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*Annual Report on the Health of the Parish of St. Martin-in-the-Fields,  
for the Year 1894.*

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TO THE VESTRY OF ST. MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour of submitting to you my Twenty-fifth Annual Report on the health and sanitary condition of the Parish.

## BIRTHS.

During the year the registered Births numbered 233, being an increase of 10 over the previous year.



The following Table gives the number of Births registered in each month of the year:—

			<i>Males.</i>		<i>Females.</i>		<i>Total.</i>
January ..	..	..	15	..	15	..	30
February ..	..	..	11	..	3	..	14
March..	..	..	6	..	8	..	14
April ..	..	..	10	..	7	..	17
May ..	..	..	11	..	11	..	22
June ..	..	..	9	..	11	..	20
July ..	..	..	7	..	7	..	14
August ..	..	..	12	..	10	..	22
September ..	..	..	11	..	11	..	22
October ..	..	..	10	..	13	..	23
November ..	..	..	13	..	7	..	20
December ..	..	..	9	..	6	..	15
			—		—		—
			124		109		233
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The Birth-rate of the Parish for the year 1894 is 16·0 per 1,000 of the population.

#### DEATHS.

The total Deaths registered in St. Martin-in-the-Fields during the year 1894 numbered 341, being a decrease of 26 over the previous year.

The following Table gives the number of Deaths registered in each month of the year 1894:—

				<i>Males.</i>	<i>Females.</i>	<i>Total</i>
January	..	..	..	24	16	40
February	..	..	..	19	10	29
March ..	..	..	..	22	12	34
April ..	..	..	..	15	12	27
May ..	..	..	..	18	10	28
June ..	..	..	..	14	14	28
July ..	..	..	..	13	14	27
August	..	..	..	12	13	25
September	..	..	..	13	5	18
October	..	..	..	23	12	35
November	..	..	..	16	11	27
December	..	..	..	18	5	23
				<hr/> 207	<hr/> 134	<hr/> 341
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These 341 Deaths include those non-parishioners who died in the Charing Cross Hospital, and therefore must be omitted in estimating the death-rate, but, on the other hand, the deaths occurring outside the Parish among persons belonging thereto must be added. On referring to Table 7, it will at once make clear what I have just stated.

In estimating the Death-rate, I do so in two forms, the first in which are *excluded* 21 deaths of aged parishioners occurring in Edmonton Workhouse and 2 at St. Martin's Almshouses, they having been resident in these Institutions many years prior to their death, and in the second I have included them.

Death-rate of St. Martin-in-the-Fields for the	} 16.0 per 1,000 of the estimated population.
year 1894, <i>excluding</i> 21 deaths of aged	
parishioners occurring in the Edmonton Work-	
house and 2 in the St. Martin's Almshouse ..	



Death-rate of St. Martin-in-the-Fields for the	} 17.6 per 1,000 of the estimated population.
year 1894, <i>including</i> the 21 deaths of aged	
persons occurring in Edmonton Workhouse	
and 2 in St. Martin's Almshouses .. ..	

## INFANTILE MORTALITY.

The mortality of children under one year of age in the year 1894 was at the rate of 206·0 per 1,000 births.

### OLD AGE MORTALITY.

The deaths of parishioners over 60 years of age, in and out of the Parish, during the year 1894, numbered 73.

38 were from 60 to 70 years of age.

22    „    „    70    „    80    „    „

10    "    "    80    "    90    "    "

3    "    "    90    "    100    "    "

### CAUSES OF DEATH.

**ZYMOTIC DISEASES.**—The principal Zymotic Diseases are Small-pox, Measles, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Typhoid Fever, Typhus Fever, Puerperal Fever, Cholera, and Diarrhœa.

The total number of deaths occurring in the Parish from the above class of disease was 27. This number includes those non-parishioners who died in the Charing Cross Hospital. After deducting these, and adding those parishioners who died in Public Institutions outside the Parish, the mortality due to St. Martin-in-the-Fields would be 26.

**SMALL-POX.**—Notwithstanding the prevalence of this disease in some parts of London, this Parish, during the year, was quite free from the complaint.

MEASLES.—In the early months of the year, this malady produced 8 deaths, and 1 of a parishioner in King's College Hospital.

SCARLET FEVER.—No death from this disease occurred in the Parish, but 1 of a parishioner was recorded at the Western Fever Hospital, Seagrave Road, Fulham. The number of cases notified during the year in accordance with the Public Health (London) Act, 1891, was only 21, against 100 of the previous year, 1893.

DIPHTHERIA.—The total deaths in the Parish from this malady were 8, and of this number 4 were those of non-parishioners who died in the Charing Cross Hospital; and in addition, 1 of a parishioner, occurred in King's College Hospital, making in all 5 to the credit of St. Martin-in-the-Fields.

WHOOPING COUGH.—Four deaths were attributable to this disease, and 1 of a parishioner in King's College Hospital.

TYPHOID FEVER.—Four deaths were due to this complaint, 2 of which were non-parishioners, occurring in the Charing Cross Hospital.

TYPHUS FEVER.—No death was recorded from this malady.

PUERPERAL FEVER.—One death of a parishioner occurred from this disease in Wandsworth Workhouse.

CHOLERA.—*Nil*.

DIARRHŒA.—Three deaths from Diarrhœa were recorded, 1 of which was an infant, a non-parishioner, and occurred in a railway carriage, and, in addition, a young child belonging to the Parish, died in a Hospital outside.

The deaths from all causes, with the ages at death of those who died in the Parish, and also of those parishioners who died in institutions outside the district will be found fully detailed in Tables 2 and 6.



## INQUESTS.

During the year 1894 there were held 58 inquests. The causes which produced death were as follows:—

Natural causes .. .. .	25
Pistol Shot Wound (suicide) .. .. .	3
„ „ „ (murder) .. .. .	1
Drowning .. .. .	4
Hanging (suicide) .. .. .	1
Poison, carbolic acid (suicide) .. .. .	2
„ morphine (suicide) .. .. .	1
„ chloroform .. .. .	1
Erysipelas following a blow .. .. .	1
Burns .. .. .	3
Cause not specified .. .. .	1
Suffocation .. .. .	1
Found dead—newly-born child.. .. .	1
Injuries received in a goods lift .. .. .	1
„ „ from fall from a scaffold .. .. .	1
„ „ „ „ wall .. .. .	1
„ „ „ jumping off roof of a house (suicide) .. .. .	1
Injuries received from jumping from a window (suicide) .. .. .	1
Injuries received from falling down .. .. .	3
„ „ „ a fall from Waterloo Bridge .. .. .	1
Injuries received from falling downstairs .. .. .	1
„ „ „ a cellar flap .. .. .	1
„ „ „ being run over by a train (suicide) .. .. .	1
Injuries received from a fall from a van .. .. .	1
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	58
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## NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

The number of cases of infectious disease notified during the year was much below that of the previous year, 1893, when they

numbered 151, and in the year 1894 the figures were 71. On referring to Table 9 the comparison of these two years can be seen at a glance.

The fee paid to the Medical Practitioners for certifying to these cases amounted to £6 19s. 6d., which sum is repaid to the Vestry by the Managers of the Metropolitan Asylums Board. The provision of telephonic communication at the Town Hall directly with the offices of the Metropolitan Asylums Board has greatly facilitated the prompt removal of infectious cases.

#### DISINFECTION AFTER INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

During the year 40 disinfections were carried out. These, as for several years past, were performed by Mr. W. G. Lacy, who has extensive disinfecting premises at St. John's Wharf, Town Mead Road, Fulham. The disinfections were all carried out with the utmost dispatch and care.

#### THE HOUSE TO HOUSE INSPECTION.

The works ordered in conformity with this inspection are in a great many cases still unfinished. There have been many unforeseen circumstances preventing their completion, legal difficulties and the new system of sewerage in the Adelphi area, which has given your Surveyor a great amount of anxiety and trouble, but I am glad to say the works are beginning to near the end. I must remind you that the owners of all the houses abutting on these new sewers will have to make connections of their drains with this new system of sewerage. This of course entails a large amount of supervision on the part of your officers.

For the last twelve months we have had only one Sanitary Inspector, instead of three, to carry on this work; his time, it is needless to say, is fully occupied in performing his duties. Then, again, a large number of new houses are springing up in the Parish, and in which the sanitary arrangements are required to meet the Bye-Laws of the London County Council, also the Regulations for House Drainage drawn up by your Surveyor. In houses in course of erection, these bye-laws and regulations should be rigidly



enforced, but on the other hand, houses at present standing, leniency and discretion should be shown in any alterations required in their sanitary arrangements; for these houses having been built many years ago, it is a difficult matter to apply to them modern sanitary arrangements.

Some of the works completed have taken a long time to carry out. Exeter Hall and the Hotel Victoria, for instance, took months, and I could enumerate many more, such as large business houses.

In concluding these remarks on this subject, I must bear testimony to the intelligence and zeal in which your Inspector, Mr. G. A. Allan, is displaying in the discharge of his duties; he is doing the work in a manner so as to produce as little friction as possible, and I think I may safely say he has been so far successful.

Appended is a list of those premises where notices and plans have been sent in of intention to lay down new drains since the commencement of this inspection up to the end of February, 1895.

Adelphi Terrace, No. 1.	Carlton Mews, Nos. 6, 9 and 10
Adelphi Theatre.	Castle Street, Long Acre, Nos. 25,
Agar Street, Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8	26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33,
and 10.	and Messrs. Morgan & Co.
Alhambra Theatre.	Cecil Court, South Block.
Avenue Theatre.	Chandos Street, Nos. 36, 37, 38,
Bedfordbury, Nos. 3, 4 and 23.	39, 47 and 48.
Bedford Street, Nos. 1, 45, 49	Charing Cross, Nos. 9, 10, 15, 25,
and 50.	26, 29, 32, 33, 45, 55, 57, 60,
Blue Cross Street, Nos. 2, 4, 7, 8,	63, 64, 66 and 67.
11 and 12.	Charing Cross Hospital.
Board School, Russell Street.	Charing Cross Road, Nos. 16, 36
Bow Street, No. 8.	and 48.
Buckingham Street, Nos. 8, 14	Charles Buildings, Nos. 1, 2, and 3.
and 21.	Church Vestry Hall.
Bull Inn Court, Nos. 14, 15, and	Cockspur Street, Nos. 1, 2, 14,
Electricity Supply Station.	17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25,
Carlton Gardens, No. 3.	30, 31, 32 and 33.
Carlton House Terrace, Nos. 11,	Comedy Theatre.
14, 15 and 20.	

- Cranbourn Street, Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 37.  
 Craven Court, "Craven Arms."  
 Craven Hotel.  
 Craven House, Northumberland Avenue.  
 Craven Street, Nos. 4, 7, 14, 15, 17, 26, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37 and 42.  
 Crown Court, Nos. 10 and 24.  
 Drury Lane, Nos. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 39, 40 and 82.  
 Drury Lane Theatre.  
 Duke Street, Nos. 1 and 10.  
 Duncannon Street, Nos. 3, 6, 4a and 4b.  
 Endell Street, No. 13.  
 Exeter Hall, Strand.  
 Garrick Street, Nos. 18, 20 and 23.  
 Garrick Theatre.  
 Goodwin's Court, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.  
 Great Scotland Yard, "Rising Sun."  
 Green Street, Nos. 12 and 17.  
 Hanover Court, No. 14.  
 Harvey's Buildings, Nos. 1 and 2.  
 Haymarket, No. 23, and Civil Service Co-Operative Stores.  
 Haymarket Theatre.  
 Hotel Victoria.  
 James Street, Covent Garden, Nos. 11 and 12.  
 James Street, Haymarket, No. 3.  
 John Street, Adelphi, No. 14.  
 King William Street, Nos. 3, 6, 8, 9, 13, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23 and 29.  
 Langley Court, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.  
 Leicester Square, Hotel Provence.  
 Long Acre, Nos. 18, 19, 20, 21, 26, 30, 33, 34, 41, 55, 87, 91, 111, 112, 121, 122, 125, 128, 129, 137, 140 and 141.  
 Lumley Court, No. 5.  
 Lyceum Theatre.  
 Martlett's Court, No. 10.  
 May's Buildings, No. 12.  
 Mercer Street, No. 23.  
 Monmouth Court, Nos. 6 and 7.  
 New Street, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 14, 27, 28 and 29.  
 Northumberland Street, No. 3.  
 Oxendon Street, No. 15.  
 Pall Mall East, Nos. 13, 14, 16, 17 and G.E. Ry. Office.  
 Panton Street, No. 26.  
 Russell Court, No. 16.  
 Russell Street, Nos. 30 and 37.  
 St. James's Place, No. 22.  
 St. Martin's Court, Nos. 7, 8, 9, 20 and 21.  
 St. Martin's High School for Girls.  
 St. Martin's Lane, Nos. 31, 35, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 46, 48, 51, 54, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 68, 69, 70, 79, 86, 108 and 112.  
 St. Martin's National Schools.  
 St. Martin's Place, Nos. 6, 7 and 8.  
 St. Martin's Street, Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 16, 19, 23, 24, 31, 32 and "Duke's Head."  
 Southampton Street, No. 39.



Spring Gardens, Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 19, 21 and 29.	Trafalgar Square, No. 1.
Spur Street, Nos. 1 and 2.	Upper St. Martin's Lane, Nos. 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 17.
Stafford House, St. James'.	Vaudeville Theatre.
Strand, Nos. 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 45, 76, 80, 81, 367, 377, 378, 379, 388, 390, 391, 392, 393, 395, 396, 399, 400, 401, 407, 408, 421, 422, 425, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 437, 438, 439, 441, 444, 445, 453, 454, 455, 456 and 457.	Villiers Street, Nos. 25, 26, 27, 28, 28a, 29 and Gatti's Music Hall.
Strand Buildings, Eagle Court.	Warwick Street, No. 14.
Suffolk Place, No. 4.	Wellington Street, No. 21.
Suffolk Street, Nos. 2, 6, 23 and 25.	Whitcomb Street, No. 7.
Tivoli Music Hall, Durham Street.	Whitcomb Court, No. 2.
	Whitehall, No. 4.
	Whitehall Court, No. 4.
	Whitehall Place, Nos. 6 and 22.
	York Buildings, Nos. 4, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20.
	York Place, No. 11.

#### FOOD AND DRUGS ACT.

In all, 48 samples have been taken during the year for the purpose of analysis, and in all cases except 4 the samples were certified to be genuine. The excepted cases were adulterated to a small extent, not sufficient to warrant a prosecution; the vendors were cautioned.

The samples were as follows:—

Coffee .. ..	6 samples.	Genuine.
Tea .. ..	3 ..	"
Cocoa .. ..	3 ..	"
Sugar .. ..	6 ..	"
Butter .. ..	9 ..	"
New Milk .. ..	9 ..	2 of the samples were poor, the rest genuine.
Tinned Milk .. ..	3 ..	Genuine.
Bread .. ..	3 ..	"
Whisky .. ..	6 ..	2 of the samples were a little below the standard, the rest genuine.

## BAKE-HOUSES.

The bake-houses have been duly inspected, and have been found in a clean and satisfactory condition.

On the 15th October, 1894, at the requisition of the Vestry of St. George the Martyr, Southwark, a conference of the Vestries and District Boards was held at the Vestry Hall, Borough Road, as to the amendment of the law regulating bake-houses. Mr. J. U. Turner, a member of this Vestry, and myself attended this conference. After a very lengthy discussion the following resolutions were adopted:—

1. That the present state of the law relating to bake-houses requires amendment by the addition of the following clauses to the Public Health (London) Act, 1891.
  - (a) That uniform Metropolitan Bye-laws, regulating bake-houses be made by the London County Council, and be confirmed by the Local Government Board, and that the duty of enforcing these Bye-laws shall devolve upon the various Local Sanitary Authorities.
  - (b) That the portion of the Bye-laws regulating the structure of bake-houses do not apply to existing bakeries.
  - (c) That the London County Council be empowered to frame Bye-laws for the construction of underground bake-houses, and that all bake-houses erected after the passing of such Bye-laws shall conform thereto.

These resolutions are, in my opinion, just and fair. They do not affect, as regards structure, present bake-houses, and if they did so, it would, I think, be very hard to put the owners to an outlay, which would be very great, in reconstructing their bakeries. The above resolutions, as regards construction, would only apply to those bake-houses erected after the passing of such Bye-laws.

## SANITARY NOTICES.

Legal Sanitary Notices, to the number of 205, were served upon the owners or occupiers of property; and, in addition, a great number of friendly notices were also served.



Magisterial proceedings were instituted in three cases against owners or occupiers who failed to comply with the notices.

I think you will find it absolutely necessary to retain the services of the present temporary Sanitary Inspector as a permanent officer. So much attention is now being directed to sanitation that the work in this department has enormously increased, and, notwithstanding this increase of work, we have only one permanent Inspector, as when I was appointed, 25 years ago, your Medical Officer of Health.

#### HOUSES LET OUT IN LODGINGS.

Your Sanitary Inspector, whom you appointed permanently to inspect these houses, has regularly carried out this duty, and has reported to me all sanitary defects coming under his notice.

I have the honour to be, GENTLEMEN,

Your obedient Servant,

JOHN J. SKEGG,

*Medical Officer of Health.*

29, CRAVEN STREET,

*February, 1895.*

TABLE I.  
BIRTHS, DEATHS, and INQUESTS for the last Ten Years,  
*In St. Martin-in-the-Fields.*

	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894
Births .. .. .	350	356	302	276	283	267	252	246	223	233
Deaths, total .. .. .	426	425	415	399	380	382	420	331	367	341
„ under 5 years .. .. .	113	119	115	100	127	96	121	89	84	87
„ from 5 to 60 .. .. .	233	215	218	225	200	214	222	179	223	202
„ over 60 years .. .. .	80	91	82	74	53	72	77	63	60	52
„ from Small-pox.. .. .	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
„ „ Measles .. .. .	9	5	5	9	6	7	7	8	1	8
„ „ Scarlet Fever .. .. .	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	0
„ „ Whooping-Cough.. .. .	7	11	5	4	7	5	8	0	2	4
„ „ Diarrhœa .. .. .	6	15	11	5	5	3	4	3	2	3
„ „ Fever .. .. .	4	4	3	1	5	4	3	0	4	4
„ „ Consumption .. .. .	51	47	29	31	26	29	41	29	24	33
„ in Charing Cross Hospital .. .. .	177	160	175	195	174	173	204	141	184	168
Inquests .. .. .	63	60	67	62	57	54	58	60	56	58



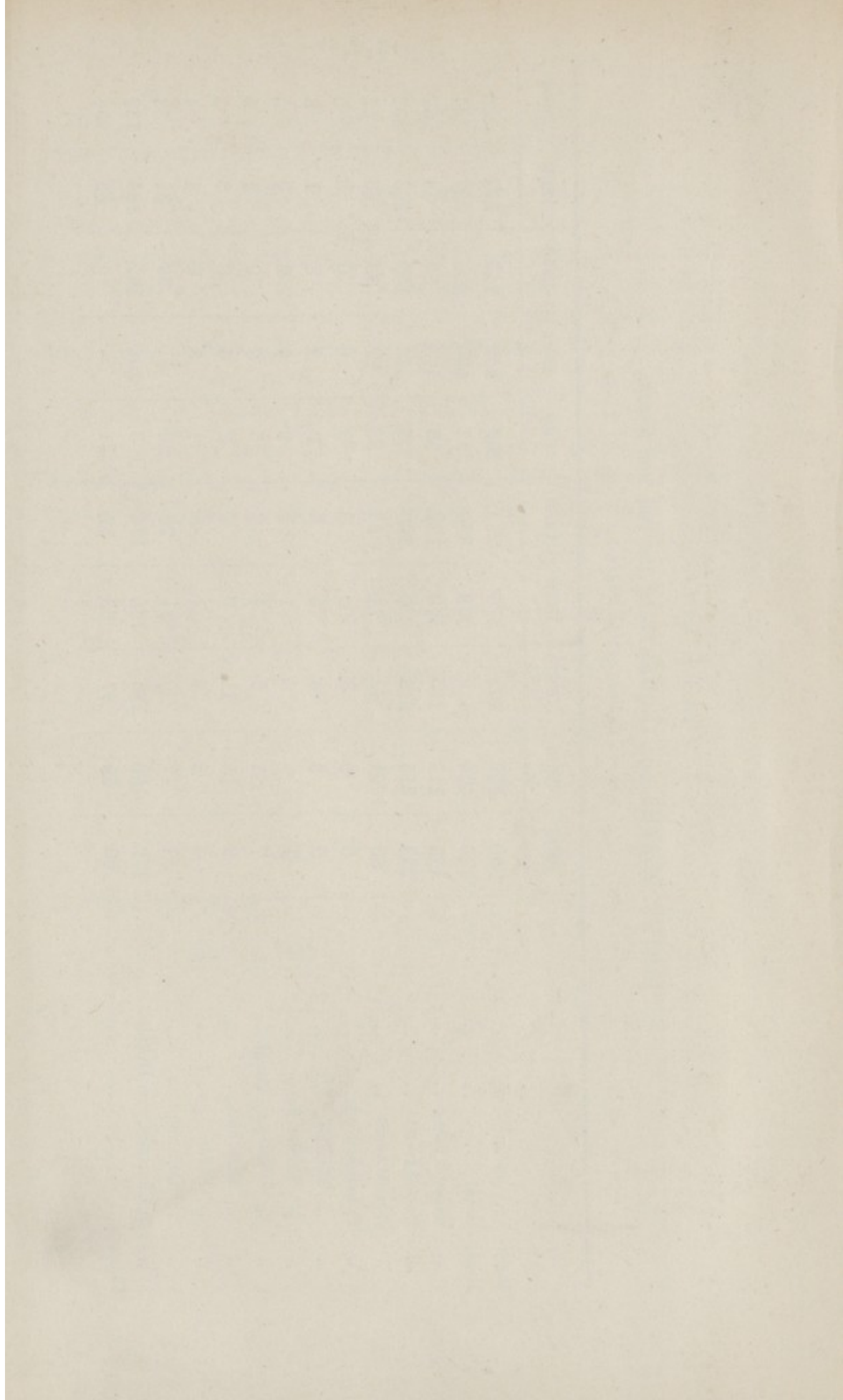


TABLE II

## TABLE OF THE CAUSES OF DEATH at Various Ages

*In the Parish of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, during the Year 1894.*

CAUSES.	Total Deaths at all Ages.	Under 1 Year.	From 1 Year to 5.	From 5 Years to 20.	From 20 Years to 40.	From 40 Years to 60.	From 60 Years to 80.	80 Years and upwards.
Small-pox .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles .. .. .	8	2	6	—	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria .. .. .	8	—	8	—	—	—	—	—
Croup .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough .. .. .	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Typhus Fever .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Enteric or Typhoid Fever .. .. .	4	—	—	1	1	2	—	—
Fever of a Doubtful Nature .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Erysipelas .. .. .	3	—	—	—	1	2	—	—
Pyæmia .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Puerperal Fever .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carbuncle .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Influenza .. .. .	3	—	—	—	—	2	1	—
Dysentery .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diarrhoea .. .. .	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cholera (Simple) .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cholera (Asiatic) .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ague .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rheumatic Fever .. .. .	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
Syphilis (Congenital) .. .. .	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Disease of Male Organs of Generation .. .. .	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
" Female .. .. .	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
Hydrophobia .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Glanders .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Privation .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Want of Breast Milk .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Purpura and Scurvy .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Delirium Tremens .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Intemperance .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gout .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dropsy .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cancer .. .. .	21	—	—	—	3	13	5	—
Sarcoma .. .. .	2	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Goitre .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Mortification .. .. .	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Scrofula .. .. .	5	2	1	—	2	—	—	—
Tubercles Mesenterica .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Phthisis .. .. .	33	—	1	2	17	8	5	—
Leucocythemia .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lymphadenoma .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Hydrocephalus .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apoplexy .. .. .	10	—	—	—	—	7	2	1
Paralysis .. .. .	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
Chorea .. .. .	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Epilepsy .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Convulsions .. .. .	4	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
Disease of Brain .. .. .	2	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Cerebral Meningitis .. .. .	11	1	5	3	1	1	—	—
Aneurism .. .. .	7	—	—	—	—	5	2	—
Disease of Heart .. .. .	28	—	—	2	8	11	7	—
Bronchitis and Asthma .. .. .	39	17	5	—	—	9	8	—
Disease of Lungs .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia .. .. .	17	2	3	1	6	2	2	1
Pleurisy .. .. .	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Laryngitis .. .. .	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Disease of Stomach .. .. .	4	—	—	—	2	1	1	—
" Intestines .. .. .	8	2	—	1	3	1	1	—
Peritonitis .. .. .	4	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Pelvic Abscess .. .. .	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Hernia .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Disease of Liver .. .. .	10	—	—	—	2	5	3	—
" Spleen and Pancreas .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" Kidney .. .. .	21	—	—	2	9	5	4	1
" Bladder .. .. .	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
" Joints and Bones .. .. .	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
" Spine .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" Skin .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diabetes .. .. .	7	—	—	1	2	4	—	—
Premature Birth .. .. .	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Congenital Malformations .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teething .. .. .	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Childbirth .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Old Age .. .. .	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	1
Atrophy and Debility .. .. .	10	9	—	—	—	1	—	—
Injuries .. .. .	14	—	—	—	8	4	2	—
Burns and Scalds .. .. .	3	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
Poison .. .. .	4	—	—	—	3	1	—	—
Suffocation .. .. .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Drowning .. .. .	4	—	—	—	2	2	—	—
Hanging .. .. .	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Cause not specified .. .. .	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Pistol Shot Wound .. .. .	4	—	—	—	1	3	—	—
	341	54	33	17	86	99	48	4





TABLE III.

DEATHS in the different localities in ST. MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS during the Year 1894.

	Total Deaths.	Deaths from Zymotic Disease.		Total Deaths.	Deaths from Zymotic Disease.
Bedfordbury .. ..	4	—	Mercer Street .. ..	5	1
Blue Cross Street .. ..	3	—	Monmouth Court .. ..	2	1
Broad Court .. ..	1	—	New Street .. ..	3	1
Buckingham Street .. ..	1	—	Northumberland Avenue .. ..	3	—
Castle Street, Long Acre .. ..	1	—	Orange Street .. ..	1	—
Catherine Street .. ..	1	—	Panton Street .. ..	1	—
Chandos Street .. ..	1	—	Peabody Buildings, Bedfordbury } .. ..	9	1
Charing Cross .. ..	1	—	River Thames .. ..	4	—
Charing Cross Hospital .. ..	168	9	Robert Street .. ..	1	—
Charing Cross Road .. ..	4	—	Royal Westminster Ophthalmic Hospital } .. ..	1	—
Charing Cross Hotel and Railway Station } .. ..	3	—	Russell Court .. ..	4	1
Conduit Court .. ..	1	—	St. George's Barracks .. ..	1	—
Cranbourn Street .. ..	1	1	St. James' Palace .. ..	2	—
Craven Street .. ..	3	—	St. Martin's Court .. ..	1	—
Cross Court, Broad Court .. ..	1	—	St. Martin's Lane .. ..	5	—
Crown Court .. ..	1	—	St. Martin's Street .. ..	5	2
Drury Lane .. ..	3	1	Scotland Yard .. ..	1	—
Duke Court .. ..	4	1	Spring Gardens .. ..	2	—
Duke Street, Adelphi .. ..	1	—	Strand .. ..	5	—
Endell Street .. ..	2	—	Strand Buildings .. ..	1	1
Exeter Street .. ..	1	—	Suffolk Street .. ..	2	—
Garrick Street .. ..	1	—	Turner's Court .. ..	10	1
Great Newport Street .. ..	1	—	Vinegar Yard .. ..	3	—
George Court .. ..	1	—	Whitcomb Street .. ..	4	—
Green Street .. ..	1	—	Whitehall Yard .. ..	1	—
Hanover Court .. ..	1	—	White Hart Street .. ..	6	1
Harvey's Buildings .. ..	1	—	Wilson Street .. ..	2	—
Haymarket .. ..	2	—	York Buildings .. ..	1	—
Horse Guards .. ..	1	1	York Place .. ..	1	—
James Street, Haymarket .. ..	1	—	In a Railway Carriage .. ..	1	1
Langley Court .. ..	1	—	In the street, accidentally killed or suddenly dying from natural causes } .. ..	11	—
Leicester Square .. ..	3	1			
Long Acre .. ..	9	—			
Lowther Arcade .. ..	1	—			
Marlborough House .. ..	2	—			
Marlborough House Stables .. ..	1	—		341	27
Martlett's Court .. ..	1	—			
May's Buildings .. ..	1	1			
Mercer Chambers, Neal Street } .. ..	7	1			



TABLE IV.

*Showing the localities wherein the 27 deaths occurred from the seven principal Zymotic Diseases during the year 1894 in St. Martin-in-the-Fields.*

	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria	Whooping Cough.	Fever.	Diarrhoea.	TOTAL.
Charing Cross Hospital.. ..	..	..	..	*7	..	*2	..	9
Cranbourn Street .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Drury Lane .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Duke's Court .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Horse Guards .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Leicester Square .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
May's Buildings .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Mercer Chambers, Neal Street .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Mercer Street .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Monmouth Court .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
New Street .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Peabody Buildings, Bedfordbury .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Russell Court .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
St. Martin's Street .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2
Strand Buildings .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Turner's Court .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
White Hart Street .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
In a railway carriage .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†1	1
	..	8	..	8	4	4	3	27

\* Four of these deaths from Diphtheria, and the two from Fever occurring in the Charing Cross Hospital were those of non-parishioners.

† This death of an infant in a railway carriage from Diarrhoea was that of a non-parishioner

TABLE V.

*Showing the number of deaths occurring in the Parish from the seven principal Zymotic Diseases, excluding those non-residents who died in the Charing Cross Hospital, and including those parishioners who died in public institutions outside the Parish during the years 1884-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93, also the number in 1894.*

DISEASE.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	Annual Average of 10 Years. 1884 to 1893.	1894.
Small-Pox .. ..	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	·7	—
Measles.. ..	10	10	6	5	10	6	8	6	9	1	7·1	9
Scarlet Fever .. ..	3	1	—	3	9	3	1	1	6	1	2·8	1
Diphtheria .. ..	1	4	1	3	3	2	1	5	11	6	3·7	5
Whooping Cough .. ..	13	7	13	4	4	8	6	8	1	2	6·6	5
*Fever .. ..	1	1	3	1	3	1	4	2	—	1	1·7	3
Diarrhoea .. ..	14	6	14	8	4	4	3	2	2	2	5·9	3
TOTAL .. ..	44	33	37	24	33	24	23	24	29	14	28·5	26

\* Under the head Fever, is included Typhus, Typhoid, Continued, Relapsing and Puerperal.



TABLE VI

TABLE OF THE CAUSES OF DEATH at Various Ages,  
*Of Parishioners of St. Martin-in-the-Fields occurring in Public Institutions  
 outside the Parish during the Year 1894.*

CAUSES.	Total Deaths at all ages.	Under 1 year.	From 1 year to 5.	From 5 years to 20.	From 20 years to 40.	From 40 years to 60.	From 60 years to 80.	80 years and upwards.
Measles .. .. .	1	..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever .. .. .	1	..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria .. .. .	1	..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough .. .. .	1	..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Puerperal Fever .. .. .	1	..	..	..	1	—	—	—
Influenza.. .. .	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	—
Diarrhœa .. .. .	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rheumatic Fever .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	1	—	—
Congenital Syphilis .. .. .	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Intemperance .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	1	—	—
Gout .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	—
Cancer .. .. .	2	..	..	..	..	2	—	—
Scrofula .. .. .	3	1	2	—	—	—	—	—
Tabes Mesenterica .. .. .	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Phthisis .. .. .	18	..	..	..	5	8	4	1
Apoplexy .. .. .	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	—
Epilepsy .. .. .	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	—
Disease of Brain.. .. .	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	—
Cerebral Meningitis .. .. .	1	..	1	—	—	—	—	—
Aneurism .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	—
Disease of Heart .. .. .	3	..	..	..	1	1	1	—
Bronchitis .. .. .	13	1	1	..	1	5	5	—
Pneumonia .. .. .	4	..	..	..	1	2	1	—
Hernia .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	1	—	—
Disease of Kidney .. .. .	6	..	..	..	1	2	3	—
Childbirth .. .. .	1	..	..	..	1	—	—	—
Old Age .. .. .	14	..	..	..	..	..	6	8
Atrophy and Debility .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	—
Drowning .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	1	—	—
	91	5	9	..	13	25	30	9

TABLE OF DEATHS during the Year 1894.

*In the Sanitary District of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, classified according to Diseases, Ages, and Localities.*

The subjoined numbers have also to be taken into account in judging of the above records of mortality

Deaths occurring outside the Parish among persons belonging thereto .. .. .	91	5	9	..	..	40	28	Under 5	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	7	14
								5 upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	18	15	3	..	39	77
Deaths occurring within the Parish among persons not belonging thereto .. .. .	176	11	13	8	19	113	12	Under 5	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	9	..	..	9	24
								5 upwards	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	1*	..	13	10	15	19	87	152





TABLE VIII.

In accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Board.

## TABLE OF POPULATION, BIRTHS, AND OF NEW CASES OF INFECTIOUS SICKNESS.

Coming to the knowledge of the Medical Officer of Health, during the year 1894, in the Sanitary District of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, classified according to Diseases, Ages and Localities.

LOCALITIES.	POPULATION AT ALL AGES.		Registered Births.	Aged under 5 or over 5.	NEW CASES OF SICKNESS IN EACH LOCALITY COMING TO THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.											NUMBER OF SUCH CASES REMOVED FROM THEIR HOMES IN THE SEVERAL LOCALITIES FOR TREATMENT IN ISOLATION HOSPITAL.										
	COLONS 1891.																									
					FEVERS.											FEVERS.										
					Smallpox.	Scarlatina.	Dysentery.	Membranous Comp.	Typhus.	Erysip. or Typhoid.	Continued.	Relapsing.	Puerperal.	Cholera.	Erysipelas.	Smallpox.	Scarlatina.	Dysentery.	Membranous Comp.	Typhus.	Erysip. or Typhoid.	Continued.	Relapsing.	Puerperal.	Cholera.	Erysipelas.
(1).	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.					
St. Martin-in-the-Fields .. .. .	14,574	233	{ Under 5 5 upwards	.. 5 1 15	7 8 .. ..	3 .. .. 15	.. .. 1 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. 13	.. 5 1 11	5 5 7 ..	2 .. .. ..	.. .. 9 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. 1				
Charing Cross Hospital .. .. .		..	{ Under 5 5 upwards	.. 1 .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. 2	.. 1 .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. ..				
Totals .. .. .		..	{ Under 5 5 upwards	.. 6 1 15	7 8 .. ..	3 .. .. 15	.. .. 1 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. 15	.. 6 1 11	5 5 7 ..	2 .. .. ..	.. .. 9 ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. .. ..	.. .. 1				





TABLE IX.

## NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

*This Table shows the different localities wherein the specified cases of disease occurred during the year 1894, and which were notified to the Medical Officer of Health, in accordance with the Public Health (London) Act, 1891.*

	Small-pox.	Cholera.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Group.	Erysipelas.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Relapsing and Continued Fever.	Puerperal Fever.	TOTAL.
Adelphi Terrace ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Bear Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Buckingham Street ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2
Carlton House Terrace ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Castle Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Charing Cross Hospital ..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	4
Charing Cross Hotel ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Cranbourn Street ..	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	6
Cross Ct., Bow Street ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Drury Lane ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Duke Street, Adelphi ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Exchange Court ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Exeter Street ..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Goodwin's Court ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hanover Court ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
James St., Haymarket ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
John Street, Adelphi ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Langley Court ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Leicester Square ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Long Acre ..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	3
Monmouth Court ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Neal Street, Mercer } Chambers ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
New Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Northumberland St. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Oxendon Street ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Panton Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Peabody Buildings ..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	4
Red Lion Yard, } Cockspur Street	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
St. Martin's Lane ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
St. Martin's Place ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
St. Martin's Street ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Scotland Yard ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Strand ..	*1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	4
Strand Buildings ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Suffolk Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Villiers Street ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
Warwick Street ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Whitcomb Street ..	..	..	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	5
Whitehall Court ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
	1	..	15	3	15	21	..	15	1	..	71
Number of Cases of Infectious Disease notified during the previous year 1893 }	11	..	23	2	9	100	..	6	..	..	151

\* This case notified as Small-pox proved afterwards not to be such, therefore the Parish was quite free from this disease during the year.



