





Sund. Mon. Jan 7. 8. 1865

Very cold. Out-of-doors exercises impracticable. Few persons passing.

A small company was gathered in the Mission Room, 15 besides the Missionary, the Visitor, the President, and the Secretary. Full services were held in the afternoon.

Sunday Afternoon Jan 8<sup>th</sup>  
Services held in the Room  
to an audience of 30. mostly Sailors  
Books distributed

6 Testaments

3 Prayer Books

17 Miscellaneous with  
tracts & papers

H. T. Jenkins  
Charles Ely  
B. F. Rogers

Present

E. C. Doyak  
of the Board

Sunday Morning Jan 15/65

Very cold with high wind  
Services held in the room  
12 to 15 seamen ~~about~~  
assembled & participated in  
the services & listened to an  
earnest & practical sermon  
from the Miss<sup>y</sup>

Present Mr. Fisher & Mr. Kinnison

The Rev. Mr. Stearns

Sunday Afternoon Jan 15. 1865

The Miss<sup>y</sup> read the service & preached  
at the door of the room & had several  
hearings both in the room & on the side-  
walk. About 60 in all, 28 being  
Sailors. Books distributed to seamen  
3 Test. 4 Prayer Books. 18 Miscell.  
with tracts & papers.

No Visitor

R. J. Walker



Sunday Morning Jan<sup>y</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Weather Clear. The Missionary  
read the service and preached  
standing on the balcony in front  
of our room 20 persons in  
the room and a number on  
the side walk

John Morgan  
Visitor

20 on sidewalk listening

A Test and a P Book given to a  
Seiler who could not attend in the After<sup>noon</sup>.  
A. J. W.

Sunday afternoon Jan 22<sup>nd</sup> 1865 -  
The Missionary preached on the  
balcony in front of our room &  
35 persons were in the room  
mostly Seamen & <sup>16</sup> ~~trades~~ <sup>bibles</sup>  
5 Testaments, 7 Prayer Books & 18 Mis<sup>sions</sup>  
Books were given to the men -  
A. G. Thorp &

Sunday Morning Jan<sup>y</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Weather clear & cold. The Missionary  
read the service & preached  
from the Balcony in front of the  
Room, when there were 16 Men  
inside, all Seamen, and about 12  
persons outside. -

Visitor, Henry T. Jenkins

Sund After<sup>noon</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Weather very cold. Service  
at the door, the room being  
full & several standing near in the  
street, listening; the whole number  
estimated at 70, a majority being  
Seamen. Attention to service & sermon  
excellent. Books issued 19 Testaments, Prayer  
Books 10, Miscellaneum 12, <sup>1</sup> ~~new~~ & <sup>1</sup> ~~paper~~,  
Present of the Board, Mr Ely, Mr Mitchell  
Mr Tracy.

31 received books



Sunday morning Feby. 5<sup>th</sup> 1865

Dear Missionary preached on the balcony in front of our room & during a hail storm we gathered about 16 persons in, after sermon had commenced about 6 or 8 had stood on the sidewalk listening untill the end.

We had a mixed congregation but mostly nautical men

All appeared to be very attentive and we hope, they will come again in the afternoon & induce others to come too.

Before services Tracts & cards were distributed. & afterwards papers

W. H. Mumford

Sunday After Feby 5<sup>th</sup> 1865

The Missy read the service & preached on the balcony. Commenced with 9 sailors in the room, but it was soon filled - nearly all present being seamen. Every seat was occupied.

Three or four were Masters of vessels & several were mates. All very attentive. Books distributed to 31 Seamen as follows,

7 Testaments

10 Prayer Books

17 Miscellaneous with tracts & religious papers.

No Visitor R. J. Walker,

Sunday After Feby 12 1865.

Coming to the very severe snow storm and violent gale no seamen appeared.

No Visitor



Sunday P.M. The Gale and  
Snow Storm continued so that  
there were but two Sailors present  
in the service and an address  
delivered by our Missionary after  
which two Testaments & two Books  
were presented to them.

W  
H. J. Jenkins  
of the Board

Sunday Morning July 14. 1865. A cold day, and  
consequent services within doors to a congregation of  
about 20 - who were attentive to the sermon of the Missionary -  
from the text "Come unto me all ye who are weary and  
heavy laden & I will give you rest."

Papers distributed after the service -

Henry Fisher

Sunday Afternoon July 19 1865  
A fine clear afternoon but little  
wind. Service was held on a  
Small Boat on the Sea at the  
foot of Coontes Slip about 50  
persons were in attendance one  
half of whom were Sailors & after  
service 16 Sailors and 6 children  
came to the Room where the  
following Books were distributed

to Testaments

3 Bibles Books

15 Miscellaneous Books

with Papers & Prayers

Edward Ely Pastor  
of Rogers of the Board



Sunday Morning July 24 1865

A damp, foggy morning, with  
muddy streets - few high tides seen.  
Service on the balcony in front of the  
Room by the Ministry =

No Visitor. R. J. Walker,  
About 40 in attendance,

Sunday July 26 PM,

Alt. Clearing off only  
a short time before the  
hour of service & the streets  
were very muddy. Quite  
a large number <sup>(say 100)</sup> assembled  
around the machinery on the  
pier at Coetus Slip - and  
were very orderly & attentive.  
After service ~~at~~ they went  
to the room when they were  
addressed by Mr Tracy - and

the Testaments, Pray Books, Miscellane-  
ous Books tracts & paper  
Miss Froubry, Morgan & Tracy  
were present

Henry Pleasdale

Books distributed 2 Bible, 8 Testaments,  
6 Pray Books, 11 Miscellaneou Books,

Sunday MS (March 5<sup>th</sup> 65

A pleasant morning. Service  
on the pier near the room. From  
50 to 60 persons in attendance. A  
large proportion being farmers.  
The singing was unusually good,  
several fine voices assisting. Two  
young men presented the Ministry with  
60 cents to purchase books for the  
Sailors. Mr. Kimmell of the  
Board present during part of the  
service.  
R. J. Walker



Sunday Afternoon March 5<sup>th</sup> 1865

A bright clear afternoon - Service on the pier at foot of Coventry Slip - A congregation of some 50 or 60 men, mostly sailors, paid strict attention to a most admirable address from the Missionary - It came with us to the room to whom are distributed

B. Testaments - 5 Prayer books  
19 Miscellaneous tracts  
Bible  
Religious papers & tracts  
J. P. Cunningham  
Giver

Sund. Morn. March 12. 1865

Cold & blustering weather. The preacher failed to come, and thereby the service suffered seriously. The value of a good vigorous singer in drawing together a congregation at the wharves, is very manifest when we are left without such aid. It became necessary for the Missionary and the sexton to supply this want as well as they were able; for there would not be a service in open air in this weather without singing.

Number present 20, mostly seamen.

Sunday PM March 12 1865  
Clear & cold, service on the Pier nearly opposite the Room, to an audience of about 125 men, among forty seamen came afterwards to the Room to whom the following Books were distributed



1 Bible  
6 Testaments  
7 Prayer Books  
24 Miscellaneous with Tracts & other  
papers B. S. Rogers  
J. S. H. H. T. Jenkins  
2 additional given to  
two sailors B. J. W.

The statistics up to this date  
included in the Annual Report.

Sunday Morning March 20. 1865

A lovely Sabbath morning. Service on a barge in front  
of the room - An impressive sermon by the Missionary  
from Isaiah xxxii - 1 & 2 verse to a congregation  
of 60 to 70 persons, a number of whom were seamen of very  
attentive.

Papers delivered after service.

Mary Fisher

Small day afternoon March 19. 1865 -  
A pleasant day - Service on a barge by  
the Missionary - a large number in  
attendance nearly 150 persons mostly  
sailors - 47 sailors came to the room  
for books - They were given away  
10 Testaments  
4 English & 1 German Prayer Book  
2 Sailors Manual  
35 Miscellaneous books with tracts  
and papers

Charles D. H.

Samuel Hopkins

J. S. Cummings

Another sailor supplied with  
a book and tracts B. J. W.



Sunday Morning March 26<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Services were <sup>commenced</sup> held on a barge and  
Subsequently upon the dock

The Attendance was quite large  
numbering at one time some fifty  
men, many of whom were Sailors  
The total number who were present  
during the whole service must  
have exceeded one hundred. The  
Sermon by the Missionary was  
very impressive and could not  
fail to have had a lasting  
effect upon many present.

All were unusually attentive  
Thos. Messenger  
Visitor

Sunday afternoon March 26 1865.

Fine weather. Service & Sermon on a  
barge, at foot of Broad Street. The large  
congregation gave serious attention, notwithstanding  
some slight interruptions from drunken men. The  
number present at both services and sermon  
was, 100, on the average, not counting many more  
who came & went. The number of men who  
came to the room was 47. Upward of half  
the whole congregation were sea going sailors.

Books issued 9 Testaments. 8 Manuals. 5 Com-  
mon Prayer. 27 Miscellaneous.

Present of the Board  
Mr Cummings  
Mr Morgan  
Messrs Rogers  
Mr Tracy



Sunday morning April 2. 1865

Services were held on a barge by the  
Missionary -

About fifty persons were present, most  
of whom were seamen + ~~boatmen~~

The usual papers were distributed

E. C. Bogert

Visitor

The day fine, Sunday Pm April 2 1865

~~held~~ Services were held on a  
Barge at Coventry ship by our missionary  
an audience from 125 to 150 present

at one time, but many more than  
that number present, <sup>during the services</sup> part of the time

Good attention was given to the words  
preached which were quite impressive.

After the services 29 came up for Books  
a large proportion being seamen apparently.

The following Books were distributed

4 Testaments, 6 Prayer Books, 12 Sailors

manually, 11 Miscellaneous Books Tracts  
& religious papers.

Visitors F. N. Torrbridge

Sunday morning April 9/65

A pleasant morning. Services  
held on the wharf, about  
60 persons assembled, 3/4

of whom were ~~seamen~~  
seamen, who were quiet &  
orderly & listened attentively

to an earnest & practical sermon  
by the Missionary from the

text "Take my yoke upon you  
& learn of me" Papers were  
distributed to those present,

after the services - Present  
Mr Tracy of the Board.

W. R. M. S. S.



Sunday Afternoon April 9<sup>th</sup>  
Serenity on the Pier to a very  
attentive audience of 124 persons,  
mostly sailors - After service  
adjourned to the Library where  
Books & tracts were presented  
by 34 men, 26 sailors and  
6 children from the vessels

10 English & 6 Spanish testaments

7 Latin manuals

13 Miscellaneous Books

with tracts & papers.

B. D. Rogers

J. P. Cummings

A. T. Johnson

1865

Easter Sunday M<sup>o</sup> April 16<sup>th</sup>  
Services on a barge opposite  
the room 60 in attendance many  
being sailors. The Miss<sup>es</sup> officiated.  
No Visitor W. J. Walker.

Afternoon April 16<sup>th</sup> 1861  
The bright Easter morning changed  
to a wet stormy afternoon &  
interfered with the assembling of many  
at the services which were held  
on a barge lying opposite the  
room on South St. About  
20 were present and listened  
attentively to sermons by W. J. Walker  
appropriate to the day - 13 came  
to the room - Books distributed -  
1 Testament - 5 Manuals - 1 Hymn Book 6  
Miscellaneous with tracts &c  
Ch. Cummings Visitor



Sunday Morning April 23/65  
Services held in a barge -  
about 40 persons assembled  
perhaps half of them Seamen  
or Boatmen - The Missionary  
preached an earnest  
discourse upon death & judgment,  
papers distributed as usual  
The R M I Swaine

Sunday afternoon Apr 23 1865  
Weather cold & windy -

Services held on a barge opposite  
the room - About 50 or 60 present  
including 15 ladies - Great attention  
was paid to the sermon -

23 Men & 7 boys came to  
the room to whom were distributed  
7 Bibles - 3 Manuals 17 Miscellaneous  
books - with tracts -

Rev S Morgan & J O Cummings

Sunday morning April 30/65.  
Services on a barge. about  
60 persons remained during the  
sermon - mostly seamen. About  
noon - there were a good many  
others who came & went, during  
the forenoon papers distributed as  
usual.

Wm Haydon  
B.R. for H J Jenkins

Sunday afternoon April 30 1865  
Services were held on a large  
barge opposite our rooms, our Minister  
officiating - There were present about  
Eighty or ninety who appeared to  
listen with earnestness to the faithful  
discourse, after service, they came  
to our room for Bibles & papers, thirty  
two <sup>men</sup> & four boys. Books given out  
as follows



75 Testaments  
2 Prayer Books  
31 Miscellaneous Books  
40 Tracts & Papers

Victory J. N. Tombridge  
J. A. H. Hopkins  
J. L. Morgan  
H. Rodger

Sunday Morn. May 7<sup>th</sup> 1865

The Congregation which was gathered this morning was rather small, say about 40, altho the weather was fine, owing to the scarcity of Boats in port.

Our Missionary preached with his usual earnestness. Christ & him Crucified.

After services <sup>religious</sup> & Papers were

distributed & Congregation dismissed with the usual invitations to attend in the afternoon at the same place.

A. B. Kimball

Sunday Afternoon May 7. 1865.

A fine day. Services on a barge at foot of Broad Street by the Missionary about 80 or 90 permanent listeners present & many more coming & going. 40 or 50 persons, chiefly seamen & boatmen attended ~~at the room~~ to receive books, to whom Mr. Tracy of the Board made a feeling appeal to profit by what they had heard from the Missionary & to exert themselves individually to spread abroad the influence of the Mission & the Gospel.

Books & papers distributed as follows viz



- 10 Testaments  
 2 Sailors Manuals  
 20 Miscellaneous Books

Visitors { Mr. Chas Tracy  
 " Trowbridge  
 James L. Morgan  
 " Holmes  
 " J Pierpont Morgan  
 " C. G. Mitchell

Sunday Morn 8 May 14. 1865  
 A Beautiful Morning  
 Services on a large part of Broad St.  
 Attendance about 80, principally  
 seamen & boatmen. The Missy  
 officiated to a very attentive  
 audience. Cards, tracts & papers  
 distributed. No Visitor  
 R. J. Walker

Sunday PM. May 14.  
 Service at the Pier foot of  
 Broad St. the Sacco, & Spring,  
 by our Missionary & a very  
 excellent discourse by Mr.  
 Mansfield of Greenpoint  
 Church of the Ascension.  
 about 100 men present, after  
 service adjourned to the Pier  
 where on 26 men & 24 boys  
 Books distributed  
 1 Bible, 10 Testaments  
 4 Manuals, 24 Miscellaneous  
 with tracts & papers.

Sant. Hopkins  
 J R Cummins  
 B D Rogers  
 W J Fenwick



Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup> 1865 Morning

A very wet morn<sup>g</sup>. Service  
coming down in torrents. Streets  
almost deserted. Services on a  
barge at pier 6, from attentive  
audience of about 50. All apparently  
boatmen & seafolks.  
Cards, tracts & papers distributed.  
No Visitor. R. J. Walker.

Sunday Afternoon May 21<sup>st</sup> 1865

Weather wet but mild. Service  
held on a covered Barge lying  
opposite foot of Broad St. - Some 40  
or 50 Men - mostly Boatmen composed  
the congregation and were very attentive  
to the service & sermon.

53 Men & boys, 3 of them sailors,  
Came to the room to which were given  
14 tracts, 2 papers, Manual  
28 Miscellaneous books of pp  
M. P. O'Rourke, Visitor

Sunday May 28<sup>th</sup> 1865

A Wet unpleasant morning.  
As there were no accommodations  
near the street, we were obliged to go  
some distance out on the pier - where  
service was held on a Barge - the  
congregation consisting of twenty  
three persons all boatmen - who paid good  
attention to the service, and the remarks  
which were addressed to them by the  
Missionary - his subject being the part-  
ing of the Saviour from his disciples at  
Bethany, when he ascended into heaven  
Papers were distributed after service

R. J. Rogers  
Visitor

P.M.

Service commenced on Pier 6, in  
a slight rain. Sixty people assembled  
there: the rain increasing, during the  
delivery of the sermon the Missionary



changed to the Room, followed  
by nearly all the congregation, 53  
remained at the Room till the  
close, and all seemed deeply  
impressed and interested.

Books distributed. 32 Testaments,  
21 Miscellaneous Books, besides tracts.

NB. Nearly all the congregation  
at this service came from the canal  
boats & barges, which have taken  
possession of the docks in the vicinity.

Chas. Tracy  
of the Board

Sunday Morning June 4<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Services on a Barge foot of  
Brauer St about 4.15 to 5.00 pm  
And Bays present and Victor  
Very attentive. Fine service by  
Mr Walker and Ministry

after Service Distribution paper  
at the foot on Bay & Marf

John, B. Hobbs

Amth

Sunday after<sup>n</sup> June 4. 1865  
Services on the Arm barge.  
96 persons present. Services &  
Sermon by the Miss. 27 came to  
the room for books, to whom  
were given 1 Bible. 4 Test<sup>s</sup>  
2 Manuals of Devotion  
2 Prayer Books. 18 Misc Books  
No Visitor R. J. Walker

Sund. Morn. June 12. 1865.

Service of a barge opposite the mission-room.  
50 persons present, including two ship captains.  
Very fine weather. Congregation very attentive.  
Present of the Board Mr Fisher & Mr Tracy



Sunday PM  
June 11/65

Service on a Barge opposite  
the rooms of the Mission

Present altogether about  
120 Persons - about 47 present  
(of whom 14 were seamen)  
present to our rooms after  
dinner and we & Berk,  
& c. . . . .

Testaments	22
Miscellaneous Books	22
Tracts & Annals	2
Tracts	40

Henry Marshall

H. W. L. L. L.

Four children from the Boats  
were supplied with books after  
the visitors had left.

R. J. W.

Sunday Morning  
June 18/65

An excessively hot morning -  
Services held on a barge around  
the corner on Coontie's Slip,  
the best position that could be  
obtained - The Chorister was  
absent on account of sickness -  
All these hindrances tended  
to make the number of hearers  
small, not more than 30  
persons assembling, who  
listened attentively, however,  
to the earnest words of the  
Missionary & to the reading  
of the Service -

The R. M. Swanwick

Tracts & papers distributed as  
usual



Sunday Afternoon June 18 1865  
Weather very warm Services were  
held on a Barge on Coarctation Slip  
The attendance was but small  
only about 30 <sup>owing to the poor location of the Barge</sup> being present, all  
were attentive to the sermon by  
the Missionary. After service 17  
came to the room including boys  
where the following Books were  
distributed

- 7 Testaments
- 1 Prayer Book
- 12 Miscellaneous Books with  
tracts & papers

Nearby Room  
visited  
by 4 members  
of the Board

Sunday Morning June 25<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Weather warm but bright and clear -  
The services were held on a barge in  
front of the room - The attendance  
though limited was gratifying on ac-  
-count of the attention paid. Rev. Mr.  
Walker preached a warm practical  
sermon to only 25 at the full service,  
a small number going and coming -  
Several boys remained and appeared  
very attentive - Papers were distributed  
after service. Present of the Board  
Messrs { Hummel  
Rogers  
Romaine

P.M. Fine weather. Small congregation -  
about 75. 60 came to the room after  
service, being 4 from the ships & the rest being  
men & boys from the barge. Service on a barge, some-  
-what disturbed by straggling boys, who always  
come most when the congregation of men is



Sunday afternoon July 9<sup>th</sup> 1865

The services were conducted on a Barge at the foot of Broad St. ~~and~~ were read by a member of the Board - The sermon by the Missionary to a congregation of about 75 - including 15 or 20 Boys & 3 females all of whom paid a respectful attention & seemed interested - The sailors & Boatmen were invited to the room after the sermon - 1 Book was distributed to 60 persons as follows

- Testaments 20
- Sailors' Manual 4
- Miss Books 42

also papers & tracts

Wm D. Holmes  
 W. W. Lehman  
 W. J. Rogers

W

709  
 29  
 437  
 1145  
 3460

80  
 125  
 205

Brooklyn City Hospital  
March / 15

Dear Sir  
 I would respectfully report the Number of Seamen Admitted in the Year 1864 Seven Hundred & forty seven. 747

The Number Died  
 Twenty Six, 26

The Seamen not buried <sup>by</sup> their friends, was buried in the cemetery of the Evergreen

Respectfully Yours  
 John T. E. Nichols  
 Superintendent



Sunday Morning July 16<sup>th</sup> 1865 -  
The weather being cool and pleasant  
as the sun was not out strong, added  
to the comfort with which the really  
attentive audience enjoyed the Service  
by our Missionary - More than 70  
were at different portions of the  
Service, and nearly 50 continued  
the whole service - The Missionary  
showed the practical benefits of  
a disposition to use prayer -  
Even of the boys present one could  
not fail to notice their interest -

After Service papers distributed -  
W. Romaine



Friday afternoon 16<sup>th</sup> July/65.  
Services and sermon by the Missionary upon a barge to an attentive audience of old and young of about 100. - the larger number remaining to the end. Books were distributed to 66 Men & Boys, as follows. 49. English & 3. German testaments; 3 sailors Manuals, and 20. Miscellaneous books, also papers & tracts.

J. Dawson  
Visitor

~~2 others~~ 2 persons in addition were supplied with Books, viz 1 Prayer Book & 1 Reading Book

Sunday Morning July 23/65  
Arrival of Bro. W. the Missionary upon a barge to a congregation of about 100 - many boatmen & a few females - they were generally attentive - & orderly & quiet within conduct. Weather fine.

Henry Fisher

July 23 - P.M. - Services were held upon a barge at the foot of Broad St - the Missionary preaching. About 75 persons were present during the services. The following Books were distributed to 54 Men & Boys: 27 Testaments, 1 Bible, 26 Miscellaneous Books, beside Papers & Tracts

J. W. Welchman  
Visitor



Sunday AM July 30<sup>th</sup> 65

Services on a barge foot of  
Broad St. About 100 persons  
in attendance - mostly Sailors  
& Boatmen. Attention very good.  
The Missionary officiated.  
Cards, tracts & papers distributed.  
No Visitor. R. J. Walker.

P.M. Sunday July 30 1865

Services were held on a Barge foot  
Broad St. there were from 60 to 65 persons  
nearly all Seamen & Boatmen. Good  
attention was given to the preaching.  
The Missionary officiated. After  
the services on the Barge 59 came ash  
into our room, & books were distributed as  
follows. 2 Bibles, 24 Testaments, 1 Prayer Book  
4 Sailor's Manuals, 24 Miscellaneous Books, Tracts  
& Papers -  
Visitor

J. N. Tombridge

Sunday Morning Aug. 6. 1865 -

The weather being cloud and warm the  
services were nevertheless attentively engaged  
in out-doors by a congregation of  
50 persons, a few more coming toward  
the cloud, when Dr. Walker arrested  
the attention in a marked manner  
by the more personal application  
of his teachings. The quiet of even  
some boys was noticeable -

Cards, tracts & papers distributed -  
Present Misses Kummel & Demaine

Sunday after<sup>n</sup> Aug 6, 1865

A heavy shower having  
cooled the air, we had a very  
fine attendance this afternoon.  
From 120 to 140 persons met  
on the Barge & pier & listened  
attentively to the service & sermon.  
Two thirds of the whole appeared



to be sailors & boatmen & boys  
 from the boats. 67 came to the  
 Room for books & were supplied  
 as follows: 1 Bible  
 30 English & 2 French Test  
 2 Prayer Books  
 4 Sailors' Manuals  
 27 Miscellaneous Books  
 with tracts & papers  
 No Visitor  
 P. J. Walker  
 & Charles Hunt

Sunday Morning Aug 13. 1865  
 A good attendance of nearly 100 persons, some females.  
 the audience attentive to a good sermon by the  
 Missionary - a remarkably fine day -  
 Papers distributed after the service - and tracts &  
 cards before service  
 Missy Tiches

Sunday Afternoon  
 August 13th 1865

Services were held on a Barge lying at the  
 foot of Broad Street - there were about  
 70 persons present, who seemed attentive  
 the missionary preached a sermon  
 on the Providence & goodness of God - which  
 we hope was blessed to those present - after  
 the sermon about 60 men and boys &  
 about 5 little girls came to the room to  
 whom books were distributed as follows

1 Bible  
 29 Testaments  
 2 Sailors' Manuals  
 40 Miscellaneous Books - besides  
 tracts & papers  
 B. F. Rogers

2 others were supplied with books  
 P. J. W.



Sunday Morning Aug 20

A Beautifull

and Service in Barge for  
Grand St about 80 Min  
& Boys in Attendance Master  
Batterson and Lieutenant  
a Good Service from our  
Missionary

John B. Thomas

Sunday Afternoon Aug 20<sup>th</sup> 1865

Service on a Barge foot of Broadway  
our Missionary preached to an attentive  
congregation of about 100 persons  
about 25 or 30 of whom were boys - after  
the sermon, they were invited to the Rooms  
and 135 - accepted the invitation - Books  
were given out as follows

Testaments 60 English

Miscellaneous Books <sup>20</sup> 1/2 German  
Besides Tracts 1/2 Italian

Besides Tracts

These were also present at the service Dr  
Hawley one of the Wardens of Ascension  
Church Green Point & Floyd Smith Jr  
formerly a member of the Board

B. J. Rogers

Sunday Morning Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1865 Service  
& sermon by the Missionary to a con-  
-gregation numbering in all about  
80 persons, all being attentive to  
the warm practical teaching of-  
-fered. The quiet of the boys was  
marked, and their interest was  
evident.

W. Romaine



Sunday afternoon August 27  
Service by the missionaries on a  
barge - about 100 present of most  
boys belonging to the boats in  
the neighborhood - Then was  
distributed there in the room  
27 English Testaments & 7  
German Testaments - 1 Sailor  
maimed - 36 miscellaneous books  
There were 66 in the room

Charles Ely

Sunday Morn<sup>g</sup> Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1865  
Services on a barge foot of Broad  
St. About 110 persons present, some  
being sailors. The rest mostly  
boatmen & boys from the boats. All  
very orderly & attentive.  
No Visitor

P. J. Walker

P.S. Two testaments given to a man  
& a boy from boats in Brooklyn  
P. J. W.

Sunday after<sup>n</sup> Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1865  
Service by the Miss<sup>y</sup> on  
the same barge as in the morn<sup>g</sup>.  
about 100 present, all quite  
attentive. 55 Sailors, boatmen  
& boys from the boats came to  
the room for books, to whom were  
given 15 Testaments and  
40 miscellaneous books with  
tracts. No Visitor  
P. J. Walker

Sunday Morn<sup>g</sup> Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1865

As we could get no barge in the neigh-  
borhood of the Room, service was held by  
the Missionary on the Pier - after which, as it  
commenced raining the men were invited to  
adjourn to the Room - there were about 50



persons present during the service read  
all of whom came to the Room to listen  
to the sermon - others came in afterwards  
making about 50 in all

B. F. Rogers

Sunday After Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1865

The Missy officiated to a  
congregation consisting of about  
100 Sailors, boatmen & boys  
from the boats, on Pier No. 6, oppo-  
site the room. The afternoon was  
fair & pleasant & the audience  
attentive. 78 came to the room  
for books (several being German)  
There were distributed as follows,  
Testaments 34 English.

Sailors' Manuals 1

Books English 43 German 1  
with papers and tracts.

No Visitors R. J. Walker

Sunday morning Sept. 17 1865 -  
The missionary preached an  
excellent sermon to about 50.  
attentive hearers, nearly all  
of them boatmen.  
Wm Graydon

Sunday P. M. Sept. 17 1865

The services and sermon by the  
Missionary, Rev. Mr. Walker, in a  
large at the foot of Broad St.  
About 60 boatmen present who  
were quite attentive. After the

services the following books were  
distributed. Testaments 25 - Missel-  
lanous 37 - Making a total of 62  
papers delivered to as many persons.  
The day very pleasant. The singing part  
of the service should be improved.  
Disrupt. Visitor.



Sunday Morning Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Not being able to procure a Barge Service  
was held on the Pier opposite the Room  
there being about 60 Men & Boys present  
who listened attentively throughout

D. S. Rogers  
C. G. Mitchell

Sunday Afternoon Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 1865

A beautiful afternoon. A  
large congregation numbering  
about 140 assembled on pier 6 &  
listened with great attention  
to the prayers & sermon.

Many of the hearers were  
sailors. The others were  
mostly boatmen.

Books distributed in the room  
to 87 Seamen, boatmen &  
boys from the boats were as

follows: Test<sup>am</sup> 42 English &  
2 German. Sailors Manuals 1.  
Bible 1. Mis<sup>er</sup> Books 41  
with Tracts and papers.

No Visitor R. J. Walker

Sunday Morning Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1865

Service on a barge at the end  
of Pier 5, being a very nice ve-  
nue. Not more than 40  
in attendance. The Missionary  
officiated.

No Visitor R. J. Walker

Sunday Afternoon October 1. 1865

Service on a Barge by the Missionary  
about 130 men & boys present  
There were 61 came into the room

Books given away - 32 Testaments English  
& 2 Portuguese - 1 Sailors Manual & 32 Miscellaneous books  
& tracts & papers -

Charles Dy



2 Testaments were given in addition. R. J. M.

Sunday, Grand Cove 8<sup>th</sup> 1865

A pleasant morning  
Service & Sermon by the Missionary  
on a barge at Pier 4. About  
60 remained for the Sermon.  
Cards & tracts distributed before  
service. Mr. Mitchell of the Board  
present & assisting. R. J. M.

Sunday afternoon Oct 8<sup>th</sup>

Service & Sermon by the  
Missionary on the barge, about  
150 persons present. Books  
distributed as follows -

- 30 Testaments & 1 French Testament
  - 1 Prayer Book
  - 2 Latin Manuals
  - 54 Miscellanies
- There were 84 persons in the Room -  
J. W. McChesney  
H. J. Jenkins

Sunday Morning Oct 15. 1865

There being no barge at hand  
services were held and sermon  
preached by the Missionary on the dock  
part of counting ship. The weather  
was unpleasant and very windy  
about 40 persons present

C. G. Mitchell

Sunday Afternoon Oct 15 1865

No barge at hand the Sermon  
had to be on the dock and  
then to the Room as the Rain  
commenced the Rev. about  
50 men & boys at the Room  
22 Testaments - 25 Book  
Wm. District

John B. Holman







Sunday <sup>the</sup> Oct 29<sup>th</sup> 1865

Services on a barge at  
pier 4. About 80 in attendance  
Some of whom were Roman  
Catholics, but all listened with  
attention to the discourse.

30 came to the room for books  
and received as follows:

1 Prayer Book, 23 Mis<sup>s</sup>  
with tracts.

No Visitor. P. J. Walker.

Sunday Morning, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Fine morning, but high &  
penetrating wind. Congregation  
about 60. all very attentive.

Our missionary regards to the  
Cholera having made its appearance  
on our shore, urged on all the  
necessity of examining their lives

and to live in the fear & love of  
God & to put our whole trust in  
the Saviour. W. C. Kimmell

Sunday <sup>the</sup> Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Congregation about 100.  
Services & Sermon by the Missionary

50 came to the room for books,  
to whom were given:  
1 German Bible. 18 English  
3 German & 1 Portuguese Testam<sup>t</sup>.  
26 English & 1 German Books  
with tracts.

No Visitor. P. J. Walker.  
An English Bible given to a  
pilot in addition to the above.  
P. J. W.