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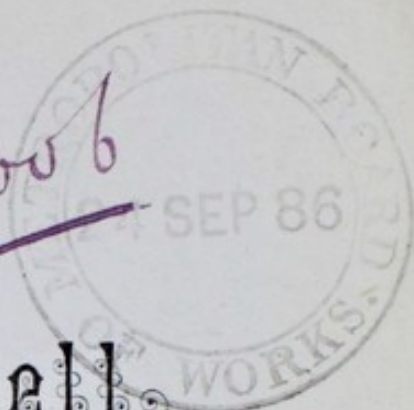
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St. Giles, Camberwell,
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OF THE
VESTRY

OF THEIR

Proceedings under the Metropolis Local Management Act, 18 & 19 Vic., Cap. 120.

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THIRTIETH ANNUAL REPORT
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VESTRY of the PARISH of ST. GILES,
CAMBERWELL.

In conformity with the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Act, the Vestry of the said Parish submit to the Parishioners a Statement of their Proceedings in the execution of the various powers vested in them, and an Account of their Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending 25th March, 1886.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.

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Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell.

REPORT of the GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE, giving particulars of the various works and other matters which have received their consideration during the past year.

NEW STREETS.

The following is a list of "New Streets" paved during the past year, at the cost of owners, under the provisions of the 18th and 19th, and 25th and 26th Vic.

NEW STREETS PAVED OR IN HAND.

	Length in Yds.		Length in Yds.
Ablett Street, from Bram-		Brought forward	2,336
cote Road to Ilderton		Delaford Road (in continua-	
Road	134	tion) from near Credon	
Ada Road	127	Road to Parish Boundary	
Baldwin Crescent.....	139	at Bramcote Road	120
Barkworth Road (in contin-		Gurney Terrace	54
uation) from Credon Road		Huguenot Road	102
to Ilderton Road	267	Inglis Street.....	71
Bramcote Road, from Parish		Kempshead Road	215
Boundary at Delaford road		Loncroft Road	212
to Varcoe Road.....	245	Matham Grove.....	182
Brunswick Square, portion		Povah Road	57
called Elmington Terrace	81	Pemells Place	47
Burton Road.....	137	Raul Road	93
Calmington Road.....	172	Silcote Road	68
Cicely Road	141	Sandover Road (part of).....	108
Clarkson Place.....	130	Secretan Road	213
Constance Road	153	Templar Street.....	161
County Grove	256	Underhill Road (part of) ...	325
Cranswick Rd., from Parish		Verney Road (in continua-	
Boundary, near Delaford		tion) from near Credon	
Road to Barkworth Road	102	Road to Ilderton Road ...	324
Credon Rd. (in continuation)		Victory Square, New Church	
from Verney Rd. to Varcoe		Road	122
Road	55	Wren Road	68
Dayton Grove	197	York Grove	225
Carried forward...	2,336	Total length ..	5,103

Total length of New Streets executed during past twelve months, nearly three miles.

In addition to the above, the following "New Streets," not being paved to the satisfaction of the Vestry, have been ordered to be similarly dealt with, for which purpose the surveys, estimates, apportionments, &c., have been prepared and the collections are in hand.

Ashbourne Grove	Frogley Road
Alleyn Park	Glengarry Road
Brymer Road	Howbury Road
Canterbury Road, completion (suspended by Law proceedings)	Loder Street (in continuation)
Crawthrew Grove	Linden Grove, in continuation to Cemetery entrance
Colby Road (in completion)	Sandover Road (in completion)
Chesterfield Grove	St. James' Road, from Junction with Rotherhithe New Road to Parish Boundary.
Daniels Road	Trossachs Road
Dartnell Road	Tell Grove
Dewar Street	Upstall Street
Elsie Road	Welby Street
East Dulwich Grove, in continuation from Melbourne Grove to Thorncombe Road	

The number and extent of "New Streets" paved since the Vestry undertook this special work is as follows :---

Year.	No. of Streets.	Length in Miles.	Cost.
Reported to 1885	425	52½	£279,000
„ 1886	34	3	£15,840
Total to date...	459	55½	£294,840

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

CANTERBURY BRIDGE, crossing the Grand Surrey Canal at the north end of Canterbury Road.

Negotiations are still pending with the adjacent Parish of St. Paul, Deptford, also the adjoining owners and other

parties interested in this important improvement, with a view of supplying the necessary particulars and details to the Metropolitan Board of Works, who have undertaken to procure Parliamentary powers to carry out the work, and have offered to subscribe liberally towards the cost thereof.

VICTORIA ROAD, east side (Peckham.) This Road (and the footway set back and repaved) has been widened fronting Mr. Austin's property for a length of 147 feet from the crossing of Choumert Road, running northward towards Chadwick Road.

SOUTHAMPTON STREET, N.E. side, from Rainbow Street to Coleman Road has been widened by arrangement with the owner, Mr. Daniel Cronin, and the footpath so widened has been tar-paved.

VILLA STREET has been widened on the north side from Albany Road to Parish boundary and tar-paved.

LORDSHIP LANE on the west side from Townley Road to about opposite Barry Road, a length of about 630 yards has also been widened about seven yards.

TOULON STREET, WYNDHAM ROAD, opposite premises, Nos. 17 to 37.

The following footpaths have been diverted by order of the Magistrates in favor of more commodious thoroughfares, namely :--the footpath called Cut Throat Lane, from Grove Hill Road to Ivanhoe Road, and from Ivanhoe Road to Choumert Road, the first portion substituted by Grove Hill Road, and the latter by Choumert Road.

The footpath from Half-Moon Lane to Turney Road, substituted by Burbage Road, and the footpath opposite

"The Plough" P.H., Lordship Lane, substituted by Woodward Road.

YORK PAVING—General Works.

The general repairs of the flagged footways of the parish, including those disturbed by drainage, gas and water trenches, and by hoardings for building purposes, have been executed by the masons and labourers employed by the Vestry; the material used in this work is supplied by the Vestry contractors; the quantity so used for these purposes, has approximately been as follows :---

York paving	.	.	23,081 feet super.
Kerb	.	.	2,061 feet lineal.

The above quantities include the re-paving of

TOULON STREET, both sides (including Channelling) with Old Stone from the Vestry Stock in Depot.

QUEEN'S ROAD, Peckham, from Railway Station to Pomeroy Street---with new 3-in. York Paving, under the General Contract, by Messrs. Mowlem & Co.

TAR PAVED FOOTPATHS.

All incidental and general repairs to tar paved footpaths are carried out by men employed by the Vestry. They include the trenches opened by the various Gas and Water Companies, Builders, and other parties, the cost of which work is charged to them respectively. The more important repairs are carried out under a special contract.

The quantity of such work during the past year has been as under :

General repairs by Vestry (including trenches)	.	.	.	30,790 yards super.
Special ditto by Contractor	.			4,339 ditto

ROAD WATERING.

The watering of the public roads of the Parish as heretofore has been done by the staff and plant of the Vestry; the water supply being obtained in part from the local water companies and partly from wells in various roads in the lower districts.

The following is an account of the mileage and cost of the water supply :

Source of Water Supply for Road Watering.	Length of Road Watered.	Cost.		
	Miles.	£	s.	d.
Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company	55*	838	13	10
Lambeth Water Company		545	16	6
Kent Water Company		135	0	0
29 Wells sunk in the lower districts of the Parish by the Vestry, and also from the Grand Surrey Canal ...	35½	42	0	0
Lewisham Board of Works (<i>Moiety Sydenham Hill</i>) ... ..	...	44	12	3
	90½	£1,606	2	7

* NOTE—The amounts paid to the Water Companies for the 55 miles represents an expenditure of about £28 per mile, per annum.

	Southwark & Vauxhall Co.'s supply	Kent Co.'s supply.	Lambeth Water Co.'s supply.
	No.	No.	No.
Hydrants and Waterposts, the property of Vestry ...	39	5	—
Others—the property of the Lambeth Water Company, for which a rental of 30/- each per annum is paid ...	—	—	27

MEM.—Additional hydrants are now being placed by the Vestry to facilitate the watering of the public roads of the parish.

Total number of Hydrants and Waterposts, 71.

The above charges for water for road purposes are in part by mileage and part by meter. Those by the Southwark and Vauxhall and Lambeth Water Companies are by meter, thus---

THE SOUTHWARK AND VAUXHALL WATER CO. supply water at $8\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 1,000 gallons.

THE LAMBETH WATER CO. at $8\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 1,000 gallons in the low district; 1s. per 1,000 gallons in the mid-level; and 1s. 3d. per 1,000 gallons in the high-level district, near the Crystal Palace.

THE KENT WATER CO. charge as arranged, for $4\frac{2}{3}$ miles of road for the sum of £135.

SLOPPING, WATERING, &c.

This work has been satisfactorily continued by the Vestry plant, &c., which has averaged as follows:--

Horses	75	Slop Vans	12
Water Vans	69	Horse Road Brooms	4
Water Carts	9	Horse Road Roller	1
Material Carts	32	Steam Road Roller	1
Slop Carts	40	Corn Van	1

The cost of fodder, &c. for the year, for the horses in this department has amounted to £2,974 16s. 7d., being an average cost per week, per horse, of 15s. 3d.

The consumption of the fodder per week per horse has been---

Clover, Mixture, and Hay	2.28 trusses.
Straw (including bedding)	1.63 „
Oats	2.58 bushels.
Beans	0.20 „
Bran	10.00 lbs.

The total expenditure under the head of Slopping, Watering, &c., amounts to £13,832 3s. 6d., which includes, in addition to the ordinary expenses, the charge for the Barging away the Slop, which in the past year amounted to the sum of £2,044 15s. 6d.

The cost of this work for the past year is as follows :

Gross total expenditure	£13,832	3	6
Deduct therefrom the expense for the cartage of material, road rolling, and all incidental (<i>other</i> than slopping and watering)	2,223	14	0
Nett cost of watering and slopping	<u>£11,608</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6</u>

Being about £130 per mile.

The quantity of Slop collected was:---

Road Slop	26,300	loads.
Gulley Slop	2,003	„
Total	<u>28,303</u>	„

(In 1884-5 the quantity was 23,077 loads).

BARGING OF SLOP AND ROAD REFUSE.

These works under two special contracts have been carried out by Mr. Stephenson of Chelsea, and Messrs. Shelbourne & Co., of Limehouse. The quantity removed by barge amounted to 21,164 cart-loads.

Messrs. J. Shelbourne & Co.'s contract (from Midsummer, 1885, to Midsummer, 1886), for such removal is:

Per cart-load, delivered direct into barges 1s. 11d.

(Mem.—A Van-load is = to $1\frac{1}{2}$ cart-loads.)

Mr. Stephenson's contract was at 2s. per cart-load.

SNOW REMOVAL.

On the occasion of two snow storms during the last Winter, as many *additional* hands were employed as practically could be utilized for the purpose, and all the vehicles and horses in the Vestry's charge. The snow sweeping and carting was principally confined to the clearing of the footways and water tables (preparing for a thaw) and the headways of all collateral main streets.

The principal difficulty arose (as it does throughout the entire Metropolis) from the absence of shoots for depositing the snow; this was, however, to a great extent overcome by taking advantage of any open and wide spaces in the Parish thoroughfares for the purpose of *temporary* deposit, and when the thaw set in, all objectionable portions of such deposits were carted to the Dépôt and barged away. The Slop tanks at Glengall Wharf did good service, also as a means of deposit, and the filtering arrangement (therein provided) assisted much this work, and also decreased very considerably the ultimate quantity to be barged away.

PARLIAMENTARY DEPOSITIONS.

No Schemes or Plans for the same were deposited in November last, but reference may conveniently be made

to those enumerated in the Report 1884-5, shewing the results of such propositions:---

Last Year's Report.	State of progress, or otherwise.	
Page 11	Croydon Direct Railway	Abandoned
„ 12	London Chatham and Dover Railway. Further Powers	Abandoned
„ 13	Crystal Palace, High Level, Beulah and Beckenham Railway	Abandoned
„ 13	Beckenham, South Norwood Park and Crystal Palace Railways	Abandoned
„ 14	Crystal Palace, Anerley, and Gipsy Hill Tramways	Abandoned
„ 15	Peckham & East Dulwich Tramways Extension. Tramway No. 1	Act obtained but no progress with the work
„ 17	Ditto Tramway No. 2.	Abandoned
„ 18	Ditto Tramway No. 3.	Abandoned
„ 19	Ditto Tramway No. 4.	Abandoned
„ 20	Ditto Tramway No. 5.	Abandoned
„ 21	Ditto Tramway No. 6.	Abandoned
„ 21	Ditto Tramway No. 7.	Act obtained and portion of line executed
„ 22	Ditto Tramway No. 8.	As last
„ 23	Ditto Tramway No. 9.	Act obtained no progress at present

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Extension. Tramway No. 10. Act obtained
works executed

„ 24 Ditto Tramway No. 11 . . Act obtained
no works at
present

„ 25 Ditto Tramway No. 11 . . As last

„ 25 Ditto Tramway No. 12 . . As last

„ 29 *Southwark and Vauxhall Water Works, Forest Hill.* So far as this Parish was concerned, the Bill was withdrawn.

„ 30 *South Eastern Railway Extension of Time.* This application has been renewed in this present Session.

„ 30 *Dulwich Park.* This Act has been obtained by the Metropolitan Board of Works.

TRAMWAYS.

TRAMWAYS EXECUTED, INSPECTED, AND CERTIFIED
READY FOR PUBLIC TRAFFIC.

The undermentioned Tramway Lines were inspected by Major-General Hutchinson on the 5th of January last, and passed, viz. :

Hollydale Road. From near Queen's Road to
Brayards Road.

Brayards Road. From Hollydale Road to Copeland Road, crossing the same to

Atwell Road. And along Atwell Road by Rye Lane, crossing Rye Lane to Choumert Road.

Choumert Road. From Rye Lane to Bellenden Road.

Bellenden Road. To Maxted Road.

Maxted Road. From Bellenden Road to Nutbrook Street.

Nutbrook Street. To Adys Road.

Adys Road. From Nutbrook Street to Goose Green.

Goose Green. From Adys Road along Public Road to East Dulwich Road, opposite Crystal Palace Road.

STREET NOMENCLATURE.

The following is a schedule of the streets re-named and re-numbered in accordance with orders from the Metropolitan Board of Works, the notices have been served, and the necessary alterations supervised by the Officers of the Vestry:—

RE-NUMBERING ONLY.

Amott Road	Heber Road
Avondale Road	Hanover Park
Barry Road	Henslowe Road
Brayards Road	Melbourne Grove
Claude Road	Northcross Road
Carlton Grove	Nutbrook Street
Croxted Road	Oglander Road
Friern Road	Rodwell Road
Goodrich Road (part)	Upland Road (part)

RE-NAMED AND RE-NUMBERED.

Camberwell Station Road.

LIGHTING.

The subject of improved lighting of the parish, including improved patterns of lanterns, is receiving the careful attention of the Special Committee appointed for this purpose.

The South Metropolitan Gas Company's charge per lamp is now reduced to £3 9s., subject to a discount of five per cent. The Crystal Palace Gas Company's charge is now £3 17s. 8d. per lamp, also with a discount of five per cent.

During the past year the lighting in various parts of the parish has been improved, by reducing the distances between the lamps where found necessary.

The prices for the supply and fixing new lamp columns are as under:—

South Metropolitan Gas Company, per column and lamp	... ..	£2 17 6
Crystal Palace Gas Company, per co- lumn and lamp (less 5 per cent.)	... ..	£3 0 0

The following table will show the number of lamps, and the Companies lighting the same, &c., &c.:---

Company providing the supply.	No. of Lamps lighted at Lady-day, 1885	New Lamps erected to Lady-day, 1886	Total No. of ordinary Lamps Lady-day, 1886
South Metropolitan Gas Company - -	2,848	90	2,938
Crystal Palace District Gas Company - -	182	11	193
	3,030	101	3,131

The above prices include lighting, cleaning, and keeping the Lamps in repair. The Lamp columns, &c., are paid for in addition as above, and are therefore the property of the Vestry.

There are also Ornamental Central Lamps (with triple burners), which have been erected at the following thoroughfares :---

Peckham Rye, west side, at junction with Barry Road.

Goose Green, at junction of roads, next Lordship Lane.

Knatchbull Road, opposite Flodden Road.

And also ten other special lamps of various power, viz. :—

- 1 obelisk at Camberwell Green Urinal.
- 1 „ at Hill Street Urinal.
- 1 Bigg's patent in Church Street.
- 5 Bray's „ at Camberwell Green.
- 1 „ „ at foot of Rye Lane.
- 1 „ „ at Church Street, next Camberwell Grove.

FORMATION OF NEW STREETS.

In accordance with the Metropolis Management Acts, and the Bye-laws of the Metropolitan Board, plans for the formation of four “New Streets” were referred by the Metropolitan Board for the opinion of this Vestry. The same were reported upon by the Surveyor; the Vestry recommended the Board to approve one of such applications. The Board in each case adopted the Vestry's recommendation.

NAMES OF STREETS.	Decision of Metropolitan Board of Works.	Recommendation of Vestry.
Moncrieff Street, extension	Approved.	Approved.
New Street, out of Peckham Road by Pelican Buildings	Not Approved.	Not Approved.
New Square out of Elm Grove, Rye Lane	Not Approved.	Not Approved.
New Street, out of Waterloo Street	Not Approved.	Not Approved.

LINES OF FRONTAGE, PROJECTIONS, &c.

The Metropolitan Board of Works have submitted for the opinion of the Vestry 17 applications for lines of frontage, Projections, &c., which have been examined and reported upon by the Surveyor; the Vestry recommended approval of 31 and refusal of 8 cases. The Metropolitan Board of Works subsequently notified its consent to 9 and refusal of 8 cases.

FIRE ESCAPE NEAR CAMBERWELL GREEN.

This Escape, formerly arranged to be placed on private ground in front of the "Red Cap" P. H., has now, by arrangement between the Vestry and the Metropolitan Board of Works, been placed in the open thoroughfare next the Urinal at lower end of Denmark Hill, side of Cabmen's Shelter.

DRINKING FOUNTAINS AND CATTLE TROUGHS.

The several Drinking Fountains and Cattle Troughs in the parish, as under, are maintained by the Metropolitan Drinking Fountains Association, the Vestry contributing £5 per annum towards the cost of the water supply.

	Drinking Fountains.	Cattle Troughs.
Camberwell Green	- - 2	1
Crystal Palace Parade	- 1	1
Dulwich Village	- - - 1	1
Peckham High Street	- 1	0
Peckham Rye	- - - 2	1
Sydenham Rise	- - - 1	1
Wells Street, by St. George's Church	- - - - 1	0
Total	- - <u>9</u>	<u>5</u>

STREET TABLETS.

These are being affixed, when necessary, in all streets throughout the Parish.

(*Signed*) ANDREW MIDDLEMASS,
Chairman, 1885-86.

JOHN GRUMMANT,
Vice-Chairman.

J. C. REYNOLDS
Surveyor.

May, 1886.

LIST OF ROADS.

The following is a List of the Roads within this Parish, shewing those which are under the control of the Vestry, as also the Private Roads which at present are not under public supervision:—

Name.	Public Roads,	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Ablett street, Rotherhithe New road	131	...
Absolom place, South street ...	...	43
Acorn street, Southampton street...	200	...
Acacia grove, Dulwich	213	...
Aboukir street, Pepler road ...	53	...
Ada road, Brunswick square ...	127	...
Adelaide place, Martin's road (footway only)	100	...
Addington square, Camberwell road	466	...
Adys road, Peckham	367	...
Acorn place, Meeting-house lane	225	...
Albany mews, Albany road ...	...	63
Albany road, Old Kent road ...	1,550	...
Albany row, Neate street... ..	142	...
Albany street, Albany road ...	63	...
Albert road, Peckham	1,194	...
Albert street, St. George's road ...	...	106
Albert and Victoria terraces, New Church road	116	...
Alder street, Sumner road ...	69	...
Carried forward ...	5,016	212

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	5,016	212
Alexander street, Old Kent road ...	126	...
Allendale road, Denmark road ...	182	...
Alleyn crescent, Park rd., Dulwich	...	100
Alleyn road, Park road Dulwich...	...	980
Alleyn park, Dulwich common ...	1,590	...
Allen's court, Crown street ...	...	20
Allison grove, Dulwich common ...	...	146
Alpha street, Choumert road ...	126	...
Amott road, Fenwick road ...	282	...
Amelia street, Southampton street	43	...
Ann's place, George st., Camberwell	...	116
Ansdell road, St. Mary's road ...	303	...
Anstey road, Nigel road ...	206	...
Archdale road, North Cross road...	205	...
Arlington grove, Neate street ...	...	50
Arnold road, Peckham rye ...	...	122
Arthur street, Old Kent road ...	226	...
Arthur mews, Hanover street ...	...	56
Artichoke place, Church street ...	40	...
Ashbourne grove, Lordship lane ...	...	270
Astbury road, Queen's road ...	428	...
Astley street, Old Kent road ...	158	...
Asylum road, Old Kent road ...	866	...
Athearn road, Woods road ...	153	...
Attwell road, Rye lane ...	176	...
Carried forward ...	10,126	2,072

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	10,126	2,072
Attwell street, Rye lane ...	133	...
Aulay street, Ossory road ...	127	113
Avenue, The, GipseY Hill... ..	900	...
Avenue, The, High st., Peckham...	...	76
Avenue road, Camberwell road (part of)	410	...
Avenue cottages, Avenue road ...	...	40
Avondale road, Bellenden road ...	372	...
Avondale square, Old Kent road ...	670	...
Azenby square, Lyndhurst road ...	410	...
Back lane, Asylum road ... ..	...	253
Back passage, Peckham road to Sumner road (footway only)	120	...
Back road, Brunswick square ...	...	78
Bagshot street, Albany rd. (part of)	53	...
Back alley, Peckham rye ... ..	...	150
Balchier road, Dunstons road ...	...	586
Baldwin crescent	139	...
Banbury place, George street, Cam- berwell ... ..	...	47
Banstead street, Nunhead green ...	290	...
Barforth road, Nunhead lane ...	212	...
Barkworth road, Rotherhithe New road	661	...
Carried forward ...	14,623	3,415

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	14,623	3,415
Barry road, Peckham rye... ..	1,366	...
Barnes buildings, Wyndham road	...	17
Barset road, Evelina road... ..	234	...
Basing road, High street, Peckham	256	...
Batchelor's Hall, Blue Anchor lane	...	33
Bath place, Canal bank, Camberwell	136	...
Bath street, Summer road ...	106	...
Batten's yard, High street ...	...	17
Batten's place, High street ...	...	120
Bawdale road, Lordship lane ...	...	43
<i>Beauval gardens, Lordship lane</i> ...	...	...
Beckett street, Wyndham road ...	217	...
Belham street, Kimpton road ...	123	...
Bellenden road, Choumert road ...	537	...
Bell's Garden rd., Peckham Park rd.	228	...
Belvoir street, Lordship lane ...	...	230
Benhill road, Brunswick square ...	213	...
<i>Besika road, Forest Hill road</i> ...	...	...
Bexley place, Lower Park road ...	...	123
Bianca road, Derwent road ...	...	240
Bidwell street, Burchell road ...	138	...
Bird-in-Bush road, Commercial rd.	745	...
Bishop's road, Lothian road ...	76	...
Blackbridge street, New Church rd.	...	67
Blackwater street, Lordship lane...	...	430
Carried forward ...	18,998	4,735

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	18,998	4,735
Bland Avenue, King Arthur street ...	...	46
Blenheim grove, Rye lane ...	333	...
Blakes road, Peckham grove ...	443	...
Blucher road, Camberwell road ...	175	...
Blue Anchor lane, High street ...	100	...
Bonamy street, Rotherhithe New rd.	133	...
Bournemouth road, Rye lane ...	201	...
Boundary lane, Camberwell road (part of)	141	...
Boyton's place, New Church road	87	...
Boyton's row, New Church road (footway only) ... ..	...	67
Boxall row, Dulwich village ...	...	130
Bowles road, Old Kent road ...	110	...
Bradbourn grove, Hollydale road	113	...
Bradshaw street, Ruby street ...	63	...
Bramcote road, Rotherhithe New rd.	235	...
Branch buildings, Commercial road	...	140
Brayard road, Copeland road ...	614	...
Brimmington road, Asylum road...	103	...
Brisbane street, Waterloo street ...	246	...
Brockley footpath, Nunhead ...	833	...
Brodie street, Old Kent road ...	90	...
Bromar road, Grove Hill road ...	211	...
Bronte place, Waite street ...	...	65
Carried forward ...	23,229	5,183

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	23,229	5,183
<i>Brookland street, Wells street</i> ...	...	...
Brunswick road, Brunswick square	123	...
Brunswick square, Peckham road	612	...
Brymer road, Albany road ...	...	190
Buchan road, Kimberley road ...	...	267
Burchell road, Queen's road ...	203	...
Burton road, Knatchbull road ...	137	...
Bushey Hill road, Peckham road...	484	...
Bull yard, High street, Peckham...	...	60
Burbage road, Half Moon lane ...	...	720
Calmington road, Albany road ...	172	...
<i>Calton road, Dulwich</i> ...	...	...
Camberwell grove... ...	1,073	...
Camberwell green... ...	392	180
Camberwell new road (part of) ...	520	...
Camberwell road (part of) ...	910	...
Camberwell Station road ...	...	220
Camden avenue, Peckham road ...	120	...
Camden grove, Peckham road ...	280	...
Camden grove north, St. George's road	630	...
Camden square, Southampton street	...	76
Camden street, Camden grove ...	166	...
Cambrook street, Hatcham ...	...	102
Carried forward ...	29,051	6,998

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	29,051	6,998
Canning place, Grove lane ...	...	100
Canterbury road, Old Kent road ...	609	...
Canal grove, Old Kent road ...	...	126
Canal place, Coburg road... ...	215	...
Canal place, Lisford street ...	45	...
Canal row, Melon place ... ...	...	70
Canal street, Albany road ...	...	3
Canonbie road, Honor Oak ...	...	531
Carden road, Nunhead lane ...	215	...
Carew street, Harold street ...	58	...
Caroline place, Wyndham road ...	...	67
Caroline street, Old Kent road ...	200	...
Carlton grove, Queen's road ...	313	...
Carpenter's place, High street ...	...	33
Caspian street, New Church road... ...	132	...
Castle street, Camberwell road ...	...	76
Castle street, Neate street ...	41	...
Cator street, Commercial road ...	838	...
Cerise road, Hanover park ...	140	...
Champion grove, Grove lane ...	...	290
Champion hill, Grove lane (part of) ...	...	658
Champion park, Denmark hill ...	333	...
Chadwick road, Victoria road ...	616	...
Castlemain road, Gloucester road... ...	200	...
Chatham rd., Avenue rd. (part of) ...	60	...
Carried forward ...	38,066	8,952

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	33,066	8,952
Charlotte street, Old Kent road ...	133	...
Chesterfield grove, Lordship lane...	...	233
Chesterfield grove, East Dulwich grove ... ..	...	220
Chiswell street, Waterloo street ...	153	...
Choumert road, Rye lane... ..	768	...
Choumert grove, Blenheim grove...	306	...
Chumleigh street, Albany road ...	250	...
Church passage (by St. Giles' Church), footway only ...	186	...
Church street, Camberwell green...	360	...
Cicely road, Hanover park ...	141	...
Clarendon avenue, Clarendon street	...	130
Clarendon place, Clarendon street	80	...
Clarendon street, Camberwell New road	218	...
Clarkson place, Meeting-house lane	130	...
Claude road, Heaton road... ..	304	...
Clayton road, High street ...	387	...
Cleveland street, Wyndham road...	90	...
Clifton road, Asylum road (part of)	300	...
Clifton crescent, Asylum road ...	280	...
Clifton square, Albert road ...	...	82
Cobden street, St. George's road ...	...	70
Coburg road, Old Kent road ...	600	...
Carried forward ...	37,752	9,687

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	37,752	9,687
Colby road, Gipsy hill (part of) ...	127	30
Coleman road, Southampton street	396	...
College road, Dulwich	1,380	1,240
Colls road, Astbury road	218	...
Collyer place, High street... ..	42	...
Colwell road, Lordship lane	175	...
Commercial road, Old Kent road...	1,533	...
Constance road, Grove vale	153	...
Cooper's road, Old Kent road	236	...
Copeland road, Peckham rye	483	...
Copleston road, Choumert road	387	...
Cork street, Waterloo street	160	...
Cornwell road, Commercial road	133	...
Cossall street, Burchell road	79	...
Costa street, Choumert road	140	...
Cottage green, Southampton street	100	...
County grove, Camberwell New rd.	256	...
Court lane, Dulwich village ... ..	...	1,166
Cox's walk, Lordship lane (footpath only) ... ..	...	866
Cowan street, Albany road	146	90
Cranswick road, Rotherhithe New road	95	...
Crawthew grove, Crystal Palace rd.	...	245
Crebor street, Upland road ... ..	...	133
Car ried forward ...	43,991	13,457

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	43,991	13,457
Credon road, Rotherhithe New road	220	...
Crescent, Southampton street ...	116	...
Crescent Wood road, Sydenham hill	520	...
Crewys road, Kirkwood road ...	202	...
Crofton road, Peckham road ...	579	...
Crown street, Wyndham road ...	210	...
Cross road, Addington square ...	49	...
Cross road, from Shenley road to Crofton road	54	...
Cross street, Addington square ...	87	...
Croxted road, West Dulwich ...	619	1,073
Crystal Palace road, Goose green...	1,421	...
Culmore road, Asylum road ...	323	...
Cumberland place, Addington square	195	...
Cunard street, Albany road ...	145	...
Cuthill road, Denmark hill ...	144	...
Cut-throat lane (footway only) ...	133	...
Cyrena road, Whately road ...	...	213
Dagmar road, Peckham road ...	268	...
Daneville road, Denmark hill ...	258	...
Danby street, Bellenden road ...	342	...
Danes road, Denmark street ...	58	...
Daniel street, Sumner road ...	62	...
Daniels road, Nunhead grove ...	...	277
Carried forward ...	49,996	15,020

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	49,996	15,020
Darrell street, Upland road ...	158	158
Dartnell road, Albany road ...	...	190
Datchelor plaee (see Pound row)...	76	...
Davey street, Sumner road ...	76	...
Dayton grove, York grove ...	197	
De Crespigny park, Denmark hill	366	...
Delaford road, Barkworth road ...	402	
Denmark hill (part of) ...	1,023	...
Denmark road, Knatchbull road (part of) ...	342	...
Denmark st., Denmark rd. (part of)	218	...
Denman road, Talfourd road ...	293	...
Derwent grove, Grove vale ...	...	240
Dewar street, Fenwick road ...	...	50
Devonshire grove, Old Kent road...	133	...
Devonshire street, Devonshire grove	69	...
D'Eynsford road, Camberwell green	267	...
Diamond street, Southampton street	150	...
Dog Kennel hill (or lane), Grove vale	320	...
Dorset terrace, Downes street ...	...	50
Dorton street, St. George's road ...	70	...
Domville grove, Albany road ...	158	...
Dominic road, Glengall road ...	...	...
Dowlas street, Wells street ...	183	...
Downes street, Lower Park road...	220	...
Carried forward ...	54,717	15,708

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	54,717	15,708
Dragon road, St. George's road ...	270	...
Dray court, or Draycott place, Edmund street ... ..	...	68
Dulwich Common, Lordship lane...	1,640	...
Dulwich Wood park, Farquhar road	833	...
Dulwich village	765	...
Dundas road, St. Mary's road ...	166	...
Dunstan's road, Forest Hill road...	330	666
Earl road, Old Kent road... ..	300	...
Eastdene street, St. George's road ...	..	63
East Dulwich grove, Lordship lane	299	1,000
East Dulwich road, Peckham rye	1,003	...
East Surrey grove, Commercial rd.	420	...
Ebenezer cottages, Camden grove north... ..	...	45
Ebenezer place, Wyndham road ...	...	67
Edgecombe road, Camberwell grove	77	...
Edith road, St. Mary's road ...	231	...
Edmund street, New Church road	285	...
Edward street, Sumner road ...	86	...
Edwin's row, Green Hundred road	...	80
Egan street, Rotherhithe New road	83	...
Elam street, Harold street (part of)	39	...
Ellery street, Albert road... ..	109	...
Carried forward ...	61,653	17,697

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	61,653	17,697
Elland road, Peckham rye ...	...	60
Elcot avenue, Lower Park road ..	174	...
Elm grove, Rye lane	366	...
Elmington road, Brunswick square	160	...
Elms road, Dulwich village ...	167	...
Elsie road, Grove vale	252	...
Emily road, Cooper's road... ..	70	...
Etherow street, Barry road ...	144	...
Evelina road, Lausanne road ...	498	...
Farndon row, John street ...	60	...
Farquhar road, Upper Norwood ...	749	...
Fearnley road, Camberwell grove	60	..
Fellbrigg road, Lordship lane ...	...	300
Fendick road, Rosemary road ...	46	...
Fenham road, Bell Garden road ...	275	...
Ferris road, Oakhurst grove ...	...	200
Fenwick road, East Dulwich road	346	...
Firbank road, Stanbury road ...	99	...
Flodden road, Camberwell New rd.	330	...
Foreign street, Harold street (part of)	27	...
Forest Hill road, Peckham rye ...	1,400	...
Forester road, Linden grove ...	90	...
Fountain road, College road ...	...	425
Carried forward ...	66,966	18,682

Name.		Public Roads.	Private Roads.
		Length in Yards.	
Brought forward	...	66,966	18,682
Fowler street, Lettsom street	...	89	...
Frankton road, Hill street	...	170	...
Friern road, Peckham rye	...	1,330	...
Frogley road, Lordship lane	...	98	...
Furley street, Goldsmith road	...	193	...
Gairloch road, Vestry road	...	132	...
Galatea road, Philip road...	...	43	...
Gallery road, Dulwich	...	866	...
Gange street, Wyndham road	...	...	55
Gardens, The, Peckham rye	...	...	562
Garsdale road, Frankton road	...	122	...
Garden street, Mawbey road	...	...	120
Garden row, Dulwich	...	...	57
Geldart road, Meeting-house lane	...	...	100
George street, Camberwell green...	...	385	...
Gervase street, Asylum road	...	166	...
Gibbon road, Nunhead	...	466	67
Glebe, The, Grove lane	...	...	150
Gledhill road, Fenwick road	...	70	...
Glengall road, Old Kent road	...	812	...
Glengall terrace, Trafalgar road	...	90	...
Glengarry road, East Dulwich grove	...	...	170
Gloucester road, Wells street	...	570	84
Godman road, Copeland road	...	202	...
Carried forward	...	72,770	20,047

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	72,770	20,047
Goldie street, Coburg road ...	180	...
Goldsmith road, Hill street ...	405	...
Goodrich road, Lordship lane ...	566	564
Goodyear place, Addington square ...	...	42
Goose green (road in front of St. John's villas)... ...	261	...
Gordon road, Nunhead green ...	831	...
Gowlett road, East Dulwich road...	243	...
Graces road, Wilson road... ...	240	...
Grainger street, Lower Park road ...	113	...
Grange street, Old Kent road ...	133	...
Grayland's road, Rosemary road...	246	...
Great Orchard row, Camberwell rd.	85	...
Green's row, Camberwell road ...	50	73
Green lane, Champion hill ...	...	1,265
Green Hundred road, Peckham Park road	313	...
Grenard road, Rosemary road ...	370	...
Grimwade crescent, Evelina road...	115	...
Grove, The, College road ... ...	...	227
Grove crescent, Camberwell grove ...	...	120
Grove cottages, Coburg road ...	...	33
Grove Hill road, Camberwell grove ...	413	...
Grove place, now Coleman road ...	...	...
Grove lane, Church street... ...	1,300	...
Carried forward ...	78,634	22,371

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	78,634	22,371
Grove lane mews (rear of Grove)...	...	310
Grove park, Camberwell grove ...	...	290
Grove vale, Goose green ...	496	...
Grummant road, Peckham road ...	...	143
Guildford place, Camberwell road	...	120
Gurney terrace, Avenue road ...	54	...
Half Moon lane, Dulwich ...	1,320	...
Hall road, Peckham rye ...	...	400
Hanlon's place, Albany road ...	...	50
Hanover park, Rye lane ...	300	...
Hanover street, Rye lane...	333	...
<i>Hansler road, Lordship lane</i> ...	...	...
Hardcastle street, High street ...	166	...
Harder's road, Queen's road	440	...
Harling street, Wells street ...	230	...
Harris street, Havil street ...	130	...
Harris place, Harris street ...	93	...
Harold street, Knatchbull road ...	343	...
Harvey road, Kimpton road ...	127	...
Haslem place, Jocelyn street ...	133	...
Hatcham road, Old Kent road ...	315	...
Hathway street, Lausanne road ...	...	53
Havil street, Peckam road ...	523	...
Haymerle road, Peckham...	137	...
Carried forward ...	83,774	23,737

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	83,774	23,737
Hazlemere road, Rosemary road ...	83	...
Headley street, Gordon road ...	43	...
Hearseys place, Waterloo street ...	...	50
Heaton road, Peckham rye ...	256	...
Heber road, Lordship lane ...	351	...
Henslowe road, Upland road ...	331	...
Hereford retreat, Bird-in-Bush road ...	...	69
Herman road, Old Kent road ...	103	...
Herne grove, Dunstan road ...	...	100
Herne terrace, Dunstan road ...	...	86
<i>Hewetson road, Dulwich common...</i>	...	...
High street, Peckham ...	730	...
Hill street, High street, Peckham ...	797	...
Hillsboro road, East Dulwich ...	...	224
Hinckley road, Goose green ...	95	...
Hindman's road, Underhill road ...	461	...
Holly road, Lordship lane ...	98	...
Hollington street, Crown street ...	193	...
Hollydale road, Queen's read ...	962	...
Homestall road, Peckham rye ...	...	730
Holmby street, Albany road ...	...	65
Honor Oak road, Forest Hill road ...	...	110
Honor Oak rise, Forest Hill road ...	...	186
Hook's road, Harder's road ...	267	...
Hornby road, Blakes road ...	254	...
Carried forward ...	88,798	25,357

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	88,798	25,357
Howbury road, Evelina road ...	...	210
Howden street, Maxted road ...	165	...
Hyndman grove, Old Kent road ...	53	...
Hyndman place, Old Kent road ...	...	46
Hyndman street, Old Kent road ...	76	..
Huguenot road, Heaton road ...	102	...
Humphrey street, Old Kent road...	66	...
<i>Howlett grove, Melbourne grove</i> ...	...	...
Ilderton road, Rotherhithe New rd.	298	...
Ildersly grove, Croxted road ..	...	175
Ingoldisthorpe grove, Glengall road	90	...
Inglis street, Knatchbull road ...	71	...
Ivanhoe road, Grove Hill road ...	298	...
Ivydale road, Nunhead ... ..	...	1,000
James cottages, Nunhead lane ...	...	60
James street (New), Nunhead lane	...	103
James street, Southampton street...	190	...
James grove, Commercial road ...	190	...
Jardin street, Albany road ...	261	...
Jaspar road, Farquhar road ...	148	110
Jennings road, Landcroft road ...	248	...
Jocelyn street, Commercial road ...	201	...
John street, Edmund street ...	142	...
Carried forward ...	91,397	27,061

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	91,397	27,061
Joiners Arms yard, Denmark hill...	...	40
Joys cottages, George street ...	...	43
Kelmore grove, Oakhurst grove ...	189	...
Kempshead road, Albany road ...	215	...
Keston road, East Dulwich road ...	172	...
Kerfield crescent, Grove lane ...	108	...
Kimberley road, Nunhead ...	556	...
Kimpton road, Church street ...	223	...
King Arthur street, Clifton road ...	260	...
King's road, Queen's road... ...	439	...
Kingswood road, Upper Norwood ...	...	600
Kirkwood road, Nunhead green ...	1,099	...
Kitchener's alley, Hill street (foot- way only) ... ..	...	60
Kitto road (part), Nunhead ...	...	30
Kitson road, Addington square ...	160	...
Kna'tchbull road, Camberwell New road	777	...
Kincaid road, Meeting-house lane ...	...	130
Lacon road, Crystal Palace road ...	142	...
Landroft road, Lordship lane ...	576	...
Carried forward ...	96,313	27,964

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	96,313	27,964
Langdale road, Hill street ...	260	...
Langton road (S.W.), Lothian road	130	...
Langton road (S.E.), Forest Hill...	129	...
Landells road, Lordship lane ...	318	284
Landsdowne place, Naylor road ...	...	43
Lanvanor road, Brayard road ...	191	...
Latona road, Peckham ...	132	72
Laurel terrace, Avenue road ...	54	...
Lausanne road, Queen's road ...	400	...
Ledbury street, Commercial road...	116	...
Leipsic road, Camberwell New road	360	...
Leo street, Old Kent road ...	...	210
Lettsom street, Camberwell grove	195	...
Leyton square, Peckham Park road	...	430
Lidgate road, Rosemary road .	31	...
Limesford road, Nunhead... ...	...	350
Linden grove, Nunhead lane ...	1,000	...
Lindo street, Gibbon road... ...	83	...
Linnell road, Vestry road... ...	258	...
Lisford street, Sumner road ...	216	...
Little Marlborough place, Old Kent road ... ..	...	60
Little Orchard row, Camberwell road	76	...
Lloyd's yard, Dulwich village ...	...	100
Carried forward ...	100,262	29,513

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	100,262	29,513
Lothian road, Camberwell New road	380	...
Lovegrove street, Old Kent road ...	160	...
Love walk, Denmark hill (part footway only) ...	366	...
Lordship lane, East Dulwich ...	2,700	...
Loder street, Clifton road... ..	250	...
London road, Forest hill	350	...
Loncroft road, Albany road ...	212	...
Lower Park road, Peckham ...	700	...
Lowth road, next Warner rd. (part of)	10	..
Lugard road, Hollydale road ...	470	...
Lulworth road, Brayard road ...	119	...
Lyndhurst grove, Lyndhurst road	580	...
Lyndhurst road, Peckham road ...	750	...
Lyndhurst square, Lyndhurst road	143	...
Lyticott grove, East Dulwich grove	...	100
Machell road, Kimberley road ...	...	153
Malt street, Old Kent road ...	140	...
Malford road, Grove hill road ...	108	...
Manaton road, Albert road ...	176	...
Manor grove, Hatcham	170	...
Mansion-house square, Camberwell road ... ..	...	76
Mansion street, Camberwell road...	...	127
Marlborough cottages, Stafford st.	...	45
Carried forward ...	108,046	30,014

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	108,046	30,014
Marmont road, High street, Peckham	373	...
Marlborough road, Old Kent road	293	...
Marmora road, Forest Hill road ...	...	1,150
Marsden road, Oglander road ...	168	...
Martin's road, Peckham	123	...
Mary Ann place, South street ...	...	60
Marylebone road, Peckham rye ...	...	200
Matham grove, Lordship lane ...	182	...
Maude road, Dagmar road ...	182	...
Mawbey road, Old Kent road ...	263	...
Maxted road, Goose green ...	274	...
May place, Nunhead passage ...	...	66
Maydwell street, Albany road ...	...	73
Mayor's buildings, Wyndham road	...	35
Mayhew's buildings, Wyndham rd.	...	35
Mayhew's cottages, George street...	...	53
McDermott road, Maxted road ...	194	141
McKerrell road, Hanover park ...	171	...
McNeil road, Linnell road ...	131	...
Meeting-house lane, High street ...	630	...
Melbourne grove, East Dulwich grove	809	...
Melford road, Lordship lane ...	237	153
Melon place, High street, Peckham	...	83
Carried forward ...	112,076	31,063

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	112,076	31,063
Middle street, Sumner road ...	133	...
<i>Milo road, Lordship lane</i> ...	...	...
Mill street, Old Kent road ...	66	...
Millais street, Albany road ...	...	68
Milledge street, Verney road ...	131	...
Moncrieff street, Rye lane ...	200	130
Montpelier road, Queen's road ...	365	...
Mortlock gardens, Harders road ...	101	...
Mosedale street, Belham street ...	178	...
Mona road, Lausanne road (part of)	33	...
Moody's cottages, Blake's road ...	...	25
Mount Adon park, Lordship lane...	...	266
Muschamp road, Oglander road ...	216	...
Mundania road, Forest Hill road...	...	327
Naylor road, Asylum road ...	480	...
Neate street, Wells street... ...	875	...
Nelson square, Commercial road ...	143	...
Netherby road, Forest Hill road ...	...	...
Newbold road, Asylum road ...	...	294
New Church road, Camberwell road	40	...
Nile terrace, Trafalgar soad ...	730	...
Carried forward ...	108	...
Carried forward ...	115,875	32,173

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	115,875	32,173
Nigel road, Peckham rye ...	148	...
Norfolk street, Choumert road ...	192	...
North Cross road, Lordship lane ...	301	...
Nunhead crescent, Peckham rye ...	147	...
Nunhead green	400	...
Nunhead grove	333	...
Nunhead lane, Peckham rye ...	493	...
Nunhead passage (part footway only) Peckham rye to Nunhead Green	295	165
Nutbrook street, Maxted road ...	297	...
Nutcroft road, Naylor road ...	268	...
Nutfield road, Lordship lane ...	169	...
Nutt street, Sumner road ...	99	...
Nungate, High street, Peckham ...	...	60
Oakhurst grove, East Dulwich grove	363	...
Oakley place, Old Kent road ...	124	...
Odell street, Albany road... ..	200	...
Oglander road, Maxted road ...	314	...
Old James street, Nunhead lane ...	142	...
Old Kent road (from Mina road to Whitepost lane)	2,266	...
Olmar street, Ossory road... ..	116	...
Ondine road, Grove vale	365	...
Carried forward ...	122,907	32,398

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	122,907	32,398
Orchard, The, Peckham ...	50	33
Orchard row, Camberwell New road	141	...
Ormside street, Old Kent road ...	600	...
Ormond place, Old Kent road ...	...	66
Osborne buildings, George street ...	...	47
Ossory road, Old Kent road ...	111	...
Oswyth road, Peckham road ...	139	...
Overhill road, Lordship lane ...	...	793
Oxonian street, Lordship lane ...	...	77
Paddington road, Peckham rye ...	...	210
Paddock place, Edmund street ...	...	40
Pancras road, Peckham rye ...	...	120
Park road, West Dulwich (part of)	333	...
Park row, Lower park road ...	...	98
Park street, Peckham park road ...	60	...
Parkhouse street, Southampton st.	300	...
Parkstone road, Rye lane... ...	190	...
Paradise place, High street, Peck-		
ham ... ..	...	140
Paradise yard, High street, Peckham	...	40
Paulet road, Harold street ...	438	...
Peckham park, Lower park road...	...	176
Peckham park road, Old Kent road	866	...
Peckham grove, Southampton street	370	...
Carried forward ...	126,505	34,238

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	126,505	34,238
Peckham road	1,090	...
Peckham rye, both sides to "King's Arms" P.H.	1,065	...
Peckham rye, Cross roads at "King's Arms" P.H.	133	...
Peckham rye, from Nunhead lane to Newlands	920	...
Peckham rye, W. side "King's Arms" P.H. to "The Herne" P.H....	973	...
Pellatt road, Lordship lane ...	377	...
Pemell's place, Queen's road ...	184	...
Penford street, Knatchbull road ...	151	...
Penarth street, Hatcham road ...	125	...
Pennethorne road, Goldsmith road	...	170
Pepler road, Trafalgar road ...	209	...
Pera road, Forest Hill road ...	...	313
Phillip road, Peckham rye ...	354	...
Picton street, George street ...	316	...
Pilkington road, Brayard road ...	160	...
Pitt street, Commercial road ...	113	...
Pittman street, Nelson street ...	73	...
Placquett road, Grove vale ...	...	210
Pleasant place, George street ...	...	40
Piermost road, Peckham rye ...	...	77
Pomeroy street, Queen's rd. (part of)	33	...
Carried forward ...	132,781	35,048

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	132,781	35,048
Pound row, Church street, see		
Datchelor place ... ..	...	...
Povah road	57	...
Prince's yard, Troy town ... ..	...	66
Proctor street, Rotherhithe New road (see Verney road) ...	...	...
Providence place, Waterloo street	...	55
Queen's road, Peckham	870	...
Radnor street, Bird-in-bush road...	233	...
Raglan passage, Camden grove north	49	...
Rainbow street, Southampton street	...	200
Raul road, Hanover park... ..	93	...
Reddin road, Derwent road ...	137	...
Red post hill, Dulwich	950	...
Relf road, Peckham rye	158	...
Regent street, Southampton street	95	...
Regent place, Southampton street	...	23
Reservoir road (or Rock Hills) College road ... ..	...	225
Retreat, Queen's road ... ..	...	233
Rignold road, Lettson street ...	140	...
Rivet street, Old Kent road ...	67	...
Rockell's place, Forest Hill road ...	...	71
Rodwell road, Landcroft road ...	299	...
Carried forward ...	135,929	35,921

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	135,929	35,921
Rosemary road, Summer road ...	534	...
Rosemary terrace, Regent street ...	...	43
Roslyn avenue, Denmark street ...	...	105
Rotherhithe New road, Old Kent rd.	230	...
Ruby street, Old Kent road ...	300	...
Russell road, Copeland road ...	151	...
Rust square, Kitson road... ...	99	...
Rye hill park, Peckham rye ...	527	...
Rye lane, Peckham	866	...
Rye road, Peckham rye ... ...	...	145
Royal Oak place, Forest Hill road	...	73
Sandison street, Maxted road ...	120	...
Sandover road, Albany road ...	173	66
Sansom street, Waterloo street ...	182	...
Sartor road, Peckham rye ...	...	100
Salisbury cottages, Lisford street (two portions)	35	...
St. James' road, Old Kent road ...	335	...
St. George's street, Commercial road	153	...
St. George's road, Wells street ...	867	...
St. Mary's road, Queen's road ...	560	...
St. Thomas's road, Old Kent road	167	...
Scarsdale grove, Scarsdale road ...	...	100
Carried forward ...	141,228	36,553

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	141,228	36,553
Scarsdale road, Albany road ...	198	...
Scipio street, Sumner road ...	79	...
Scylla road, Peckham rye... ...	173	...
Scutari road, Forest Hill road ..	...	361
Secretan road, Albany road ...	213	...
Sedgmoor place, Southampton street	280	...
Selborne road, Denmark hill ...	150	...
Selden road, Lausanne road ...	213	...
Senate street, Lausanne road ...	...	63
Shard road, Meeting-house lane ...	183	...
Shard square, Peckham park road	120	...
Shawbury road, Lordship lane ...	165	...
Shenton street, Old Kent road ...	120	...
Shenley road, Peckham road ...	432	...
Shields street, Sumner road ...	90	...
Sidmouth grove, Lower park road	...	45
Sidmouth place, Lyndhurst road ...	...	53
Silcote road, Albany road... ...	68	...
Silvester road, Lordship lane ...	...	446
Simpson's alley, Half Moon lane to Herne Hill (footpath only) ...	..	380
Snakes lane, Dulwich common (footpath only) ... ..	...	1,000
Soames street, Bellenden road ...	117	...
Solly place, Copeland road ...	...	120
Carried forward ...	143,829	39,021

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	143,829	39,021
Solomon's passage, Peckham rye (footpath only) ...	233	...
Southampton street, Camberwell...	1,280	...
South grove, Rye lane ...	...	303
South place, Lyndhurst road ...	60	...
South street, Havil street...	340	...
Springall street, Asylum road ...	91	...
Spurling road, Goose green ...	120	...
St. Aidan's road, Peckham rye ...	...	300
Stafford street, High street ...	200	...
Stamboul road, Forest Hill road ...	..	175
Stanbury road, Hollydale road ...	268	...
Stanton street, Commercial road ...	193	...
Staveley road, Asylum road ...	65	...
Sternhall lane, Rye lane ...	...	210
Stockwell street, Hatcham ...	210	...
Stores road, Camberwell grove ...	117	...
Stuart road, Peckham rye ...	...	282
Studholme street, Asylum road ...	196	...
Sturdy road, Gordon road...	107	...
Sumner road, Peckham ...	840	...
Sultan street, Crown street ...	230	...
Sultan terrace, Avenue road ...	70	...
Surrey terrace, Peckham park road	...	123
Surrey place, Albany road ...	44	...
Carried forward ...	148,493	40,414

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	148,493	40,414
Surrey road, Peckham rye ...	...	180
Surrey square, Banstead street ...	...	40
Sylvan grove, Old Kent road ...	173	...
Sydenham hill (part of) ...	395	...
Sydenham rise, Lordship lane ...	295	...
Talfourd place, Talfourd road ...	144	...
Talfourd road, Peckham road ...	493	...
Tappesfield road, Nunhead green...	303	...
Tarbert road, East Dulwich grove	...	170
Tell grove, East Dulwich grove ...	...	150
Templar street, Knatchbull road ...	161	...
<i>Terriswood road, Goodrich road</i> ...	...	...
Therapia road, Forest Hill road ...	...	243
Thompson street, Landcroft road...	138	...
Thorncombe rd., East Dulwich grove	...	170
Thornhill square, Westmacott street	...	42
Thurlow park road, Dulwich Com- mon	373	...
Tiger yard, Camberwell green ...	...	117
Tilson road, Camden grove north...	300	...
Toulon street, Wyndham road. ...	206	...
Townley road, Lordship lane ...	...	555
Carried forward ...	151,474	42,081

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	151,474	42,081
Tindal street, Lothian road ...	190	...
Trafalgar road, Old Kent road ...	500	...
Trafalgar square, Peckham park road ... ..	...	76
Tresco road, Linden grove ...	253	...
Trossachs road, East Dulwich grove	...	200
Triangle, Old Kent road	83	...
Triangle, Champion hill ... ..	...	33
Trimby street, Green Hundred road	66	...
Troy Town, Peckham rye... ..	...	333
Turney road, Dulwich village ...	...	912
Tustin street, Old Kent road ...	300	...
Tyrrell road, Barry road	424	...
Ulric street, Wyndham road ...	85	...
Ulverscroft road, North Cross road	301	...
Underhill road, Lordship lane ...	808	1,149
Unwin road, Derwent road ...	136	...
Upland road, Lordship lane ...	850	850
Upper Hall street, Commercial road	90	...
Upstall street, Knatchbull road ...	...	133
Union road, Dulwich ... ..	...	460
Upper Grange road (part) ...	73	...
Carried forward ...	155,633	46,227

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	155,363	46,227
Varcoe road, Credon road ...	317	...
Vaughan place, Ruby street ...	...	73
Verney road, Rotherhithe New road	716	266
Vestry road, Peckham road ...	395	...
Vicarage road, Church street ...	282	...
Victoria place, High street, Peckham	120	...
Victoria place, Cornwall road ...	...	46
Victoria road, Peckham ...	610	...
Victory place, Trafalgar road ...	...	67
Victory square, New Church road	122	...
Villa street, Albany road ...	50	...
Vivian road, Philip road, Peckham		
rye ...	88	...
Waghorn street, Maxted road ...	204	...
Wagner street, Old Kent road ...	...	170
Waite street, Trafalgar road ...	125	...
Warner road, Denmark road (part		
of) ...	116	...
Waterloo cottages, Neate street ...	...	60
Waterloo square, George street ...	...	53
Waterloo street, Camberwell green	446	...
Welby street, Knatchbull road ...	...	90
Wellington road, St. Mary's road...	150	...
Wellington place, Red Post hill ...	...	400
Carried forward ...	159,374	47,452

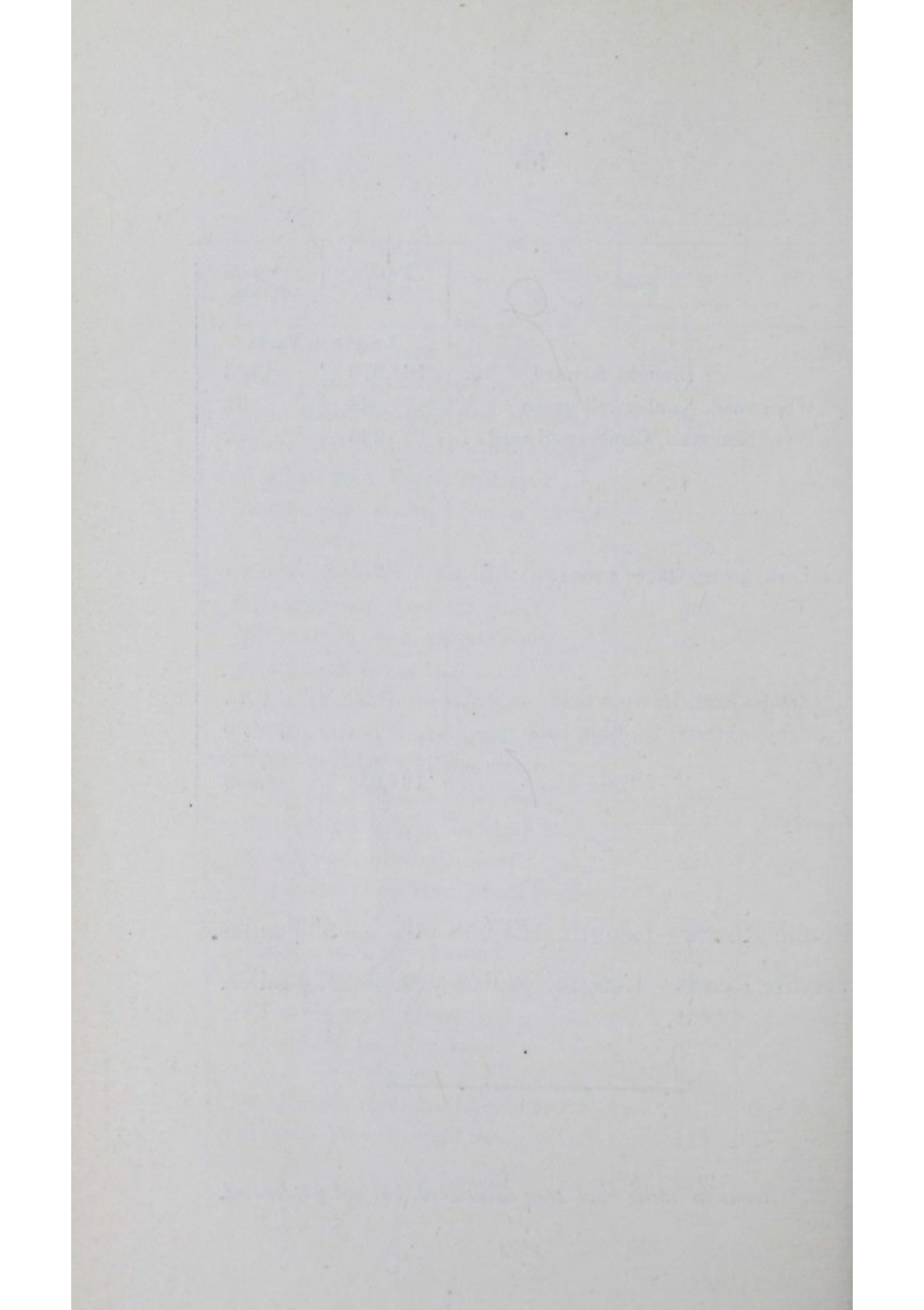
Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	159,374	41,452
Wells place, South street ...	160	...
Wells street, Southampton street...	633	...
Westerfield gardens, Goldsmith road	...	80
Westhall road, Forest Hill road ...	910	...
Westmacott street, Southampton street ...	343	...
Westwood park, Forest Hill ...	...	300
Whateley road, Lordship lane ...	339	...
Whittington road, Asylum road ...	130	...
Wilby road, Grove lane ...	...	34
Wildash road, Grove vale ...	179	...
William street, Neate street ...	191	...
Williams place, Waterloo street ...	...	60
Willowbrook road, Sumner road ...	380	...
Willowbrook grove, Trafalgar road	...	70
Wilson road, Peckham road ...	291	...
Winchester place, High street, Peck- ham ...	100	...
Windsor road, Grove lane...	280	...
Wingfield street, Maxted road ...	160	...
Wivenhoe road, Albert road ...	166	...
Wood vale, Lordship lane...	383	...
Woods road, Harders road ...	150	...
Woodwarde road, Lordship lane ...	...	800
Wroxton road, Brayard road ...	110	...
Carried forward ...	164,279	48,796

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	164,279	48,796
Wren road, Camberwell green ...	68	92
Wyndham road, Camberwell road...	366	...
York grove, Queen's road... ...	225	...
Zampa road, Ilderton road ...	20	...
Zenoria street, Lordship lane ...	...	80
Total	164,958	48,968

Public Roads—Length, 164,958 yds. = $93\frac{2}{3}$ miles.

Private Roads—Length, 48,968 yds. = $27\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

* * Roads in italics have been sanctioned, but not yet formed.



REPORT
OF THE
SEWERS & SANITARY COMMITTEE.

For the year ending LADY-DAY, 1886.

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REPORT

SEWERS & SANITARY COMMITTEE

for the year ending 1897-1898

The Sewers and Sanitary Committee

Submit to the Vestry the following Report of Works carried out in their department during the year ending Lady-day, 1886 :—

NEW SEWERS.

The undermentioned Sewers have been constructed by the Vestry during the past year as public works.

				PIPE SEWERS.		
				12-in.	15-in.	18-in.
				Feet.	Feet.	Feet.
Park Row ...	...	...	...	292		
South Street ...	...	...	...	156	20	
Little Orchard Row ...	...	...	...	46		
Orchard Row ...	...	...	...	124		
Lordship Lane ...	...	...	...	...	...	2,530
Lyndhurst Grove ...	...	...	...	662		
				1,280	20	2,530

NEW SEWERS ON NEW BUILDING ESTATES.

Plans and Sections have been submitted to the Vestry for the following proposed Sewers, which, being approved, were submitted to the Metropolitan Board of Works for sanction as required by statute. The works when carried out by the applicants are supervised by the officers of the Vestry.

				PIPE SEWERS.
				Feet.
Cowan Street	...	...	...	250
Aulay Street	...	...	...	470
Moncrieff Street	...	...	...	250
Clifton Crescent	...	...	...	730
				1,700

NEW GULLIES.

74 Gullies for road drainage have been constructed in connection with all the foregoing works as and where necessary.

GULLY CLEANSING.

The Gullies throughout the parish are regularly emptied and cleansed by the men employed for the purpose by the Vestry; and, during the hot summer months, they are frequently deoderised and receive special attention according to the state of the weather. The number of Gullies emptied were 4,234, 2,003 loads of Slopping being removed therefrom.

SEWER CLEANSING.

The Local Main Sewers are kept free from deposit and heavy matter by the gang of Flushers in the Vestry's service. The quantity of sewer slop removed during the past year has been 153 loads.

All sewers vested in the Vestry are in thorough repair and working efficiently.

HOUSE DRAINAGE.

203 applications have been received for the drainage of 642 houses into the sewers, and the works in connection therewith have been duly inspected.

REMOVAL OF DUST.

This work has been carried out as before by means of the plant, horses, &c., of the Vestry.

The quantity collected during the past

year ending Lady Day, 1886-	-	21,582 loads.
Do, do. 1885-	-	21,222 „
Increase in the year		<u>360 „</u>

The cost of the work has been	-	-	£4,735	6	9
Less amount received for Dust sold	-	-		12	13 6
Nett cost for the year			<u>£4,722</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>

Equal to about 4s. 5d. per load.

This work has been contracted for, but has resulted in an increase of expenditure in this department against that of last year, which was an average cost of 3s. 9d. per load of collection and removal. Nearly the entire collection has had to be barged away at a cost of about 1s. 6d. per load, resulting in the cost averaging 4s. 4d. per load, as against the above quoted last year's cost of 3s. 9d., and which expense will be further augmented in the forthcoming year by an additional 1s. per load for barging only.

This increased cost of the Dust removal is becoming serious. A Sub-Committee of the Sewers and Sanitary Department has the matter under their consideration, and the Surveyor is also engaged in making full enquiries into the various methods of the disposal of house refuse, &c.

All this will be fully reported on to the Vestry as soon as practicable.

PUBLIC URINALS.

Four additional Urinals have been erected during the year.

All these Urinals are regularly cleansed by the labourers in the Vestry's employ; the water for flushing the same is supplied by the Water Companies serving the respective districts. The annual charge for the water is £6 each Urinal. The following are the respective localities in which such Urinals are situate :—

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Addington Square, next High Road. 2. Caspian Street, New Church Road. 3. Denmark Hill, opposite Camberwell Green. 4. Havil Street, rear of Vestry Hall. 5. Hanover Street, next Rye Lane. 6. Hill Street, opposite Bird-in-Bush Road. 7. Joiners' Arms Yard, Denmark Hill. 8. Old Kent Road, opposite Oakley Place. 9. Orchard Row, Camberwell New Road. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. Peckham High Street, opposite Hill Street. 11. Peckham Rye, Cross Road, near Nunhead Lane. 12. Peckham Rye, opposite "Heaton Arms." 13. Rotherhithe New Road, next St. James' Road. 14. Southampton Street, by Wells Street. 15. Sumner Road, next Commercial Road. 16. Upland Road, by Police Station. 17. Wells Street, at St. George's Bridge. 18. Wyndham Road, at Railway Bridge. |
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VENTILATING PIPES.

As a means of ventilating the local sewers, ventilating pipes have been placed at the flanks of premises adjacent to these sewers, and which have been found of great use in reducing the pressure of sewage gas emitted therefrom. The Surveyor has directions to increase the number of these ventilators wherever permission can be obtained for their erection.

MORTUARY.

See Vestry Clerk's report thereon.

The Reports of your Medical Officer and Public Analyst are appended, shewing the various sanitary measures carried out in their departments.

The first part of the paper is devoted to a discussion of the general principles of the theory of the structure of the atom. It is shown that the structure of the atom is determined by the laws of quantum mechanics, and that the laws of quantum mechanics are determined by the laws of the special theory of relativity. The second part of the paper is devoted to a discussion of the application of the theory of the structure of the atom to the study of the properties of matter. It is shown that the theory of the structure of the atom can be used to study the properties of matter in a very general way, and that the properties of matter can be studied in a very general way by the theory of the structure of the atom.

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APPENDIX

The appendix contains a list of the symbols used in the paper, and a list of the abbreviations used in the paper. It is shown that the symbols used in the paper are defined in a very general way, and that the abbreviations used in the paper are defined in a very general way. The appendix is intended to be a guide to the reader, and to show that the symbols and abbreviations used in the paper are defined in a very general way.

1885-86.

M M E D I C A L O F F I C E R ' S

A N N U A L R E P O R T .

9 GENTLEMEN,

It may perhaps be recollected that, in my report for the year 1883, I pointed out that the death-rate of London for that year was the lowest on record, and that in my report for the year 1884, I stated that the mortuary rate for that year was even lower than that for 1883. I have to announce that the Metropolitan death-rate for 1885 is still lower than these. The death-rate for 1883 was 20·5 per 10,000 persons living; that for 1884, 20·4; that for 1885, 19·7.

The Registrar-General shows that the diminished mortality for the last three years has been due, in part, to a marked falling-off in the marriage-rate, and to a consequent marked falling-off in the birth-rate; for the larger the number of labours the larger will be the number of deaths incidental to childbirth, and inasmuch as children in their first year die in much larger proportion than other persons, a large diminution in the number of births must, other things remaining the same, have a marked influence on the general death-rate. The Registrar-General, however, calculates that, due allowance being made for these influences, the death-rate for 1885 would still be only 20·0 per 1000, and would still be the lowest on record.

The populations of London, and of its five groups of districts, as determined at the Census of 1881, were as follows:

TABLE I.—POPULATIONS OF LONDON AND OF ITS GROUPS OF DISTRICTS AT CENSUS OF 1881.

London	West D.	North D.	Central D.	East D.	South D.
3,816,483	669,633	905,947	282,238	692,738	1,265,927

The numbers have increased generally since that time, and the Registrar-General estimates that in the middle of 1885, the population of the Metropolis had reached 4,083,928, of which number 1,923,447 were males, 2,160,481 were females.

Table II. gives the births and deaths, together with the birth-rates and death-rates per 1000 for the whole of London and for its groups of districts:

TABLE II.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, BIRTH-RATES AND DEATH-RATES OF LONDON AND ITS GROUPS OF DISTRICTS FOR 1885.

	London	West D.	North D.	Central D.	East D.	South D.
Births	132,506	20,242	29,808	8,119	26,410	47,927
Deaths	80,000	13,819	18,042	6,012	16,043	26,084
Birth Rates	32.5	28.1	30.6	31.1	37.0	35.0
Death Rates	19.6	19.2	18.5	23.0	22.5	18.5

The death-rate (18.5) here assigned to South London is the lowest ever recorded for that area. It is also lower than any that has been recorded either for the whole Metropolis or for any one of its five groups of districts, until the year to which this report relates, when the northern group shewed an equal death-rate with the southern group, and shared with it the honours of the occasion.

The birth-rates were all somewhat lower than they were in 1884, but those of the eastern and southern districts were as usual the highest.

In Table III. are recorded the deaths from each of the more important zymotic or infectious diseases in London, year by year, for the last ten years; and, for the year 1885, their distribution among the groups of districts:

TABLE III.—MORTALITY OF CHIEF ZYMOTIC DISEASES IN LONDON
FOR 10 YEARS.

	Hooping Cough.	Measles.	Diph- theria.	Scarlet Fever.	Fever.	Small Pox.	
1876	2,739	1,741	359	2,297	1,181	735	
1877	1,780	2,347	317	1,576	1,949	2,544	
1878	4,446	1,510	558	1,792	1,361	1,416	
1879	3,000	2,488	592	2,706	1,099	458	
1880	3,438	1,501	561	3,073	886	475	
1881	1,961	2,533	654	2,108	1,196	2,371	
1882	4,647	2,329	863	2,004	1,117	431	
1883	1,582	2,420	951	1,989	1,081	134	
1884	3,188	2,285	973	1,444	1,045	913	
1885	2,479	2,928	896	707	695	899	
1885	West D.	407	420	148	61	100	82
	North D.	521	800	274	184	191	350
	Central D.	165	197	69	38	49	12
	East D.	515	774	120	120	115	51
	South D.	871	737	285	285	240	404

The table shews a general falling-off in the mortality of these diseases as compared with the previous year. Measles alone shewed an increase, but nevertheless it was considerably less fatal in the southern districts than it was in 1884. The chief diminution was in Hooping-cough, Scarlet-fever, and Fever. There were 737 fewer cases of Scarlet-fever in 1885 than in 1884. It is interesting to note that all the zymotic diseases, excepting Small-pox, shewed a large decrease in the southern districts. Small-pox, however, rose from 204 to 404.

Table IV. gives the actual populations of the Parish of Camberwell and of its four sub-districts as they were enumerated at the Census of 1881, and the populations calculated for the year 1885, on the assumption that the rates of increase of each district and of the parish, that prevailed between 1871 and 1881, have been maintained since:

TABLE IV.—POPULATIONS OF CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS.

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham	St. George's	Parish.
As estimated at census of 1881.	5,590	59,104	71,089	50,810	186,593
As estimated for middle of year 1885.	6,413	77,515	88,785	60,388	232,501

It will be found that the total for the parish, in the last line, does not correspond exactly to the totals obtained by adding up the estimates for the several sub-districts. The difference is unimportant, and depends on the fact (which renders absolute agreement impossible) that the increase in each district, as also that for the entire parish, have been calculated on independent data. I must also

repeat the caution which I have often before expressed, that my estimates of population must be regarded as mere estimates, founded on data which are liable to variations, and therefore themselves liable to considerable error.

During the year 1885, 7,173 children (3,669 boys and 3,504 girls) were born in the Parish. Of these 92 were born in Dulwich, 2,303 in Camberwell, 2,685 in Peckham, and 2,093 in St. George's. There was an increase of 3 in Dulwich, and of 15 in St. George's; but there was a fall of 99 in Camberwell, and of 59 in Peckham. The births for the whole Parish were fewer by 140 in 1885 than they were in 1884. The falling-off is slight, and is sufficiently accounted for by the fact that the Returns for 1884 included 53 weeks, while these for 1885 comprised 52 weeks only:

TABLE V.—BIRTHS IN CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS.

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham	St. George's	Parish.
1884	89	2,402	2,744	2,078	7,313
1885	92	2,303	2,685	2,093	7,173
Difference	+ 3	- 99	- 59	+ 15	- 140

The birth-rates per 1000 for 1884 and 1885 are given in Table VI. It will be seen that the birth-rate has fallen in all districts except Dulwich, and that the birth-rate of Dulwich, as usual, is less than half that of any of the other districts of the Parish:

TABLE VI.—BIRTH-RATES OF CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS.

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
1884	14·3	33·2	32·6	35·8	33·1
1885	14·3	29·7	30·2	34·7	30·9

The deaths registered in Camberwell during the year amounted to 3,750, of which 1,825 were of males, 1,925 of females, and of which 53 were returned from Dulwich, 1,337 from Camberwell, 1,337 from Peckham, and 1,023 from St. George's. The deaths were less numerous than those in 1884 by 18. In Dulwich there was a decrease of 2, in Camberwell of 36, and in Peckham of 22; but in St. George's there was an increase of 42 (*see* Table IX.). Of the 1,337 returned for the sub-district of Camberwell, 296 occurred in the Workhouse and Parochial Infirmary, and 76 in the two Lunatic Asylums, making a total of 372 deaths which (though included in the mortuary returns of this sub-district) no more belong properly to it, than they do to the other sub-districts of the Parish. In order to determine the death-rates of the sub-districts, it is necessary to distribute these proportionately among them. This has been done in Table VII., the last column of which gives the corrected returns:

TABLE VII.—RE-DISTRIBUTION OF DEATHS AMONG SUB-DISTRICTS OF CAMBERWELL.

	Deaths returned.	Deaths in W. & L. A.	Deaths in W. & L. A. subtracted.	Deaths in W. & L. A. re-distributed.	Estimates of Deaths due to Districts.
Dulwich	53	...	53	6	59
Camberwell	1,337	- 372	965	106	1,071
Peckham	1,337	...	1,337	147	1,484
St. George's	1,023	...	1,023	113	1,136
Total	3,750	...	3,378	372	3,750

The death-rates of Camberwell and of its component districts were obtained by comparing the deaths given in

the last column of Table VII., and the populations as calculated for the middle of 1885, given in Table IV. These death-rates are furnished in Table VIII., which also presents for comparison the death-rates for 1884.

TABLE VIII.—DEATH-RATES OF CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS.

	Dulwich.	Cam- berwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
1884	9·8	15·5	17·8	18·7	17·1
1885	9·2	13·8	16·7	18·9	16·1

It will be observed that the death-rates are, with the exception of that of St. George's, all of them lower than those of the year 1884; and in St. George's the difference is so slight as not to be worthy of notice. The death-rates are all remarkably low; and, indeed, as I remarked in my last two reports, they are so low that it is impossible not to suspect the presence of some fallacy. Not improbably my estimates of the populations are greater than the actual populations, an error which leads to an under-estimation of the mortuary-rates. Another cause of fallacy I have been enabled to deal with in my last two Annual Reports, that, namely, which arises from the deaths of parishioners in hospitals and elsewhere beyond the limits of the parish. For the last three years I have received from the Registrar-General's office weekly returns of these deaths; and I have tabulated these supplemental deaths for 1885 in Table X.; they amounted to 282, of which 7 were due to Dulwich, 79 to Camberwell, 153 to Peckham, and 43 to St. George's. The addition of these deaths to those registered in the parish, and with which alone I have hitherto dealt, must necessarily increase the death-rates of the parish and of its constituent parts. Table XI. shews both the augmented deaths

of the parish and its sub-districts due to this addition, and the augmented death-rates. The augmented death-rates are (excepting in the case of Dulwich) lower than those of the previous year, and, collectively, are amongst the lowest on record:

TABLE XI.—DEATHS AND DEATH-RATES OF CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS OBTAINED BY INCLUDING THE 282 DEATHS WHICH OCCURRED IN HOSPITALS AND ELSEWHERE OUTSIDE THE PARISH.

	Dulwich	Camberwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
Deaths	66	1,150	1,637	1,179	4,032
Death-rates	10·3	14·8	18·4	19·5	17·3

Table IX., together with the supplemental Table X., exhibits in detail the returns of Births and Deaths for the year, arranged both according to districts and according to seasons. It gives also the ages at death, and the more important causes of death.

As regards the effects of season on the Mortuary Returns there is not much to remark, excepting that the unusually heavy mortality of the last three months of 1884 was continued during the first three months of 1885.

During the year there were 86 deaths attributed to accidental or other violence; 322 to premature birth or defective vitality continuing after birth; and 43 to child-birth. Inflammatory affections of the lungs caused 716 deaths, of which 258 occurred in the first three months of the year and 257 in the last three months. Diarrhœal affections caused 135 deaths, of which 118 happened in children under five years of age. Most of the deaths (99) occurred, as usual, during the third quarter of the year. Infantile diseases were fatal in 618 cases.

TABLE IX.—Returns of Births and Deaths for the Fifty-two Weeks ending Saturday, January 2nd, 1886.

	BIRTHS.						DEATHS.																																
							ACCORDING TO AGES.																		ACCORDING TO DISEASES.														
	M	F	M F	M	F	M F	Under 1 year.	Between 1 and 5.	Between 5 and 10.	Between 10 and 20.	Between 20 and 30.	Between 30 and 40.	Between 40 and 50.	Between 50 and 60.	Between 60 and 70.	Between 70 and 80.	Between 80 and 90.	90 and upwards.	Violence, Poison and Accident.	Premature Birth or Defective Viability.	Child-birth.	Erysipelas, Pyæmia, &c.	Pneumonia, Bronchitis, &c.	Diarrhœa and Dysentery.	Cholera.	Hooping Cough.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Convulsions, &c.	Tubercular Diseases.	Other Diseases, Chiefly Cancer.				
DULWICH	42	50	92	20	33	53	7	6	1	2	5	...	10	6	7	12	5	2	1	2	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	4	2	34		
CAMBERWELL...	1182	1121	2303	636	701	1337	247	155	38	38	74	101	118	126	167	182	87	4	14	81	3	9	11	86	156	27	7	...	35	16	4	25	14	12	8	44	158	61	566
PECKHAM	1395	1290	2685	660	677	1337	424	241	43	41	59	86	70	107	111	99	49	7	30	144	8	14	7	130	118	48	5	...	51	45	6	19	19	3	30	90	101	70	399
St. GEORGE'S...	1050	1043	2093	509	514	1023	332	234	33	37	37	51	63	70	76	65	22	3	25	95	2	4	4	139	70	43	4	...	48	29	7	13	12	4	13	57	110	84	260
1st QUARTER ...	959	913	1872	505	596	1101	272	210	31	27	38	67	66	96	112	115	60	7	16	91	3	10	9	124	129	7	3	...	41	39	3	12	21	4	18	60	103	47	361
2nd QUARTER ...	862	825	1687	404	438	842	200	144	24	25	41	60	67	83	90	69	36	3	19	66	2	6	2	63	61	11	2	...	37	22	2	12	12	8	27	34	89	60	307
3rd QUARTER...	880	834	1714	439	402	841	301	117	32	23	42	46	58	56	63	71	28	4	22	83	4	2	2	41	32	89	10	...	20	14	4	21	7	3	5	50	83	66	283
4th QUARTER...	968	932	1900	477	489	966	237	165	28	43	54	65	70	74	96	93	39	2	13	82	4	9	9	130	124	11	2	...	38	15	8	13	6	4	1	47	98	44	308
Total.....	3669	3504	7173	1825	1925	3750	1010	636	115	118	175	238	261	309	361	348	163	16	70	322	13	27	22	358	346	118	17	...	136	90	17	58	46	19	51	191	373	217	1259

Deaths in Workhouse, 296—(Males 149, Females 147). Deaths in Lunatic Asylums, 76—(Males 36, Females 40).

TABLE X.—Supplemental Return of Deaths of Parishioners dying outside the Parish.

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ACCORDING TO AGE.																	ACCORDING TO DISEASE.																			
	M	F	M F	Under 1 year.	Between 1 and 5.	Between 5 and 10.	Between 10 and 20.	Between 20 and 30.	Between 30 and 40.	Between 40 and 50.	Between 50 and 60.	Between 60 and 70.	Between 70 and 80.	Between 80 and 90.	90 and Upwards.	Violence, Poison, and Accident.	Premature Birth or Defective Vitality.	Child Birth.		Pneumonia, Bronchitis, &c.		Diarrhoea and Dysentery.									Tubercular Diseases.		Other Diseases, chiefly Chronic.			
																		Isoperal Fever.	Other Causes.	Erysipelas, Pyemia, &c.	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.	Cholera.	Whooping Cough.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Fever.	Small Pox.		Convulsions, &c.	Phthisis.	Others.
DULWICH ...	2	5	7	...	...	1	...	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	42	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2
CAMBERWELL...	45	34	79	4	9	8	13	9	10	13	4	6	3	...	...	5	...	...	...	12	12	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	16	...	5	2	33
PECKHAM ...	87	66	153	7	21	10	15	31	33	16	12	4	3	1	...	4	...	1	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	75	...	10	3	42
ST. GEORGE'S ...	25	18	43	2	4	3	5	5	9	8	3	2	2	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	5	2	16	
1st QUARTER ...	45	45	90	4	14	6	7	18	19	10	7	4	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	35	...	7	1	32
2nd QUARTER ...	47	40	87	6	11	8	9	14	16	13	2	6	2	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	52	...	2	1	18
3rd QUARTER ...	31	21	52	1	4	3	10	8	10	9	4	2	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	...	7	3	24
4th QUARTER ...	26	17	53	2	5	5	7	6	9	7	7	...	5	...	...	5	...	1	...	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	2	5	...	1	7	...	4	3	19
Totals	159	123	282	13	34	22	33	46	54	39	20	12	8	1	...	16	...	2	1	5	3	9	...	...	...	...	1	3	10	...	8	103	...	29	8	93

The deaths from zymotic diseases were generally much less numerous than those in 1884. Hooping-cough fell from 173 to 136; Measles from 171 to 91; Diphtheria from 78 to 68; Scarlet Fever from 82 to 20; Fever from 40 to 27; and Diarrhœa from 240 to 135. But Small-pox rose from 34 to 154, a larger mortality from this disease than we have had in any year excepting 1881, when the Small-pox deaths amounted to 190.

There were indications in the last quarter of 1884 that an outbreak of the disease was impending; and during the first six months of 1885 it was at least as prevalent as it has been at any time since the recrudescence of the disease in 1871. 53 deaths were registered in the first quarter of the year, and 79 in the second. In the third quarter the mortality fell to 14, and in the fourth quarter to 8. As usual, Peckham suffered disproportionately; one fatal case was due to Dulwich; 24 to Camberwell: 24 to St. George's; and 105 to Peckham. 103 of these deaths occurred among patients removed to hospitals, and 51 among those who were treated at home.

It will, perhaps, be recollected that in my last annual report I referred to a limited outbreak of true Typhus, attended with one death, which occurred towards the end of the year in Verney Flats, a tenement house situated in No. 2 Ward, close to Rotherhithe, and was soon suppressed. Some months later a more serious outbreak of the disease commenced in a part of the Parish, at least a mile away from Verney Flats, separated from it by the Canal, and among persons who had had, so far as we could ascertain, no communication whatever with the locality first affected. My attention was called to the outbreak by hearing that three cases of Fever had been removed within a few days from one house in How-

bury road. They were reported to be Typhoid. But the circumstances of the case made me suspect that the disease was Typhus. And further enquiries on the spot, and from the medical man in attendance, confirmed my suspicion. That the disease was true Typhus was established beyond doubt by Dr. Crombie, of the South Eastern Fever Hospital, to which institution they had been removed. The first of these cases was removed on the 12th May, the other two on the 17th. Subsequently four other cases of Typhus occurred, in all of which direct communication with the patients removed from Howbury road was traced; namely, one removed on the 23rd from Greenhundred road, one removed on the 26th from the house in Howbury road already affected, and another on the 3rd July and another on the 6th, both from the same house. No further cases of the disease were discovered, and no further outbreaks of Typhus have occurred in the Parish since. These two outbreaks are curious as happening at a time when London was, and had been for a long time, almost entirely free from Typhus. We have had no real epidemic prevalence of the disease, in London, since 1862 and 1863.

No other diseases call for comment. The health of the Parish, apart from the undue prevalence of Small-pox, was unusually good.

The sanitary work done by the Inspectors of Nuisances in the year ending March 25th, 1886, is given in detail in Tables XIV. and XV.

It will be seen that 10,859 primary inspections were made and 6,464 second inspections; that 3,650 first notices and 270 second notices were served in respect of these inspections; and that in only 11 cases was it deemed necessary to summon the persons on whom notices had been served.

Among the duties performed during the year, it will be observed that one stands out prominently from a numerical point of view, namely, the cutting off of rain-water, sink, and other waste water pipes from drains. We have found, unfortunately, that in a large number of cases, and noticeably among houses recently built, there has been a great disregard on the part of builders of the elementary principles of sanitary construction, and that waste-water pipes have not only been connected directly with drains and sewers, but that few or no precautions to prevent the introduction by them of sewer-gas into houses have been taken. The subject is one of great practical importance, and is engaging the serious attention of the Sewers and Sanitary Committee.

The prevalence of Small-pox during the first half of 1885 was a heavy tax on the resources of the department. When the disease had become prevalent, Mr. Sedgley was detailed to do the whole of the work connected with the disease all over the Parish, partly in order that it might be systematically done, partly to prevent any risk of the spread of Small Pox by the Inspectors. The work was very laborious, occupying the whole of each day from early morning till late at night, and entailed much mental anxiety. At the end of a week or two Mr. Sedgley broke down under it, and remained ill and unfit for work for some time. His special duties were then devolved on Mr. Stevenson, who performed them with great zeal, ability, and success, for many weeks, until, in fact, the epidemic had died out. The details of this work will be found in Tables XIV. and XV.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. S. BRISTOWE.

TABLE XII.—ANNUAL MORTALITY RETURN OF ZYMOTIC DISEASES FROM 1856 (inclusive).

YEAR.	Hoping Cough.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever	Fever.	Small Pox.	Diarrhoea.
1856 ...	32	48	30		19	5	29
1857 ...	30	7	44		24	4	50
1858 ...	51	28	14	129	20	7	26
1859 ...	66		82		31	12	?
1860 ...	36	40	11	34	26	5	?
1861 ...	72	8	25	13	25	2	?
1862 ...	53	32	40	101	64	0	?
1863 ...	57	32	29	124	41	14	?
1864 ...	61	29	16	83	51	10	?
1865 ...	52	39	14	55	31	12	118
1866 ...	72	38	11	59	53	35	76
1867 ...	64	20	8	75	41	9	67
1868 ...	58	67	17	71	45	13	146
1869 ...	134	43	9	164	46	9	133
1870 ...	49	24	10	192	57	23	160
1871 ...	50	29	9	60	40	153	143
1872 ...	132	46	1	86	38	41	124
1873 ...	60	49	7	7	38	2	137
1874 ...	76	54	9	24	57	2	93
1875 ...	125	64	14	177	40	1	107
1876 ...	93	33	16	78	31	32	126
1877 ...	61	72	12	38	27	124	91
1878 ...	206	88	29	59	41	81	176
1879 ...	122	123	31	76	35	80	75
1880 ...	206	59	32	126	36	33	223
1881 ...	74	95	29	120	44	190	127
1882 ...	180	168	60	76	44	66	100
1883 ...	91	112	49	48	35	19	122
1884 ...	173	171	78	82	40	34	240
1885 ...	136	91	68	20	27	154	135

TABLE XIII.

FROM MORTALITY RETURN OF ZYMOTIC DISEASES, QUARTERLY,
FOR THE LAST SIX YEARS.

YEARS.	Hooping Cough.	Measels.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Diarrhoea.
1880. 1st Quarter	148	16	8	41	12	12	6
2nd "	45	13	12	32	8	10	9
3rd "	8	11	5	18	6	5	196
4th "	5	19	7	35	10	6	10
1881. 1st Quarter	4	38	6	23	8	43	4
2nd "	9	17	9	17	3	70	7
3rd "	15	16	4	38	6	25	112
4th "	46	24	10	42	27	52	4
1882. 1st Quarter	95	55	17	24	9	33	9
2nd "	39	61	16	13	12	21	8
3rd "	31	21	8	22	7	3	65
4th "	15	31	19	17	16	9	18
1883. 1st Quarter	19	27	12	10	10	13	8
2nd "	23	43	8	11	3	4	8
3rd "	13	32	9	6	6	2	92
4th "	36	10	20	21	16	0	11
1884. 1st Quarter	54	17	16	26	10	1	4
2nd "	79	86	24	35	11	10	8
3rd "	18	32	16	15	7	9	209
4th "	22	36	22	6	12	14	19
1885. 1st Quarter	41	39	15	3	5	53	10
2nd "	37	22	13	3	11	79	13
3rd "	20	14	22	4	6	14	99
4th "	38	16	18	10	5	8	13

TABLE XIV.—RETURN OF WORKS CARRIED OUT FROM THE
26TH MARCH, 1885, TO THE 25TH MARCH, 1886 (INCLUSIVE).

Description of Work.	INSPECTORS.				TOTAL.
	MACKAY.	STEVEN- SON.	SEDGLEY.	GROOM.	
Houses inspected	3075	2835	2322	2627	10859
„ re-inspected	2242	2098	798	1326	6464
Notices served, 1st	836	1078	971	765	3650
„ „ 2nd	28	51	101	96	276
Summonses	6	0	2	3	11
Drains cleansed and repaired.....	261	411	144	186	1002
„ trapped	240	500	162	283	1185
Cesspools emptied	12	2	5	0	19
„ abolished	12	5	2	8	27
Closets provided	7	1	1	2	11
„ cleansed and repaired	313	192	102	111	718
„ water laid on to	145	159	134	231	669
Houses cleansed	138	121	96	177	532
„ repaired	112	21	56	146	335
„ ventilated	4	3	10	0	17
Water supplied to houses	23	12	23	11	69
Cisterns supplied	27	2	2	1	32
„ covered and repaired.....	134	122	94	121	471
Dustbins provided.....	94	98	131	223	546
„ repaired	54	6	0	0	60
Houses drained into sewer	57	74	29	33	193
Yards drained	35	117	61	121	334
„ paved	38	111	65	79	293
Sinks and rainwater pipes cut off from drains	93	583	657	0	1333
Cow-houses inspected	9	22	13	6	50
Slaughter-houses inspected	10	7	7	3	27
Bake-houses inspected	44	69	44	0	157
Overcrowding abated	5	0	3	1	9
Manure, foul accumulations, &c., removed	63	32	51	83	229
Pigs and other animals removed ...	6	6	2	5	19
Urinals cleansed	22	12	2	4	40
Miscellaneous complaints attended to	435	336	282	205	1258
Water supply, complaints of deficiency of	14	0	0	9	23
Sale of Food and Drugs Acts, samples submitted for analysis ...	56	55	58	50	219
Summonses under the above Acts ...	13	11	14	6	44
Cases of small Pox attended to	36	272	271	24	603
„ Scarlet Fever attended to.....	17	45	10	11	83
„ Fever attended to	5	19	10	12	46
„ Diphtheria attended to	25	41	1	4	71
Houses disinfected	63	368	242	43	716
Notices outstanding	27	68	24	32	151

TABLE XV.

Return of Articles of Bedding, Clothing, &c., which have been disinfected after Infectious Disease, from 26th March, 1885, to 25th March, 1886, inclusive.

INSPECTORS.	DISINFECTED.										DESTROYED.								Compensation allowed for the articles destroyed.	
	Lots.	Beds.	Blankets.	Sheets.	Pillows.	Mattresses.	Palliasses.	Bolsters.	Counterpanes.	Wearing Apparel.	Beds.	Blankets.	Sheets.	Pillows.	Mattresses.	Palliasses.	Bolsters.	Counterpanes.		Wearing Apparel.
Mackay...	53	58	102	13	82	37	—	42	7	50	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	£0 4s. 6d.
Stevenson	275	346	614	—	601	59	31	309	300	107	4	—	—	8	15	8	4	—	—	£1 10s. od.
Sedgley...	230	242	290	60	202	70	—	210	110	190	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	£0 8s. 6d.
Groom ...	34	32	58	9	54	10	2	24	19	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	£0 cs. od.
Total..	592	678	1064	82	939	176	33	585	436	380	4	—	—	8	15	12	4	—	—	£2 3s. od.

*Measures to be adopted against the spread of Small Pox,
Scarlet Fever and other infectious Disorders*

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

1.—All areas, basements, cellars, kitchens, and yards should be kept dry and clean, and, if necessary, well lime-whited.

2.—All water closets, sinks, and drains should be kept scrupulously clean, be regularly flushed with water, and have their traps in good order ; they should also, if at all offensive, be kept flushed with solution of Sulphate of Iron or Carbolic Acid.

3.—All dust bins should be emptied at least once a week, and no unnecessary or undue accumulations of offensive matters should be permitted anywhere. Such accumulation should (pending their removal) be disinfected by the free use of Chloride of Lime.

4.—All water-butts and cisterns should be kept clean and well covered.

5.—All houses, and especially the sleeping apartments, should be kept clean and well ventilated.

6.—Overcrowding should be avoided as much as possible.

**MEASURES TO BE TAKEN WHEN SMALL POX OR
FEVER OF ANY KIND IS PRESENT.**

1.—Every person suffering from Small Pox or Fever should be placed as early as possible under the care of a qualified Medical Practitioner.

2.—The patient should be at once separated, as efficiently as circumstance will permit, from the other inmates of the house, and if possible, should be placed in a top room. A sheet kept wet with a solution made by thoroughly mixing a quarter of a pint of Carbolic Acid, No. 4, with a gallon of water, should be hung up outside the door.

3.—All bed-curtains and other hangings, and carpets, and all articles of dress, &c., in wardrobes and cupboards, should be removed from the room.

4.—The patient's room should be well ventilated, but not needlessly draughty; windows should be kept partially open, and the communication with the chimney free. A fire generally aids ventilation.

5.—Pieces of rag, being inexpensive, should be used for wiping discharges from the mouth and nose, and should be immediately burnt after use.

6.—A basin, containing Chloride of Lime or Condyl's Fluid, or some of a solution made by dissolving a pound of Green Copperas in a gallon of water, should be kept at hand to receive the patient's spit or vomit.

7.—The discharges from the bowels or kidneys should be received into vessels charged with the same disinfectants.

8.—A pail, also containing solution of Chloride of Lime, or of Condly's Fluid, or of Carbolic Acid, should stand in the room for the reception of all bed and body linen after removal from the person of the patient.

9.—All glasses, cups, and other utensils should be scrupulously cleaned before being used by others.

10.—The hands of the nurse should be washed with Carbolic Acid Soap, and rinsed in water containing Condly's Fluid: her dress should be of Cotton.

11.—All articles of dress in use by the nurse or patient, and all articles of a like kind liable to be infected, should before they are removed from the room in which the patient lies, be put into a solution of Chloride of Lime, or Condly's Fluid, or Carbolic Acid, and should afterwards be washed and boiled, or burnt.

12.—The room should be thoroughly disinfected after it has been emptied. A good plan is to burn from a quarter to half a pound of brimstone in an iron dish, supported over a pail of water in the middle of the room, the doors, windows, and other outlets having been previously closed. The room should remain closed for twenty-four hours.

CAUTIONS.

1.—If any person suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder, shall enter any public conveyance without previously notifying to the owner or driver thereof that he is so suffering, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds.

2.—Any person suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder, who wilfully exposes himself, without proper precaution

against spreading the said disorder, in any street, public place, or public conveyance, and any person in charge of one so suffering, who so exposes the sufferer, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds.

3.—Any owner or driver of a public conveyance who does not immediately provide for the disinfection of his conveyance after it has conveyed any such sufferer, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds.

4.—Any person who, without previous disinfection, gives, lends, sells, transmits, or exposes any bedding, clothing, rags, or other things that have been exposed to infection from such disorders, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds.

5.—If any person knowingly lets any house, room, or part of a house in which a person suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder has been, to any other person, without having such house, room, or part of a house, and all articles therein liable to retain infection, disinfected to the satisfaction of a qualified Medical Practitioner, as testified by a certificate given by him, such person shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds.

6.—When any dead body of one who has died of any infectious disease is retained in a room in which persons live or sleep, any Justice may, on a certificate signed by a legally qualified Medical Practitioner, order the body to be removed to a mortuary at the cost of the Nuisance authority.

NOTICES.

1.—IF ANY INFECTIOUS FEVER appears in any place information should be at once given at the Vestry Hall to the Medical Officer, or to the Inspector of Nuisances.

2.—COMPLAINTS AS TO NUISANCES should be made personally or by letter to the Inspectors of Nuisances, and as to Non-removal of Dust, to the Dust Superintendent at the Vestry Hall.

3.—DISINFECTANTS may be had gratis on application to the Inspectors of Nuisances.

4.—A DISINFECTING APPARATUS has been provided by the Vestry at the Parish Stone Yard, Peckham Park Road, at which bedding and articles of apparel may be disinfected gratis, on application to the Inspectors of Nuisances.

5.—A MORTUARY has been provided at Forest Hill Cemetery, whither dead bodies may be at once removed, and where they may remain until the time of burial, on application to the Inspectors of Nuisances.

Dated 9th day of December, 1876.

J. S. BRISTOWE, M.D.,

Medical Officer of Health.

1885-86.

ANALYST'S REPORTS.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY,
ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL, S.E.
June 24th, 1885.

To the Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell.

Gentlemen,

In presenting my Report this quarter, I have to state with reference to *Milk*, that the number of cases prosecuted do not cover the ground as to real adulteration. More are slightly adulterated, but the limit your Committee have fixed—which is almost exactly that of Somerset House—enables me to give a more favourable report than would otherwise be the case. Of thirty-five Milks analysed, no fewer than thirteen have been examined in duplicate. Nine of them were found to be mixed with water to the extent, respectively, of 10, 10, 13, 8, 10, 10, 12, 19 and 10 per cent. of water; so that over 25 per cent. are adulterated with water.

Since my last Report a case has been referred to Somerset House. As it is interesting, I take the liberty of recording it for future reference.

It was case 210. The analysis was made in duplicate on the 12th March, and was referred to Somerset House on 10th April.

I will give the analysis side by side.

			S. H.
Total Solids . .	10·78	10·69	10·11
Water	89·22	89·31	88·89
Fat	2·77	2·74	2·76
Solids not fat . .	8·01	7·95	7·35
	100·00	100·00	100·00

* I had given the sample as containing eight per cent. of added water.

The Chemists of Somerset House reported thus:—"From a consideration of these results, after making allowance for natural loss arising from the decomposition of the Milk through keeping, we are of opinion that the Milk contains not less than seven per cent. of added water."

Four *Breads* have been examined. One of them contained 6 grains of alumina, calculated as alum.

Of four *Coffees*, one was admixed with about fifty per cent. of chicory.

Four *Sugars* were very good of their kind.

Samples of *Potted Ham*, *Salmon*, *Sardines*, *Roast Beef* and *Boiled Mutton* have also been analysed. The results are distinctly interesting, but as the certificates have been examined by your Committee, I need not further refer to them, beyond mentioning how very minute is the quantity of the metal tin contained in them.

Michaelmas, 1885.

During the past Quarter I have Analysed thirty-five samples of *Milk*, of which five were adulterated with, respectively, 33, 12, 21, 11, and 14 per cent. of water. Besides these, no fewer than nine samples are at the boundary line allowed by your Committee.

The further Analyses of this Quarter comprise none but drinks.

The *Soda Water*, four in number, are practically innocent of bi-carbonate of soda. The alkalinity of each, calculated as bi-carbonate of soda, was only respectively, 0.008, 0.008, 0.003 and 0.017 per cent. They were all well aërated, and remarkably free from metallic contamination.

Of the *Lemonades*, three out of four contained a very distinct trace of lead.

The *Ginger Ales* furnish a very pleasant aërated drink. They were free from all metallic contamination. Two out of four are almost identical, and are probably made from the same prescription. Only one of these contained a weighable quantity of alcohol, and then but 0.05 per cent.

A *Ginger Beer* contained over 2 per cent. of alcohol calculated as proof-spirit. Although this amount can scarcely constitute an alcoholic drink, ginger beers may contain as much alcohol as many table-beers. This particular sample was perfectly free from all metallic contamination.

Zoedone has completely changed its character for the better. Iron is now present in very minute quantity, instead

of in medicinal dose. It is well aërated, phosphated, and free from any injurious metals.

Of two *Ciders*, both contained a trace of lead. They were of agreeable taste and sufficiently alcoholic to make them rank among beers. No. 102 contained 8, and No. 99 8·8 per cent. of alcohol, calculated as proof spirit.

Of the so-called *Non-intoxicating Draught Mild Ale*, it is difficult to determine the reason for the name. No ale is intoxicating if drunk in rational quantities: say half-a-pint at a meal. This particular sample contained $7\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. of alcohol calculated as proof spirit.

Two samples of *Lager-beer* conclude my list of drinks. They were very slightly bitter. No. 93 had a taste of herbs, and possessed about the average acidity of beers, the proof spirit amounted to 10·26 or $10\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. No. 100 was somewhat less alcoholic (9·72 per cent.), and rather more nutritious. Of these Lager-beers it must be said, that they are more alcoholic than those of Germany, and their introduction among ourselves can have no effect in diminishing drunkenness when taken in excess.

The certificates are in the hands of our Inspectors.

Christmas, 1885.

During the past quarter I have examined forty samples of *Milk*, ten of which were adulterated with, respectively, 6, 14, 16, 8, 14, 18, 6, 25, 5, and 15 per cent. of water. One *Condensed Milk*, of a new brand, was not equal to many of the

old brands, and was made like most of these from somewhat skimmed milk. These condensed milks are up to our standard, but that is too low, and milks with such an amount of butter fat are not to be met with.

Four *Breads* have been examined. One of these was most suspicious of alum, but the greater exponent of the cause was not alumina, but iron. The whole of the alumina only came up to the admitted quantity per four pound loaf.

All four samples of *Cheese* were made with genuine milk more or less skimmed, but in every case the butter fat was genuine.

Of eight samples of *Butter*, only one was found to be almost altogether fat, other than butter fat.

The certificates are all in the hands of your Inspectors.

Lady-day, 1886.

During the quarter just passing, I have examined forty *Milks*. Besides thirteen samples which were adulterated, respectively, with 16, 9, 26, 13, 31, 7, 17, 12, 7, 15, 24, and 7 per cent. of added water; a considerable number had been tampered with, although the amount of added water just excluded them from prosecution. The undoubtedly genuine milks were Nos. 176, 177, 179, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 205, 208, 210, 211 and 212.

The weather has been sadly contrary, and it is more than probable that, in many cases, the adulteration could not be

successfully carried out, as it had already been accomplished as far as was safe.

Of eight *Butters* two were counterfeits.

Peppers, four in number, were excellent.

All the certificates have been forwarded.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Yours faithfully,

ALBERT J. BERNAYS.

The above Reports are submitted to the Vestry.

(Signed)

J. O. WILSON,

*Chairman of the Sewers and Sanitary
Committee, 1885-86.*

T. FOSTER,

Vice-Chairman.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

Surveyor to the Vestry.

July, 1886.

SUMMARY OF GENERAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.				Terms
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Granite (Guernsey)				Lady-day, 1885 to Lady-day, 1886 as per Schedule
Mr. J. Covington	Flints per Barge & Hoggin				Ditto
Mr. Joseph S. Gabriel	Rag Stone (per Rail)				Ditto
	Rag Stone (per Barge)				Ditto
	Thames Ballast				Ditto
Mr. William Wood	Croydon Flints &c.				Ditto
Mr. William Harris	Croydon Flints				Ditto
Mr. William Harris	Hard Core				Ditto
Mr. William Harris	Burnt Ballast				Ditto
Mr. William Harris	Hoggin				Ditto
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Masons' and Paviers' Work				Ditto
Messrs. Shand, Mason & Co.	Repairs to Pumps				Ditto
Messrs. Aird & Son	Repairs to Hydrants				Ditto
Messrs. Prentice & Monson	Printing				Ditto
Messrs. J. Smith & Co.	Stationery				Ditto
Mr. William Harris	Sewers General Works				Ditto
Messrs. Hobman & Co.	Tar Paving Works				Ditto
Messrs. F. Bird & Co.	Smith and Ironmongers' Work				Ditto
Messrs. J. Shelbourne & Co.	Slop Barging				Midsummer, 1885 to Midsummer 1886, as per Specification.

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.			Terms.	Locality of Work.
Messrs. Wheeler & Hindle	Paving Work	...	...	Special Contract	Ada Road.
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Roadwork	...	...	"	Brunswick Square, now called Elmington Terrace.
Messrs. Bradshaw & Co.	Asphalte	...	...	Di to	
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Roadwork	...	...	"	Baldwin Crescent.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Mr. W. Harris	Roadwork	...	...	"	Burton Road.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Mr. J. G. B. Marshall	Roadwork	...	...	"	Calmington Road.
Mr. Trehearne	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Mr. W. Harris	Roadwork	...	...	"	Cicely Road.
Messrs. Camm Bros.	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Roadwork	...	...	"	Constance Road.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Messrs. Mowlem & Co.	Roadwork	...	...	"	County Grove [two portions.]
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Mr. W. Harris	Roadwork	...	...	"	Clarkson Place.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	
Mr. J. S. Gabriel	Paving Work	...	...	Ditto	Dayton Grove.
Messrs. Wilkes & Co.	Roadwork	...	...	"

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACTS—Continued.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.	Terms.	Locality of Work.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Paving Work ...	Special Contract	Gurney Terrace.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Kempshead Road.
Messrs. Wilkes & Co. ...	Roadwork ...	"	Inglis Street.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Loncroft Road.
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ...	Roadwork ...	"	Matham Grove.
Messrs. Wheeler & Hindle ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Povah Road.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Roadwork ...	"	Pemells Place.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Raul Road.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	
Messrs. Wilkes & Co. ...	Roadwork ...	"	

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACTS—Continued.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.	Terms.	Locality of Work.
Messrs. Wheeler & Hindle ...	Paving Work ...	Special Contract	Silcote Road.
Messrs. Wilkes & Co. ...	Roadwork ...	"	Secretan Road.
Mr. Trehearne ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Sandover Road.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Roadwork ...	"	Templar Street.
Mr. Trehearne ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Underhill Road.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Kerbing, Roadwork, &c. ...	"	Victory Square.
Mr. J. S. Gabriel ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Wren Road.
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ...	Roadwork ...	"	York Grove.
Mr. W. Harris ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	Lordship Lane.
Mr. S. Saunders ...	Roadwork ...	"	
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	
Mr. W. Harris ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	
Mr. J. S. Gabriel ...	Paving Work ...	Ditto	
Mr. W. Harris ...	Roadwork ...	Ditto	
Mr. S. Saunders ...	Pipe Sewer Work ...	Special Contract.	

VESTRY CLERK'S REPORT.

Your Vestry Clerk begs to submit the following Report upon some of the chief questions which have been under the consideration of the Vestry during the past year:—

Bill in Parliament.—DULWICH PARK.

Last year the various steps taken to secure for the Parish of Camberwell, and the inhabitants of South London generally, about 72 acres of land for a public Park at Dulwich, were fully detailed in the Annual Report of the Vestry, and at the date to which that Report was brought up, the Metropolitan Board of Works had before Parliament their Various Powers Bill, containing *inter alia*, power to acquire by gift from the Governors of Dulwich College, the 72 acres of land referred to.

On the 6th of May, 1885, the Chairman of the Vestry (E. Dresser Rogers, Esq.) was able to report that the clause in the Board's Bill had passed the Committee of the House of Commons to which it had been referred. At the same meeting it was unanimously resolved that the best thanks of the Vestry be given to Messrs. Francis Hayman Fowler, Edward Dresser Rogers, George Crispe Whiteley, James Walter, Matthew Wallace, and William Benjamin Hurst, for their exertions to secure the acquisition of a Park for South London.

In consequence of the great opposition subsequently made to the Bill, in the House of Lords, by the Governors of Dulwich College, who appeared by Counsel, the Vestry deemed it of

such importance that they appointed a Special Committee consisting of Messrs. Dresser Rogers, Turney, Whiteley, Wallace, Duckett, Middlemass, Walter, and Strong (with the Vestry Clerk) to prepare a Petition in support of the Bill, and to take all the necessary steps to have it presented. The Committee also wrote to about forty Peers of the House of Lords, enclosing a copy of the Petition, and urging them to consider the allegations contained therein, and support it.

The Petition contained many details which may be interesting to the Ratepayers generally. The following is a copy:

To the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Parliament assembled.

The HUMBLE PETITION of the Vestry of the Parish of Camberwell, in the County of Surrey.

SHEWETH,

THAT a Bill, introduced by the Metropolitan Board of Works to confer various powers on the Metropolitan Board of Works with respect to the providing of Recreation Grounds for the public and for other purposes, has passed the Honourable the House of Commons, and is now sent up to your Lordships' House.

THAT by clause 41 of the said Bill it is provided that, from and after the 29th day of September, 1885, all the estate and interest of the Governors of Dulwich College respectively in or to the Dulwich College Lands, and in respect of 72 acres, shall be transferred to the Metropolitan Board by way of gift, and the same shall become vested in the Board respectively, and the Board shall hold the said lands and from time to time lay out and maintain and preserve them as a Public Park for the perpetual use thereof by the public for exercise and recreation.

THAT the said Bill has been introduced into Parliament by the Metropolitan Board of Works to carry into effect the offer of the Estates Governors of Dulwich College to appropriate and give to that Board 72 acres of land for the purpose of providing a Public Park which is most eligibly situated for the use and enjoyment of the inhabitants of South London.

THAT the said 72 acres of land are part of 1,200 acres of freehold land possessed by the Governors of Dulwich College, and which they have laid out for building purposes. Houses have been and are now being extensively erected thereon, while no part of the said land has been hitherto laid out by the Governors for a Recreation Ground or open space.

THAT the said Dulwich College Act, passed in 1857, transferred the said Estate from the Master, Wardens, and Fellows of Dulwich College to the Governors of the College. The number of inhabitants of the Hamlet of Dulwich then was only 1,122, while up to the present time it has increased to 6,300, and is still rapidly increasing. The population of your Petitioners' parish (which includes the Hamlet of Dulwich) and of the parishes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George the Martyr, St. Saviour, Southwark, and St. Olave, which comprise the greater part of South London, have increased during 10 years, from 1871 to 1881, as follows:—

	1871.	1881.	Increase.
Camberwell	111,306	186,593	75,287
Lambeth	208,342	253,699	45,357
Newington	87,722	107,850	20,128
St. Saviour	175,349	195,164	20,115
St. Olave	122,398	134,632	12,234
	<hr/> 704,817	<hr/> 877,938	<hr/> 173,121

THAT the population of these parishes have, since the taking of the last census in 1881, still further increased, and all these parishes are without a Public Park. Your Petitioners therefore respectfully submit that the offer of the said Governors to appropriate 72 acres of land for a Public Park is a great boon to the Inhabitants of these densely populated Parishes.

YOUR Petitioners learn that, in the year 1805, about 130 acres were allotted to the Master, Wardens and Fellows of Dulwich College, under 45 Geo. III., c. 102:—"An Act for enclosing lands in the Manor of Dulwich," free of all cost, and at that time no open space or Recreation Ground was allotted by the Commissioners under the Act, for the use of the inhabitants; which fact, your Petitioners submit, is a valid and just ground for the Governors appropriating part of the 130 acres to the Metropolitan Board of Works, for the purpose of a Park.

YOUR Petitioners earnestly hope that the Bill having so good an object as that of providing and dedicating to the use of the Public, a Park, to be kept and maintained by the Metropolitan Board of Works, may become law.

YOUR PETITIONERS therefore humbly pray that your Lordships may be pleased to pass such a Bill, and that it may become law.

AND YOUR PETITIONERS WILL EVER PRAY, &c.

This Petition, when engrossed on parchment, was forwarded to the Right Hon. the Earl of Rosebery, with a request that he would, on behalf of the Vestry, present it to the House of Lords. The Committee also specially sought the aid of Lord Brabazon, the President of the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association, specially requesting his assistance, and receiving his promise to help in any way that might be suggested. By request of the Solicitor to the

Metropolitan Board of Works, your Committee also sent copies of the Petition for the use of Sir James McGarel Hogg, M.P., the Chairman of the Board, in the event of the matter coming again before the House of Commons.

On the 6th of August it was reported to the Vestry that the gift of the land was approved by the House of Lords, and that the Bill would duly receive the Royal Assent. The Vestry took the opportunity of according their cordial thanks to Francis Peek, Esq., a Governor of Dulwich College, who had rendered most important assistance in giving valuable evidence in support of the Bill, and by his zeal and influence had contributed to the successful passing of the measure.

The Metropolitan Board of Works have already taken steps to lay out the Park, but to enable them to do so it became necessary to stop up or divert certain public pathways crossing the Park, and it was reported to the Vestry that an arrangement had been made by the Board to obtain statutory powers authorising them to re-convey to the Governors of the College about $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres of the land for the Park. The Vestry took energetic action to oppose such powers being conferred on the Board, and ultimately fresh arrangements were made so that the whole of the land was secured for the public for their use and enjoyment for ever.

Bill in Parliament. — ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVE AT THE METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

The Mteropolis Management Acts Amendment Bill was originally promoted by the Lewisham District Board of Works with the object of obtaining increastd representation at the Metropolitan Board of Works for the Vestries and District Boards of Paddington, Camberwell, Kensington, Wandsworth, and Hackney, and separate representation for the

Lewisham District Board. Subsequently the Bill was amended in the House of Commons to provide for the election to the Board of three representatives for the Parishes of St. Mary, Islington, Lambeth, St. Pancras, St. Mary Abbott, Kensington, and the Wandsworth District Board of Works; *two* for the Vestries of *Camberwell* and Paddington, and the Board of Works of Greenwich, Hackney, and Poplar, and separate representation for the District Boards of Plumstead and Lewisham and Fulham and Hammersmith. The Vestry fully concurred in the objects of the Bill, and endeavoured to induce the Metropolitan Board to take charge of it. Failing this, the Vestry, in conjunction with the Lewisham Board and the other Boards and Parishes interested, sent a Deputation to wait upon Sir Charles Mills, M.P. In compliance with the request of the Deputation, Sir Charles Mills and Viscount Lewisham, M.P., undertook to endorse the Bill and introduce it into the House of Commons. The Bill, which as thus finally amended increases the total number of Members of the Board (including the Chairman) from 46 to 60, was subsequently passed by the House of Lords, and became law on July 31st, 1885. At a meeting of the Vestry on September 30th, Mr. Andrew Middlemass was duly elected the first additional representative of this Parish, under the new Act, for the ensuing three years. This Parish is, therefore, now ably represented at the Board by Mr. Edward Dresser-Rogers and Mr. Middlemass.

ARTISANS' AND LABOURERS' DWELLINGS ACTS.

The Sewers and Sanitary Committee have, from time to time, had under their consideration the condition of certain property in Lower Park Road, Park Street, and Grainger Street, and in October last the Medical Officer reported to the Vestry, under the Artisans and Labourers' Dwellings

Improvement Acts, that he found the houses numbered 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13, on the east side of Lower Park road, those numbered 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, on the west side of Park Street, and that numbered 1A, Grainger Street, in a state or condition dangerous to health so as to be unfit for human habitation. The Vestry, in further accordance with the Statutes above mentioned, referred the Report to the Surveyor to the Vestry to consider the cause of the evil so reported on and the remedy thereof; and if such evil is occasioned by defects in the said premises, whether it can be removed by structural alterations and improvements or otherwise, and whether the said premises, or any, and what part thereof, ought to be demolished. The Surveyor subsequently reported that in his opinion no structural alterations or improvements could be made in the premises so as to make them fit for human habitation, and that they ought to be demolished. The Vestry, in compliance with the requirements of the Act, gave notice to all parties interested to attend the meeting of the Vestry on the 12th of May, to state their objections to the Reports of the Medical Officer and Surveyor. Many of them attended and stated the tenures under which they held the property, and also their objections to the Reports. The Vestry have adjourned the further consideration of the question from time to time, at the request of some of those interested, and to enable them through their Surveyor, to submit plans and suggestions for such improvements of the property as will put it in a sanitary condition. The Vestry hope that some means may be devised which will obviate the demolition of the property, and the consequent loss to the owners.

OVERHEAD WIRES.

The attention of the Vestry had been frequently directed to the possibility of danger arising from the rapid increase of

Telephone and Telegraph Wires stretched over houses and across streets, and to the uncertainty upon whom the responsibility would lie in case of accident.

The importance of this question generally engaged the attention of the London Vestries, and more especially that of the Metropolitan Board of Works, and the Board were invited by the Local Authorities to take some action in the matter. As the United Telephone Company had, in the early part of the year, a Bill before Parliament asking for further powers, the Board petitioned the House that before Telephone Wires were laid in the Metropolis, the Board's sanction should be obtained, and further, that the wires should be laid to the satisfaction of the Vestries and District Boards.

The House of Commons considering the growing importance of the matter, referred it to a Select Committee, who notified that they would hear three witnesses to give representative evidence of the views of the aggregate London Vestries. Thereupon a letter was received from the Vestry of Lambeth inviting Delegates to a Conference at which to select three witnesses to represent to the Select Committee the views of the Vestries on the subject. The Vestry, on the 7th of April, appointed Mr. Andrew Middlemass, Mr. John Wilson, and Mr. Matthew Wallace as Delegates to such Conference.

The Select Committee having taken the evidence of representatives of the Local Authorities, the Post Office, and various Telephone undertakings, made a Report to the House on the 12th of May, explaining the present unsatisfactory condition of the Law on the subject, and offering the following suggestions :

That the Postmaster-General should be authorised to give notice of the intention to erect any Telegraphic Line

before, if he should think fit, instead of *after* obtaining the consent of the road authority.

That all persons, including the road authority, desiring to object, should send in their objections to the Postmaster-General within a stated period.

That the objections should be referred to the County Court Judge, who should be empowered to make an order authorising the erection of the line on such conditions as might be deemed just, and that if an appeal were thought necessary it should be made to the Railway Commissioners.

The Select Committee further suggested that the Postmaster-General should be allowed to make attachments to private property with the consent of the *occupier*, but that the occupier's consent should hold good during the term of his occupation only; that the provisions of the existing Acts, inconsistent with the foregoing suggestions should be repealed, and especially the provision requiring the Postmaster-General to obtain the consent of the occupier of every dwelling-house within 30 feet of a pole.

The Telephone Companies, it was explained, acted under the license of the Postmaster-General, to whom they paid a royalty, and the Committee recommended that the licensees of the Post Office should have the same powers with regard to the running of their wires as the Postmaster-General; subject, however, to the proviso that their wires should not be allowed to interfere with those required for the general public telegraphic service.

The Select Committee was of opinion that, under proper regulations, permission should be given to pass wires over property without the owners or occupiers having the right of prohibition; but that this facility should not confer upon those enjoying it any vested

interest or easement, and should not relieve them from any claim for damage occasioned by them; that they should be required to remove or alter their wires if the premises were about to be raised, or for any other good cause shown; and that the occupier should be able to appeal to the local authority to order the removal of the wire if he could show special circumstances which caused it to be an injury to him or his property.

With regard to attachments, it was explained that wires could not be attached to buildings without the consent of the occupier and owner, and that in certain cases it might be impossible to obtain access to premises for the purpose of connecting them with the general telephonic system, owing to the refusal of an individual to allow an attachment. The Committee thought that in special cases, where it could be proved to the satisfaction of the local authority that certain individuals or certain districts were debarred from telephonic communication owing to such refusal, the local authority should be authorised to give permission for wires to be attached to premises under suitable regulations and on payment of such compensation as the local authority might think just.

The Select Committee suggested that bye-laws for the regulation of all wires, as to substance, length of span, durability and other matters, and for their identification and inspection, should be made for the whole of London by the Metropolitan Board of Works, and for other places by the municipal and other authorities, in each case subject to the sanction of the Board of Trade, and that in London the enforcement of the bye-laws should be entrusted to the City Corporation and to the Vestries and District Boards. The Committee thought it necessary, for the protection of the public, that there should be

ready means of dealing with every wire, and that for this purpose every wire should be identified. The bye-laws, they thought, should provide for the best method of identification, by registration or otherwise, and for the removal of all ownerless wires.

These suggestions were not embodied in any Bill, and no doubt will be the basis of future legislation on the subject.

WATER SUPPLY.

At the date of the last Annual Report presented to the Vestry, Mr. Torrens' Bill, "To disclose that the term, 'annual value,' in the 68th Section of the Waterworks' Clauses Act, 1847 shall mean 'rateable value,'" had passed the House of Commons, and was before the House of Lords. The Vestry took active measures in support of the Bill, and Lord Brabazon presented the following Petition:—

To the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Parliament assembled.

The HUMBLE PETITION of the Vestry of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, in the County of Surrey.

SHEWETH,

THAT a Bill has been brought up from the Honourable House of Commons, and introduced into your Lordships' House, intituled, "A Bill to declare and explain the 68th Section of the Waterworks' Clauses Act, 1847."

That your Petitioners' Parish is an extensive one, comprising about 34,000 houses, of the gross value of over a million pounds sterling, and is within the Metropolitan area, as defined by the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855. The inhabitants are supplied with water by the following Companies:—

The Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company.

The Lambeth Water Company.

The Kent Water Company.

That by the provisions of the several Acts of Parliament under which these Companies are constituted, they are empowered to charge the occupiers of houses for the water supplied on a rental based upon the "Annual Value," or "Yearly Value" of the said houses.

That on an appeal to your Lordships in the case of *Dobbs v. The Grand Junction Waterworks Company*, your Lordships decided that the "Annual Value" was the annual value as expressed and explained in the Parochial Assessment Act.

That your Petitioners believe that in consequence of such judgment of your Lordships the Water Companies would be legally compelled to charge the Ratepayers of your Petitioners' Parish on the Rateable or Annual Value only of their houses, as assessed in the Quinquennial List, made in accordance with the provisions of the Valuation (Metropolis) Act, 1869, and the said Parochial Assessment Act.

That the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor are the rating or local authorities of this Parish, and to enable them to ascertain the Gross and Rateable Values of the house to be assessed cause the Collectors of the Rates to obtain a return from each Ratepayer of the full particulars of his tenancy, and having viewed the property they are enabled to arrive, with some degree of certainty, at the gross and rateable value of the house, and to assess accordingly, and of such assessment a notice is given to the Ratepayer. If he has any objection the Assessment Committee appoint a day for hearing the objection, and if the Ratepayer is dissatisfied with this determination he is at liberty to appeal to the Assessment Sessions—a tribunal expressly appointed for that purpose.

That the Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company, and other Water Companies, notwithstanding the great care and impartiality of the rating authority, ignore their annual value and arbitrarily constitute themselves into a rating authority for

the Water Rates, and charge on such annual value what they, in their judgment, deem proper.

That the power of the Company to charge on their own estimate is harrassing and oppressive to the Ratepayer, and entails expenses and litigation to Parishioners who do not feel inclined to submit to the annual value and charges made by such interested parties.

Your Petitioners respectfully submit that it is necessary and important that the said Bill, which will give peace and quiet to the Ratepayers, and prevent the anomaly of two annual values of the same house—should pass into law.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Lordships will be pleased to pass the Bill, and that it may become law.

The Bill was passed, and duly received the royal assent. The Parishioners are now, therefore, liable to be charged only on the basis of the rateable value as assessed in the Valuation List.

While upon this subject it will be seen, on reference to the Report of last year, that a Committee was appointed to watch over all questions relating to the water supply of the Parish. It was a source of regret to the Vestry that Mr. W. H. Squire, who was the Chairman of the Committee, and who had always taken a most energetic part in its work, should have felt it incumbent upon him to resign his position as a Member of the Vestry. The Vestry to mark their appreciation of his special services, unanimously passed the following resolution:—"That the best thanks of this Vestry be presented to Mr. William Henry Squire for the able and zealous performance of his duties as a Member of the Vestry, and more especially for the valuable and efficient assistance rendered by him as Chairman of the Special Water Committee appointed by the Vestry to watch over all questions relating to the Water supply of the Parish; and

the Vestry desire to express their regret at his resignation, and to hope that, in future, he may be blessed with health, happiness and prosperity."

ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

This year being the Quinquennial year since 1880, it was incumbent upon the Churchwardens and Overseers to make a re-valuation of the whole of the hereditaments of the Parish. They finished their laborious duties, and in due course deposited the revised assessments with the Committee. The Committee presented a Report to the Vestry, and as it gives all the details and particulars which may be interesting to the Parishioners, it is printed *in extenso* as follows:—

REPORT OF THE ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

TO THE

Vestry of Camberwell,

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1886.

THE COMMITTEE have the pleasure of reporting their proceedings during the past Quinquennial Year, 1885.

The Overseers of the Poor, in accordance with the provisions of the Valuation (Metropolis) Act, 1869, deposited with your Committee, during the year, four Provisional Lists, containing the following number of Assessments:—

March	-	-	-	-	-	568
June	-	-	-	-	-	756
September	-	-	-	-	-	665
December	-	-	-	-	-	620

Total number of separate Assessments - 2,609

as against 2,098 in the Quinquennial Year 1880, and 912 in the Quinquennial Year 1875.

Two copies of each of these Provisional Lists were prepared by the Clerk—one for the Committee, and one for the Surveyor of Taxes.

2,609 Notices were also prepared and sent by him to the Occupiers of Houses in the above Lists.

The Committee received, and heard, objections to the Assessments comprised in the several Lists and satisfactorily adjudicated upon them, there being no Appeals from their decisions to the Assessment Sessions.

In addition to the above, the Valuation (Metropolis) Act, 1869, provides that the Valuation List shall be revised every five years, and last year (1885) being the fifth year, the Churchwardens and Overseers performed this laborious task, and deposited with the Committee the Valuation List of the Parish for 1885, contained in eleven books [twenty-two books in duplicate] comprising the following Assessments:—

Collecting District.	1885.	1880.	1875.
Ward 1 - - - -	4,488	3,629	3,263
Ward 2 - - - -	3,887	3,279	2,578
Ward 3 - - - -	3,530	3,308	3,125
District 4 - - - -	3,051	3,004	2,727
District 5 - - - -	3,753	5,252	2,845
District 4a - - - -	2,621	} 3,285	3,341
District 5a - - - -	3,501		
Camberwell District - -	3,760	} 4,747	2,542
East Dulwich District -	5,290		
Dulwich District - - -	1,079	1,849	1,247
Public Companies - - -	98	—	—
	35,058	28,353	21,668

being an increase since 1880 (five years) of 6,705.

The Overseers, in accordance with the Statute, caused Notices to be issued to all the Ratepayers that the Committee would hear the objections of those who felt themselves aggrieved by reason of any unfairness or incorrectness in the Valuation List.

Your Committee received Notices of Objections to their Assessments from the following number of Ratepayers:—

Quinquennial Year.	Number.
1875 - - - -	360
1880 - - - -	1,100
1885 - - - -	1,084

Your Committee are glad to report that, having heard the objections, and viewed many of the properties, the final adjudication by them on the respective objections appeared to give satisfaction to the great majority of the Appellants. Your Committee have not been served with one Notice of Appeal to the General Assessment Sessions.

Your Committee found that, in the majority of these cases, it was necessary to reduce the Assessments, the rentals of the houses having decreased.

The most important and difficult part of your Committee's task was the assessment of the Public Companies. As the Vestry are aware, the mode of rating Gas, Railway, Water, and other Companies is involved in considerable difficulty. Your Committee, to enable them to make a fair and equitable assessment of the respective properties, and with a view that they should bear their fair share of the contribution towards the expenses

of the Parish, required them to make returns of their respective incomes and expenditure in connection with this Parish. These your Committee investigated, and Messrs. Livesay, the Chairman of the South Metropolitan Gas Company, Mr. Ryde, the Surveyor retained by the Crystal Palace Gas Company, the Engineer and Solicitor to the Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company, Mr. Vigers, the Surveyor employed by the London, Chatham and Dover Railway, and the various Secretaries and representatives of the other Public Companies, attended your Committee, and their objections were fully heard and considered. Your Committee are glad to report that they were enabled, after considerable discussion, and after having viewed the reservoirs of the Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company at Nunhead, finally to agree with them as to their assessments. With regard to the South Metropolitan Gas Company's important assessment, it was agreed by mutual consent to increase the rateable value of the Company's mains, works, &c., from £18,000 to £24,000, an increase of £6,000.

With reference to the School Board, that Board appealed against their assessments, contending that it should be assessed at what the Board Schools would let for, if let to yearly tenants, and not, as your Committee maintained, upon the cost of building and land, &c. It was represented to your Committee that a special case was pending in the Court of Queen's Bench, the decision of which would settle the dispute. Judgment has since been given against the School Board, and consequently the Committee's assessments have been sustained.

Your Committee feel gratified that they have been enabled to dispense with the assistance of skilled Surveyors, which on the occasion of the last Quinquennial List cost upwards of £750, and they have been enabled to settle with all the Companies on a fair and just basis, and so as to avoid the expense of litigation.

The Committee submit the following Summary of the
QUINQUENNIAL RE-VALUATION, 1885.

Total Gross and Rateable Value of the Parish.

Ward.	OVERSEERS' ESTIMATE.		ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.	
	Gross.	Rateable.	Gross.	Rateable.
Ward No. 1 - - -	109,375 0	88,469	109,183 0	88,236
Ward No. 2 - - -	107,798 0	86,863	107,807 0	86,826
Ward No. 3 - - -	103,320 0	84,567	103,393 0	84,338
Ward No. 4 - - -	143,774 0	116,298	143,356 0	115,895
Ward No. 5 - - -	212,968 15	173,927	212,728 15	173,691
Ward No. 6 } Camberwell	149,608 0	123,103	149,409 0	122,928
	162,587 5	133,074	162,540 5	133,028
Dulwich - - -	96,384 14	80,749	95,761 14	80,231
Public Companies- -	154,933 0	117,197	132,371 0	101,491
Total - - -	1,240,748 14	1,004,247	1,216,549 14	986,664
Total Land Assessments	4,115 9	3,878	4,115 9	3,878

Valuation of Parish as finally settled by the Assessment Committee (after allowing for land):—

Gross	-	-	£1,213,463	2s.	0d.
Rateable	-	-	£983,755	10s.	0d.

The following is a comparison of the Rateable Values of the Parish during the three past Quinquennial Years:—

Ward.					Rateable Value.		
					1875.	1880.	1885.
					£	£	£
No. 1	-	-	-	-	55,911	69,506	88,236
No. 2	-	-	-	-	59,675	78,111	86,826
No. 3	-	-	-	-	66,047	78,336	84,338
No. 4	-	-	-	-	61,899	78,459	115,895
No. 5	-	-	-	-	86,898	153,979	173,691
Districts 4a and 5a	-	-	-	-	49,409	62,050	—
No. 6	Camberwell		-	-	96,311	161,326	122,928
	East Dulwich		-	-			133,028
Dulwich	-	-	-	-	85,524	121,646	80,231
Public Companies	-	-	-	-	—	—	101,491
Total					561,674	803,413	986,664

From the above it will be seen that there is a total increase of Rateable Value since 1880 of £183,254.

Your Committee have now to request a cheque for £50 for printing and other expenses incurred by your Committee.

In conclusion, your Committee desire to bear testimony to the zeal, labour, and judgment displayed by the Parish Officers in the preparation of the Valuation List, which is evidenced by

the fact of there being only 1,084 objections received out of 35,058 assessments.

All of which is submitted.

Signed, by order of the Committee,

JOHN GRUMMANT, *Chairman*.

GEO. W. MARSDEN, *Clerk to the Committee*.

Mr. Grummant, who had been for *very many* years unanimously elected Chairman of this Committee—a post he was eminently fitted to fill from his extensive and practical knowledge of the value of property, and from the laborious attention he gave to the duties of the office of Chairman—resigned his position as a member of the Vestry, and consequently ceased to be qualified for the position he had filled for so long a period. His retirement from the Vestry was a great loss to the Parish at large, and the Vestry were pleased to pass a resolution expressing their regret thereat, and to order it to be presented to Mr. Grummant engrossed on vellum. He was succeeded in the Chair by Mr. J. J. Phillips.

REGULATION OF FIREWOOD STACKS.

The Metropolitan Board of Works having introduced a Bill into the House of Commons for the safe keeping of firewood within the limits of the Metropolis, the Vestry received a deputation of persons employed in the trade, and heard their representations that the Bill would have the effect of curtailing the business of firewood merchants, and of driving the storeyards out of the Metropolis, thus depriving an exceedingly numerous and very poor class of people of their only means of livelihood. The Vestry took into consideration the statements, and came to the conclusion that legislation on the subject was inimical to the interests

of the working population of the Parish, and therefore expressed to the Board their opinion that the Bill was unnecessary, and urged upon them to withdraw it. The Board ultimately withdrew the Bill.

CANTERBURY ROAD, OLD KENT ROAD.

The attention of the Vestry had been, for some time past, directed to the bad condition of Canterbury Road. It is a "new street," and has never been repaired by the Parish. This road is partly in this parish, and partly in the parish of St. Paul, Deptford (which is under the jurisdiction of the Greenwich District Board of Works). The 105th section of the Metropolis Local Management Act directs that the owners of the land abutting the street are liable to contribute the apportioned expenses of paving the road. Unfortunately the Statute only empowers the Vestry to impose a rate in its own Parish, and the decision in the Vestry of Mile End *v.* Guardians of Whitechapel Union decides that an apportionment, on one side of the road only, is invalid. Consequently, to meet this legal difficulty, and acting under the advice of Counsel, this Vestry and the Greenwich Board of Works, simultaneously passed resolutions, similarly worded, to pave so much of Canterbury Road as was in the two districts, under the 105th Section of the Metropolitan Local Management Act, and each authority, at the same time, made similar apportionments on the owners on both sides of the road, with the intention of seeking payment from the owners in their own respective parishes. The Vestry of Camberwell met with little, or no difficulty on their side of the road, but one of the owners on the Deptford side refused to pay, and a summons against him was heard before Mr. Balguy, in the

Greenwich Police Court. The result was that the Magistrate dismissed the summons, holding the course adopted by the two authorities, to meet the difficulty of the road being in two parishes, was not valid; but the Magistrate offered to the Greenwich Board to state a special case for the Court of Queen's Bench. The Greenwich Board declined to avail themselves of the suggestion of Mr. Balguy, although strongly advised by Counsel. The Vestry then had no alternative but to apply to the Metropolitan Board of Works for their Order, under the 104th Section of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855, and the 86th Section of the Amendment Act, 1862, placing Canterbury Road under the control and management of *one* of the authorities interested. The Greenwich Board passed a resolution consenting to an order vesting the control and management of the road entirely in the Vestry of Camberwell; the expense of paving, lighting up, making up, &c., to be mutually borne in equal proportions. Under this order a precept was made by the Vestry on the Greenwich Board.

This the Board have refused to pay, and legal proceedings have now been taken by the Vestry to enforce payment of their precept. I believe the defence is of a technical character, and only made to enable the Board to pay the amount demanded out of the General Rate, without incurring responsibility.

I regret that, in consequence of the difficulties created by the Act of Parliament, by the defaulting owner in the Parish of Deptford, and by the course of action which the Greenwich Board have felt it necessary to adopt, Canterbury Road remains, at present, in a neglected condition.

CANTERBURY ROAD BRIDGE.

For some time past the rapid increase of houses in the vicinity of Canterbury Road, Old Kent Road, not only in this Parish, but in the neighbouring ones of Deptford, Bermondsey, and Rotherhithe, rendered it necessary that the present old swing bridge, erected when the canal was made, should be replaced by one more convenient and suitable to the great increase of traffic. The Vestry therefore empowered the General Purposes Committee to put themselves in communication with the Greenwich District Board respecting the advisability of taking measures to obtain a substantial bridge over the canal at the foot of Canterbury Road. The Committee also put themselves in communication with all the parties in this Parish affected by the formation of the bridge and the approaches, and, after considerable difficulties and much correspondence, were enabled to report to the Vestry, that sufficient contributions had been promised to warrant the Vestry applying to the Metropolitan Board of Works for one-half the cost of this much-needed improvement. The Vestry, in conjunction with the Greenwich District Board, also employed the late Mr. Dredge, C. E., who had been the Engineer of St. George's and other bridges which were erected in this Parish, to furnish designs and plans for the construction of the bridge, with an estimate of the probable cost. The Vestry themselves promised a contribution not exceeding £1,000, and the Greenwich Board will probably contribute a similar amount. The Metropolitan Board, on the active representations of the Vestry's representatives at the Board, have agreed to pay one-half the expense, and to obtain the necessary Parliamentary powers. The plans and estimates of Mr. Dredge have been deposited with the Metropolitan Board, and there is every

probability of the Board obtaining statutory authority, in the next session of Parliament, to erect the bridge.

LONDON GOVERNMENT.

During the past year a letter was received from the Vestry of St. Mary, Islington, enclosing a scheme for the future Government of the Metropolis by means of Municipalities, and stating that they were desirous of ascertaining the views of other local authorities thereon. The Vestry, however, did not consider the time was fitting for a discussion of the subject, as there was not then any probability of its coming before Parliament.

SCHOOL BOARD EXPENDITURE.

The payment, from time to time of the steadily-increasing Precepts of the School Board, has, as in previous years, again brought the question of the Expenditure of that body under the consideration of the Vestry. The Vestry having received a Precept from the School Board requiring the payment of £32,927 10s. 2d. for the year ending March, 1886 (the Precept for the year ending March, 1887, was £36,347 4s. 2d.), the Vestry, as also many of the rating authorities of the Metropolis, presented a Petition to the House of Commons in the following terms:—

House of Commons, Session 1885.

To the Honorable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in Parliament assembled.

The HUMBLE PETITION of the Vestry of Camberwell, in the County of Surrey, as to the Expenditure of the School Board for London.

SHEWETH,

THAT your Petitioners are the Rating Authority named in the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and upon whom Precepts are to be made by the School Board for London.

That your Petitioners desire to draw attention to the increasing expenditure of the School Board, which expenditure

is now far in excess of any estimate that was ever made as to a Rate for educational purposes under the Act of 1870.

That your Petitioners believe that the excessive expenditure arises from an imperfect conception of the Acts of Parliament, and particularly of the Act of 1847, which provided for Privy Council grants for the elementary education of the children of the working classes, whereas the School Board has undertaken the education of children of all classes of school age, and has thereby charged upon the Ratepayers the execution of a duty which was not contemplated when the Elementary Education Act was passed in 1870.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Honorable House will be pleased to order an enquiry to be made into the premises either by a Select Committee or by a Royal Commission appointed in compliance with an Address to the Crown from your Honorable House.

AND YOUR PETITIONERS WILL EVER PRAY, &c.

The Vestry were subsequently invited, by the Vestry of St. James, Westminster, to send three delegates to a Conference to be held on the subject, at the Mansion House, on the 27th of June, and, in compliance with the invitation they appointed Messrs. A. Middlemass, J. Sears, and W. E. Teather. The Members of Parliament for the County and Borough were also asked to attend the Conference. The delegates reported that the following resolutions were passed:—

- (i) That in the opinion of this Conference the administration of the School Board of London has not produced results commensurate with the vast expenditure of the Board, and that the present cost of maintenance of London Board Schools is excessive, whether compared with the rate of expenditure by the Board in 1873, with the expenditure of other Boards in England and Wales, or with the expenditure of the Managers of Voluntary

Schools in London ; that in the cost of administration and some other respects the expenditure of the Board will admit of large reductions without impeding the work of popular elementary education in the Metropolis, and that the Board be urged to reduce its expenditure accordingly.

- (ii) That the various Rating Authorities in the Metropolis be invited to call the attention of the Ratepayers in their several districts, in such manner as they may deem best, to the facts referred to in the foregoing resolution, and to the paramount necessity of securing and supporting at the forthcoming Election of the School Board Candidates of administrative ability, pledged to carry out the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts with a due regard to economy.

RELIEF OF THE UNEMPLOYED OF THE METROPOLIS.

On the 17th of February last the Vestry received a communication from the Local Government Board stating that that Board had under their consideration representations which had been made to them with regard to the special distress alleged to exist, at that time, throughout the Metropolis. The Board desired to be informed of the views of the Vestry as to the extent of the distress in the Parish, and as to how far it is exceptional. If exceptional, the Board asked to be informed as to the classes and workpeople among whom the destitution is most marked, and as to the probability of its continuance, and they also suggested that any works the Vestry were contemplating should be commenced. The Board, further, asked to be furnished with a list of any closed Graveyards in the Parish, which, in the opinion of the Vestry, might, with advantage be levelled and made into Recreation Grounds.

This important communication the Vestry referred to the joint consideration of the three standing Committees, and, at the same time, decided to inform the Board that, in the opinion of the Vestry, St. Giles and St. George's Churchyards, and the Burial Ground at Dulwich might, with advantage, be immediately levelled and made into Recreation Grounds.

I may as well state here, that, in accordance with the latter part of this resolution, communications were immediately opened with the Rev. F. F. Kelly, the Vicar of Camberwell; the Rev. Norman Campbell, Incumbent of St. George's, and the Estates Governors of Dulwich College, the parties interested in the disused Burial Ground at Dulwich. It was found to be impracticable to deal with the Churchyard of St. Giles; and the Estates Governors, in reply to the communication referred to, refused their consent to the laying out of the Dulwich Burial Ground, but with reference to the St. George's Burial Ground, the Vestry were met with the cordial assistance of the Vicar, and, in all probability, the Parishioners in the poor district around St. George's Church will have the advantages of an open space laid out with shrubberies and flower beds, for the resort of themselves and their children. The steps taken to obtain the necessary Faculty are detailed under the heading, "St. George's Burial Ground."

The Vestry also placed the use of their Committee rooms at the disposal of the Mansion House Fund Local Committee, and many of the members of the Vestry were placed upon the Committee, and its Sub-committees, and actively assisted in relieving the prevailing distress.

In order that the three standing Committees should be in possession of the fullest information on the subject, I ascertained the views of all those in the Parish under whose

notice the distress existing would be likely to be brought, and the following report contained a brief summary of the varied opinions obtained:—

The Vestry, on the 17th inst., had submitted to them letters from the Local Government Board, and the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association, with reference to the special distress which is alleged to exist at the present time in the Metropolis.

With reference to the portion of the Board's letter referring to the disused Burial Grounds or Churchyards of the Parish, the Vestry found no difficulty in arriving at the decision to recommend St. Giles' Churchyard, St. George's Churchyard, and the Burial Ground at Dulwich as, in their opinion, spaces which could, with advantage, be levelled and laid out as Recreation Grounds.

In accordance with this resolution I have been in communication with the Local Government Board, and with the Chairman (Lord Brabazon) and the Secretary to the Public Gardens Association, and have pointed out to the latter that, in my opinion, in the case of each Churchyard or Burial Ground referred to by the Vestry, a faculty would be required before any steps could be taken to give work upon them to the "unemployed." The obtaining of these faculties would take, at least, two months, and would further, depend upon the sanction of the incumbents, or others interested. In view of these difficulties, and having regard also to the fact that even when successful, occupation would be found only for a short period, I cannot think that this must be looked to as a means of affording any material relief in the present special distress.

With regard to the main difficulty of the reference of the Vestry, viz., the answers to the questions of the Local Government Board, I have endeavoured to obtain such information as I thought might assist the Committee in their deliberations. With this view I forwarded a letter to the Medical Officers of the Parish, the Relieving Officers, Sanitary Inspectors, Head Masters of Board, Ragged, National and Sunday Schools, Inspectors

of Police, Collectors of Rates and Taxes, Secretaries of Savings Banks, and many others, asking their views on the subject.

I regret that in many cases, my correspondents have contented themselves with merely forwarding lists of cases in their opinion deserving of relief, but I submit to the Committee the fact that in reply to my letters some hundreds of persons have been recommended as in urgent need of assistance. I am inclined to assume from this alone, that the distress in this Parish must be exceptional, and very serious.

The divergence of opinion on this point is very noticeable ; but I attribute this to the fact that the really deserving poor of this Parish are not of the very lowest classes, and are loath to obtrude their poverty on the notice of the general observer, and still more unwilling to apply to the Guardians for relief. But I gather, from the replies to my letters, that the distress in this Parish is greater than it has been for some years past. I would quote, on this point, the reply of Father Hynn, whose knowledge of the poor in the very poor neighbourhood of Pitman Street entitles him to speak with authority, and who says that "the distress is much deeper and more widely spread than it has been for several years." General Merriman, the Chairman of the Camberwell Committee of the Mansion House Fund, also states from his experience in connection with that Committee, that there exists in Camberwell "a considerable amount of abnormal distress among 'out-of-work cases.'"

As to the classes and occupations of the persons affected, I find that those connected with the building trade are the chief sufferers, the building operations in this suburb having been, during recent years, more extensive than those of any other suburb of the Metropolis, except, perhaps, Wandsworth. To a less extent all the mechanic class are sufferers, and there is no doubt, also, that our Parish contains many clerks and small tradesmen who are rendered destitute by the prevailing general depression in trade.

The question of how long this condition of things may be expected to continue appears to me to be inseparably connected with the causes which have produced it. These seem to me, so far as our Parish is concerned, to be as follow :—

The stagnation in the building trade, caused by the over-building at East Dulwich and elsewhere.

The increasing practice of importing finished goods, which were hitherto hand-made by carpenters, joiners, and mechanics generally.

The unusual severity of the past winter.

The general depression in trade.

Looking at these causes it appears to me that the present distress may be slightly decreased with better weather, but will, in all probability, continue for a long period to come.

GEORGE W. MARSDEN,

Vestry Clerk.

On the 3rd of March, 1886, the Joint Committees reported to the Vestry that they had very carefully considered the reference to them, and recommended that, with reference to the questions of the Local Government Board, the Board be informed that, in the opinion of the Vestry, there is, in this Parish, at the present time, great and exceptional distress, especially among mechanics, clerks, unskilled workers, and others who are not accustomed, even in the time of pressure, to apply for assistance to the Poor Law Guardians, and that the Board be further informed that the Vestry will take every step towards expediting the early commencement of such works in the Parish as may be expedient to be carried out, so that occupation may be found, to as great an extent as possible, for the unemployed of this district. The Vestry adopted the recommendation, and it was duly communicated to the Board.

MORTUARY.

On the 22nd of July, 1884, a faculty was granted for the erection of a Mortuary on a portion of the disused Burial Ground of St. George's Church. The Committee accordingly obtained authority from the Vestry to have plans and estimates prepared by the Surveyor for the building of the Mortuary, and these having been considered by the Committee, advertisements inviting sealed tenders to be sent in, were inserted in *The Times*, *The Builder*, and the local papers. In response thereto tenders were received from several contractors, and the Vestry accepted that of Mr. Holloway, his prices being as follows :—

Erection of Mortuary Building ...	£684 11 5
Special Foundation (necessitated through a churchyard being chosen as the site)	97 10 6
Entrance Gate	10 12 4
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	£792 14 3
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On the 13th of January, 1886, the Special Mortuary Committee—through their Chairman, Mr. G. C. Whiteley—submitted the following report :—

Your Committee beg leave to refer to the Report presented by your Committee to the Vestry, in which it is stated that your Committee had accepted the tender of Mr. H. L. Holloway, Builder, Queen's Road, New Cross, for the erection of the Mortuary, in accordance with the design approved of by the Vestry, for the sum of £792 14s. 3d., and your Committee have the gratification of reporting that the erection of the Mortuary—consisting of two rooms for infectious and non-infectious cases, and *post-mortem* and Waiting Room—is now completed.

Your Committee have also furnished the Mortuary with seats and other necessary accommodation, and have provided fittings specially needed for *post-mortem* examination of bodies.

Your Committee have prepared forms for the Rules and Regulations of the Mortuary; for the Register Book to be kept at the Mortuary; the orders to receive the Body (books of which will be kept at the Vestry Clerk and Medical Officer's Departments, the Guardians' Offices, and the District Police Stations); and for the indexed Guard Book for filing such orders.

Your Committee consider it necessary that a Mortuary Keeper should be appointed to have the care of the building, and to be entrusted with the carrying out of the foregoing rules and regulations. T. Windley, who has been for many years the Verger of St. George's Church, Camberwell, and resides opposite to the entrance of the Mortuary, and who, in the opinion of your Committee, possesses suitable qualifications for the office, has been temporarily appointed by your Committee, and they recommend that he be permanently appointed at a salary of 15s. per week.

Your Committee invite the inspection of the building by the Vestry, and they believe its architectural design, and the details of its carrying out, will merit their approval.

Your Committee, in conclusion, have now to report that the Mortuary was formally opened on Tuesday, January 5th, 1886, by the Rev. A. Fisher, who officiated in the absence of the Rev. S. Smith, M.A., late Vicar of St. George's, who was prevented by illness from attending. Your Committee regret his absence on such an occasion, as they feel that acknowledgment is due to him for his great kindness and assistance in enabling the Vestry to successfully carry out the undertaking on its present site.

All of which is submitted.

G. C. WHITELEY,
Chairman.

This Report was adopted and practically completed the work which the Mortuary Committee were appointed, by the Vestry, to carry out. It only now remains for them to endeavour to make arrangements for the holding of Inquests at the Mortuary, so that it can be utilised to its fullest extent, and the objectionable practice of holding these enquiries at public houses avoided. With this view the Committee have, in the application for the Faculty for laying out the St. George's Burial Ground, applied for the authority of the Bishop of the Diocese to hold the Coroner's Court in the Mortuary. The application has been lodged with the Diocesan Registrar, and I fully anticipate that it will be acceded to.

ST. GEORGE'S BURIAL GROUND.

On the 17th of February, 1886, the Vestry having decided that St. George's Burial Ground might, with advantage, be levelled and laid out as a Recreation Ground, the Rev. Norman Campbell, who succeeded the Rev. S. Smith in the incumbency of the Church, was communicated with as to his views on the subject. Subject to the reservation of the right hereafter to erect a chancel to the Church, and with certain minor conditions, Mr. Campbell at once gave his consent, and has since assisted the Vestry in every possible way in the carrying out of the desirable object of obtaining an open space for the Ratepayers in this crowded district. Application was then made to Lord Brabazon, the President of the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association, as to how far that Society would assist the Vestry. The Society, with great liberality, undertook to lay out the ground as a public garden, to provide hard core and gravel for the walks, to provide also trees and shrubs, turf, drainage, water supply

and stand pipes, mowing machine, and all tools for keeping the garden in order. The estimated cost of this work to the Society is £190. Lord Brabazon's Association also furnished through their Honorary Surveyors, Miss F. R. Wilkinson and Mr. W. Woodward, plans for the laying out of the Burial Ground, and of the present position of all the graves, together with a schedule of the legible names on the tombstones. The estimates and plans have been deposited with the Diocesan Registrar of Rochester, annexed to the following petition for a faculty:—

To the Right Reverend Father in God, Anthony Wilson, by Divine permission Lord Bishop of Rochester.

The HUMBLE PETITION of the Rector and Churchwardens of the Parish of St. George, Camberwell, in the County of Surrey, and the Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell, in the said County, and your Lordship's Diocese.

SHEWETH,

THAT the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, is a very extensive Parish and has now a population of 200,000 persons, and is divided into 16 ecclesiastical districts or ecclesiastical parishes, and among them is the said Parish of St. George, which is densely populated and has no open space, recreation ground, or ornamental garden for the use of the public.

That the Churchyard of the said Parish Church of St. George has been closed for all purposes of burial by order of her Majesty's Privy Council for the last thirty years, and is now a disused burial ground which needs great alteration and improvement. As there are not any funds to maintain it in good order and condition, it is in a neglected and delapidated state. It possesses few, if any monuments, and the tombstones are in a bad state, and are in many cases falling to the ground, and requiring the attention of your Petitioners.

This crowded district being ill-provided with grounds for public use, the laying out of this Churchyard under proper bye-laws, regulations and supervision, will be a great boon to the inhabitants.

That your Lordship was pleased to grant a faculty sanctioning the erection of a Mortuary in part of the Churchyard, which Mortuary has now been built and is of much use to the Parish, and the Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell, learn from the Coroner that its utility would be greatly enhanced by allowing the use of one of the rooms of the Mortuary to hold ordinary Inquests. The Vestry find that there is a room sufficiently large, and can be used for that purpose, and thus prevent the scandal of Inquests being held in public houses, which is considered offensive to all parties compelled to attend the Inquests, and it is respectfully submitted that the use of the Mortuary may be further extended by allowing the said Inquests to be held there.

That the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association are prepared to bear the expense of laying out a portion of the Churchyard and maintaining it in good order and condition; such laying out will consist of the removal of such tombstones as may be necessary to carry out the work, and the formation of paths and flower beds and the planting of shrubs and trees.

That your Petitioners, in conjunction with any other person whose sanction or consent may be found necessary, desire that the said Churchyard may be conveyed to the Vestry of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, in order that the said Vestry, when the improvements above mentioned have been carried out, may thereafter maintain the Churchyard in a proper state and condition.

That your Petitioners will submit a plan of the Churchyard and desire a faculty for the purpose, excepting so much as may be required by the present incumbent of the said Parish, or his successors, for the ultimate erection of a new Chancel and Vestries to the said Church.

Your Lordship's Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Lordship will be pleased to decree a faculty for the purposes aforesaid.

AND YOUR PETITIONERS WILL EVER PRAY, &c.

It will be seen that the application to hold inquests in the Parish Mortuary has been incorporated in the petition for this faculty for the laying out of the Burial Ground as a place of resort.

The thanks of the Vestry are due, in this matter, to the Rev. Norman Campbell, who has assisted by every means in his power, to the Metropolitan Public Gardens' Association, and to the Chairman and Members of the Mortuary Committee, who have given careful consideration to all the steps necessary to be taken to successfully carry through the resolution of the Vestry of the 17th of February.

PERSONAL.

The Vestry have to record the death, during the past year, of Mr. John Simmonds, who was one of the representatives in the Vestry of Ward No. 6. Though not at the time of his death a Member of the Vestry, he had, while taking part in its debates, exhibited such marked zeal and ability that the intelligence of his early death was received with sincere regret.

I also take this opportunity of recording that Mr. Andrew Middlemass was stricken down with a serious and alarming illness, but, happily, was restored to health and enabled once more to take his seat in the Vestry. His return to his active and responsible duties was a source of the sincerest gratification to his colleagues, and the Vestry unanimously passed the following resolution thereon:—

“That this Vestry desire to express their sincere pleasure at the return of their esteemed colleague, Mr. A. Middlemass, to his parochial duties after his severe illness, and earnestly trust that he may be spared for many years to assist his fellow ratepayers in their deliberations.”

Though not strictly within the scope of this report I add with pleasure that the Members of the Vestry, and friends, in recognition of the valued public services of Mr. Middlemass, and of their high personal regard for him, took the opportunity of marking his restoration to health by presenting him with an Address engraved on vellum, accompanied by a testimonial in the form of a purse of one hundred sovereigns.

In conclusion, it is my painful duty to chronicle, with sorrow, the death on the 15th of October last, of Mr. A. G. Morris, who occupied the position of first Clerk in the Surveyor's Department. The intelligence that his long and severe illness terminated in death was received by the Vestry with sincere regret, and by unanimous resolution they expressed their sympathy with his widow and father on their heavy bereavement, and their high appreciation of Mr. Morris's long and faithful services.

REPORT

OF THE

BURIAL BOARD,

For the year ending March 25th, 1886.

THE BOARD in presenting their Accounts to the Vestry desire for their information to report that the Interments still continue to greatly increase, and the Revenue to advance in like proportion.

In the year 1877 the Interments were 2,250,
Revenue £2,843 16s. 8d.

In the year 1883-4 the Interments were 3,998,
Revenue £3,754 8s. 6d.

In the year 1884-5 the Interments were 4,061,
Revenue £4,420 6s. 6d.

In the year 1885-6 the Interments were 4,335,
Revenue £4,742 9s. 10d.

It will be observed that there has been during the last year an increase of nearly 300 Interments over the previous twelvemonth.

The Cash on the Current Account at the Bankers amounts to £239 10s. 10d., and on Deposit, £3,000.

The large number of Private Graves disposed of during the year, and the work of apportioning the sum received between the Board, the Incumbents of the sixteen Ecclesiastical

Districts, the Dissenting and Roman Catholic Ministers, and the Churchwardens of Saint Giles' and St. George's, render the work of the Board, and the clerical duties connected therewith, of a very complicated and difficult nature.

The Board have during the year held Eleven Meetings, at which the following Members have attended as under—

Mr. Lyon	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Mr. Lassam	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Mr. Woollard	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Mr. Wesson	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Mr. Colegrave	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Mr. Turney	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Mr. Gudgeon	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Mr. Strong	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Mr. Whiteley	-	-	-	-	-	-	4

On the last visit of the Board to the Cemetery they made a very careful and minute inspection of the Chapels and Lodge, and the Fences surrounding the same, and were of the opinion, from the general appearances thereof, that considerable repairs and re-instatements were necessary thereto.

The Board thereupon directed the Surveyor of the Cemetery, Mr. Berriman, to report fully on the subject. This he has done, and the Report will be fully considered at the next Meeting of the Board.

From the Report it is seen that very considerable repairs are urgently needed in order to sustain the Chapels, Lodge, Buildings, and Fences in an efficient state, and your Board are of opinion that it will be advisable to erect a Brick Wall on the Northern and Eastern side, where houses have been erected abutting the Cemetery.

The principal cause of the large amount of Repair now required arises from the Ragstone used in the construction of the several Buildings having been of very inferior quality.

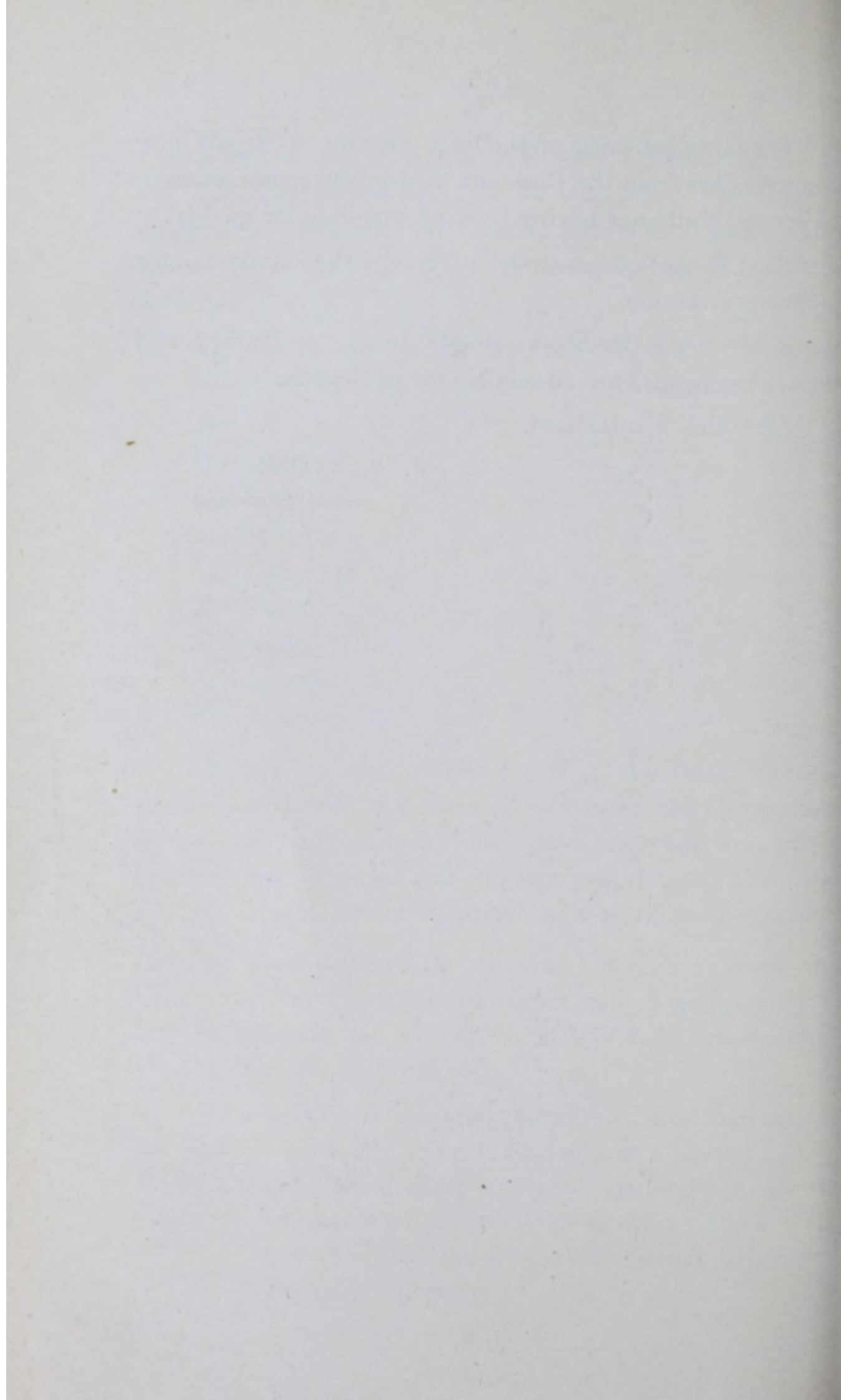
The Report deals fully with all the matters now requiring attention.

The retiring Members are Mr. Lyon, Mr. Turney, and Mr. Gadgeon, who are all eligible for re-election.

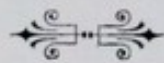
All which is submitted.

J. A. LYON,

Chairman.



1885—86.



Report of the Finance Committee.

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*REPORT of the FINANCE COMMITTEE as
to the State of the Finance, &c., of the Parish.*

Table 1.—PARISH OF CAMBERWELL, SURREY.

CENSUS SUMMARIES.

Statement of the NUMBER OF HOUSES AND PERSONS in the Parish of Camberwell, as taken in 1881, 1871, 1861, 1851, and 1841, according to the Superintendent Registrar's Returns.

	Number of Houses.				Number of Persons.		
	In-habited.	Unin-habited.	Building	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
Summary of Returns of Houses and Persons in the Parish on the 3rd April, 1881.	27,306	2,982	752	31,040	87,455	99,100	186,555
Census of 1871	17,755	1,920	359	20,034	50,814	60,488	111,302
Census of 1861	12,098	667	194	12,959	31,638	39,850	71,488
Census of 1851	9,417	917	237	10,571	23,545	31,123	54,668
Census of 1841	6,843	278	119	7,240	17,102	22,765	39,867

The Rateable value of the Parish has shewn a steady increase during the past 23 years, as will be seen from the following statement :—

TABLE II.

Shewing the RATEABLE VALUE for the last 23 years.

Year.				Rateable Value.	Increase.
				£	£
1863	...	...	...	270,313	
1864	...	...	...	287,757	17,444
1865	...	...	...	311,079	23,322
1866	...	...	...	362,882	51,803
1867	...	...	...	388,209	25,327
1868	...	...	...	414,314	26,105
1869	...	...	...	445,344	31,030
1870	...	...	...	465,762	20,418
1871	...	...	...	500,807	35,045
1872	...	...	...	504,543	3,736
1873	...	...	...	508,368	3,825
1874	...	...	...	520,834	12,466
1875	...	...	...	583,260	62,426
1876	...	..	...	599,624	16,364
1877	...	...	...	635,991	36,367
1878	...	...	...	696,978	60,987
1879	...	...	...	723,375	26,397
1880	...	...	...	778,998	55,623
1881	...	...	...	866,199	87,201
1882	...	...	...	907,433	41,234
1883	...	...	...	923,928	16,495
1884	...	...	...	951,811	27,883
1885 (Lady day, 1886)				979,841	28,030
					709,528*

* Total Increase in 23 y ars.

In the year 1863 One Penny in the Pound produced about £1,000, after deduction for losses; it now yields about £3,650

The following is a Statement of the Area, Rateable Value, and Number of Ratepayers of each Ward of the Parish :—

Ward.	Number of Ratepayers.	Rateable Value.	Area in Acres.
No. 1	4,628	£ 93,101	200
2	4,103	93,834	240
3	3,626	111,327	280
4	5,788	145,210	370
5	7,367	194,286	830
6	10,306	365,370	2,422
Total	35,818	1,003,128	4,342

The above Return is based upon the new valuation, which came into force on the 7th April, 1886.

N.B.—The above Wards are now divided—for Collecting purposes—into Eleven Districts.

The following is a Summary Extract of the different Accounts as Audited.

OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS.

The Overseers have received during the past year as follows, viz. :—

ON THE VESTRY RATES.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Cash in hand March 26th, 1885	1,867	19	4
„ Cash received from Rates, &c.	132,996	9	9
	<u>£134,864</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Cash disbursed	131,319	12	6
„ Balance in hand March 25th, 1886 ...	3,544	16	7
	<u>£134,864</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>

ON THE POOR RATE.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Cash received from Rates, &c.	103,844	15	9
	<u>£103,844</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>9</u>

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Cash disbursed	103,844	15	9
	<u>£103,844</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>9</u>

VESTRY ACCOUNT.

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand	March 26th, 1885	...	...	6,372	14	7		
"	do. on Deposit	...	...	...	12,500	0	0		
							18,872	14	7
"	do. received during the year	...	...				130,830	18	9
							<u>£149,703</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>
Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				136,890	4	8
"	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1886—							
	Current Account	...	...	2,513	8	8			
	Deposit Account (Vestry)	...	...	10,300	0	0			
							12,813	8	8
							<u>£149,703</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>

For particulars see detailed account.

VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS ACCOUNT).

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand, March 26th, 1885	...	...	914	17	8			
"	Deposit Account	...	...	9,000	0	0			
							9,914	17	8
"	Cash received during the year	...	...				11,329	16	10
							<u>£21,244</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>6</u>
Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				15,941	11	7
"	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1886—							
	Current Account	...	...	803	2	11			
	Deposit Account	...	...	4,500	0	0			
							5,303	2	11
							<u>£21,244</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>6</u>

BURIAL BOARD.

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand	March 26th, 1885	...				1,247	18	1
"	do. received for Interment Fees and other amoun's	...	...				4,775	16	2
							<u>£6,023</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>3</u>
Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				2,784	3	5
"	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1886	...				3,239	10	10
							<u>£6,023</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>3</u>

CHURCHWARDENS.

Dr.			£	s.	d.
To Cash in hand March 26th, 1885	...	...	345	18	6
„ do. received for Burial Fees	...	...	183	12	10
			<u>£529 11 4</u>		
Cr.					
By Cash expended during the year	...	...	207	12	10
„ Balance in hand March 25th, 1886	...	...	321	18	6
			<u>£529 11 4</u>		

CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE.

Dr.					
To Cash in hand January 1st, 1885	...	...	1,095	7	1
„ do. received during the year	...	...	1,107	10	3
			<u>£2,202 17 4</u>		
Cr.					
By Cash expended during the year	...	...	1,096	4	0
„ Balance in hand for distribution for the year 1886	...	...	1,106	13	4
			<u>£2,202 17 4</u>		

CHARITY TRUSTEES.

Dr.					
To Cash in hand January 1st, 1885	...	...	11	4	6
„ do. received during the year	...	...	1,162	19	8
			<u>£1,174 4 2</u>		
Cr.					
By Cash expended during the year	...	...	1,158	18	4
„ Balance in hand December 31st, 1885	...	...	15	5	10
			<u>£1,174 4 2</u>		

It will be seen by the foregoing Statement of Accounts that there are Cash Balances in hand on the different Accounts as follows:—

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
IVC OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS on the Vestry						
Rates				3,544	16	7
There are Liabilities for Poundage, &c., amounting to	628	0	2			
From which deduct further Assets in the nature of Arrears, amounting to ...	319	15	7½			
				308	4	6½
Leaving a nett Balance in favour of the Rates of				£3,236	12	0½
IVC OVERSEERS' ACCOUNT on the Poor Rate						Balanced.
VESTRY ACCOUNT				12,813	8	8
Against which there are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to				11,338	14	3
Leaving a nett Balance in hand of				£1,474	14	5
VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS WORKS)				5,303	2	11
Against which there are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to				5,251	7	7
Leaving a nett Balance of				£51	15	4
BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNT				3,239	10	10
In addition to which there are Assets, after deducting Liabilities amounting to				5	14	8
Leaving a nett Balance in hand of				£3,245	5	6
CHURCHWARDENS' ACCOUNT				£321	18	6
CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE'S ACCOUNT				£1,106	13	4
TRUSTEES OF CHARITY ESTATES ACCOUNT				£15	5	10

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Parishioners.

G. C. WHITELEY, *Chairman.*

March 25th, 1886.



ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.



AN ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT

OF

CASH RECEIVED AND EXPENDED

BY THE

VESTRY OF THIS PARISH,

FROM THE

26th March, 1885, to the 25th March, 1886.

GENERAL RATE.

Dr.

Receipts.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance, March 26th, 1885, as per last Annual Report (page 159) ...				14,037	9	3
„ Overseers, Order of Vestry, 1885... ..				72,000	0	0
INTEREST ON DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.						
To Cash				54	13	11
RENT ACCOUNT.						
To Cash				18	4	0
REPAIRS TO ROADS AFTER OPENING TRENCHES.						
To Cash				1,165	18	1
DEPOSITS ON SCAFFOLD, &c., LICENSES.						
To Cash				140	10	0
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS.						
To Cash				270	8	3
SALE OF ROAD SWEEPINGS, MANURE, &c.						
To Cash				43	10	0
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.						
To Cash				330	0	0
Carried forward				£88,060	13	6

Expenditure.

Cr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MATERIALS.						
By Cash to Contractors				8,851	16	6
SLOPPING AND WATERING.						
By Cash, Working Expenses (including £6,014 for labour)	12,342	8	11			
„ Works Account		70	2			
„ Plant Account	1,419	11	8			
				13,832	3	6
GLENGALL WHARF.						
By Cash, Labour, Moiety of Rent, &c. ...				414	15	1
MORTUARY.						
By Cash, Building, &c.				947	2	0
PARISH ROADS.						
By Cash				1,943	14	11
LONDON SCHOOL BOARD.						
By Cash, Amount of Precept, dated 12th March, 1885	32,927	10	2			
„ Do. Election Expenses, 1885		333	5			
				33,260	15	4
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.						
By Cash				885	2	3
Carried forward				£60,135	9	7

GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

Dr	Receipts.	£ s. d.	Expenditure.	Cr.
				£ s. d.
To amount brought forward	88,060 13 6	By amount brought forward ...	60,135 9 7
			SMALL BILLS.	
			By Cash ...	6 9 7
			HIGHWAYS LABOUR.	
			By Cash ...	7,927 5 7
			SCAFFOLD, &c., LICENSES.	
			By Cash Return of Deposits ...	169 10 1
			ASSESSMENT EXPENSES.	
			By Cash ...	355 0 0
			RENT OF WHARFS (HIGHWAYS).	
			By Cash ...	310 13 6
			REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT.	
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 13th Instalment of Loan of £8,000, due October 1st, 1885 ...	420 0 0
			By Cash paid London Life Association, 11th Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due July 29th, 1885 ...	666 13 4
			By Cash paid General Insurance Company, 10th Instalment of Loan of £4,500, due February 23rd, 1886 ...	225 0 0
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 6th Instalment of Loan of £17,000, due January 1st, 1886 ...	850 0 0
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 5th Instalment of Loan of £12,500, due April 1st, 1885 ...	625 0 0
				2,786 13 4
Carried forward	£88,060 13 6	Carried forward ...	71,691 1 8

GENERAL RATE—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	Cr.
To amount brought forward		88,060	13	6	By Amount brought forward				71,691 1 8
					INTEREST.				
					By Cash paid as under, less Income Tax, viz :				
					Metropolitan Board of Works	109	17	3	
					Do. do. do.	478	2	8	
					Do. do. do.	357	8	3	
					General Insurance Company	101	13	8	
					London Life Association	123	5	1	
									1,170 6 11
					DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.				
					By Cash returned				310 0 0
					MASONS' GENERAL WORKS.				
					By Cash				3,474 9 9
					BALANCES OF LOANS OF £17,000				
					AND £12,500.				
					By Cash for Works executed				202 0 1
					REMOVAL OF STREET REFUSE.				
					By Cash				1,980 6 5
					OFFICERS' WEEKLY SALARIES.				
					By Cash				559 5 0
					SALARIES.				
					By Cash Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Surveyor,				
					Assistant Vestry Clerk, and other				
					Officers One Year, £2,333 12s. 9d.,				
					One-third to this Rate... ..				777 17 7
					By Cash Salaries of Medical Officer, Inspectors				
					of Nuisances, and Superannuation, One				
					Year, £861 13s. 4d., One-half to				
					this Rate				430 16 8
Carried forward		£88,060	13		Carried forward				£80,596 4 1

GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Estimated Liabilities.		Estimated Assets.	Cr.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
MATERIALS.				
To amounts due		1,927 7 2	By Balance from Cash Account	7,039 1 11
SLOPPING AND WATERING.			By Accounts due to Vestry, viz. :—	
To Amounts due for Rent of Depot, Insurance, Repairs and Sundries	516 10 0		Repairs to Trenches	2 11 9
„ Amounts due for Fodder	567 8 1	1,083 18 1	Do. Roads	30 13 4
„ Amounts due for Horses, Harness, &c.		415 13 6	Sale of Road Sweepings, Manure, &c. (estimated at)	10 0 0
MASONS' GENERAL WORKS.			Sundries... ..	71 1 0
To Amounts due for Stone, Lime, &c., &c. ...		144 10 8		114 6 1
PARISH ROADS.				
To Amounts due for Tar Paving, Footpaths, &c.		106 3 10		
INTEREST AND INSTALMENTS OF LOANS.				
To Amounts due to Metropolitan Board ...		848 17 4		
SYDENHAM HILL.				
To Amount due to Lewisham Board of Works for Moiety of Maintenance		115 0 8		
GLENGALL WHARF.				
To Amounts due for Rent, Rates, Gas, Water &c.		26 14 5		
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.				
To Amounts due to Contractors		150 0 0		
RENT ACCOUNT.				
To Amounts due		108 15 0		
SCAFFOLD LICENSES.				
To Amounts Returnable to Owners (estimated at)		250 0 0		
Carried forward		5,177 0 8	Carried forward	7,153 8 0

GENERAL RATE—Continued.

Dr. Estimated Liabilities—Continued.**Estimated Assets—Continued.****Cr.**

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward	5,177 0 8	By Amount brought forward	7,153 8 0
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.			
To Amounts due for Ironmongery, Advertising, Writing Street Name Boards, repairs to Park road Cottages, Rates, and Sundries	116 10 3		
PROVISIONS FOR SPECIAL WORKS.			
To Amount yet to be expended	1,050 0 0		
REMOVAL OF STREET REFUSE			
To Amount due to Contractor	610 10 1		
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES			
To one-third of £263 12s. od. chargeable to this Rate	87 17 4		
	7,041 18 4		
	111 9 8		
To Balance in favour of Rate	£7,153 8 0		£7,153 8 0

NEW STREETS WORKS.

Dr.	Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance, March 26th 1885, as per last Annual Report, folio 165.					9,914	17	8
To Cash Contributions from Owners, from March 26th, 1885, to March 25th 1886	11,167	18	1				
„ Cash Costs	8	16	11				
				11,176	15	0	
To Cash Sundries, viz. :—							
Interest on Deposit Account	124	2	7				
J. Mowlem & Co	2	18	0				
Returns on Re-apportionment not called for	26	1	3				
				153	1	10	
				£21,244	14	6	

Estimated Liabilities.

To Amounts due to Contractors, Reductions on Re-apportionment, &c., &c. ...	18,876	1	2
To Balance	51	15	4
	£18,927	16	6

Expenditure.	Cr.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Payments from Lady-day, 1885, to Lady-day, 1886, viz. :—							
Cash to Contractors, &c....	13,021	18	3				
Returns to Owners on Re-apportionment	2,293	9	5				
Salaries, Incidentals, &c....	626	3	11				
				15,941	11	7	
By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account				5,303	2	11	
				£21,244	14	6	

Estimated Assets.

By Balance from Cash Account	5,303	2	11
„ Amounts due from Owners	13,624	13	7
	£18,927	16	6

Dr.	Receipts.
To Balance in hand March 26th, 1885, as per last Annual Report, page 171...	...
OVERSEERS.	
To Order of Vestry, 1885
PRIVATE DRAINS.	
To Cash from Owners of Property
NEW SEWERS.	
To Cash from Owners of Property
ADULTERATION ACT.	
To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs
NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT.	
To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs
SALE OF DUST, &c.	
To Cash
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.	
To Cash from Contractors
SUNDRIES.	
To Cash
Carried forward

SEWERS RATE.

£ s. d.	Expenditure.	£ s. d.	Cr.
123 18 4	SEWERS GENERAL WORKS.		
	By Cash paid W. Harris ...		1,341 14 3
15,000 0 0	REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT.		
	By Cash paid as under, viz. :—		
584 11 4	Hand-in-Hand Insurance Company, last Instalment of Loan of £13,000, due June 24th, 1885...	650 0 0	✓
446 9 6	London Life Association, 18th Instalment of Loan of £23,000, due May 1st, 1885 ...	766 13 4	✓
35 11 6	London Life Association, 19th Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due 29th September, 1885 ...	333 6 8	✓
3 0 0	Atlas Insurance Company, 20th Instalment of Loan of £26,000, due January 31st, 1886 ...	866 13 4	✓
			2,616 13 4
12 13 6	INTEREST ON LOANS.		
	By Cash paid as under, less Income Tax, viz. :		
	Hand-in-Hand Insurance Company ...	18 7 10	
20 0 0	London Life Association ...	465 5 5	
	Do. do. ...	191 11 10	
55 8 8	Atlas Insurance Company ...	461 2 9	
			1,136 7 10
	SMALL BILLS.		
	By Cash paid ...		44 9 11
	DISINFECTING.		
	By Cash paid for attending Machine, Repairs to Apparatus, Compensation, Disinfecting Powder, &c. ...		442 5 6
	PRIVATE DRAINS.		
	By Cash returned to Owners ...		43 19 5
	INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.		
	By Cash ...		552 16 0
16,281 12 10	Carried forward ...		6,178 6 3

SEWERS RATE—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.	£ s. d.	Expenditure.	Cr.
				£ s. d.
To amount brought forward		16,281 12 10	By Amount brought forward	6,178 6 3
			NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT.	
			By Cash paid for Summons, &c.	6 2 5
			NEW SEWERS.	
			By Cash paid Contractors	1,049 13 0
			ADULTERATION ACT.	
			By Cash paid Analyst, Summonses, Samples, &c.	194 18 10
			LABOUR.	
			By Cash advanced for Flushing, &c.... ..	1,105 6 0
			DUST PLANT ACCOUNT.	
			By Cash for Horses, Harness, Baskets, &c., &c.	248 8 6
			GLENGALL WHARF.	
			By Cash, Moiety of Rent, Rates, Sundries, &c.	101 6 9
			DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.	
			By Cash returned	20 0 0
			DUST WORKING EXPENSES.	
			By Cash paid for Fodder, Repairs to Carts and Harness, Veterinary Expenses, &c. (including £2,136 for Labour)	4,486 18 3
			SALARIES.	
			By Cash paid T. Ballard, Foreman of Sewers	130 0 0
			„ Cash paid Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Sur- veyor, and other Officers, One Year, £2,333 12s. 9d., One-third to this Rate	777 17 7
			„ Cash paid Salaries of Medical Officer and Inspectors of Nuisances, &c., One Year, £861 13s. 4d., One-half to this Rate	430 16 8
Carried forward		16,281 12 10	Carried forward	14,729 14 3

SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.	£ s. d.	Expenditure.	Cr.	£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward	16,281 12 10	By Amount brought forward ...	14,729 14 3	
			MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES		
			By Cash paid £1,276 2s. 6d., One-third to this Rate ...	425 7 6	
			By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account ...	15,155 1 9	
		<u>£16,281 12 10</u>		1,126 11 1	
				<u>£16,281 12 10</u>	

STATEMENT OF MORTGAGES OWING BY THE VESTRY.

Date of Mortgage.	Name of Mortgagee	Nature of Security.	Amount Borrowed.	Rate of Interest.	Term of Years	Annual Instalment.	Amount repaid March 25th, 1886	Balance due
			£			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
June 23, 1865	Hand-in-Hand Fire Insurance Company	Sewers Rate	13,000	5 per cent.	20 years	650 0 0	13,000 0 0	
Jan. 31, 1866	Atlas Life Insurance Company	Sewers Rate	26,000	5 "	30 "	866 13 4	17,333 6 8	8,666 13 4
Sept. 5, "	London Life Association	Sewers Rate	10,000	5 "	30 "	333 6 8	6,333 6 8	3,666 13 4
May 8, "	London Life Association	Sewers Rate	23,000	5 "	30 "	766 13 4	13,800 0 0	9,200 0 0
Nov. 6, 1872	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	8,000	3½ "	20 "	*...	5,480 0 0	2,520 0 0
July 29, 1874	London Life Association	General Rate	10,000	4½ "	15 "	666 13 4	7,333 6 8	2,666 13 4
Feb. 23, 1876	General Assurance Company	General Rate	4,500	4½ "	20 "	225 0 0	2,250 0 0	2,250 0 0
Mar. 16, 1880	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	17,000	3½ "	20 "	850 0 0	5,100 0 0	11,900 0 0
May 13, "	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	12,500	3½ "	20 "	625 0 0	3,125 0 0	9,375 0 0
			124,000				73,755 0 0	50,245 0 0

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* £440 the first year, £420 the remainder of the time.

SEWERS RATE.

ESTIMATED LIABILITIES AND
ASSETS.

SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Estimated Liabilities.			Estimated Assets.	Cr.
	£ s. d.	s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
GENERAL WORKS.					
To Amount due for Drains, Repairs to Sewers, &c.			By Balance from Cash Account		1,126 11 1
DUST REMOVAL			By Accounts due to Vestry, viz. :—		
To Amount due for Repairs to Harness, Shoeing, Rates, Dust Shoots, &c. ...	468 10 2		For Sewers Sundries	4 15 6	
To Amount due for Harness, Shovels, &c. ...	18 12 6		For Dust	13 12 0	18 7 6
DISINFECTING.			NEW SEWERS.		
To Amount due for Powder, &c.			By Contributions due from Owners		543 7 7
GLENGALL WHARF.			PRIVATE DRAINS.		
To Amount due for Rent, Gas, Water, &c. ...		26 14 3	By amounts due from Owners		275 11 9
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.					
To Amount due for Water to Urinals, New Urinal, Repairs, Drain Eyes, Registrars' Returns, &c.		138 4 2			
PRIVATE DRAINAGE.					
To Amount Returnable to Owners		132 18 3			
SMALL BILLS.					
To Amount due... ..		5 16 7			
DEPOSIT WITH TENDER.					
To Amount due to Contractor		10 0 0			
INTEREST ON LOANS.					
To Amount due... ..		88 12 3			
PROVISION FOR SPECIAL WORKS.					
To amount yet to be expended		260 0 0			
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.					
To One-third of £263 12s. od. to this Rate ...		87 17 4			
		1,428 9 7			
		535 8 4			
		<u>£1,963 17 11</u>			
To Balance in favour of Rate... ..					<u>£1,963 17 11</u>

LIGHTING RATE.

Dr.	Receipts.
To Balance March 26th, 1885, as per last Annual Report, page 177	
To Cash of Overseers, Amount of Order of Vestry, 1885	

£ s. d.
 4,670 6 8
 12,500 0 0

£17,170 6 8

Expenditure.	Cr.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.
GAS FOR STREET LAMPS.	
By Cash paid South Metropolitan Gas Co. ...	10,534 3 6
„ Crystal Palace District Gas Co.	688 8 4
	<u>11,222 11 10</u>
NEW LAMPS	
By Cash	21 9 10
SYDENHAM HILL.	
By Cash to Lewisham Board of Works, moiety of Lighting	48 2 0
SUNDRIES	
By Cash	32 19 0
SALARIES.	
By Cash paid Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, and other Officers, £2,333 12s. 9d., One-third to this Rate	777 17 7
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.	
By Cash paid £1,276 2s. 6d., One-third to this Rate	425 7 6
	<u>12,528 7 9</u>
By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account	4,641 18 11

£17,170 6 8

METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.

Dr.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Balance in hand March 26th, 1885, as per last Annual Report, page 181 ...		41 0 4	METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS. By Cash, Amount of Precept dated 20th February, 1885	28,185 3 7
OVERSEERS.				
To Amount of Order of Vestry, 1885 ...		28,150 0 0	By Balance	5 16 9

£28,191 0 4

£28,191 0 4

A Summary of Cash Received and Expended From March 26th, 1885, to March 25th, 1886.

Dr.				Cr.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Cash at Bankers, March 26th, 1885, as per last Annual Report, page 183 ...	6,372	14	7	GENERAL RATE.			
„ Cash on deposit do. ...	12,500	0	0	By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...	81,021	11	7
GENERAL RATE.				SEWERS RATE.			
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...	18,872	14	7	By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...	15,155	1	9
SEWERS RATE.				LIGHTING RATE.			
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...	74,023	4	3	By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...	12,528	7	9
LIGHTING RATE.				METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.			
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...	16,157	14	6	By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...	28,185	3	7
METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.					136,890	4	8
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...	12,500	0	0	By Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1886, less Outstanding Cheques ...	2,513	8	8
				„ Cash on Deposit ...	10,300	0	0
	28,150	0	0		12,813	8	8
	£149,703	13	4		£149,703	13	4

NEW STREETS WORKS ACCOUNT.

To Balance in hand March 26th, 1885 ...	9,914	17	8	By Amount paid during the year ...	15,941	11	7
To Amount received during the year ...	11,329	16	10	„ Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1886, less Outstanding Cheques ...	803	2	11
				„ Cash on Deposit ...	4,500	0	0
	£21,244	14	6		5,303	2	11
					£21,244	14	6
Dr	Balance.			Balance.	Cr.		
To General Rate ...	7,039	1	11	By Cash at Bankers ...	3,316	11	7
„ Sewers Rate... ..	1,126	11	1	„ Cash on Deposit Accounts ...	14,800	0	0
„ Lighting Rate ...	4,641	18	11				
„ Consolidated Rate ...	5	16	9				
„ New Streets Works ...	5,303	2	11				
	£18,116	11	7		£18,116	11	7

We, being the Auditors duly elected for the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, in the County of Surrey, have Examined and Audited the foregoing Accounts of the Vestry of the said Parish, from the 26th day of March, 1885, and the items therein comprised, and having found such Accounts correct, do now sign the same, in token of our allowance thereof.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1886, and continued by adjournment until the 15th day of July, 1886.

ROBERT COUSINS, *Chairman*,
JOHN COCHRANE,
GEORGE FOSTER,
RICHARD BALCHIN,

} Auditors of
the Parish of
St. Giles,
Camberwell.

REPORT of the AUDITORS to the VESTRY.

*Report of the Auditors to the Vestry respecting the Accounts
for the Year ending March 25th, 1886.*

VESTRY HALL, CAMBERWELL, S.E.
July 15th, 1886.

GENTLEMEN,

We, the undersigned and duly appointed Auditors of the above Parish, have examined and audited the Accounts and Vouchers relating thereto, according to the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855, from the 26th day of March, 1885, to the 25th of March, 1886, both dates inclusive, and we find the same to be correct.

And we wish to take this opportunity of expressing our satisfaction with the admirable and comprehensive system of keeping these Accounts, the accuracy of which is quite remarkable. In our opinion great credit is due to the Staff of Clerks who have had the management of the books, and we desire particularly to mention Mr. Rees, Mr. Lord and Mr. Pitfield; to the two latter gentlemen we hereby tender our thanks for their valuable assistance in the audit of these Accounts, which otherwise would have been a most arduous task.

We must really call the attention of the Vestry to the enormous accumulation of arrears of Rates; and would suggest that a special Collector of Arrears be appointed at a fixed

salary. We also observe that large amounts are paid by the Burial Board as fees to a number of Clergymen who take no part in the Burial Services.

Signed—

ROBERT COUSINS, <i>Chairman</i>	}	<i>Auditors.</i>
JOHN COCHRANE,		
GEORGE FOSTER,		
RICHARD BALCHIN,		

OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS

From 26th March, 1885, to 25th March, 1886.

VESTRY RATES made APRIL 4th, 1885, and OCTOBER 3rd, 1885, and ARREARS OF 1884.

METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATES	3d. in the Pound	
SEWERS RATE	... .. 3d. in the Pound	} £ s. d. 151,614 10 2
LIGHTING RATE	... .. 3d. in the Pound	
GENERAL RATE	... .. 3d. in the Pound	
Arrears of last year	...	293 14 2½
3rd.		£151,908 4 4½

Districts.	Amount Charged, including 12s. 3d. short-paid at Lady day, 1885.	Collected.	Arrears March 25th, 1886.	Allowed to Owners	Amount Legally Excused.	Empties.	Reduced on Appeal.	Totals.	Short-paid.	Over-paid.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
St. George's Ward, No. 1	13,432 4 0	11,303 9 7	23 1 3	1,174 17 5½	7 1 1½	856 12 2½	18 19 8½	13,434 1 5	...	1 17 5
St. George's Ward, No. 2	13,333 16 6½	11,432 16 8	5 17 9	946 11 0½	7 8 1½	910 18 0½	11 5 1	13,334 17 6½	...	1 1 0
Camden Ward, No. 3 ...	12,980 12 0	11,163 2 6	23 1 3	691 9 8½	0 1 7	1,028 5 1	24 11 10½	12,980 12 0	...	...
Peckham Ward, No. 4 ...	9,589 7 6½	7,797 0 11	32 16 3	642 3 7½	9 17 5½	1,052 19 4½	25 8 7	9,590 6 3½	...	0 18 9
Peckham Ward, No. 4a ...	8,190 17 7	6,941 15 6	24 13 6	518 13 6½	8 4 11½	659 8 6	7 9 8½	8,190 5 8	11 11	...
Peckham Ward, No. 5 ...	13,211 14 0½	11,260 6 3	38 18 6	665 17 2½	6 6 3	1,168 9 0	26 11 11	13,215 13 6½	...	3 19 6
Peckham Ward, No. 5a ...	13,701 10 1	11,627 0 0½	42 16 1½	518 16 7½	7 3 6½	1,400 5 8	46 6 3½	13,702 8 3	...	0 18 2
Camberwell Ward, No. 6	14,951 9 1	13,591 10 8	33 0 0	61 1 2½	6 19 6½	1,194 17 7½	33 18 0½	14,951 9 1	...	...
Camberwell Ward, No. 6a	8,828 0 4½	7,214 6 6	29 1 3	113 1 1½	8 5 2½	1,383 1 5	59 12 2½	8,828 1 6½	...	0 1 2
East Dulwich, No. 6 ...	17,130 15 0½	14,178 17 3	60 0 9	283 1 5½	3 19 0½	2,454 4 2½	80 8 2	17,130 15 2½	...	0 0 2
Dulwich, No. 6 ...	12,400 16 5	11,553 17 6	4 4 0	30 1 2½	9 14 4½	771 11 5½	30 10 11½	12,400 16 5	...	...
Public Companies ...	14,157 1 8	14,115 17 8	2 5 0	...	...	38 19 0	...	14,157 1 8	...	...
	151,908 4 4½	132,180 1 0½	319 15 7½	5,646 1 6½	5 1 3½	12,919 11 7½	365 2 6½	151,916 8 7½	11 11	8 16 2
Add short-paid								0 11 11		
Deduct over-paid								8 16 2		
								£151,908 4 4½		

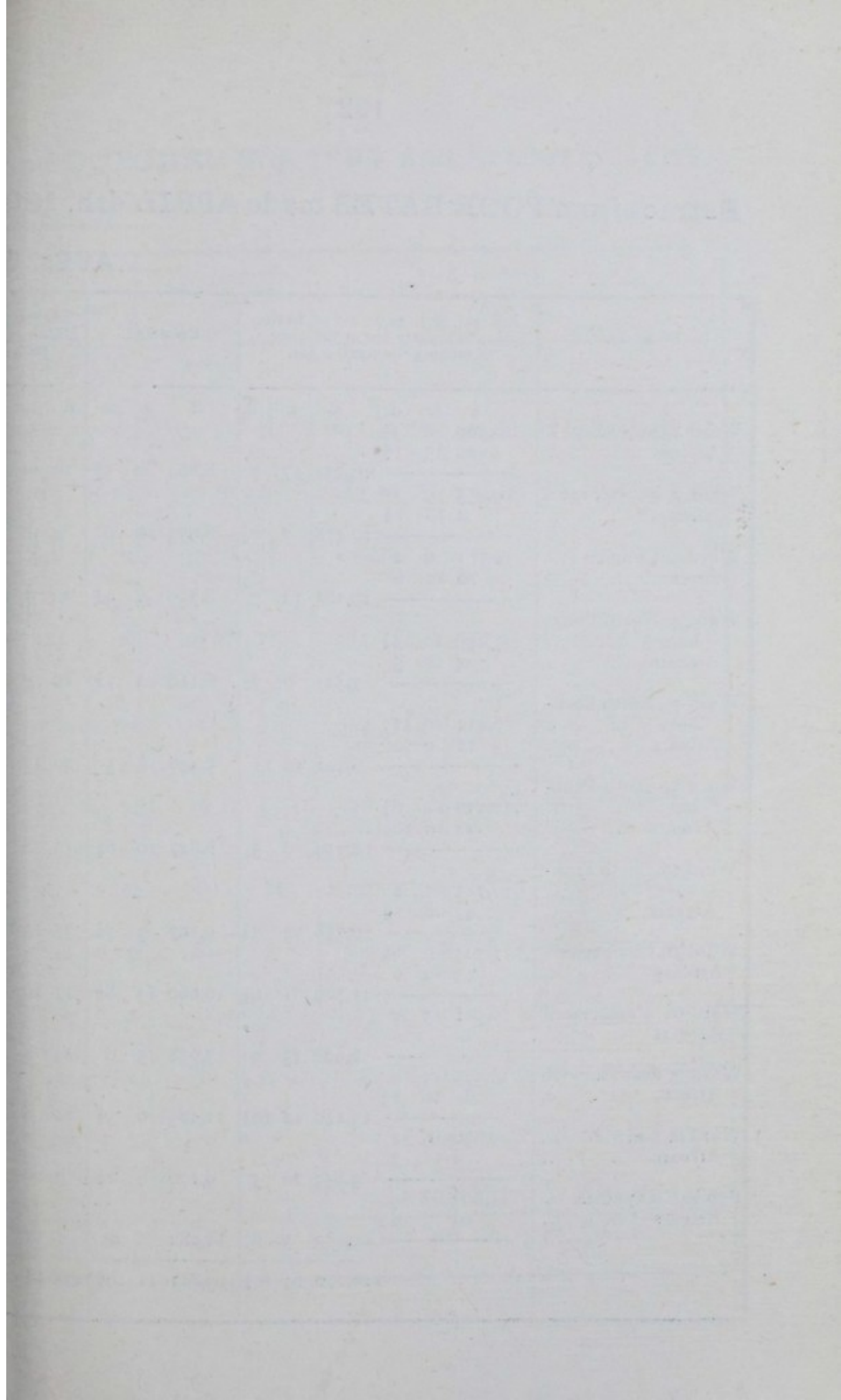
VESTRY RATES.—Continued.

Dr.	Liabilities.		Assets.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Collectors' Poundage		478 1 4	By Balance from Cash Account	3,544 16 7
„ Sundries		149 18 10	„ Arrears of Rates	319 15 7½
		<u>628 0 2</u>		
To Balance		3,236 12 0½		
		<u>£3,864 12 2½</u>		
			<u>£3,864 12 2½</u>	

We, the Auditors, having duly and fairly examined the foregoing Accounts, and having found them perfectly correct, do append our Signatures to the same.

ROBERT COUSINS, <i>Chairman</i> ,	} Auditors of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell.
JOHN COCHRANE,	
GEORGE FOSTER,	
RICHARD BALCHIN,	

July 15th, 1886.



Extract from POOR RATES made APRIL 4th, 1885, and OCTOBER 3rd, 1885, and Arrears of 1884.

At 2s. 5d. in the £.

Districts.	Amount of Rate at 2s. 5d. in the £, and arrears due at the time of making the April Rate.			Collected.			Arrears March 25th, 1886.			Allowed to Overseers.	Amount legally excused.			Empties.	Reduced on Appeal.			Totals.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ward 1, St. George's Arrears	10,509	4	5½															
	22	13	1½															
				10,531	17	7	8,864	2	5½	19	14	4½	921	13	1	39	3	3½
Ward 2, St. George's Arrears	10,455	9	1															
	2	18	1½															
				10,458	7	2½	8,973	16	0	4	18	1½	743	9	4½	13	16	10
Ward 3, Camden ... Arrears	10,161	0	1															
	20	12	6															
				10,181	12	7	8,759	3	9½	20	1	10½	541	19	7½	31	6	3½
Ward 4, North Peck- ham	7,496	10	4½															
Arrears	24	16	3															
				7,521	6	7½	6,116	4	7½	29	3	9	504	1	1½	26	17	1½
Ward 4a, North Peck- ham	6,411	10	11															
Arrears	11	0	0															
				6,422	10	11	5,446	18	5	20	11	3	408	13	6½	24	6	7
Ward 5, South Peck- ham	10,336	3	6½															
Arrears	22	16	10½															
				10,359	0	5	8,827	10	6½	32	8	9	521	14	7½	39	12	8½
Ward 5a, South Peck- ham	10,715	5	2															
Arrears	43	8	1½															
				10,758	13	3½	9,127	3	7½	35	13	5½	407	2	6½	54	7	7½
Ward 6, Camberwell Arrears	11,705	9	2½															
	23	12	6															
				11,729	1	8½	10,660	13	8½	27	10	0	48	0	3½	26	2	4
Ward 6a, Camberwell Arrears	6,921	15	9															
				6,921	15	9	5,658	5	0	24	4	4½	89	6	2	18	18	4
Ward 6, East Dulwich Arrears	13,375	14	9															
	64	18	1½															
				13,440	12	10½	11,125	0	5½	50	0	7½	223	3	4½	56	2	1
Ward 6, Dulwich ... Arrears	9,830	19	2															
	2	11	3															
				9,833	10	5	9,170	8	2½	3	10	0	24	4	5	7	14	6
Public Companies ... Arrears	11,093	1	9															
	19	3	9															
				11,112	5	6	11,082	5	2	1	17	6						
				11,112	5	6	11,082	5	2	1	17	6						
				119,270	14	10½	103,811	11	10½	269	14	0½	4,433	8	1½	338	7	8

An Account in abstract of the Receipts and Expenditure
OF THE
CAMBERWELL BURIAL BOARD.

FROM MARCH 25TH, 1885, TO MARCH 25TH, 1886.

Dr.	Receipts.	£ s. d.	Expenditure.	Cr.	£ s. d.
To Balance, Cash in hand, 26th March, 1885, as per last Annual Report		747 18 1	By Cash, Interment Fees—Rev. S. Smith ...		43 2 0
„ Cash, on deposit at Bank		500 0 0	„ do. do. Rev. T. Ray ...		223 10 0
„ Cash, Fees for Interments, Vaults, and Private Graves		4,511 18 6	„ do. do. Parish Clerk ...		130 8 6
„ do. Of Board of Guardians, Fees for Parish Interments		186 10 0	„ do. do. Rev. Dr. Morgan		195 11 6
„ do. Turfing Graves		54 14 3	„ do. do. Churchwardens of St. Giles ...		183 12 10
„ do. For Burial Certificates		5 7 6	„ do. do. Churchwardens of St. George's ...		33 4 6
„ do. Interest on Deposit Account ...		16 5 11	„ do. do. Dissenting Minis- ters' Fees ...		70 0 0
„ Cheque of Board returned by Inland Re- venue Commissioners, not presented		1 0 0	„ do. Advanced on Account of Labour, Wages, and Petty Cash		1,000 0 0
			„ do. Salaries, Clerk and Surveyor ...		242 10 0
			„ do. Small Bills		21 17 6
			„ do. G. H. Farrington, Grants, and Stamps on Grants		18 0 0
			„ do. W. M. Carey, Printing, &c. ...		25 7 7
			„ do. Inland Revenue, Income Tax on Profits		48 9 8
			„ do. W. Harris, Work at Cemetery ...		40 10 9
			„ do. R. Stevens, Repairs to Lodge ...		11 8 0
			„ do. Daniel & Co., Brick Graves, &c. ...		50 10 0
Carried forward		6,023 14 3	Carried forward		2,338 2 10

BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNTS.—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward	6,023 14 3	By Amount brought forward ...	2,338 2 10
			„ Cash, Sundry Accounts ...	175 12 1
			„ do. Interment Fees—Rev. W. S. Cadman	13 6 0
			„ do. do. Rev. F. F. Kelly ...	150 2 4
			„ do. do. „ A. A. W. Drew	12 8 6
			„ do. do. „ C. J. Meade ...	5 18 6
			„ do. do. „ R. O. Thorpe...	8 14 0
			„ do. do. „ J. D. Dyke ...	1 8 6
			„ do. do. „ T. Smith ...	20 11 4
			„ do. do. „ W. English ...	7 12 6
			„ do. do. „ J. M. Clark ...	1 15 6
			„ do. do. „ T. A. Warburton	33 2 4
			„ do. do. „ T. J. Gaster ...	10 1 0
			„ do. do. „ H. S. Swithinbank	5 8 0
			„ Balance, Current Account ...	239 10 10
			„ „ Deposit „ ...	3,000 0 0
				3,239 10 10
		<u>£6,023 14 3</u>		<u>£6,023 14 3</u>

We hereby Certify and Report that we have Examined and Allowed the Accounts of the Burial Board of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, Surrey, of which the foregoing is an Abstract, and we have thereunto appended a Statement of Assets and Liabilities up to March 25th, 1886.

Dated the 28 h May, 1886, and continued by adjournment till the 22nd Jul^y, 1886.

ROBT. COUSINS, <i>Chairman</i> ,	{	Auditors of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell.
JOHN COCHRANE,		
GEORGE FOSTER,		
RICHARD BALCHIN.		

BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNTS.—Continued.

Dr.	Liabilities.		Assets.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Salaries, Clerk and Surveyor		62 10 0	By Balance brought forward as per Cash Book	3,239 10 10
„ Labour at Cemetery		81 18 8	„ Interment Fees to 25th March, 1886 ...	355 8 5
„ Rev. T. Ray		77 15 0	„ Interment Fees, Board of Guardians, to	
„ Parish Clerk... ..		33 6 6	25th March, 1886	66 4 6
„ Churchwardens of St. Giles		54 1 8	„ Balance in hands of Clerk to Board ...	163 4 4
„ Churchwardens of St. George's		10 7 4	„ Dissenting Ministers' Fees	2 3 0
„ Ministers' Fees—Rev. F. F. Kelly		51 8 4	„ Burial Certificates	2 0 0
„ do. „ N. Campbell		13 14 10	„ Turfing Graves at Cemetery	4 18 6
„ do. „ A. A. W. Drew		2 1 6		
„ do. „ C. J. Meade		0 13 0		
„ do. „ R. O. Thorpe		2 5 6		
„ do. „ W. S. Cadman		1 10 6		
„ do. „ T. Smith		4 5 6		
„ do. „ Bennett Foster		3 6 0		
„ do. „ T. A. Warburton... ..		12 14 0		
„ do. „ T. J. Gaster		2 13 6		
„ Officiating at Cemetery, Rev. Dr. Morgan		58 16 6		
„ South Metropolitan Gas Company		6 11 3		
„ Lambeth Water Co.		3 2 6		
„ Books, Printing, &c., W. M. Carey		9 14 8		
„ Petty Disbursements		8 12 5		
„ Ministers' Fees—Rev. J. M. Clark		2 7 4		
„ do. „ H. S. Swithinbank		1 2 0		
„ Income Tax		47 8 0		
„ J. W. Allen for Coals		5 0 0		
„ W. Harris, Cartage at Cemetery... ..		7 0 6		
„ Rates and Taxes		7 4 8		
„ W. Harris, General Repairs at Cemetery		14 12 5		
„ Groom & Sons, Battens and Deals for				
Cemetery		2 0 0		
„ Balance		3,245 5 6		
		<u>£3,833 9 7</u>		<u>£3,833 9 7</u>

CHURCHWARDENS' ACCOUNT.

From March 26th, 1885, to March 25th, 1886.

Dr. Receipts.

	£	s.	d.
To Cash Balance in hand, March 26th, 1885	345	18	6
„ do. Received for Burial Fees	183	12	10

£529 11 4

Expenditure.

	£	s.	d.
By Cash, Insurance of Church	12	3	0
„ do. E. Gratwick, Labour in Churchyard to Christmas, 1885	5	0	0
„ do. N. Atkinson, Renewing Iron Water Conductors, Painting Outside Iron Work, &c.	45	12	5
„ do. N. Atkinson, Repairs in Belfry	6	16	7
„ do. J. Nicoll, New Bell Ropes	6	17	0
„ do. Mears & Stainbank, re-hanging Bells, new Bearings, Baldrick, Leathers, Clapper, &c.	20	0	0
„ do. E. Pady, Repairs to Heating Apparatus Pipes &c.	11	3	10
„ do. J. Macey & Sons, Enlargement of Vestry	100	0	0
	207	12	10

By Balance 321 18 6

£529 11 4

Examined and found correct,

ROBT. COUSINS, *Chairman*
JOHN OCHRAHE,
GEO. FOSTER,
RICHARD BALCHIN,

July 15th, 1886.

Auditors of
the Parish of
St. Giles,
Camberwell.

THE HISTORY OF THE

REIGN OF

CHARLES

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CHARITY ACCOUNTS.

CHARLES W. HARRIS

*The following are the Bequests under the Will of
the late Robert Alexander Gray, Esquire.*

Will dated 15th December, 1868.

AS TO BEQUEST FOR WARM CLOTHING FOR POOR.

“To the Minister and Churchwardens of the Parish of Camberwell, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED Pounds, to be invested in their names at their discretion; and the income thereof to be applied in the purchase of Warm Clothing for the Poor of the Parish who are not receiving Parochial Relief.

The above Bequest of £500 has been laid out in the purchase of £517 9s. 3d. Consolidated £3 per Cent. Annuities, and has been transferred into the name of “The Official Trustees of Charitable Funds,” pursuant to the provisions of the Charitable Trusts Amendment Act, 1855. The sum has been entered to the Account of the Charity in the books of the office of the Charity Commission, Whitehall, and the Vicar and Churchwardens have furnished the Official Trustees with an authority from themselves as the acting Trustees, as to payment of the Dividends.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1879.

JAMES WILLIAMS, M.A., *Vicar.*

JONAS DUCKETT,

FREDERICK FERMOR,

DAVID COLEGRAVE,

} *Churchwardens.*

AS TO BEQUEST OF THIRTY GUINEAS FOR BENEFIT OF
INMATES OF PARISH WORKHOUSE.

“To the Minister and Churchwardens of the Parish of Camberwell, such a sum of money as when invested in their names, in the purchase of Three per Cent. Consolidated Bank Annuities, will produce annually the sum of Thirty Guineas, in trust, to so invest the same sum, and to permit the Master, for the time being, of the Parish Workhouse of Camberwell, to apply and distribute the annual income of the said Trust Fund, from time to time each Christmas, in such manner as he may think proper for the personal comfort or benefit of the inmates for the time being of such Workhouse.”

The sum of £1,013 5s. has been laid out in the purchase of £1,050 Consolidated £3 per Cent. Annuities, and has been transferred into the name of “The Official Trustees of Charitable Funds,” pursuant to the provisions of the Charitable Trusts Amendment Act, 1855. The sum has been entered to the Account of the Charity in the Books, at the Office of the Charity Commission, Whitehall, and the Vicar and Churchwardens have furnished the Official Trustees with an authority from themselves as the acting Trustees, as to Payment of the Dividends.

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LIST

OF THE

TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY ESTATES.

W. DICKER, Esq.

J. A. LYON, Esq.

R. A. PUCKLE, Esq.

A. HONYWILL, Esq.

C. COOK, Esq.

R. STRONG, Esq., J.P.

E. DRESSER ROGERS, Esq.

T. L. LASSAM, Esq.

J. O. WILSON, Esq.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY ESTATES OF ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1885.

Dr.		Cr.	
December, 1884, to December, 1885		December, 1884, to December, 1885.	
To Balance brought forward from last year's Account	£ s. d.	Cash—	£ s. d.
To Cash from Receiver, viz:—	11 4 6	" G. Martin, one year's Rent of slip of Land next Canal, to Michaelmas, 1885	5 0 0
SIR EDMUND BOWYER'S CHARITY.		" Sundries—Fire Insurance and Account Books	1 10 0
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1885		" C. S. Stevens, Receiver for Collection of Rents and Dividends, of the several Estates, &c. for the year (including expenses and Stamps)	50 0 0
E. Symes ...	100 0 0	" Charity Distribution Committee, voted for Distribution	1,100 0 0
T. E. Silk ...	60 0 0	" J. Wilson's Bequest, Mr. Churchwarden Borland	2 8 4
H. Matthewson ...	35 0 0	" Balance at Bankers	15 5 10
F. Browning ...	4 0 0		
Nine month's Rent to Midsummer, 1885			
H. Carrington ...	37 10 0		
CAGE, CAMBERWELL GREEN.	272 10 0		
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1885, J. Smith's Executors	7 0 0		
ENGINE HOUSE, CAMBERWELL GREEN.			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1885, G. Priest	8 0 0		
ENGINE HOUSE, PECKHAM.			
16 weeks Rent to 7th December, 1885, Ellen Walker	1 4 0		
SHOULDER OF MUTTON ESTATE.			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1885, Mann, Crossman and Co. (less Property Tax)	19 7 6		
Ditto, G. Culver (less Tax)	29 1 4		
Property Tax Deductions refunded	1 5 0		
	49 13 10		
SIR THOMAS HUNT'S GIFT.			
One year's Rent Charge to Christmas, 1885, J. Dallor	2 13 4		
DIVIDENDS.			
One year's Dividends to July, 1885, on £1,000 Consols	30 0 0		
Ditto on £220 5s. 6d. New 2½ per cent. Annuities	5 10 0		
Ditto on £350 Consols, per Charity Commissioners	10 10 0		
Ditto on £187 5s. 11d. Consols, per Court of Chancery (less Property Tax)	5 8 11		
Ditto to October, 1885, on £1,509 17s. 9d. Reduced Three per cent. Annuities	45 5 10		
Ditto to July, 1885, on £80 13s. 1d. Consols, per Court of Chancery, Jane Wilson's Bequest, less Income Tax	2 6 11		
Property Tax Deductions refunded	0 4 10		
	99 6 6		
BOWLES' FIVE ACRES.			
Rents from sundry Tenants, to Michaelmas, 1885, less Property Tax	322 12 0		
Ground Rents on Property, Bowles Road and Kent Road, to Michaelmas, 1885, less Property Tax	339 17 8		
Property Tax refunded	10 17 9		
	679 7 5		
BURSTED'S LAND.			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1885, Cooper and Kendall (less Property Tax)	15 19 8		
Ditto Ditto T. Spurrier, less Property Tax	20 6 11		
Property Tax Deductions refunded	0 18 9		
	37 5 4		
INTEREST.			
Interest on Cash placed at Deposit Account during the year	5 19 3		
	£1,174 4 2		
		Examined and found correct:—	
		Signed,	
		ROBERT COUSINS, <i>Chairman</i> ,	} Auditors of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell.
		JOHN COCHRANE,	
		GEORGE FOSTER,	
		RICHARD BALCHIN,	
		July 15th, 1886.	

£1,174 4 2

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Charity Estates Distribution Committee.

The REPORT OF THE CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE.

The Committee beg to report as follows :—

	£	s.	d.
That they had an available balance in hand on the 1st of January, 1885, of	1,095	7	1
Cash received from the Trustees of the Charity Estates	1,100	0	0
Interest on Deposit Account	7	8	10
Cancelled Cheques allowed by Bank	0	1	6
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	2,202	17	4
The Amount expended to the 31st of December, 1885, is as follows :—			
The Aged Parishioners' Grant, 15 Distributors at £5 per month each for 12 months	900	0	0
Special Gifts	60	15	8
Samaritan Gift, 15 Distributors at £9 each	135	0	0
London Joint Stock Bank, Cheque Book	0	8	4
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	1,096	4	0
Leaving an available Balance on December 31st, 1885, for distribution during 1886 of			
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	£1,106	13	4

NOTE.

Balance at Bankers	356	13	4
Deposit Account	750	0	0
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	£1,106	13	4

The foregoing sums were distributed as follows:—

AGED PARISHIONERS' GIFT.

					£	s.	d.
2	persons	for	12	months, at 6s. per month	7	4	0
2	"	1	"	7s.	0	14	0
1	"	3	"	7s.	1	1	0
1	"	4	"	7s.	1	8	0
1	"	6	"	7s.	2	2	0
1	"	7	"	7s.	2	9	0
1	"	8	"	7s.	2	16	0
1	"	9	"	7s.	3	3	0
4	"	11	"	7s.	15	8	0
11	"	12	"	7s.	46	4	0
2	"	1	"	7s. 6d.	0	15	0
5	"	1	"	8s.	2	0	0
1	"	2	"	8s.	0	16	0
2	"	3	"	8s.	2	8	0
1	"	4	"	8s.	1	12	0
8	"	5	"	8s.	16	0	0
2	"	6	"	8s.	4	16	0
3	"	7	"	8s.	8	8	0
3	"	8	"	8s.	9	12	0
1	"	9	"	8s.	3	12	0
2	"	11	"	8s.	8	16	0
26	"	12	"	8s.	124	16	0
1	"	1	"	9s.	0	9	0
1	"	2	"	9s.	0	18	0
3	"	3	"	9s.	4	1	0
1	"	4	"	9s.	1	16	0
3	"	8	"	9s.	10	16	0
3	"	9	"	9s.	12	3	0
1	"	10	"	9s.	4	10	0
1	"	11	"	9s.	4	19	0
11	"	12	"	9s.	59	8	0
4	"	1	"	10s.	2	0	0
1	"	2	"	10s.	1	0	0
1	"	3	"	10s.	1	10	0
9	"	4	"	10s.	18	0	0
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121					Forward	£387	10 0

AGED PARISHIONERS' GIFT—

Continued.

						£	s.	d.
£1121					Brought forward	387	10	0
	1	person	for 5 months,	at 10s.	per month	2	10	0
	4	"	6	"	10s.	12	0	0
	5	"	7	"	10s.	17	10	0
	1	"	8	"	10s.	4	0	0
	1	"	9	"	10s.	4	10	0
	1	"	10	"	10s.	5	0	0
	2	"	11	"	10s.	11	0	0
7	76	"	12	"	10s.	456	0	0
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£12212						£900	0	0

SAMARITAN GIFT.

							£	s.	d.
2	2	persons	at 30s.	3	0	0
41	14	"	at 20s.	14	0	0
331	155	"	at 10s.	77	10	0
3	6	"	at 9s.	2	14	0
81	13	"	at 8s.	5	4	0
71	17	"	at 7s. 6d.	6	7	6
£	2	"	at 6s.	0	12	0
001	100	"	at 5s.	25	0	0
3	5	"	at 2s. 6d.	0	12	6
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41	314						£135	0	0
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SPECIAL GIFTS.

					£	s.	d.
Harriott Smith's Gift	30	0	0
Susannah Jones' Gift	3	0	0
Joseph Allen's Gift	6	0	0
Michael Arnott's Gift	...	...	...	...	1	10	0
Edward Noyes' Gift...	...	...	...	...	9	0	0
Thomas Hunt's Gift	2	13	4
William Matthew's Gift	5	12	4
Mrs. Pinchbeck's Gift	3	0	0
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					£60 15 8		
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The foregoing Accounts have been examined and found correct by us,

R. COUSINS, *Chairman*,
J. COCHRANE,
G. FOSTER,
R. BALCHIN,

} Auditors of
the Parish of
St. Giles,
Camberwell.

July 15th, 1886.

VESTRYMEN

FOR THE PARISH OF

ST. GILES', CAMBERWELL,

ELECTED UNDER THE

Metropolis Local Management Act, 1885.

VICAR:

REV. F. F. KELLY, L.L.M., The Vicarage,
Camberwell.

CHURCHWARDENS:

MR. JAMES E. NAYLOR, Esq., Airedale, Bushey Hill road.

MR. HENRY JOHN BICKERSTAFF, Esq., 30, Brunswick
square, Camberwell.

MR. THOMAS LUDLOW LASSAM, Esq., 35, Brunswick
square, Camberwell.

REPRESENTATIVES AT THE METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

MR. EDWARD DRESSER ROGERS, Esq., Rockley, Cham-
pion park, Denmark hill.

MR. ANDREW MIDDLEMASS, Esq., 29, Brunswick
square, Camberwell.

ELECTED MEMBERS.

Ward No. 1.

Retire
from Office in
the year

- 1888 BICKERSTAFF, HENRY JOHN, 30, Brunswick square, Camberwell
- 1889 DEWEY, GEORGE HENRY, 63, Daneville road, Camberwell.
- 1888 HONYWILL, ALBERT, Hazeldene, Mundania road.
- 1888 JACKSON, ALFRED ROBERT, 87, New Church road.
- 1887 SEARS, JAMES, 47, Marmora road, Honor Oak.
- 1889 SEARS, JAMES TRESIDDER, 11, Peckham grove, Camberwell.
- 1889 SHIPTON, LEONARD CHARLES, 226a, Albany road, Camberwell.
- 1887 SMITH, SAMUEL, 2, Lawn house, Peckham road.
- 1888 SUGDEN, JOHN, 19, Peckham grove.
- 1887 TEASDALE, THOMAS, 103, New Church road.
- 1887 THORNHILL, JAMES ALFRED, Bradbourne house, Bushey hill road.
- 1889 THOMPSON, JOSEPH FREDERICK, 32, Addington square, Camberwell.

Ward No. 2.

- 1888 ALLEN, GEORGE JOHN, Beech house, Ossory road.
- 1889 BASSETT, JAMES, 322, Old Kent road.
- 1888 CASTLE, HENRY, 27, Trafalgar road.
- 1889 HAZEL, WILLIAM JAMES, 434, Old Kent road.

Retire
from Office in
the year

- 1888 HURST, WILLIAM BENJAMIN, 182, Peckham
rye.
- 1887 HYDE, GEORGE, 342, Old Kent road.
- 1889 JACKSON, WILLIAM, 106, Trafalgar road, Old
Kent road.
- 1887 LUMLEY, JOSEPH, 105, Avondale square, Old
Kent road.
- 1889 LINSTED, GEORGE, 316, Old Kent road.
- 1887 SCOTTS, THOMAS JOHN, 1, Scotts terrace, Trafal-
gar road.
- 1887 VICKERY, HENRY, 542, Old Kent road.
- 1888 VANNER, EDWIN, 386, Old Kent road.

Ward No. 3.

- 1889 DUCKETT, JONAS, 4, Brunswick square, Cam-
berwell.
- 1889 FOSTER, THOMAS, 17, Kimpton road.
- 1887 GOAD, CHARLES, 241, Camberwell road.
- 1888 HILL, THOMAS, 96, Oglander road, East Dulwich.
- 1887 INNES, JAMES EDWARD, 57, Denmark street,
Camberwell.
- 1888 JONES, EBENEZER JOHN, The Crescent, South-
ampton street.
- 1887 LASSAM, THOMAS LUDLOW, 35, Brunswick
square.
- 1888 MADGE, ABRAHAM, Ventnor house, Knatchbull
road.
- 1889 MIDDLEMASS, ANDREW, 29, Brunswick square,
Camberwell.
- 1888 RELPH, JOHN THOMAS, 295, Camberwell road
- 1889 TEATHER, WILLIAM EDWARD, 33, Camberwell
park.
- 1887 WESSON, JOSEPH NICHOLAS, 212, Camberwell
road.

Ward No. 4.

Retire
from Office in
the year

- 1889 DAVIS, JOHN ALFRED, 13, Meeting-house lane,
Peckham.
- 1888 FAULKNER, JOSEPH, 101, Asylum road, Peckham.
- 1887 FITZGIBBON, JAMES, Bach house, 11, Queen's
road, Peckham.
- 1887 GIORGI, EDWIN, 1, George's terrace, Hill street,
Peckham
- 1887 HARPER, THOMAS, 1, Queen's road, Peckham,
- 1889 HAYES, CHRISTOPHER DANIEL, Ivy villa,
Upland road.
- 1888 LYON, JOHN ANDREW, St. Mary-le-Strand house,
Old Kent road.
- 1887 LYON, WASHINGTON, 85, Asylum road, Peckham.
- 1888 MASON, WALTER, 129, Meeting-house lane.
- 1889 MITCHELL, WILLIAM HENRY, 1, Clifton cres-
cent, Asylum road.
- 1889 RANDALL, JOSEPH, 605, Old Kent road.
- 1887 STEDMAN, ALFRED, Hatcham road.
- 1888 TENNANT, GEORGE, 59, Peckham Park road.
- 1889 WESTAWAY, JAMES, 21, Peckham Park road.
- 1888 WILSON, JOHN OSBORN, 141, Queen's road,
Peckham.

Ward No. 5.

- 1889 BALLANTINE, EDMUND, 26, South grove,
Peckham.
- 1888 BARSDORF, GEORGE, 9, Albert road, Peckham.
- 1889 BONSALE, RICHARD THOMAS, 57, High street,
Peckham.
- 1888 BORLAND, JOHN, 184, High street, Peckham.
- 1888 CLUTTERBUCK, GEORGE, 12 and 16, Queen's
road, Peckham.

- Retire
from Office in
the year
- 81 1889 DAVIS, EDWARD CHARLES, Penrith house,
Peckham rye.
- 81 1887 DIXON, JOHN, Brunswick house, Hanover street.
- 81 1887 DOWTON, WILLIAM LEONARD, 84, Rye lane,
Peckham.
- 81 1889 DUNN, FREDERICK, 32, St. Mary's road,
Peckham.
- 81 1887 FERMOR, FREDERICK, 255, Southampton street,
Camberwell.
- 81 1889 FINCH, JOHN, 14, High street, Peckham.
- 81 1888 GUDGEON, EDWARD BARNABY, 159, Grove lane,
Camberwell.
- 81 1887 KEMP, WILLIAM ROBERT, 18, Talfourd road,
Peckham.
- 81 1889 LEWIN, FREDERICK GEORGE, 38, St. Mary's
road, Peckham.
- 81 1887 PRESTON, DAVID CRIPPS, 109, Gibbon road,
Nunhead.

Ward No. 6.

- 81 1887 BELLIS, ALEX. JOSEPH, 184, Friern road, Peck-
ham rye.
- 81 1889 BRIDGER, REGINALD, 163, Grove lane, Cam-
berwell.
- 81 1888 COOK, ARTHUR STANTON, Lyncote, Green lane.
- 81 1887 DUNLOP, CHARLES, 5, Elsie road, East Dulwich.
- 81 1887 FOSKETT, EDWARD, 36, Copleston road, Denmark
park.
- 81 1888 GREENLEY, JOHN EDWARD, 41, Barry road,
Peckham rye.
- 81 1887 HANCOCK, WILLIAM OLDING, The Hawthorns,
East Dulwich road.
- 81 1889 MANSELL, THOMAS COLSTON, 84, Church
street.

Retire
from Office in
the year

- 1888 PHILLIPS, JOSEPH JOHN, The Norlands, Goose green.
- 1887 PUCKLE, ROBERT ARTHUR, 161, Camberwell grove.
- 1888 ROGERS, EDWARD DRESSER, Rockley, Champion park.
- 1888 STRONG, RICHARD, J.P., Helstonleigh, 3, Champion park.
- 1889 TURNEY, GEORGE LEONARD, J.P., 198, Camberwell grove.
- 1889 WATSON, JOHN, Bawdale road, Lordship lane, East Dulwich.
- 1889 WALLACE, MATTHEW, Kirkside, Lordship lane.
- 1889 WALTER, JAMES, Gough house, Croxted road, Dulwich.
- 1888 WHITELEY, GEORGE CRISPE, The Chestnuts, Dulwich Common.
- 1887 WOOLLARD, HENRY WEEDON, Cornwall terrace, Lordship lane, East Dulwich.



Auditors.

- J. JOHN COCHRANE, 444, Old Kent road.
 R. ROBERT COUSINS, 100, Wells street, Camberwell.
 W. WILLIAM DAVIS, 3, Alpha street, Peckham.
 G. GEORGE FOSTER, 74, George street, Camberwell.
 J. JOSIAH SAMUEL PARKER, Tudor villas, Lyndhurst road.

Overseers of the Poor.

- H. HENRY WEEDON WOOLLARD, Cornwall terrace,
 Lordship lane
 D. DAVID CRIPPS PRESTON, 109, Gibbon road,
 Nunhead
 W. WILLIAM JAMES HAZEL, 434, Old Kent road
 A. ARTHUR STANTON COOK, Lyncote, Green lane

Burial Board.

- D. DAVID COLEGRAVE, 28, St. John's villas, Goose
 green.
 T. THOMAS LUDLOW LASSAM, 35, Brunswick
 square.
 J. JOHN ANDREW LYON, St. Mary-le-Strand House,
 Old Kent road.
 J. JOSEPH JOHN PHILLIPS, The Norlands, Goose
 green.
 R. RICHARD STRONG J.P., Helstonleigh, Champion
 park.
 G. GEORGE LEONARD TURNEY, J.P., 198, Cam-
 berwell grove.
 J. JOSEPH NICHOLAS WESSON, 212, Camberwell
 road.
 G. GEORGE C. WHITELEY, The Chestnuts, Dulwich
 common.
 H. HENRY WEEDON WOOLLARD, Cornwall terrace,
 Lordship lane.

Collectors of Rates.

Ward.	Division.	Name.	Address.
1		Maltby, J. B.	111, Camberwell road
2		Bradley, J. C.	66, Trafalgar road
3		White, J. Parker	13, Elmington road
4	1st Division	Wilson, G.	132, Peckham Park road
	2nd Division	Webb, W. H.	84, Asylum road
5	1st Division	Beaumont, F. G.	29, Gordon road
	2nd Division	Lyon, Bainbridge	2, Hanover park
6	Camberwell 1st Division	Bickerton, G. T.	79, Lyndhurst road
	2nd Division	Fisher, Samuel P.	32, Amott road
	3rd Division East Dulwich	Thompson, R. H.	15, Henslowe road, Barry road
Dulwich District		Andrews, W.	At Mr. Bartlett's, High street, Dulwich

Treasurer.

ROBERT RYRIE, Esq., 34, Park street, Grosvenor square
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, Borough

Vestry Clerk.

GEORGE WILLIAM MARSDEN, 113, Camberwell grove

Surveyor.

MR JOHN COOK REYNOLDS, 43, Vicarage road, Camberwell

Medical Officer.

MR J. S. BRISTOWE, M.D., LL.D., F.R.S., 11, Old Burlington street, W.

Analyst.

MR Prof. A. J. BERNAYS, St. Thomas' Hospital, S.E.

Assistant Vestry Clerk.

MR FREDERIC A. F. REES, 25, Shenley road, Camberwell

Inspectors of Nuisances.

MR DONALD FRASER, 44, Bousfield road, Peckham,
Superintendent of Dust Collection

MR DONALD MACKAY, 15, Blenheim grove

MR JOSEPH HENRY STEPHENSON, 88, Crystal Palace road

MR JAMES SEDGLEY, 7, Burton terrace, Elm grove, Peckham

MR WILLIAM EDWIN GROOM, 117, Wells street, Camberwell

LIST OF COMMITTEES--1886-7.

General Purposes Committee.

No. 1 Ward	Mr. G. H. Dewey	No. 4 Ward	Mr. J. A. Davis
	„ A. Honvwill		„ J. Fitzgibbon
	„ J. Sagden		„ J. Faulkner
	„ T. Teasdale		„ T. Harper
No. 2 Ward	Mr. W. B. Hurst	No. 5 Ward	„ A. Stedman
	„ J. Lumley		Mr. E. Ballantine
	„ E. Venner		„ G. Barsdorf
	„ H. Vickery		„ J. Borland
No. 3 Ward	Mr. J. Duckett	No. 6 Ward	„ E. C. Davis
	„ A. Middlemass		„ F. Dunn
	(Chairman)		Mr. C. Dunlop
	„ J. T. Relph		„ J. E. Greenley
No. 3 Ward	„ J. N. Wesson	No. 6 Ward	„ T. C. Mansell
	(Vice-Chairman)		„ J. J. Phillips
			„ R. A. Puckle
			„ R. Strong

Sewers and Sanitary Committee.

No. 1 Ward	Mr. A. R. Jackson	No. 4 Ward	Mr. W. Lyon
	„ L. C. Shipton		„ W. H. Mitchell
	„ J. Sears		„ G. Tennant
	„ J. F. Thompson		„ J. Westaway
No. 2 Ward	Mr. G. J. Allen	No. 5 Ward	„ J. O. Wilson
	„ G. Hyde		Mr. R. T. Bonsall
	„ W. Jackson		(Vice-Chairman)
	„ T. J. Scotts		„ J. Finch
No. 3 Ward	Mr. T. Foster	No. 6 Ward	„ W. R. Kemp
	(Chairman)		„ F. G. Lewin
	„ J. E. Innes		„ A. Randall
	„ T. Hill		Mr. R. Bridger
No. 3 Ward	„ A. Madge		„ A. J. Bellis
			„ G. Clutterbuck
			„ W. O. Hancock
			„ J. Walter
			„ J. Watson

Finance Committee.

No. 1 Ward {
 Mr. J. T. Sears
 „ S. Smith
 „ J. A. Thornhill

No. 2 Ward {
 Mr. J. Bassett
 „ H. Castle
 „ G. Linstead

No. 3 Ward {
 Mr. C. Goad
 „ E. J. Jones
 „ W. E. Teather

No. 4 Ward {
 Mr. E. Giorgi
 „ C. D. Hayes
(Chairman)

No. 5 Ward {
 „ J. A. Lyon
 „ W. Mason
 Mr. J. Dixon
 „ W. L. Dowton
 „ G. Clutterbuck
 „ E. B. Gudgeon

No. 6 Ward {
 Mr. M. Wallace
(Vice-Chairman)
 „ E. Foskett
 „ R. Bridger
 „ G. L. Turney
 „ G. C. Whiteley

N.B.—The Churchwardens and Overseers are Ex-officio Members of all of the above Committees.

Charity Distribution Committee.

Ward 1 {
 Mr. J. Sugden
 „ S. Smith
(Chairman)

Ward 2 {
 Mr. W. B. Hurst
 „ W. Jackson

Ward 3 {
 Mr. T. Hill
 „ J. N. Wesson

No. 4 Ward {
 Mr. J. Fitzgibbon
 „ J. Westaway

No. 5 Ward {
 Mr. J. Borland
 „ E. Ballantine

No. 6 Ward {
 Mr. A. J. Bellis
 „ M. Wallace

Mr. Churchwarden Naylor
 „ Bickerstaff
 „ Lassam } *Ex-officio Members.*

Assessment Committee.

Ward 1 {
 Mr. J. Sears
 „ A. Honywill

Ward 2 {
 Mr. W. Jackson
 „ W. B. Hurst

Ward 3 {
 Mr. J. Duckett
 „ A. Middlemass

No. 4 Ward {
 Mr. A. Stedman
 „ J. O. Wilson

No. 5 Ward {
 Mr. W. R. Kemp
(Vice-Chairman)
 „ J. Borland

No. 6 Ward {
 Mr. J. J. Phillips
(Chairman)
 „ R. A. Puckle

Fodder Committee.

Mr. E. C. Davis	„ L. C. Shipton
„ J. Finch	„ A. Stedman
„ W. O. Hancock	„ T. Teasdale
„ W. J. Hazel	„ H. Vickery
„ T. Hill	„ J. Westaway
„ J. T. Relph	„ H. W. Woollard

Ex-officio :—The Vice-Chairmen of the General Purposes, Sewers and Sanitary, and Finance Committees.

LIST OF SUB-COMMITTEES.*

New Streets Committee.

Mr. J. Borland	„ J. Lumley
„ J. A. Davis	„ J. J. Phillips
„ J. Duckett	„ R. A. Puckle
„ F. Dunn	„ J. T. Relph
„ T. Harper	„ J. Sugden
„ A. Honywill	„ E. Venner

Depôt Committee.

Mr. E. Ballantine	„ A. Stedman
„ E. C. Davis	„ J. Sugden
„ J. Faulkner	„ T. Teasdale
„ W. B. Hurst	„ H. Vickery
„ T. L. Lassam	„ J. N. Wesson
„ J. J. Phillips	„ H. W. Woollard

Bills Committee—General Purposes.

Mr. G. Barsdorf	„ A. Honywill
„ J. A. Davis	„ W. B. Hurst
„ G. H. Dewey	„ J. Lumley
„ F. Dunn	„ T. C. Mansell
„ J. Duckett	„ J. T. Relph
„ J. Fitzgibbon	„ H. W. Woollard

Dust Committee.

Mr. A. J. Bellis	„ F. G. Lewin
„ R. T. Bonsall	„ A. Madge
„ W. J. Hazel	„ J. F. Thompson
„ T. Hill	„ J. Watson
„ G. Hyde	„ J. Westaway
„ A. R. Jackson	„ J. O. Wilson

Bills Committee—Sewers and Sanitary.

Mr. G. J. Allen	„ W. R. Kemp
„ R. T. Bonsall	„ A. Madge
„ W. O. Hancock	„ W. H. Mitchell
„ W. J. Hazel	„ L. C. Shipton
„ T. Hill	„ J. Watson
„ A. R. Jackson	„ J. O. Wilson

* *The Chairman of a Standing Committee is ex-officio a member of its Sub-committee.*

Wilson's Grammar School Governors.

PECKHAM ROAD.

Founded by Royal Charter 1615—Reconstituted 1880.

Ex-officio Governors :—

Rev. F. F. Kelly, *Vicar* (Chairman).

James E. Naylor

H. J. Bickerstaff

Thomas Ludlow Lassam

} Churchwardens.

Representative Governors :—

P. A. Nairne

G. C. Whiteley

Co-optative Governors :—

F. Fermor

E. Dresser Rogers

J. A. Lyon

R. Strong, J.P.

R. A. Puckle

G. L. Turney, J.P.

(Vice-Chairman)

HEAD MASTER—Rev. F. McDowell, M.A., (Merton College, Oxford).

L. DESBOROUGH, *Clerk.*

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1. The Vestry shall be summoned to meet every alternate Wednesday, at Half-past Six o'clock in the Evening, throughout the year (unless ordered to the contrary by the Vestry), or on such other day and hour as the Vestry may from time to time direct.

2. A Special Meeting may be summoned upon requisition, stating at length the business of such Meeting, and signed by not less than Nine Members of the Vestry, and shall be held not earlier than Half-past Six o'clock in the Evening, and no other business shall be entertained at such Meetings.

3. The Vestry clock shall be the standard of time for the Meeting of the Vestry and Committees.

4. The names of the Members attending each Vestry shall be taken down by the Messenger, and afterwards entered in the Minutes.

5. All Notices of Motion intended to be discussed at any Ordinary Meeting of the Vestry, shall be sent to the Office of the Vestry Clerk, at least five clear days before the day of meeting, exclusive of Sunday.

6. The Minutes of the last Meeting or Meetings of the Vestry shall be read as the first business at each ordinary and adjourned Vestry, and if correctly entered, the same shall be signed as required by the Statute, but no discussion shall be allowed upon the Minutes, except as to their accuracy, and any objection on that ground shall be decided by the Members present, who were also present at the Meetings to which such Minutes refer.

7. *At every Ordinary and Adjourned Meeting of the Vestry, after the Minutes have been read and signed, then, immediately before the commencement of business, it shall be competent for any Members to ask a question or questions, relative to Parochial affairs, of any Member or Officer of the Vestry, of which forty-eight hours' notice at the least shall have been given in writing to the Vestry Clerk, and signed by the Member intending to ask the same, but no discussion shall take place thereon, and such question shall be printed.*

8. A Paper of Business for each Vestry shall be prepared by the Clerk, and sent to each Member three clear days before the Meeting, and no other business shall be considered at that Meeting except by a Resolution of the Vestry; and a copy of the Business Paper shall be posted up in a conspicuous place in the Vestry Hall.

9. No Motion or Amendment shall be put from the Chair (except a Motion to adjourn, upon which there shall be no discussion), unless the same be in writing, and duly seconded.

10. Any Member having once spoken on a Motion or Amendment, shall not again address the Vestry on the same subject, or at the same stage of proceedings, except in explanation, or the Mover of the original resolution in

reply ; and no Member shall speak longer than ten minutes on any Motion or Amendment.

11. A division may be demanded by any Three Members, and the Chairman shall thereupon appoint Two Tellers from each side who shall mark off, on a printed List of the Vestry, the names of the Members voting for and against the Motion or other Question.

12. The Treasurer's Bank Pass Book, made up to the evening of the previous day, shall be laid on the table of the Vestry at each Meeting.

13. All Elections by the Vestry shall be by Ballot, and such Ballot shall be taken by Balloting Papers previously prepared for that purpose, unless otherwise ordered by the Vestry.

14. No Member of the Vestry shall hold or be eligible to be a candidate for any office of profit in the appointment of the Vestry, nor shall any one who has been a Member of the Vestry be eligible for any such office, if the same shall have become vacant within three months of such person ceasing to be a Member.

15. Where Security is required of any Officer, no Member of the Vestry shall be accepted as his Surety.

16. No Motion for an Increase of Salary, or a Gratuity to any Officer, shall be entertained at any Meeting of the Vestry, unless notice thereof shall have been first duly given, and placed on the Notice Paper for such Vestry, stating the amount of such Salary or Gratuity ; and no amendment shall be made for any sum in excess of the amount for which notice has been given.

17. A Committee shall be appointed annually in the month of June, to consist of twenty-eight Members from

the several Wards, in the following proportions :—

Wards 1, 2, 3—Four Members each,

„ 4 and 5—Five Members each,

„ 6—Six Members,

which Committee shall enquire into all questions of Drainage, Sewerage, Removal of Dust, Sanitary Improvements, Removal of Nuisances, all references from the Metropolitan Board of Works relating to Sewerage, and to carry out the provisions of all Acts of Parliament relating to the Public Health, and shall from time to time report thereon to the Vestry.

18. A Committee consisting of a like number of Members for the respective Wards shall also be appointed, as in the preceding Bye Law, which shall enquire into all questions of Paving, Lighting, Scavengering, Watering, General Purposes, and all references from the Metropolitan Board of Works, other than those relating to Sewerage, and superintend the execution thereof, and shall from time to time report to the Vestry.

19. A Committee shall also be appointed, to consist of Twenty-two Members from the several Wards, in the following proportions :—

Wards 1, 2, 3—Three Members each,

„ 4 and 5—Four Members each,

„ 6—Five Members,

to which all questions of Finance, Law and Parliamentary Business shall be referred, and shall from time to time report thereon to the Vestry.

20. The Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor, who are Members of the Vestry, and the Representatives of the Vestry at the Metropolitan Board of Works, and the respective Chairmen of the preceding Committees, shall be *Ex-officio* Members of each Committee.

21. All Bills of Contractors or Tradesman in the department of the Surveyor shall be certified by him and he shall be held responsible for the correctness of the measurement and charges therein ; and all other bills shall be certified by the Accountant, and when so certified and approved by the respective Committees from which the order emanated, the same shall be signed by the Chairman and two Members thereof, and shall then be laid before the Finance Committee, who shall report upon them to the Vestry before they are paid.

22. Six Members of the Vestry shall be appointed for the purpose of Signing Cheques, and every cheque shall be signed by the Chairman for the time being, and two of such Members, and countersigned by the Vestry Clerk ; and shall be so signed and sealed in the presence of the Vestry.

23. The Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, Assistant Overseers, and Accountant, shall severally be responsible for the safe custody of all books, papers, and documents belonging to the Vestry in their respective departments, together with all moneys and securities for money committed to their care respectively.

24. No book, plan, or document, shall be allowed to be taken from the Offices of the Vestry, except in the custody of one of the Officers.

25. All Contracts and Bonds shall be prepared by the Vestry Clerk, free of charge to the Contractors, Collectors, Officers, or their sureties, the cost of the stamps to be borne by the Vestry.

26. All works amounting to the estimated cost of Fifty Pounds and upwards shall be competed for by open Tender, unless otherwise ordered by the Vestry.

27. The Offices of the Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, Assistant Overseer, and Accountant, shall be open daily, from Nine o'clock until Five, except on Saturday, when the Offices may be closed at Two o'clock.

28. The Common Seal of the Vestry shall be kept in the custody of the Vestry Clerk, and shall not be affixed to any document whatever, except by order of the Vestry.

29. The business of each Meeting shall be taken in the following order :—

1st—The Minutes of the last Vestry to be read.

2nd—The Paper of Business to be read.

3rd—Questions to be put and answered.

4th—Deputation to be received.

5th—Reports in the following order *unless specially resolved to the contrary* :—

1st—Finance Committee.

2nd—Medical Officer of Health.

3rd—Sewers Committee.

4th—General Purposes Committee. } Alternately.

5th—Parish Officers.

6th—Any other Special Report or Communication to the Vestry.

7th—The Seal of the Vestry to be affixed to any document.

8th—Motions.

