirty days from June 27, 1908. June 23, 1908.

MASON, M. R., pharmacist. Granted leave of absence for twenty-eight days from July 15, 1908. June 17, 1908.

WATERS, H. M., pharmacist. Granted leave of absence for thirty days from July 1, 1908. June 23, 1908.

## BOARD CONVENED.

A board of medical officers was convened to meet at Seattle, Wash., for the purpose of examining alien immigrants. Detail for the Board: Passed Assistant Surgeon M. W. Glover, chairman; Assistant Surgeon C. W. Chapin; Acting Assistant Surgeon, F. R. Underwood, recorder. June 24, 1908.

## CHANGES IN THE MEDICAL CORPS U. S. NAVY FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 4, 1908.

J. F. URIC, surgeon. Detached from the "Pennsylvania" and ordered to report before a naval retiring board at the Navy Yard, Mare Island, Cal., July 10, for examination for retirement, and then to the Naval Hospital for treatment.

J. F. FREEMAN, passed assistant surgeon. Detached from the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., and ordered to the "Montana" when commissioned.

J. H. PAYNE, Jr., passed assistant surgeon. Detached from the Naval Recruiting Station, Cleveland, Ohio, and ordered to the Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., and to additional duty in connection with fitting out the "Salem."

E. C. WHITE, assistant surgeon. Ordered to the Naval Recruiting station, Cleveland, Ohio.

W. S. HOEN, passed assistant surgeon. Detached from the "California" and ordered to continue treatment at the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal.

W. N. McDONELL, passed assistant surgeon. Detached from the "Severn" and ordered to Camp Perry, Ohio, July 5, for duty in connection with the Navy Rifle Team.

## RECENT DEATH.

DR. PETER V. BURNETT, a prominent specialist of the Williamsburgh section of Brooklyn, N. Y., while suffering from nervous depression, jumped from the roof garden of the Mount Sinai Hospital, where he was a private patient, and died almost instantly, on June 29. He was a native of Connecticut, and was in the fifty-fifth year of his age. He was graduated from the Medical Department of the University of the City of New York in 1876, and afterwards served as interne at Bellevue Hospital. Dr. Burnett was well known as an aurist and rhinologist, and at the time of his death was attending physician to the Eastern District and Nose, Throat and Ear hospitals, Brooklyn.

## BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS RECEIVED.

Thaw and His Mental Status. By C. H. Hughes, M.D. Reprint.

Paresis, Epilepsy and Epileptoid as Menaces to Railway Safety. By C. H. Hughes, M.D. Reprint.

The Action of Thionyl Chloride and of Phosphorus Pentachloride on the Methylene Ethers of Catechol Derivatives. By George Barger, M.A., D.Sc. Reprint.

The Action of Thionyl Chloride on the Methylene Ethers of Catechol Derivatives. Part II. By George Barger, M.A., D.Sc., and Arthur James Ewins, B.Sc. Reprint.

Wave-like Variations in Muscular Fatigue Curves. By C. T. Symons, B.A. (Oxon.). Reprint.

The Pathology of the Eye. By J. Herbert Parsons, B.Sc., D.Sc. (Lond.), F.R.C.S. (Eng.). Vol. IV, Part II. Illustrated. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. 1908.

The Economic Advisability of Inaugurating a National Organization of Health. By J. Pease Norton, Ph. D. Reprint.

The Function of Health Boards in the Control of Tuberculosis. By Edward O. Otis, M.D. Reprint.

The Sphere of the Trained Nurse. By W. A. Newman Dorland, A.M., M.D. Reprint.

Evolutionary Phases in the State of American Medicine and Medical Education. By P. C. Remondino, M.D. Reprint.

Modern Medicine. Its Theory and Practice. In Original Contributions by American and Foreign Authors. Edited by William Osler, M.D., assisted by Thomas McCrae, M.D. Vol. IV. Illustrated. Philadelphia and New York: Lea and Febiger. 1908.

A Text-Book of Human Physiology, Including a Section on Physiologic Apparatus. By Albert P. Brubaker, A.M., M.D. Third edition, revised and enlarged. Illustrated. Philadelphia: P. Blakiston's Son & Co.

International Clinics. Edited by W. T. Longcope, M.D., and others. Vol. II, 18th Series, 1908. Philadelphia and London: J. B. Lippincott Co. 1908.

Meat and Food Inspection. By Wm. Robertson, M.D., D.P.H.F.P.S. With Regulations Governing Meat Inspection in the United States. By Maximilian Herzog, M. D. Illustrated. Chicago: W. T. Keener & Co. 1908.

Green's Encyclopedia and Dictionary of Medicine and Surgery. Vol. VIII. Edinburgh and London: William Green & Sons. 1908.