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*Act, 18 and 19 Vic., Cap. 120.*

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# THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

*VESTRY of the PARISH of ST. GILES,*

CAMBERWELL.

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**I**N 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, 1888.

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Report of the  
**REPORT**

OF THE

*General Purposes Committee*

FOR THE

Year ending Lady-day, 1888.

REPORT

General Purposes Committee

Year ending Lady-day, 1888.

1887-88.

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## Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell.

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*REPORT OF THE GENERAL PURPOSES  
COMMITTEE, of Works executed, and matters  
dealt with by them during the Year ending Lady-  
day, 1888.*

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### “NEW STREETS.”

THE following “New Streets” have been paved at the cost of the Owners, under the provisions of the 18th and 19th, and 25th and 26th Vic., the actual cost of each being ascertained upon completion, and the difference between the Surveyor’s estimated, and actual cost, being collected from or returned to the Owners in these respective “New Streets.”

	Length in yds.		Length in yds.
Ashbourne grove.....	274	Brought forward ...	1716
Belvoir street .....	222	Marmora road .....	359
Bonsor street .....	86	Melford road.....	156
Chesterfield grove .....	225	Meeting-house lane (foot- ways only).....	241
Cowan street.....	89	Pennethorne road.....	185
Cross road, Greens row .....	16	Rainbow street.....	200
Derwent grove.....	252	Silvester road .....	464
Fellbrigg road (part of).....	148	Stuart road .....	243
Greens row, or square.....	55	Upstall street .....	140
Jarvis road .....	38	Welby street.....	91
Lea street .....	253	Worlington road .....	303
Loncroft road from Coburg road to near Brymer road, (executed by the Owner, under the supervision of the Vestry, a dedication thereof being made by the Freeholder) .....	58		
Carried forward .....	1716		4,098

Total length of "New Streets" executed in the past twelve months, about  $2\frac{1}{4}$  miles.

The following "New Streets" have also been "taken" by the Vestry, surveys, estimates, apportionments, &c., prepared, and the collection thereof is now in hand.

Kingswood road	Peckham park (in completion)
Ivydale road	Canterbury road (in completion)
Mundania road	suspended through legal proceedings
Machell road	Alleyn park, from Park road, Dulwich, to Union road, (footways only)
Hillsborough road	
Blackwater street	
Piermost or Piermont road, Peckham rye	



The number, mileage, and cost of "New Streets" paved since the Vestry undertook this special work is as follows:—

Year.	No. of Streets.	Length in Miles.	Approximate Cost.
Reported to 1887	478	58	£308,040
" 1888	21	2½	£11,880
Total to date...	499	60½	£319,920

### LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

CAMBERWELL ROAD, east side, extending northward from near Green's row. As per last year's Report, the Vestry had plans prepared by your Surveyor for widening this important thoroughfare in completion of the work already executed by the Metropolitan Board, and petitioned the Board to carry out the same, but your Committee regret to report the reply that the Board were not prepared to act upon the suggestions of the Vestry.

QUEEN'S ROAD, from near Meeting-house-lane to Montpelier road. This much needed improvement also shared the same fate as Camberwell road, the Metropolitan Board not complying with the petition of the Vestry.

GOLDSMITH ROAD, north side, from Furley street to Marmont road. A small widening of this thoroughfare has been effected here and the footway paved and kerbed by the Owners.

FOREST HILL ROAD, east side, from opposite Dunstons road to Mundania road. The freeholders—Messrs. Stevens—of the estate fronting the road at this part, having offered to give up a large strip of land for the purpose of widening the same, on condition that the Vestry made up and paved the



footway and road. This offer was accepted by the Vestry upon such conditions—the land to be dedicated to the public for ever.

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### FOOTPATH OR HIGHWAY DIVERSIONS.

Your Committee having had submitted to them an application of the Estates Governors of Alleyn's College, Dulwich, proposing that a certain highway or footpath situate at Dulwich, between Turney road and Gallery road, might be stopped up or diverted, and to substitute in lieu thereof a new road named Burbage road, of a more commodious character. The Committee, with your Surveyor, viewed the highway or footpath and the road, and finding that the new highway or road was slightly longer but very much wider, they recommended the Vestry to comply with the application and to instruct the Vestry Clerk to apply to two Justices of the Peace to view the same, to which the Vestry (as Surveyors of Highways) agreed.

The Magistrates duly viewed the *locus in quo*, and consented to the proposed diversion or substitution at a Court held at the Surrey Sessions, on 24th October last.

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### YORK STONE PAVING & GRANITE PITCHING.

GENERAL WORKS. The General Repairs of the footways and crossings throughout the Parish, including making

good openings made for gas and water and drainage trenches, have been executed by the masous and paviors, in the employ of the Vestry, the material being supplied by contract to the Vestry. The work incidental to trenches is charged to the respective Companies.

Special Repairs have also been executed at :—

CAMBERWELL ROAD, west side, from Wyndham road to Avenue road.

CAMBERWELL GROVE, east side, from Church street to Lettsom street.

WELLS STREET, west side, from the Canal Bridge to Harling street.

WATERLOO STREET, from Camberwell green to George street.

The approximate quantity of New Material used during the year was as follows:—

York Paving	-	-	-	31,069 feet sup.
Kerb	-	-	-	638 „ run.
Granite Pitching	-	-	-	580 yds. sup.

The above quantity of Granite Pitching includes numerous crossings placed in the footways at entrances to private premises, which are laid down with the consent of the Vestry at the expense of the various applicants.



## TAR PAVING.

The Repairs to tar-paved footpaths continue to be carried out by workmen in the employ of the Vestry, and include the repairing of trenches opened by the various Gas and Water Companies, builders and others. The more important repairs and new work being executed under special contract.

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

### General Repairs to Tar-paved

Footpaths, viz.:—the bot-  
toming and topping, by  
Vestry workmen (includ-

ing trenches - - 19,374 yds. sup.

Ditto, topping only - - 2,378 „

Ditto, painting and shelling 34,817 „

### Special Work by Contractor,

which included—

Alley park, both sides, from	}	5,539 yds. sup. new work.
Union road to Gipsy hill		

Goose Green, both sides of	}	172 yds. sup. painting and shelling
the road, from St. John's		
Church to Crystal Palace		
road - - - -		

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## PARLIAMENTARY DEPOSITATIONS.

### THE "PECKHAM & EAST DULWICH TRAMWAYS" BILL.

This Bill—an epitome of which was embodied with *Annual Report* of last year—having passed both Houses

of Parliament, became law. One of the Clauses altered the name of the Company to the "London, Camberwell and Dulwich Tramways" Company, under which new name a further parliamentary depositions was made in November last, the digest of which, and other parliamentary schemes is as follows :—

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## SESSION 1888.

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### "LONDON, CAMBERWELL AND DULWICH TRAMWAYS."

JOSEPH QUICK & SONS, Engineers.

*23, Gt. George Street, Westminster.*

WILLIAM BELL, Parliamentary Agent,

*27, Gt. George Street, Westminster.*

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THIS is a proposed line of Tramway to be laid in continuation of, and connected with, the present Tramway at Peckham Rye, at the junction of East Dulwich Road ; passing from thence along the west side of Peckham Rye to Forest Hill Road, and continuing southward to the Forest Hill Tavern, opposite Mundania Road.

The inclinations of this Tramway are as follows :—

For 5 Chains	.	(about)	.	1 in 150
6	"	.	"	1 in 63
13½	"	.	"	1 in 100
12	"	.	"	1 in 44



For 2 Chains	.	(about)	.	1 in 61
6	"	.	"	1 in 542
9	"	.	"	1 in 78
5	"	.	"	1 in 42
7	"	.	"	1 in 29

65½ chains =  $\frac{7}{8}$  mile nearly.

Loops or crossings are to be placed nearly opposite to—

Barry road  
Friern road  
Mundania road

At these crossings the spaces between the kerb and Tramway will be less than the statutory width of 9 ft. 6 in.

The widths of the public roadways which this line will traverse are as follows :—

#### PECKHAM RYE.

	Common Path.	Roadway.	Footpath next House Property.
	Ft. In.	Ft. In.	Ft. In.
West side, opposite the South corner of East Dulwich road	6 - 4	30 - 10	8 - 1
Do. opposite Barry road	- 6 - 0	30 - 0	8 - 0
Do. opposite Friern road	- 6 - 7	27 - 7	10 - 0

#### FOREST HILL ROAD.

Opposite the S.E. corner of the

Elms - - - - 6 - 5      23   8      10 - 0



	Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.
Opposite Dunstons road -	-	7-10	26	-	7	7-4
Do. (unwidened portion) near						
Mundania road -	-	7-7	20	-	6	8-0
Do. at loop near Mundania						
road (widened portion) -	-	9-7	31	-	9	8-0

MEM.—Between the Kings Arm's P.H. and Friern road, the proposed Tramways occupying the centre of the road will interfere with the course of the new Sewers which may shortly be required to be laid down therein.

“ADDITIONAL LANDS FOR WIDENING RYE LANE.”

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Powers are sought in this Bill to acquire *part* of the forecourts of the following properties :—

No. \*118, Rye lane, corner of Choumert road.

Nos. \*128, \*128A, \*130, \*130A, Rye lane. (Mr. W. L. Dowton and others, owners, &c.) This is the paved open space fronting the entrance to Peckham Public Hall, and shops adjoining northward of Coombe Lodge.

Nos. 134 and 136, Rye lane (Mr. G. T. Congreve, owner). Forecourts of two houses adjoining southward to Coombe Lodge.

MEM.—The above properties marked (\*), as also Coombe Lodge, were dealt with in the Act of August last. (See Clause 7.)

Clause 5 of the Act of 1885, relating to the Junction between this proposed Tramway and the London Tramway Company's lines at end of Rye lane, in Peckham High street, and also as to the proposed widening of Rye lane, it is proposed

“to alter, or repeal, or make other provisions in regard to the same.”

MEM.—Should these works be permitted it will be necessary to anticipate the paving of the margins of the roadway on each side of the Tramway.

As regards the widening of Rye lane, the Vestry passed the following Resolutions on the 15th of February last :

(a) That upon the London, Camberwell and Dulwich Tramway Company widening Rye lane, in a manner shewn upon the plan marked A and deposited by them with this Vestry, and upon such Company acquiring and conveying to the Vestry, free of expense, for the use of the public for ever the land in such plan coloured red, the Tramway No. 1, referred to in the 48 & 49 Vict. c. 199, Section 5, may be constructed. And that after such conveyance the Common Seal of the Vestry be affixed to this resolution as shewing that this Vestry is satisfied with such widening.

(b) That upon the London, Camberwell and Dulwich Tramway Company effecting the Junction of their Tramway No. 1, with the Tramways of the London Tramways Company, Limited (so far as shewn on the plan deposited by them with this Vestry and marked B) in pursuance of the said Section 5 of 48 and 49 Vict. c. 199, and dealt with by the 50 and 51 Vict. cap. 183, Section 15, the Common Seal of the Vestry be affixed to this resolution as shewing that the Vestry is satisfied with such Junction and approves of it, and the said Tramway No. 1 may thereupon be opened for traffic.



That the consent of the Vestry be, and is hereby given to the making of the Tramway towards Forest hill, as described in the Bill of the London, Camberwell and Dulwich Tramways' Company, at present before Parliament, and to the maintenance and use of the Tramway already constructed from Queen's road Station to Rye lane, as proposed by Clause 25 of the said Bill.

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### TRAMWAYS.

With respect to those Tramway lines which were reported last year as being certified ready for public traffic they remain unopened and unused, being more or less dependent upon the additional powers sought for in the present Session of Parliament.

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### CANTERBURY ROAD BRIDGE.

The Bill authorizing the construction of this Bridge, which was contained in the Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Bill, 1887, having passed through Parliament, the Metropolitan Board communicated to this Vestry on the 11th October last, that they had resolved to proceed with the work upon the following conditions :—

“ That the Landowners give up the Land required for the Bridge and approaches; that the Local Authorities, and the Landowners contribute £6,000, and that an agreement be entered into for carrying out the arrangement.”

Thereupon your Committee arranged for, and held joint meetings with the representatives of the Greenwich Board of Works, and the Vestry on the 9th November last, agreed to and adopted the resolutions of your Committee, which were to the following effect:—To agree with the Greenwich Board of Works to make up a moiety not exceeding £6,000 of the actual cost of the Bridge, and to amplify the powers of the joint Committee to enable them to urge upon the Metropolitan Board their views as to the construction of the Bridge.

Your Committee subsequently held a conference as to the contribution to be paid by the Greenwich District Board, this Vestry, and the Landowners, who, according to the Agreement prepared by the Metropolitan Board were to pay £6,000. At this meeting it was decided to apply to the Metropolitan Board to reduce the sum of £6,000; which the Board eventually decided to reduce to £5,500 as the fixed sum to be contributed by the District Board, this Vestry, and the Landowners; this the Vestry have agreed to, and authorised the settlement of the Draft Agreement on that basis, and that the Seal of the Vestry be affixed to the same when settled and agreed to by the Greenwich Board.

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### *STREET NOMENCLATURE.*

The following is a schedule of the streets re-named and re-numbered during the past year, in accordance with orders from the Metropolitan Board of Works, the notices have been served, and the alterations made in accordance therewith, and a Report, shewing that the same had been carried out, has been forwarded to the Metropolitan Board.



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**RE-NUMBERING ONLY.**

Ashbourne grove  
 Graces road  
 Harris street  
 Crawthow grove  
 Bath street  
 Elms road (part of)  
 Lordship lane (part of)  
 Queens road (part of)  
 Coleman road

**RE-NAMED ONLY.**

Approach road to Infirmary out  
 of Melbourne grove, now Jarvis  
 road

**RE-NAMED AND RE-NUMBERED.**

William street, Neate street (now Herring street).  
 Elms road, part of (now Calton road, Dulwich).  
 Norfolk street, Peckham (now Reedham street).

MEM.—Parties whose property is affected by the change of numbers can obtain certified copies of the orders of the Metropolitan Board on printed forms, with extracts from plans as a means of identifying the old and new numbers of the houses, for a small fee, upon application to the Metropolitan Board of Works, Spring gardens.

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**STREET TABLETS.**

These have been, as usual, affixed and reinstated, where necessary, throughout the Parish.

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**LIGHTING.**

The improved lighting of the Parish continues to engage the Committee's attention; many additions have been made in the



number of lamps as will be seen in the table below, besides many removals in the positions of the existing lamps, reducing the distances between the same and substituting improved lanterns, much benefitting localities so dealt with.

Table shewing the additional lamps erected during the past year, and the total number of ordinary lamps in the Parish:—

Company providing the supply.	No. of Lamps lighted at Lady-day, 1887	New Lamps erected in year Lady-day, 1888	Total No. of ordinary lamps Lady-day, 1888
South Metropolitan Gas Company - -	3,032	89	3,121
Crystal Palace District Gas Company - -	194	3	197
	3,226	92	3,318

In addition to the ordinary lamps the following ornamental and central lamps are lighted by the South Metropolitan Gas Company :—

1 at Peckham rye, west side, at junction with Barry road.

1 at Goose green, at junction of roads, next Lordship lane.

1 at Knatchbull road, opposite Flodden road.

1 at Lordship lane, opposite Dulwich Common road.

And also ten 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 „ „ High street, Peckham, at foot of Rye lane.
- 1 Bray's patent at Church street, next Camberwell grove.

The number of ordinary lamps now represent an average of about one lamp to every 65 yards of public and private road in the Parish.

The charge for the gas supplied to the ordinary lamps is as follows :—

South Metropolitan Gas Company	£3 7s. 4d.	} per lamp per annum.
Crystal Palace Gas Company	- £3 15s. 10d.	

NOTE.—These charges are subject to 5 per cent. discount, conditionally that the accounts are paid within one month of each Quarter-day.

The charge for the gas to the central lamps at Peckham rye, Goose green, Knatchbull road, and Lordship lane, is by meter, at the rate of 2s. 5d. per 1,000 feet.

The charges for the remaining ten special lamps vary according to their illuminating power and gas consumed.

The above prices include the supply of gas, also the lighting, painting, cleansing, and keeping the lamps and columns in repair.



The lamp columns and lanterns are provided, fixed, and charged for, by the respective Companies, to this Vestry, in addition to the foregoing, thus:—

South Metropolitan Gas Company	£2 7s. 3d.
Crystal Palace Gas Company -	£2 10s. 0d.

### *NEW ROADS AND FOOTWAYS.*

In accordance with the Metropolis Management Acts, and the Bye-laws of the Metropolitan Board, seven applications for "New Streets" were referred by the Metropolitan Board for the opinion of this Vestry. The same having been viewed and reported upon by the Surveyor, the Vestry recommended the Board to approve such applications. The Board in each case adopted the Vestry's recommendation.

NAMES OF STREETS.	Decision of Metropolitan Board of Works.	Recommendation of Vestry.
McDowall road, Knatchbull road	Approved - -	Approved
Inverton road (extension of) -	Approved - -	Approved
Lanbury road, Ivydale road -	Approved - -	Approved
Belwood road, Ivydale road -	Approved - -	Approved
Pennack road, Sumner road -	Approved - -	Approved
Ethnard road, Old Kent road -	Approved - -	Approved
Colyton road, Forest Hill road -	Approved - -	Approved

### *LINES OF FRONTAGE, PROJECTIONS, &c.*

The Metropolitan Board of Works have submitted for the opinion of the Vestry 24 applications for lines of frontage, projections, &c., which have been examined and reported



upon by the Surveyor; the Vestry recommended approval of 23 cases and refusal of 1 case. The Metropolitan Board of Works subsequently notified its consent to 18 and refused 6.

### *DRINKING FOUNTAINS AND CATTLE TROUGHS.*

The following is a list of the several Drinking Fountains and Cattle Troughs in the Parish, and which 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>

The foregoing is submitted on behalf of the General Purposes Committee.

(Signed)

ANDREW MIDDLEMASS,

*Chairman, 1887-8.*

JOSEPH NICHOLAS WESSON,

*Vice-Chairman.*

J. C. REYNOLDS,

*Surveyor.*

*May, 1888.*



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## LIST OF ROADS & FOOTWAYS.

THE following is a List of the Roads and Footways within this Parish—the Public Roads or those which are under the control of the Vestry, the Private Roads are not under Vestry supervision except as to Lighting.

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 ...	1,562	...
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 ...	274	...
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 ...	10,372	1,802

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	10,372	1,802
Attwell street, Rye lane ...	133	...
Aulay street, Ossory road ...	127	113
Avenue, The, Gipsy 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 ...	...	400
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 ...	14,869	2,959



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	14,869	2,959
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	...
<i>Belwood road, Ivydale road</i> ...	...	...
Belvoir street, Lordship lane ...	222	...
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
Carried forward ...	19,466	3,619



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	19,466	3,619
Blackwater street, Lordship lane...	...	430
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	...
Bonsor street ... ..	86	...
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	...
Carried forward ..	23,783	4,432

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	23,783	4,432
Bronte place, Waite street ...	...	65
<i>Brookland street, Wells street</i> ...	...	...
Brunswick road, Brunswick square	123	..
Brunswick square, Peckham road	612	...
Brymer road, Albany road ...	194	...
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 ...	...	1,080
Calmington road, Albany road ...	172	...
Calton road, Dulwich ... ..	...	167
Camberwell grove... ..	1,073	...
Camberwell green... ..	392	180
Camberwell new road (part of) ...	520	...
Camberwell road (part of) ...	910	...
Camberwell Station road ... ..	208	...
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 ...	30,007	6,429



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	30,007	6,429
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 ...	...	90
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	...
Castlemain road, Gloucester road...	200	...
Cator street, Commercial road ...	838	...
Caulfield road (late Lugard road),		
part of ...	200	...
Cerise road, Hanover park ...	140	...
Champion grove, Grove lane ...	...	290
Champion hill, Grove lane (part of)	...	658
Champion park, Denmark hill ...	333	...
Carried forward ...	33,546	8,470



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	33,546	8,470
Chadwick road, Victoria road ...	616	...
Chatham rd., Avenue rd. (part of)	60	...
Charlotte street, Old Kent road ...	133	...
Chesterfield grove, Lordship lane...	225	...
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 ...	210	250
Clifton square, Albert road ...	...	82
Cobden street, St. George's road ...	...	70
Coburg road, Old Kent road ..	600	...
Carried forward ...	39,063	9,002

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	39,063	9,002
Colby road, Gipsy hill (part of) ...	160	...
Coleman road, Southampton street	396	...
College road, Dulwich ...	1,380	1,570
Colls road, Astbury road ...	218	...
Collyer place, High street... ..	42	...
Colwell road, Lordship lane ...	175	...
<i>Colyton road, Forest Hill road</i> ...	...	...
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 ...	235	...
Cranswick road, Rotherhithe New rd.	102	...
Crawthew grove, Crystal Palace rd.	350	...
Crebor street, Upland road ...	...	133
Carried forward ...	45,781	12,737



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	45,781	12,737
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, from Shenley road to		
Crofton road ...     ...     ...	54	...
Cross road, Green's row ...     ...	16	...
Croxted road, West Dulwich ...	619	1,073
Crystal Palace road, Goose green...	1,421	...
Crystal Palace parade ...     ...	...	770
Culmore road, Asylum road ...	323	...
Cumberland place, Addington square	195	...
Cunard street, Albany road ...	145	...
Cuthill road, Denmark hill ...	144	...
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 ...     ...	280	...
Carried forward ...	51,813	14,793



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	51,813	14,793
Darrell street, Upland road ...	158	158
Dartnell road, Albany road ...	195	...
Datchelor place (see Pound row)...	76	...
Davey street, Sumner road ...	76	...
Dayton grove, York grove ...	197	...
De Crespigny park, Denmark hill	366	...
Delaforde 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	...
Depôt street, Addington square ...	49	...
Derwent grove, Grove vale ...	252	...
Dewar street, Fenwick road ...	53	62
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	...
<i>Dominic road, Glengall road</i> ...	...	...
Dowlas street, Wells street ...	183	...
Carried forward ...	56,863	15,063

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	56,863	15,063
Downes street, Lower Park road...	220	...
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	611	688
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 ...	64,331	16,740



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	64,331	16,740
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	...
<i>Ethnard road, Old Kent road</i> ...	...	...
Evelina road, Lausanne road ...	498	...
Farndon row, John street ...	60	...
Farquhar road, Upper Norwood ...	749	...
Fearnley road, Camberwell grove	60	..
Fellbrigg road, Lordship lane ...	148	152
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 ...	156	...
Fountain road, College road ...	...	425
Carried forward ...	69,858	17,577

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	69,858	17,577
Fowler street, Lettsom street ...	89	...
Frankton road, Hill street ...	170	...
Friern road, Peckham rye ...	1,330	...
Frogley road, Lordship lane ...	126	...
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 village ...	...	57
Geldart road, Meeting-house lane	...	100
George street, Camberwell green...	385	...
Gervase street, Asylum road ...	166	...
Gibbon road, Nunhead ... ..	527	...
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	353	...
Gloucester road, Wells street ...	570	84
Godman road, Copeland road ...	202	...
Carried forward ...	76,104	18,705



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	76,104	18,705
Goldie street, Coburg road ...	180	...
Goldsmith road, Hill street ...	405	..
Goodrich road, Lordship lane ...	738	333
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 ...	105	...
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 lane, Church street... ..	1,300	...
Grove lane mews (rear of Grove)...	...	310
Carried forward ...	82,195	21,035

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	82,195	21,035
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
Hampton's avenue, Chiswell street	...	80
Hanlon's place, Albany road ...	...	50
Hanover park, Rye lane ...	300	...
Hanover street, Rye lane...	333	...
Hansler road, Lordship lane ...	...	166
Hardcastle street, High street ...	166	...
Harder's road, Queen's road . .	440	...
Harling street, Wells street ...	230	...
Harris street, Havil street ...	300	...
Harris place, Harris street ...	93	...
<i>Harlescott road, Ivydale road</i> ...	...	...
Harold street, Knatchbull road ...	343	...
Harvey road, Kimpton road ...	127	...
Haslam place, Jocelyn street ...	133	...
Hatcham road, Old Kent road ...	315	...
Hathway street, Lausanne road ...	53	...
Havil street, Peckham road ...	523	...
Haymerle road, Peckham...	137	...
Carried forward ...	87,558	22,284



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	87,558	22,284
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
Herring street, Neate street ...	191	...
<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	...
Hollington street, Crown street ...	193	...
Hollydale road, Queen's road ...	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 ...	92,675	23,904

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	92,675	23,904
Howbury road, Evelina road ...	220	...
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	...
<i>Inverton road, Limesford road</i> ...	...	...
Ivanhoe road, Grove Hill road ...	298	...
Ivydale road, Nunhead ... ..	...	1,000
James cottages, Nunhead lane ...	...	60
James grove, Commercial road ...	190	...
Jardin street, Albany road ...	261	...
Jarvis road ... ..	38	...
Jasper road, Farquhar road ...	148	110
Jasper passage, Jasper road (footway only ... ..	20	...
Jennings road, Landcroft road ...	248	...
Jocelyn street, Commercial road ...	201	...
John street, Edmund street ...	142	...
Carried forward ...	95,362	25,295



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	95,362	25,295
Joiners Arms yard, Denmark hill...	...	40
Joys cottages, George street ...	...	43
Kelmores 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	...
Knatchbull road, Camberwell New		
road ... ..	777	...
Kincaid road, Meeting-house lane	...	130
Lacon road, Crystal Palace road ...	142	...
<i>Lanbury road, Ivydale road</i> ...	...	...
Landcroft road, Lordship lane ...	576	...
Carried forward ...	100,278	26,198

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ..	100,278	26,198
Langdale road, Hill street ...	260	...
Langton road (S.W.), Lothian road	130	...
Langton road (S.E.), Wood vale ...	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 ...	253	...
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 ...	104,480	27,537



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	104,480	27,537
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... ..	327	...
London road, Forest hill ... ..	350	...
Loncroft road, Albany road ...	212	55
Lower Park road, Peckham ...	700	...
Lowth road, next Warner rd. (part of)	10	...
Lugard road, Hollydale road ...	270	...
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	...
Malfort 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 ...	112,141	28,093

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	112,141	28,093
Marmont road, High street, Peckham	373	...
Marlborough road, Old Kent road	293	...
Marmora road, Forest Hill road ...	359	81
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
<i>McDowall road</i> ...	...	...
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 ...	393	...
Melon place, High street, Peckham	...	83
Carried forward ...	116,686	28,920



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	116,686	28,920
Mews, Artichoke row (end of) ...	...	30
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 ...	...	294
Newbold road, Asylum road ...	40	...
New Church road, Camberwell road ...	730	...
New James street, Nunhead lane...	...	103
Nile terrace, Trafalgar road ...	108	...
Carried forward ...	120,485	30,163

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	120,485	30,163
Nigel road, Peckham rye ...	148	...
Norfolk street, now Reedham street	...	...
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 ...	127,325	30,388



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	127,325	30,388
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, Peckham ... ..	...	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 ...	130,923	32,228

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	130,923	32,228
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 ... ..	947	...
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	...
<i>Pennack road, Sumner road</i> ...	...	...
Pennethorne road, Goldsmith road	185	...
Pepler road, Trafalgar road ...	209	...
Pera road, Forest Hill road ...	...	313
Phillip road, Peckham rye ...	354	...
Picton street, George street ...	316	...
Piermost road, Peckham rye ...	...	77
Pilkington road, Brayard road ...	160	...
Pitt street, Commercial road ...	113	...
Pittman street, Nelson street ...	73	...
Placquett road, Grove vale ...	103	107
Pleasant place, George street ...	...	40
Pomeroy street, Queen's rd. (part of)	33	...
Carried forward ...	137,514	32,765



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	137,514	32,765
Pound row, Church street (see Datchelor place) ...	...	...
Povah road, Albany 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	...
Ranger road ...	...	50
Raul road, Hanover park...	93	...
Reedham street, Choumert road ...	192	..
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, Lettsom street ...	140	...
Rivet street, Old Kent road ...	67	...
Rockell's place, Forest Hill road ...	...	71
Carried forward ...	140,755	33,488

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	140,755	33,488
Rodwell road, Landcroft road ...	299	...
Rosemary road, Sumner 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 ...	240	...
Sansom street, Waterloo street ...	182	...
Sartor road, Peckham rye ...	...	100
Salisbury cottages, Lisford street (two portions) ... ...	35	...
St. Aidan's road, Peckham rye ...	...	300
St. Aidan's road, 20-ft. way out of	...	56
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	...
Carried forward ...	146,420	34,310



Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	146,420	34,310
Scarsdale grove, Scarsdale road ...	...	100
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 ...	464	...
Simpson's alley, Half Moon lane to Herne Hill (footpath only) ...	..	380
Snakes lane, Dulwich common (footpath only) ... ..	...	143
Soames street, Bellenden road ...	117	...
Carried forward ...	149,485	35,455

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	149,485	35,455
Solly place, Copeland road ...	...	120
Solomon's passage, Peckham rye		
(footpath only) ...	...	160
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	...
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	...
Stories road, Camberwell grove ...	117	...
Stuart road, Peckham rye ...	240	123
Studholme street, Asylum road ...	196	...
Sturdy road, Gordon road...	107	...
Sugden street, Addington square...	87	..
Sumner road, Peckham ...	840	...
Sultan street, Crown street ...	230	...
Sultan terrace, Avenue road ...	70	...
Surrey terrace, Peckham park road	...	123
Carried forward ...	154,199	36,669



Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
Length in Yards		
Brought forward ...	154,199	36,669
Surrey place, Albany road ...	44	...
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 avenue, from Avenue road to Sultan terrace ...	...	100
Thompson street, Landcroft road...	138	...
Thorncombe rd., East Dulwich grove	...	170
Thornhill square, Westmacott street	...	42
Thurlow park road, Dulwich common	373	...
Tiger yard, Camberwell green ...	...	117
Tilson road, Camden grove north...	300	...
Toulon street, Wyndham road ...	206	...
Townley road, Lordship lane ...	...	555
Carried forward ...	157,224	38,436

Name	Public Roads	Private Roads
	Length in Yards	
Brought forward ...	157,224	38,436
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	197	...
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 ...	1,374	533
Union road, Dulwich ... ..	...	460
Unwin road, Derwent road ...	136	...
Upland road, Lordship lane ...	1,720	...
Upper Hall street, Commercial road	90	...
Upstall street, Knatchbull road ...	140	...
Upper Grange road (part) ...	73	...
Carried forward ...	163,156	40,783



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
Length in Yards.		
Brought forward ...	163,156	40,783
Varcoe road, Credon road ...	103	206
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 ...	...	43
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 ...	91	...
Wellington road, St. Mary's road...	150	...
Wellington place, Red Post hill ...	...	400
Carried forward ...	166,774	42,124

Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	166,774	42,124
Wells place, South street ...	160	...
Wells street, Southampton street...	633	...
Westerfield gardens, Goldsmith road	...	80
Westhall road, now Wood vale, Forest Hill road ...	...	...
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	...
Williams place, Waterloo street ...	...	60
Willowbrook road, Sumner road ...	380	...
Willowbrook grove, Trafalgar road	...	70
Wilson road, Peckham road ...	291	...
Winchester place, High street, Peckham ...	100	...
Windsor road, Grove lane...	280	...
Wingfield street, Maxted road ...	160	...
Wivenhoe road, Albert road ...	166	...
Wood vale, Lordship lane...	1,293	...
Woods road, Harders road ...	150	...
Worlingham road, Goose green ...	303	...
Woodwarde road, Lordship lane ...	...	800
Carried forward ...	171,681	43,468



Name.	Public Roads.	Private Roads.
	Length in Yards.	
Brought forward ...	171,681	43,468
Wroxton road, Brayard road ...	110	...
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 ... ..	172,470	43,630

Public Roads and Footways—Length,

172,470 yds. = 98 miles.

Private Roads and Footways—Length,

43,630 yds. =  $24\frac{3}{4}$  miles.

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

# SUMMARY.

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Public Roads, Length 171,383 yds.= }  
 about  $97\frac{3}{8}$  miles. }

Public Footways, Length 1,087 yds.= }  
 about  $\frac{5}{8}$  mile. } 98 miles,  
 172,470 yds.

Private Roads, Length 41,789 yds.= }  
 about  $23\frac{3}{4}$  miles. }

Private Footways, Length 1,841 yds.= }  
 about 1 mile. }  $24\frac{3}{4}$  miles.  
 43,630 yds. —

Total mileage of Roads and Foot-  
 ways in Parish . . .  $122\frac{3}{4}$  miles.



REPORT OF THE  
NEW PLANT & SCAVENGING COMMITTEE

For the year ending Lady-day, 1888.

ROAD WATERING.

# Summary

## REPORT OF THE

## NEW PLANT & REVENUE COMMITTEE

For the year ending Lady day, 1888.



## New Plant & Scavenging Committee.

The Vestry having referred the question of the redistribution of the work now carried out by the respective Standing Committees to a Special Committee for report, such report was submitted to the Vestry on the 28th April last, when an additional Committee was formed to deal with all matters relating to Scavenging, Watering, Removal of Dust, the management and control of the Men, Horses, Stables, Shoots, Barges, Carts, Plant and Machinery connected therewith, also the purchase of Horses, Fodder, Tools and Materials required, to be called the Plant and Scavenging Committee, who now report as follows:—

### ROAD WATERING.

The watering of the Public roads of the Parish has been executed by the staff and plant of the Vestry.

The supply of water, the mileage of roads watered, and the amount paid for water was as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Southwark and Vauxhall Water Company—by meter	764	7	11
Rent of 51 meters. Standposts property of Vestry	103	19	0
Lambeth Water Company—by meter ... ..	423	19	6
Rent of 30 meters ... ..	62	9	6
Rent of 30 standposts ... ..	44	12	6
Kent Water Company—by mileage: about 11 miles...	330	0	0
Fifteen Pumps from Wells ... ..	Nil.		
Four Pumps (from Grand Surrey Canal) ... ..	31	11	0
Lewisham Board of Works—Sydenham hill (moiety of expenses) ... ..	44	18	8
	£1,805	18	1

Length of roads watered about 95 miles.

	Southwark & Vauxhall Co.'s supply	Kent Co.'s supply	Lambeth Water Co.'s supply.
Hydrants and Waterposts, the property of Vestry ... ..	No. 51	No. 11	No. —
Do. the property of the Lambeth Water Company, for which a rental of 30/- each per annum is paid ...	—	—	30
Meters—the property of the Companies, for which a rent of £2 2s. each per annum is paid .. ...	51	—	30

The charges for water are part by mileage and part by meter.

THE SOUTHWARK AND VAUXHALL WATER Co. supply water at 8½d. per 1,000 gallons.

THE LAMBETH WATER Co. at 8½ per 1,000 gallons in the low-level 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 about £20 per mile.

### *SLOPPING, WATERING, DUSTING, &c.*

This work has been performed by the Vestry plant, &c., which has averaged as follows:—

Horses . . . 90	Light Cart . . . 1
Water Vans . . . 69	Steam Road Roller 2
Water Carts . . . 7	Corn Van . . . 1
Material Carts . . . 32	Disinfecting Van 1
Slop Carts . . . 40	Do. Trucks 3
Slop Vans . . . 12	Dust Carts . . . 24
Horse Road Brooms 6	Do. Vans . . . 2

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

Clover, Mixture, and Hay . . .	2.05 trusses.
Straw (including bedding) . . .	1.62 „
Oats . . . . .	2.74 bushels.
Beans . . . . .	0.15 „
Bran . . . . .	9.16 lbs.

The cost of fodder, &c. consumed during the year, has amounted to £3,156 12s. 10d., equal to 13s. 6d. per horse, per week.

The quantity of Slop collected was :—

Road Slop	.	.	.	26,780 loads.
Gulley Slop	.	.	.	3,756 „
Total	.	.	.	<u>30,536 „</u>

(In 1886-7 the quantity was 25,014 loads).

### *BARGING AWAY SLOP AND ROAD REFUSE.*

This work has been carried out under contract by Messrs. Shelbourne & Co., of Limehouse; the quantity removed by barge was 23,372 cart-loads = 308 barge-loads.

The cost of this work has been at the rate of—

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

(MEM.—A van-load is =  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cart-loads.)

The price per cart-load accepted by the Vestry for the forthcoming year is 2s. 2d.

### *REMOVAL OF DUST, DUST BARGING, &c.*

The quantity of dust collected during the

past year ending Lady-day' 1888	-	24,631 loads.
Do. do. 1887	-	<u>25,061 „</u>

Decrease in the year	<u>430 „</u>
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Of the above quantity 17,638 loads only were taken to the Wharf to be *barged* away, the remainder being shot at different private shoots in the Parish at various agreed prices.

The dust barging has been carried out by Messrs. Smeed, Dean, & Co., at the rate of 2s. 6d. per dust-cart load for the first three months, and 3s. 0d. per dust-cart load for the last nine months. The Vestry has entered into a new contract for this work with the same firm for twelvemonths from Midsummer-day, 1888, to Midsummer-day, 1889, at the rate of 2s. 8d. per dust-cart load.

GEORGE LEONARD TURNEY,

*Chairman, 1887-8.*

LEONARD CHARLES SHIPTON,

*Vice-Chairman.*

J. C. REYNOLDS,

*Surveyor.*



Of the above quantity 15,638 loads only were taken to the Wharf to be barged away, the remainder being stored in different private wharves in the Parish at various piers.

The last barging has been carried out by Messrs. General, Darnley & Co. Ltd. at the rate of 2s. 6d. per hundred load for the first three months, and 2s. 3d. per hundred load for the last nine months. The Ventry has entered into a new contract for this work with the same firm for twelve months from Monday-day, 18th, to Monday-day, 18th, at the rate of 2s. 3d. per hundred load.

GEORGE LEONARD TURKIN

Chairman 1937-8

LEONARD CHARLES BRITTON

Chairman 1938-9

J. E. NEWBOLD

Chairman





**REPORT OF THE**

***Sewers & Sanitary Committee***

**For the year ending Lady-day, 1888.**

REPORT OF THE

Secretaries & Sanitary Committee

For the year ending Lady-day, 1888.



## The Sewers and Sanitary Committee

Submit a Report of the works carried out in their department during the year ending Lady-day, 1888:—

### NEW SEWERS.

The following extensions of Pipe Sewers have been executed by the Vestry as public works.

						PIPE SEWERS.		
						9-in.	12-in	18-in.
						Feet.	Feet.	Feet.
Ga	Garden street, Mawbey road	...	...	...	...	130	...	...
De	Denmark road	...	...	...	...	...	50	...
Su	Sumner road	...	...	...	...	...	...	130
Al	Alder street	...	...	...	...	...	200	...
Pi	Picton street	...	...	...	...	126	...	...
Ha	Harris place, rear of	...	...	...	...	..	122	...
As	Astley street	...	...	...	...	...	136	...
Bar	Barry road	...	...	...	...	...	120	...
Co	Cork street	...	...	...	...	...	142	...
						256	770	130

## NEW SEWERS ON BUILDING ESTATES.

Plans and Sections having been deposited by the Owners with the Vestry for the following proposed Sewers, the same were approved and submitted by the Vestry to the Metropolitan Board of Works for their sanction as required by the statute. The Plans in each case received such sanction, and were executed, the work being supervised by the officers of the Vestry.

	PIPE SEWERS.	
	12-in.	18-in.
	Feet.	Feet.
McDowall road, Knatchbull road ... ..	330	...
Loncroft road, Coburg road ... ..	180	...
Collyton road, Forest Hill road ... ..	...	1,750
	510	1,750

## NEW GULLIES.

30 Gullies for road drainage are in course of construction in connection with the foregoing works, and extra gullies and alterations to present gullies where required, have also been executed to complete the surface drainage in "New Streets" works.

With regard to trapping gullies, the Vestry passed the following resolution on the 28th March, 1888 :—That in future, in lieu of continuing to use galvanized shackle flaps, all gullies be *syphon-trapped*, and when any flap-trapped gullies required repair, they be replaced by syphon-trapped gullies.



## GULLY CLEANSING.

The cleansing of the gullies throughout the Parish have received the necessary attention. The number of cart-loads of slop removed from the same during the year being 3,756.

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## SEWER CLEANSING.

The Local Main Sewers are attended to and kept free from deposit by the flushers in the employ of the Vestry. The quantity of slop removed from the local sewers during the past year has been 396 cart loads.

The casting and cleansing of the Local Main Sewer in the Coburg road, necessitated special attention by reason of the quantity of heavy deposit accumulated therein, resulting from the peculiarly slack gradient of the sewer. This was executed at nighttime, with the co-operation of the Metropolitan Board of Works, by shutting down the pen-stocks in the Main Metropolitan Sewers. This work required great caution and vigilance, it being tide work, in order to ensure the safety of the men employed.

A portion of the Brick Sewer in Dulwich Common road having been reported to your Committee, by your Surveyor, to be in a somewhat dilapidated condition, by shewing vents in the brickwork, your Surveyor caused special examination to be made of the work, which would appear was caused by a movement of the subsoil, not easily accounted for, but which probably was occasioned by influences to which clay soils are peculiarly subject. The open joints of the brickwork were pointed up to the extent of about 180 ft. in length, the work at the time of compiling this



Report is temporarily suspended owing to the wet season, but it will be resumed when circumstances, with better weather, will permit, it is however satisfactory to state that as far as the repairs have gone at present, they do not present any further special cause for apprehension.

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

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### HOUSE DRAINAGE.

196 applications have been received for the drainage of 501 houses into the sewers, and the works in connection therewith have been carried out under inspection.

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### DISINFECTING.

Your Committee being engaged, assisted by their Sanitary Inspectors, in aiding the public to disinfect sick rooms, also the clothing, bedding, &c., in cases of infectious diseases, it was considered expedient to provide a specially suitable van to convey, after disinfecting, the articles previously removed from the infected houses. This van has been provided, is now in use, and is giving much satisfaction.

## PUBLIC URINALS.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Addington square, next High road.</li> <li>2. Caspian street, New Church road.</li> <li>3. Denmark hill, opposite Camberwell green.</li> <li>4. Havil street, rear of Vestry Hall.</li> <li>5. Hanover street, next Rye lane.</li> <li>6. Hill street, opposite Bird-in-Bush road.</li> <li>7. Joiners' Arms yard, Denmark hill.</li> <li>8. Old Kent road, opposite Oakley place.</li> <li>9. Orchard row, Camberwell New road.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10. Peckham High street, opposite Hill street.</li> <li>11. Peckham rye, Cross road, near Nunhead lane.</li> <li>12. Peckham rye, opposite "Heaton Arms."</li> <li>13. Rotherhithe New road, next St. James' road.</li> <li>14. Southampton street, by Wells street.</li> <li>15. Sumner road, next Commercial road.</li> <li>16. Upland road, by Police Station.</li> <li>17. Wells street, at St. George's Bridge.</li> <li>18. Wyndham road, at Railway Bridge.</li> <li>19. Commercial road, next Southampton street (recently erected).</li> </ol> |
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These Urinals are regularly cleansed, and the water for flushing them is supplied by the Water Companies serving the respective districts. The charge for such water is £6 per urinal per annum.

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

THOS. FOSTER,

*Chairman, 1887-88.*

R. T. BONSTALL,

*Vice-Chairman.*

J. C. REYNOLDS,

*Surveyor.*

# PUBLIC URINALS

1. Addison square, near High	10. Poshan High street oppo-
2. Clapham street, New Church	11. Poshan High street oppo-
3. Pennington hill opposite Cam-	12. Poshan High street oppo-
4. Havel street, west of Varsity	13. Poshan High street oppo-
5. Haver street, near the	14. Poshan High street oppo-
6. Hill street, opposite Bird in-	15. Poshan High street oppo-
7. Joiners' Arms, near Fenchurch	16. Poshan High street oppo-
8. Old Kent road, opposite Old	17. Poshan High street oppo-
9. Old Kent road, opposite Old	18. Poshan High street oppo-
10. Old Kent road, opposite Old	19. Poshan High street oppo-
11. Old Kent road, opposite Old	20. Poshan High street oppo-
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16. Old Kent road, opposite Old	25. Poshan High street oppo-
17. Old Kent road, opposite Old	26. Poshan High street oppo-
18. Old Kent road, opposite Old	27. Poshan High street oppo-
19. Old Kent road, opposite Old	28. Poshan High street oppo-
20. Old Kent road, opposite Old	29. Poshan High street oppo-
21. Old Kent road, opposite Old	30. Poshan High street oppo-

These Urinals are regularly cleaned, and the water for flushing them is supplied by the Water Company, saving the respective districts. The charge for each water is 10 per animal per annum.

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

THOMAS STANTON  
 E. T. BOND  
 J. C. REYNOLDS



# SUMMARY OF GENERAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.	Terms.
Messrs. A. & F. Manuelle ... ..	Granite (Guernsey) ... ..	Lady-day 1887 to Lady-day 1888, as per schedule
Mr. J. Covington... ..	Flints per Barge, Red Gravel Hoggin, Thames Ballast, and Shell for Tar Paving ... ..	Ditto
Mr. Joseph S. Gabriel ... ..	Rag Stone (per Rail) ... ..	Ditto
Mr. William Wood ... ..	Croydon Flints, &c. ... ..	Ditto
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Hard Core, Burnt Ballast, Hoggin ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons' and Paviers' Work ... ..	Ditto
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Horse Hire ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Stenning... ..	Timber for Wheelwrights Work, &c. ... ..	Ditto
Mr. Geo. Flegg ... ..	Harness ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. F. Austin ... ..	Painters' Sundries ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Lavers ... ..	Lime and Cement ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Shand, Mason & Co. ... ..	Repairs to Pumps ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Aird & Son ... ..	Repairs to Hydrants ... ..	Ditto
Mr. Geo. M. Coghlan ... ..	Printing... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Martin & Sons ... ..	Kent Flints for Dulwich and per rail ... ..	Ditto
Messrs. Bensted ... ..	Rag Stone (per Rail) ... ..	Ditto
Mr. H. Dussek ... ..	Cart Grease .. ..	Ditto
Messrs. J. Smith & Co. ... ..	Stationery ... ..	Ditto
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Sewers General Works ... ..	Ditto

### SUMMARY OF GENERAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.	Terms.
Messrs. Hobman & Co. ... ..	Tar Paving Works ... ..	Lady-day 1887 to Lady-day 1888, as per schedule
Messrs. H. & C. Davis ... ..	Smith and Ironmongers' Work... ..	Ditto
Messrs. J. Shelbourne & Co. ... ..	Slop Barging ... ..	Midsummer, 1887, to Midsummer, 1888, as per specification.
Messrs. Smeed, Deane & Co. ... ..	Dust Barging ... ..	Ditto
Mr. W. Monks ... ..	Clock Winding ... ..	Ditto
New Carbolic Sanitary Company ... ..	Disinfecting Powder ... ..	Ditto

### SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.	Locality of Work.
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..	Ashbourne Grove
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..	Belvoir Street
Limmer Asphalte Company ... ..	Asphalte Paving ... ..	Belvoir Street
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..	Bonsor Street
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..	Chesterfield Grove

### SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACTS.

Name of Contractor.	Nature of Contract.					Locality of Work.
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Cowan Street
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons Work ... ..					Cross Road, Greens Row
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Derwent Grove
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Fellbrigg Road
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Greens Row or Square
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Jarvis Road
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Leo Street
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Marmora Road
Messrs. Bradshaw & Co. ... ..	Asphalte Work ... ..					Marmora Road
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Melford Road
Limmer Asphalte Company ... ..	Asphalte Work ... ..					Melford Road
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons' Work ... ..					Meeting-House Lane part of
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Pennethorne Road
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Rainbow Street
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Silvester Road
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Stuart Road
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons' Work ... ..					Upstall Street
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Roadwork ... ..					Upstall Street
Messrs. Mowlem & Co. ... ..	Masons' Work ... ..					Welby Street
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Roadwork ... ..					Welby Street
Mr. William Harris ... ..	Masons and Roadwork ... ..					Worlingham Road



Date of birth	Sex	Color
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black
1925	F	Black
1925	M	Black

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# MEDICAL OFFICER'S

## ANNUAL REPORT.

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GENTLEMEN,

Judged of by the death-rate alone, the health of London during the year 1887 was better than it has ever been since authentic sanitary records have been made. In my last annual report I pointed out that the death-rates of the last four years had been lower than at any previous time. That of 1887 was an improvement even on this. The death-rates of 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886 and 1887 were severally 20·5, 20·4, 19·8, 19·9, and 19·6 per 1,000. At the same time, it is right that I should explain, as I explained last year, that the marriage and birth rates have all been unusually low, the marriage-rate for 1887 having been the lowest yet recorded, and the birth-rate the lowest since 1849; that the relative deficiency in infantile population necessitates a relative falling off in the mortality; and that consequently

the lowness of death-rate which has lately prevailed cannot be wholly attributed to improvement in health. And, indeed, although the zymotic death-rate has not been high (has been considerably lower, in fact, than the average for the previous 10 years), nearly all such diseases were more fatal in 1887 than in 1886. Thus, while in 1887 there were only 9 deaths from Small-pox and 672 from Fevers, as against 24 and 701 deaths from these diseases respectively in 1886, Hooping-cough increased in mortality from 2,834 to 2,928, Measles from 2,078 to 2894, Diphtheria from 846 to 961, and Scarlet Fever from 688 to 1,447. Nevertheless, there is no doubt that the year was really an unusually healthy year.

The populations of London and 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 progressively increased since that period, and according to the estimate of the Registrar-General the population of the Metropolis amounted in the middle of 1887 to 4,215,182 persons, of whom 1,985,270 were males, 2,229,922 females. The estimated increase, therefore, in the course of six years, was no less than 398,709.



In Table II. I have given the number of births and deaths occurring in the whole of London and in each of its groups of districts, together with the corresponding birth-rates and death-rates:—

TABLE II.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, BIRTH-RATES AND DEATH-RATES OF LONDON AND ITS GROUPS OF DISTRICTS FOR 1887.

	London	West D.	North D.	Central D.	East D.	South D.
Births	133,075	20,148	29,981	7,907	26,099	48,940
Deaths	82,208	14,168	18,072	6,111	16,263	27,568
Birth-Rates	31·7	27·0	29·1	33·6	36·1	33·0
Death-Rates	19·6	19·0	17·8	26·0	22·5	18·6

The birth-rate of the Southern group is less than the rates of the Central and Eastern Districts, but higher than that of either of the others. It is slightly lower than it was in the previous year. The death-rate of the Southern group is lower than those of all the other groups, excepting only the Northern. It is lower by 0·5 than its own mortuary rate for 1886.

Table III. records the deaths from the more important zymotic or infectious diseases in London, year by year, for the last ten years; and, for the year 1887, their distribution among the several 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.	
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	
1886	2,834	2,078	846	688	701	24	
1887	2,928	2,894	961	1,447	672	9	
1887	West D.	316	516	204	218	115	1
	North D.	688	667	156	313	162	0
	Central D.	157	175	106	57	53	1
	East D.	695	622	140	158	115	1
	South D.	1,072	914	355	677	227	4
Metropolitan Asylum Hospitals outside London.	0	0	0	24	0	2	

I now pass on to the sanitary statistics of the Parish of Camberwell. In the subjoined table (Table IV.) are given the populations of Camberwell and of its sub-districts as they were determined at the census of 1881, and the populations estimated for the middle of the year 1887, on the assumption



that the rates of increase of each sub-district and of the Parish, which 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 1887.	6,842	88,050	98,563	65,497	257,810

It will be found that the total for the Parish in the last line does not correspond exactly with the totals obtained by adding up the estimates for the several sub-districts. The difference, which is not very important, depends on the fact (which renders absolute agreement impossible) that the increase for each sub-district, as also that for the entire Parish, have been calculated on independent data. It is almost needless, perhaps, to say that the assumed rates of increase are never really maintained; that the estimated annual growth of the Parish is much more likely to prove fairly uniform than that of any one of its constituent parts; and that hence as we recede further and further from the last census the estimates of the parochial population, and especially the estimates of the populations of the several sub-districts, probably differ more and more widely from the populations actually existing.

During the year 1887 (see Table V.) 7,449 children, of whom 3,869 were boys and 3,580 were girls, were born in the Parish. Of these, 107 belonged to Dulwich, 2,363 to Camberwell, 2,705 to Peckham, and 2,274 to St. George's.



The births were more numerous by 146 than they were in 1886. In Dulwich there was an increase of 23, in Peckham of 119, and in St. George's of 94, while in Camberwell there was a falling off of 90.

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

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham	St. George's	Parish.
1886	84	2,453	2,586	2,180	7,303
1887	107	2,363	2,705	2,274	7,449
Difference	+ 23	- 90	+ 119	+ 94	+ 146

The births per 1,000 for 1886 and 1887 respectively are shown in Table VI. I made the following remarks in my last report:—"It will be observed that there has been a general and considerable diminution of the birth-rate for 1886 as compared with that for 1885. The birth-rate of Dulwich was, as it always has been, very low, and that of Peckham has fallen so much that it adds probability to what other circumstances suggest, namely, that the population of this sub-district has not been increasing at its former rate, and that it is now considerably less than the estimate." This fall in the death-rate has, on the whole, continued; for, as will be seen, the death-rate has fallen in Camberwell, in Peckham, and in the whole Parish. It has remained stationary in St. George's, and only in Dulwich has risen.

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

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
1886	12·7	29·7	27·6	34·7	29·7
1887	15·6	26·8	27·4	34·7	28·9

The deaths registered in Camberwell (see Table IX.) during the year amounted to 4,011, of which 2,009 were of males, 2,002 of females; and of which 58 were returned for Dulwich, 1,572 for Camberwell, 1,316 for Peckham, and 1,065 for St. George's. The deaths were more numerous than those occurring in 1886 by 18. There was an increase in Dulwich of 3, in Camberwell of 80, and in St. George's of 16, but a decrease of 81 in Peckham.

Of the 1,572 deaths returned for the sub-district of Camberwell 333 occurred in the Workhouse and Infirmary, and 122 in the two Lunatic Asylums, making a total of 455 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 deaths proportionately among them all. This has been done in Table VII., the last column of which gives the corrected returns.

TABLES VII.—REDISTRIBUTION OF DEATHS AMONG SUB-DISTRICTS OF CAMBERWELL.

	Deaths returned.	Deaths in W. & L. A.	Deaths in W. & L. A. sub- tracted.	Deaths in W. & L. A. re- distributed.	Estimates of Deaths due to Districts.
Dulwich	58	...	55	8	66
Camberwell	1,572	- 455	1,117	143	1,260
Peckham	1,316	...	1,316	168	1,484
St. George's	1,065	...	1,065	136	1,201
Total	4,011	...	3,556	455	4,011



The death-rates of Camberwell and its component sub-districts have been deduced from the figures representing the parochial deaths given in the last column of Table VII., and from those giving the populations calculated for the middle of 1887 contained in Table IV. The following table comprises these death-rates, and, for the sake of comparison, those of 1886.

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

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
1886	9·4	14·3	16·8	18·7	16·3
1887	9·6	14·3	15·1	18·3	15·6

It will be observed not only that the death-rates are all remarkably low (considerably lower even than the lowest of the death-rates for the groups of Metropolitan districts, which I have already quoted from the Registrar-General's returns), but that on the whole they are lower than those of the year 1886. In Dulwich it is true there is a slight increase, and in Camberwell the rate remains stationary; but in Peckham and in St. George's, and also in the whole Parish, there is a marked decrease.

For reasons which I discussed in my last year's report, I entertain little doubt that the lowness of the death-rates is not wholly due to healthiness of the population, but that accidental circumstances of various kinds have influenced the figures, especially in certain districts. One source of fallacy is the fact that a considerable number of deaths due to the Parish occur annually in institutions outside the Parish.



TABLE IX.—Returns of Births and Deaths for the Fifty-two Weeks ending Saturday, December 31st, 1887.

	BIRTHS.							DEATHS.																																				
								ACCORDING TO AGES.														ACCORDING TO DISEASES.																						
	M	F	MF	M	F	MF	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.	Persistent Birth or Ineffective Viability.	Purpural Fever.	Other Causes.	Erysipelas, Pyæmia, &c.	Pneumonia, Bronchitis, &c.	Under 2 years.	Over 2 years.	Diarrhoea and Dysentery.	Under 2 years.	Over 2 years.	Cholera.	Hoping Cough.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Convulsions, &c.	Phthisis.	Others.	Tubercular Diseases, Chiefly Chronic.			
DULWICH ....	60	47	107	29	29	58	10	4	12	2	3	6	4	5	5	10	7	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	3	31
CAMBERWELL...	1249	1114	2363	789	783	1572	333	219	35	32	94	115	124	128	211	185	85	11	26	100	5	5	8	108	170	78	13	...	53	44	17	22	6	12	...	37	154	66	648					
PECKHAM .....	1386	1319	2705	642	674	1316	424	227	57	38	52	75	84	75	112	118	49	5	27	143	10	5	7	116	109	78	6	...	92	44	26	21	15	11	...	48	102	54	402					
ST. GEORGE'S...	1174	1100	2274	549	516	1065	366	232	54	37	30	61	68	67	70	61	18	1	23	87	4	4	3	131	97	63	1	...	58	45	29	12	5	11	...	63	79	71	270					
1st QUARTER ...	1004	900	1904	496	521	1017	212	116	35	25	49	73	80	89	140	143	50	5	14	78	4	3	5	85	146	6	4	...	29	14	12	11	6	7	...	33	98	38	424					
2nd QUARTER ..	974	903	1877	461	468	929	242	203	39	27	34	55	68	57	78	77	42	7	20	76	2	2	4	102	82	8	3	...	65	61	11	13	4	5	...	50	78	45	295					
3rd QUARTER ...	883	876	1759	541	518	1059	450	188	28	24	37	63	46	63	77	58	23	2	21	91	3	4	2	46	47	197	10	...	80	40	19	15	6	6	...	44	76	63	289					
4th QUARTER...	1008	901	1909	511	495	1006	229	175	46	33	59	66	86	76	103	86	44	3	21	88	10	5	7	124	109	8	3	...	29	15	30	18	10	16	...	26	87	48	352					
Totals.....	3869	3580	7449	2009	2002	4011	1133	682	148	109	179	257	280	285	398	364	159	17	76	333	19	14	18	357	384	219	20	...	203	133	72	57	26	34	...	153	339	194	1360					

Deaths in Workhouse, 333—(189 Males, 144 Females); in two Lunatic Asylums, 122—(58 Males, 64 Females).

Deaths in St. Saviour's Infirmary during 21 weeks, 116—(75 Males, 41 Females).

DEATHS IN DISTRICTS									
BIRTHS									
District	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
Dorset	101	97	198	101	97	198	101	97	198
Cambridge	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
Leamington	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
St. George's	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
1st Quarter	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
2nd Quarter	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
3rd Quarter	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
4th Quarter	114	114	228	114	114	228	114	114	228
Total	350	350	700	350	350	700	350	350	700

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

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.	Erysipelas, Pyæmia, &c.	Pneumonia, Bronchitis, &c.	Diarrhoea and Dysentery.	Cholera.	Whooping Cough.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Convulsions, &c.	Tubercular Diseases.	Other Diseases, chiefly Chronic.		
																		Perinatal Fever.	Other Causes.	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.								Phthisis.	Others.		
DULWICH ...	2	2	4	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
CAMBERWELL...	53	35	88	4	7	14	6	10	11	11	15	6	3	1	...	6	1	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	10	6	...	2	...	...	10	4	44
PECKHAM ...	48	45	93	11	19	9	7	12	8	16	4	6	1	...	...	8	6	...	1	2	1	4	...	...	...	10	4	...	...	...	1	5	7	44
ST. GEORGE'S ...	21	26	47	2	10	6	7	4	2	4	5	3	2	2	...	5	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	7	4	...	5	...	...	2	3	17
1st QUARTER ...	27	25	52	2	6	8	4	7	2	8	8	4	1	2	...	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	3	...	...	4	5	29
2nd QUARTER ...	30	24	54	4	7	5	4	7	7	8	6	5	1	...	...	9	1	...	...	2	2	5	...	...	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	5	4	21
3rd QUARTER ...	29	26	55	6	11	2	5	6	9	7	4	3	1	1	...	2	4	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	4	5	...	1	...	...	4	2	30
4th QUARTER ...	38	33	71	6	12	14	8	6	3	8	8	3	3	...	...	4	2	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	21	2	...	1	...	1	4	3	28
Totals .....	124	108	232	18	36	29	21	26	21	31	26	15	6	3	...	19	7	...	1	5	4	8	...	...	...	27	14	...	7	...	1	17	14	108



TABLE X.—Supplemental Returns

MAINE—1914

Age	Male	Female	Total	Age	Male	Female	Total
Under 1 year	1	1	2	1st Quarter	22	22	44
1 year to 1 year 6 months	1	1	2	2nd Quarter	20	21	41
1 year 6 months to 2 years	11	11	22	3rd Quarter	20	22	42
2 years to 3 years	2	2	4	4th Quarter	28	27	55
3 years to 4 years	12	12	24	Totals	120	122	242
4 years to 5 years	20	20	40				
5 years to 6 years	21	21	42				
6 years to 7 years	22	22	44				
7 years to 8 years	22	22	44				
8 years to 9 years	22	22	44				
9 years to 10 years	22	22	44				
10 years to 11 years	22	22	44				
11 years to 12 years	22	22	44				
12 years to 13 years	22	22	44				
13 years to 14 years	22	22	44				
14 years to 15 years	22	22	44				
15 years to 16 years	22	22	44				
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25 years to 26 years	22	22	44				
26 years to 27 years	22	22	44				
27 years to 28 years	22	22	44				
28 years to 29 years	22	22	44				
29 years to 30 years	22	22	44				
30 years to 31 years	22	22	44				
31 years to 32 years	22	22	44				
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34 years to 35 years	22	22	44				
35 years to 36 years	22	22	44				
36 years to 37 years	22	22	44				
37 years to 38 years	22	22	44				
38 years to 39 years	22	22	44				
39 years to 40 years	22	22	44				
40 years to 41 years	22	22	44				
41 years to 42 years	22	22	44				
42 years to 43 years	22	22	44				
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46 years to 47 years	22	22	44				
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90 years to 91 years	22	22	44				
91 years to 92 years	22	22	44				
92 years to 93 years	22	22	44				
93 years to 94 years	22	22	44				
94 years to 95 years	22	22	44				
95 years to 96 years	22	22	44				
96 years to 97 years	22	22	44				
97 years to 98 years	22	22	44				
98 years to 99 years	22	22	44				
99 years to 100 years	22	22	44				

During the last few years these have been supplied to us through the General Register Office, and I have been enabled therefore to correct the fallacy due to this cause.

The supplemental deaths here referred to are set forth in Table X. They amounted in 1887 to 232, of which 4 belonged to Dulwich, 88 to Camberwell, 93 to Peckham, and 47 to St. George's.

Table XI. shows both the augmented deaths of the Parish and of its sub-districts due to this addition, and the augmented death-rates. It will be seen that the corrected death-rates are still singularly low.

TABLE XI.—DEATHS AND DEATH-RATES OF CAMBERWELL AND OF ITS SUB-DISTRICTS OBTAINED BY INCLUDING THE 232 DEATHS WHICH OCCURRED IN HOSPITALS AND ELSEWHERE OUTSIDE THE PARISH.

	Dulwich.	Camberwell.	Peckham.	St. George's	Parish.
Deaths	70	1,348	1,577	1,248	4,243
Death-rates	10·2	15·3	16·0	19·1	16·5

Tables IX. and X. give the details of the returns of births and deaths for the year, arranged both according to districts and according to seasons. They also include an enumeration of the deaths according to ages and according to diseases.

The deaths, as is always the case, are very unequally distributed among the different periods of life. Thus of the total parochial deaths for the year—namely, 4,243—no fewer than 1,869, or 44 per cent., occurred under the age of 5. In Dulwich, where the birth-rate and death-rate are very low,



there were only 21 deaths per hundred of children under 5, while in the sub-district of Camberwell there were 42, in that of Peckham 43, and in St. George's 49.

95 deaths were attributed to accidental or other violence, of which 19 were of parishioners outside the boundaries of the Parish. Deaths from this cause were less numerous in 1887 than in 1886 by 18.

340 deaths are placed under the heading of premature birth or defective vitality, against 365 in the previous year.

To childbirth 34 deaths are ascribed. In 1886 there were only 24.

Inflammatory affections of the lungs caused 751 deaths, of which 361, or nearly half, were of children under five years of age. Of these, 231 occurred in the first quarter of the year, 191 in the second, 96 in the third, and 233 in the last. 819 deaths were ascribed to this cause in 1886.

Diarrhœal affections were fatal in 239 instances, 219 times in children under five, and 20 in persons above that age. This mortality as usual was largest in the third quarter of the year, during which time 207 deaths occurred. In the first quarter there were 10, in the second 11, and in the fourth also 11.

Excepting Small-pox, of which not a single fatal case was recorded during the year, all the zymotic diseases caused a considerably larger mortality than they did in the previous year, as will be seen by reference to Tables XII. and XIII. The fatal cases of Hooping-cough increased from 156 to 203, those of Measles from 97 to 133, those of Diphtheria from



48 to 71, those of Scarlet Fever from 18 to 99, and those of different kinds of Fever from 30 to 41.

53 of the deaths from Hooping-cough occurred in Camberwell, 92 in Peckham, and 58 in St. George's. The disease prevailed chiefly in the second and third quarters of the year. Measles destroyed 44 lives in Camberwell, 44 in Peckham, and 45 in St. George's. This disease, also, was chiefly fatal in the second and third quarters. Scarlet Fever caused 27 deaths in Camberwell, 36 in Peckham, and 36 in St. George's. Its chief mortality was in the fourth quarter. Diphtheria caused two deaths in Dulwich, 28 in Camberwell, 23 in Peckham, and 14 in St. George's. Its prevalence was fairly uniform throughout the whole year. The several varieties of Continued Fever caused 14 deaths in Camberwell, 11 in Peckham, and 16 in St. George's. Out of 41 deaths from this cause 17 occurred in the last quarter of the year.

Although, as I have shown, the mortality from zymotic diseases was considerably greater than that of the previous year, the mortality was not excessive, and does not call for any remark.

Deaths from tubercular diseases, on the other hand, showed a considerable falling off as compared with 1886. There were 564 such deaths in the last year, and 657 in the year before.

On the whole, there is no doubt that in Camberwell and its sub-districts, as well as in London and its groups of districts, the year has been a singularly healthy one.

The sanitary work done by the Inspectors in the year ending March 25th, 1888, is given in detail in Tables XIV. and XV.

On the whole it differs very little in quality and amount for that done in the previous year. I may point out, however, that the primary inspections, which in the previous year amounted to 9,781, in the latter year amounted to only 8,772, and that the re-inspections which were 6,088 in the previous year, in the latter rose to 6,756. On the whole it may appear from these figures that less work was done in 1886-87, than in 1887-88; and to some extent this is true; for Inspector Mackay was incapacitated for some weeks during the last year, and Inspector Sedgley (though not actually laid by) has been ailing for some months, and has been unable to do his duties as efficiently as he did in former years. But, on the other hand, it is right that I should call attention to the fact that, during the last few years, the Inspectors have more and more been looking after the niceties of drainage, if I may use that expression, and ensuring as far as they can that, in all cases in which they discover grounds for interference, all really important sanitary requirements shall be carried out. The items (in the returns) of cleansing, trapping and repairing drains, which, together, amount to 4,024, of repairing closets which reach 1,538, of houses and yards drained into sewer which amount to 605, and of the disconnection of rain-water, sink, and other pipes from the sewers, which number 2,814, comprise, so far as this can be done in tabular form, the works to which I refer. We now, in fact, insist, systematically, on the absolute disconnection of the bath, sink, and rain-water pipes from the sewers; a point I need scarcely say of the highest sanitary importance,



inasmuch as it has hitherto been largely by their means that sewer gas has found its way into the interior of houses. I may here mention, parenthetically, that occasionally we have found the rain-water pipes actually doing service as soil pipes.

It has been made a special duty with the Inspectors to see not merely that drains are trapped, but that the traps employed shall be of an efficient kind; and further, the Inspectors have made a systematic practice of testing the efficiency of all drainage arrangements by the newest and most approved methods, and of seeing by constant supervision that necessary drainage works are carried out strictly according to the requirements of the sanitary department. This kind of work, if done systematically and thoroughly, involves much time and labour; and it will be readily understood therefore that many of the units, which go to make up the totals in the tables, represent systematic work carried out from day to day, sometimes for a week or more together. I am satisfied that this comparatively new work is, and will prove, of the highest importance to the health of the Parish.

I have to express my thanks to the Vestry for having, at my request, added a fifth Inspector to the sanitary staff. The amount of tabulated work appearing under his name, in the present Report, is necessarily very small, for he only commenced active duty a week or two before the 25th of last March, on which day the Inspectors' year of duties ends.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. S. BRISTOW E



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

YEAR.		Hoping Cough.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Diarrhea.
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	94
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
1886	...	156	97	48	18	30	2	215
1887	...	203	133	71	99	41	0	239

TABLE XIII.

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

YEARS.			Hooping Cough.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Scarlet Fever.	Fever.	Small Pox.	Diarrhoea.
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
1886.	1st Quarter	.....	98	6	14	0	5	2	6
	2nd "	.....	35	61	8	3	8	0	13
	3rd "	.....	16	25	11	5	7	0	168
	4th "	.....	7	5	8	10	10	0	28
1887.	1st Quarter	.....	29	14	16	13	6	0	10
	2nd "	.....	65	64	15	12	4	0	11
	3rd "	.....	80	40	20	23	6	0	207
	4th "	.....	29	15	20	51	10	0	11



TABLE XIV.—RETURN OF WORKS CARRIED OUT  
FROM THE 26TH MARCH, 1887, TO THE 25TH MARCH, 1888 (INCLUSIVE).

Description of Work.	INSPECTORS.					TOTAL.
	MACKAY.	STEVEN- SON.	SEDGLEY.	GROOM.	POINTON.	
Houses inspected .....	1781	2604	1923	2369	95	8772
„ re-inspected .....	1117	2111	1801	1645	82	6756
Notices served, 1st .....	561	442	744	843	30	2620
„ „ 2nd .....	29	39	0	59	0	127
Summonses .....	0	2	0	10	1	13
Drains cleansed and repaired.....	252	776	294	755	45	2122
„ trapped .....	212	776	294	755	45	2082
Cesspools emptied .....	3	4	5	3	0	15
„ abolished .....	3	4	5	3	0	15
Closets provided .....	5	1	0	1	0	7
„ cleansed and repaired .....	264	197	160	119	10	750
„ ventilated.....	12	10	1	5	0	28
„ water laid on to .....	157	231	186	167	12	753
Houses cleansed .....	127	47	72	98	6	350
„ repaired .....	120	89	110	116	2	437
Water supplied to houses .....	5	13	4	4	0	26
Cisterns supplied .....	16	3	2	4	1	26
„ covered and repaired.....	69	127	85	140	2	423
Dustbins provided.....	58	198	128	114	3	501
„ repaired .....	44	1	59	33	1	138
Houses drained into sewer .....	22	182	33	32	0	269
Yards paved .....	80	43	82	96	9	310
„ drained .....	106	43	82	96	9	336
Sinks, rainwater pipes, &c. dis- connected .....	404	1261	711	417	21	2814
Cow-houses inspected .....	8	25	11	6	0	50
Slaughter-houses inspected .....	9	7	13	2	0	31
Bake-houses inspected .....	37	35	46	51	30	199
Overcrowding abated .....	5	4	2	7	0	18
Manure, foul accumulations, &c., removed .....	32	85	53	85	11	266
Pigs and other animals removed ...	3	8	3	11	0	25
Urinals cleansed .....	12	2	5	4	2	25
Miscellaneous complaints attended to	224	441	302	285	28	1280
Water supply, complaints of defici- ency of .....	11	13	0	7	0	31
Houses in which structural alterations were made under Artizans' and Labourers' Dwellings Act .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sale of Food and Drugs Acts, samples submitted for analysis ...	40	47	56	45	10	198
Summonses under the above Acts ...	3	10	3	6	3	25
Cases of small Pox attended to .....	0	1	0	0	0	1
„ Scarlet Fever attended to.....	77	159	82	237	19	574
„ Fever attended to .....	8	27	2	25	1	63
„ Diphtheria attended to .....	15	25	0	27	3	70
Houses disinfected .....	51	146	82	180	11	470
Notices outstanding .....	35	52	39	44	8	178

TABLE XV.

*Return of Articles of Bedding, Clothing, &c., which have been disinfected after Infectious Disease, from 26th March, 1887, to 25th March, 1888, 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...	63	74	122	6	121	21	—	37	41	105	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	£0 8s. 6d.
Stevenson	146	146	292	43	249	93	87	107	112	104	2	4	4	3	2	1	2	2	3	£1 0s. 0d.
Sedgley...	145	—	211	120	57	39	0	201	98	129	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	£0 7s. 9d.
Groom ...	203	197	311	62	386	158	64	141	116	220	4	1	—	1	1	1	—	1	4	£1 18s. 0d.
Pointon...	18	18	36	2	20	3	15	10	13	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total..	575	435	972	233	833	314	166	496	380	572	8	5	4	5	5	3	2	3	7	£3 14s. 3d.





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

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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 Condry'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 Condyl'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 Condyl'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 Condyl'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.

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## 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.

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## 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 in St. George's road, adjoining St. George's Church, 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.



2.—COMPLAINANTS AS TO NUISANCES should be made personally or by letter to the Inspector of Nuisances, and as to Non-removal of them, to the District Superintendent at the Vestry Hall.

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

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

5.—A MORTUARY has been provided in St. George's Road, Tooting, St. George's Church, which dead bodies may be kept and where they may remain until the time of burial on application to the Inspector of Nuisances.

6.—The day of the week and the time of day when the bodies may be kept in the Mortuary is as follows:—

## NOTICE

THE VESTRY of the Parish of Tooting, in the County of Surrey, do hereby give notice that the day of the week and the time of day when the bodies may be kept in the Mortuary is as follows:—

1887-88.

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## ANALYST'S REPORTS.

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CHEMICAL LABORATORY,

ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL,

MEDICAL AND SURGICAL COLLEGE, S.E.

June 24th, 1887.

*To the Vestry of Camberwell,*

GENTLEMEN,

I have to render a much more favourable report, and I do so with pleasure.

Of twenty-three *Milks*, only three were adulterated with, respectively, 9, 23 and 15 per cent. of water. I do not say that others were not adulterated, but these three were the only ones which could have been prosecuted.

Of seven *Butters*, one was admixed with fat, other than butter-fat, to the extent of over 50 per cent.



Four *Peppers* and one *Mustard* were of excellent quality. With the amount of adulteration so general in peppers, this statement is very creditable.

Six *Coffees* were also found to be perfectly genuine.

Two samples of *Honey* were of very fair quality, and the same may be said of three varieties of *Jam*.

In conclusion, I have examined three *Beers* and one *Porter*. They were of good quality.

The certificates are in the hands of your Inspectors.

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*Michaelmas, 1887.*

During the last Quarter thirty samples of *Milk* have been submitted to me for analysis; of these, six were adulterated with, respectively, 18, 20, 18, 12, 16, and 10 per cent. of water. These do not represent the whole number watered, as some are skilfully brought up to the standard fixed.

Samples of *Butter*, four in number, were fairly of the nature, substance, and quality demanded. One of them contained nearly the highest amount of water allowed, and was very salt.

*Bread, Flour, and Coffee* were of good quality.

The *Drugs*, four in number, comprised one specimen of Bromide of Potassium, and three specimens of Sulphate of Quinine. They all corresponded with genuine articles.

All the certificates, fifty in number, are in the hands of your Inspectors.

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December 25th, 1887.

I have examined thirty samples of *Milk* during the quarter, some of them of very high quality, bringing them up to the standard of the *Society of Public Analysts* rather than to that of *Somerset House*. Six Milks out of the thirty were adulterated with, respectively, 24, 24, 19, 15, 9, and 9 per cent. of water. No. 148 must have been skimmed by machinery, to such perfection had it been brought, and watered at least to the extent of 9.0 per cent. Seven others were fully adulterated up to the mark allowed by yourselves. Partly owing to the lowering of the standard by *Somerset House* and partly to the kindness of the Vestries and Boards, there is now an average allowance of 10.0 per cent. of adulteration through the kingdom. We occasionally have vendors selling milks, practically identical, with their five per cent. of added water; in such cases it would be well if the cow-keepers could be made to prove that such milks are possible. Anyhow it is rather hard upon retailers of milk that when a certain amount of adulteration is permitted they themselves should not share in the advantage.

Of two *Butters* analysed, one had been tampered with to a slight extent, but was passed for obvious reasons.

Three *Coffees*, four *Mustards*, and two *Peppers* were distinctly of the nature, substance, and quality demanded. The same may be said of three varieties of *Sweetstuffs*.

A sample of *Ale* was a distinct improvement upon the past.



Of a *Gin* and five *Whiskies* something may be said. The gin was as usual either sweetened or unsweetened spirit. Of the whiskies, one was ten degrees below the standard, and one rather more than one degree; on the other hand one was four degrees and another seven degrees above the standard. May I be allowed to express the opinion that no single thing can be more promotive of intemperance than the variations in the strength of spirits allowed by authority.

*Au reste*, the certificates are all in the hands of the Inspectors.

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*Lady-Day*, 1888.

In reporting upon the *Milks* this Quarter, I have to remark that they have been much influenced by the weather. Even making the allowance for water to which the Sanitary Committee has consented, we have nine out of 23 adulterated with respectively 26, 25, 7, 12, 29, 9, 17, 10 and 5 per cent. of added water. Thirty-eight per cent. of added water, in one hundred Milks of a single Quarter, is an unusual occurrence at Camberwell.

Fourteen *Butters* have been examined. Only one Butter was altogether the so-called *Margarine*.

The sample of *Margarine*, sold as such, was perfectly clean, and as free from taste as any fat could possibly be, except for the salt.

One of the genuine *Butters* contained 13.65 per cent. of water and 6.35 per cent. of salt, and was just up to the standard of allowed admixture. But, as I presume that no one could buy

butter without tasting it, so I consider that no one could have bought this butter, unless he thought it was a cheap purchase of salt.

One *Bread*, three *Peppers*, and two *Mustards* were altogether of the nature, substance, and quality demanded.

The *Whiskies*, six in number, were, as regards the alcohol, up to the standard. One of them was nearly seven per cent. above standard. A peculiarity of one whiskey was that it contained free sulphuric acid amounting to 0.024 per cent., or at the rate of 16.8 grains per gallon. This quantity would not be injurious, and is a part of one of the prescriptions for "making" whiskey which I find in one of my books. I need not say that whiskey does not generally contain it, and that it is the first time that I have met with it, except in prescriptions.

The certificates are all in the possession of the Inspectors.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Yours faithfully,

ALBERT J. BERNAYS.



without testing it, so I consider that no one could have brought this matter, unless he thought it was a case of poisoning of salt, but I have not seen any of the material. One of the three Yagawa, and two Matsuda were together of the nature, substance, and quality demanded.

The Hakkai, six in number, were taken to the school up to the standard. One of them was nearly seven feet and six inches. A possibility of one whisky was that it contained free sulphuric acid amounting to 0.75 per cent, or at the rate of 10.8 grains per gallon. This quantity would not be injurious, and is a part of one of the prescriptions for "whisky" which I find in one of my books. I did not say that whisky does not generally contain it, and that it is the first time that I have met with it except in prescriptions.

The certificates are all in the possession of the Inspector.

I remain, Gentlemen,

ALBERT A. BENNAY

## VESTRY CLERK'S REPORT.

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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 :—

### MEETINGS.

During the year the following Meetings of the Vestry, and its Committees have taken place :—

Vestry Meetings	...	...	...	...	...	32
Standing Committee Meetings	...	...	...	...	...	97
Special and Sub-Committee Meetings	...	...	...	...	...	248
Parish Officers' Meetings	...	...	...	...	...	58
Total						<u>435</u>

### ANNUAL ACCOUNTS.

The Accounts of the Vestry for the year ending the 25th March, 1888, will be found at pages 151 to 230 of this Report. They have been examined by the Auditors elected by the Vestry under the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Acts.

From the Abstracts and Summaries of Accounts it appears that the expenditure of the Metropolitan Board of Works and the School Board for London together exceed more than one-third of the total amount raised by the Vestry, and it must not be forgotten that over the items of expenditure of these two authorities this Vestry has no control.

### BILLS IN PARLIAMENT (PUBLIC).

Local Government Bill. This Bill was introduced into Parliament by the Right Hon. C. T. Ritchie, President of the Local Government Board, on behalf of Her Majesty's Government, on the 19th



March last. It is the most important Bill brought in during this present session, effecting a complete revolution in the parochial government of the country. The Bill establishes two new County Authorities elected by household suffrage. These authorities are—*(a)* the County Council, *(b)* the District Council. The County Council is to be composed partly of selected Councillors, to be called County Aldermen, and of elected County Councillors each appointed for the term of three years, and the divisions of the county for the purpose of election of Councillors are to be called electoral divisions. The number of County Councillors for the County of London to be double the number of Members returned to Parliament for the Parliamentary Boroughs. The number of elected Councillors, the area, and population to constitute an electoral division, is to be determined by the Local Government Board. The County Council, will be the great administrative and financial centre in the County of the future, having the administrative and financial businesses of the Justices of the County in quarter sessions assembled. The Council is at once to manage most of the concerns of county government itself, and to control the action of the District Councils. The duties may thus be set forth:—Administration—levying of county rates, music licensing, maintenance of main roads and bridges, management of lunatic asylums, control of reformatory and industrials schools, division of County into Parliamentary election districts, matters connected with registration and the fixing of places to hold revision courts, appointment of Officers paid out of County Rate, enforcement of the provisions of Rivers Pollution Act, management of Contagious Diseases Acts (Animals), destructive insects, weights and measures, adulteration of food and drugs, recording of places of worship, and registration of scientific societies, and many other duties.

Control:—Taking over the powers of the Local Government Board, and Board of Trade in regard to provisional orders concerning piers and harbours, electric lighting, gas and water, tramways,



the sanctioning of market tolls, the settling of boundaries, and fixing of limits of new districts for the local councils, artisan dwellings, and public health. The Poor Law is to be left mainly as at present, under the control of Boards of Guardians.

Financial:—the new County Council will have power of borrowing money for county purposes. Various license duties are transferred to the County Council. It will be compelled to issue a yearly budget of its receipts and expenditure, and the Local Government Board retains its powers of audit and control. London, as defined by the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, and the City, is to be a County in itself, with a Lord Lieutenant, a Bench of Magistrates, and a County Council. The Metropolitan Board is to cease to exist, and its powers and duties is to be transferred to the County Council. The police will be managed by a joint Committee of the County Council and Quarter Sessions Magistrates, with the exception of those of the Metropolis and City of London. The first election of County Councillors will take place in January next. The present Bill does not touch Vestries and District Boards, but Mr. Ritchie stated it was the intention of the Government to make a proposal at a future time, "Not on the lines of creating separate municipalities for London, but of amalgamating within certain defined areas the existing Vestries, and Local Boards, and of constructing a County Council, having large and important administrative functions." The District Council is to be elected by the householders of the district, and will generally take the place of the Local Boards now exercising jurisdiction in the urban and rural sanitary districts.

There will be transferred to the District Council for each district, other than a borough, the powers, duties, property, debts, and liabilities; If the district is an urban district, of the Improvement Commissioners or local Board, whether under any general or local and personal Acts, or otherwise, and if it is a rural district, of the rural sanitary authority, and such Improvement Com-



missioners, local Board, and rural sanitary authority shall cease to exist, and the District Council shall be deemed to be in law the successors of such Improvement Commissioners, local Board, and rural sanitary authority. This is subject to any powers that are transferred to the County Council.

It is also provided that there shall be transferred to the District Council, all the powers, duties, and liabilities of a highway Board, and of the inhabitants in Vestry assembled of any Parish, and of a Surveyor of Highways for such Parish. Every Highway Board, Surveyor of Highways, or District Surveyor shall cease to hold office or be elected, and all the property of any such Board, inhabitants Surveyor, or District Surveyor held for the purposes of the highways shall pass to the District Council.

To the District Council there will be powers and duties in regard to Acts regulating lighting and watching, baths and wash-houses, labouring classes' lodging houses, public libraries, burial, and the public improvement Act, 1860, save where the County Council has jurisdiction.

The following will be transferred to District Council: licensing of gang masters and dealers in game, certificates for pawnbrokers, hawkers, passage brokers and emigrant runners, police appeals *re* pedlar's certificates, abolition of fairs, the administration of Acts concerning petroleum, infant life protection, and dogs.

The Vestry of the 28th March last referred the Bill to the Law and Parliamentary Committee, together with the Chairman of each of the remaining Standing Committees for consideration and report. On the 18th April last, the Vestry, upon their recommendation, approved of the transfer of the powers now vested in the Metropolitan Board of Works to a County Council for the whole of the Metropolis, but was of opinion that such County Council should consist exclusively of representatives directly elected by

the Ratepayers, and recommended that with the exception of a sufficient number of Police to protect the national property, the Police Force for the County of London should be under the control of the London County Council. The Committee further recommended that inasmuch as the Bill in its present form did not provide for the election of District Councils for the Metropolis, they deferred making a final report until after the proposals affecting the Metropolitan District Councils were made known and submitted to Parliament.

Parliamentary  
and Municipal  
Elector's Reg-  
istration Bill.

This Bill, introduced by Mr. Stansfield, amends the law with respect to Regulation of Electors at Parliamentary and Municipal Elections, it alters the period of qualification to three months, repeals the necessity for persons to be assessed or rated, places the responsibility upon Overseers of making enquiries as to *Lodgers*, successive occupation from different qualifying premises to qualify for vote, Registration Officer to be appointed by Local Authorities, and provides for a supplemental Register of Claimants occupying three months to be made up to 31st December. It has now been dropped.

Occupiers'  
Disqualification  
Removal Bill.

This is another Bill dealing with the Registration Laws, and proposes to enact that soldiers, and others absent on service shall not be disqualified for not having been in continuous occupation. This Bill is now in Committee.

Metropolitan  
Fire Brigade  
Expenses.

This Bill empowers the Metropolitan Board of Works Rate for the Metropolitan Fire Brigade to be raised from one halfpenny to a penny, and gives the Board power to provide Plugs and Hydrants, it also raises the contributions of the Fire Insurance Companies from £35 to £40 in a million. The Vestry presented a Petition in favor of this Bill when before Parliament last year, and passed a resolution asking the Board to put into communication all Fire Brigade Stations with Post Offices. This Bill is now dropped.



**Housing of the Working Classes.** Is a Bill to further amend the Law relating to the Dwellings of the Working Classes and the Artizans' and Labourers' Dwellings Improvement Acts, 1875 to 1885, it increases the penalties on owners of dwellings for disobedience of an order requiring abatement of nuisance, makes it an obligation of every Vestry and District Board to make Bye-laws respecting lodging houses, and gives power of inspection of cellar dwellings. The Local Government are authorised upon a written representation of at least six ratepayers in a district, to hold an enquiry as to whether the local authority have failed to do their duty under Section Seven of the Housing of the Working Classes' Act, 1885, and if such representation is well founded, the Board shall issue an order dissolving the local authority in default, and directing a fresh election of Members.

**Burials Bill.** Proposes to vest the powers relating to the burial of the dead now vested in one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State in the Local Government Board, and gives additional powers in respect of the compulsory purchase of land, services, &c.

**Parliamentary Elections (Returning Officers' Expenses).** Provides that the expenses of the Returning Officer for Parliamentary Elections shall be paid out of the local rates. [Dropped].

**Parliamentary Elections (Meetings in Schools.)** Proposes that all schools receiving grants out of moneys provided by Parliament shall be lent for the use of Parliamentary Members, or Candidates. [Dropped].

**School Board for London Election** Redistributes areas, increasing the number of divisions from 11 to 19 to elect 55 members instead of 71. Increases the number from 4 to 5 for the East Lambeth Division, viz:—the Parishes of Camberwell and Newington. The Vestry on the 28th March last resolved to take no action in respect of this Bill.

Metropolitan  
Board of Works  
Local Manage-  
ment, &c.

This Bill has been drafted by the Metropolitan Board of Works and relates to the Metropolis, and is to remedy defects found to exist in carrying out the Metropolitan Management Acts, it contains powers to alter Parish Wards, to give time between the nomination of Vestrymen and Polling day, to make up qualification for Vestrymen where owner pays rates for different premises, to the Local Authority to temporarily repair any new thoroughfare, pending dedication, so as make it passable for the inhabitants. This proviso is inserted in consequence of the decision of the Court of Appeal in the case of the Vestry of Camberwell *v.* Hunt for Alleyn Park paving, reported on pages 154 to 157 of last year's Report. The Bill also proposes to give power to the Board to lend the first cost of paving a New Street (at present there is no power to lend or borrow) where the cost is spread over a period, another clause prohibits the taking out of gravel and sand in the middle of a New Street and filling up with rubbish, owing to which practice gas and water pipes have subsided and caused explosions, flooding, and other damage, a penalty is imposed for contravention of buildings not within the rules of the Metropolitan Board of Works. The Vestry of Kensington convened a conference upon this Bill at which Messrs. Middlemass, Wallace, and Phillips were appointed Delegates by this Vestry. This Bill has now been dropped.

Personal pro-  
perty, exemp-  
tion from sale.

This Bill was introduced by Mr. E. Robertson, and backed by other Members, for the purpose of exempting Personal Property (to a limited value) from seizure and sale under legal process, representations were made by the Vestry of Islington, that a clause should be inserted that the Bill should not apply to any execution or process for the recovery of Poor or Parochial Rates, Mr. Robertson has agreed to accept such amendment. This has now been dropped.



The Rating  
of Hoardings.

This Bill is designed to meet the difficulty raised by the decision of the Courts of Justice, that a person is not liable to rates for his advertising stations or hoardings placed on a portion of premises which are being rebuilt, inasmuch as the judges were unable to regard the nature of the interest as an occupation, but only as a temporary holding for advertising. This Bill provides that the owner of any land used, whether temporarily or permanently, for the exhibition of advertisements, or for the erection of a hoarding or structure to be used, or capable of being used, for this purpose, but not otherwise occupied, is to be rateable on the value derived or derivable from its use. So also where land occupied for other purposes is used, whether temporarily or permanently, for the exhibition of advertisements, &c., the rateable value is to be so estimated as to include the increased value derived or derivable from this use. Another provision of the Bill is that, where a Corporation, Board, Vestry, Sanitary Authority, &c., grants under a statutory power a licence for the temporary erection of a hoarding or other structure upon any public highway, or upon any of its property, it may include in this license a condition prohibiting the affixing of any advertisement, or sanctioning it upon some payment. In case this condition is not complied with the penalty may be £5, and 40s. for every day during the continuance of the offence. Any penalty so recovered is directed to be applied in aid of the rate levied by the authority for the repair of the highway. [Dropped].

#### BILLS IN PARLIAMENT (PRIVATE).

The Private Bills introduced into Parliament this session, affecting this Parish, will be found dealt with in the Surveyors' Report on pages 10 to 15 and are as follows :—

## LONDON, CAMBERWELL AND DULWICH TRAMWAYS' BILL.

This Bill which proposed to give the Company power to construct a Tramway from the "King's Arms" P. H., Peckham rye, to Forest hill Cemetery, and also further powers with respect to the route down Rye lane, received the approval of the Vestry, and after passing through the Commons was thrown out by the House of Lords' Committee.

## PUBLIC BATHS AND BATHS AND WASHHOUSES.

"The Vestry having resolved on 16th February, 1887, that it is desirable to establish Public Baths and Wash-houses in the Parish of Camberwell, appointed a Committee to consider the best means of giving effect to such resolution. This Committee in their Report to the Vestry stated that it did not come within the province of the Committee to enter into the many and weighty reasons which in their opinion might be urged in favour of the adoption of the Public Baths and Wash-houses Act in the Parish, further than to state, that after careful consideration the Members had come to the conclusion that, regarding the extent of the Parish and its large and increasing population, the present bathing accommodation is altogether inadequate and is beyond the means of vast numbers of the people for whom the Act specially provides.

The Committee in the first instance, entered into communication with other Parishes which had adopted the Act, and obtained much valuable information, including the cost of erection and maintenance of their establishments, and how defrayed, and to what extent the Baths and Wash-houses are used. It was gratifying to the Committee to find that in the majority of cases the Commissioners report an excess of receipts over working expenses, and were unanimously of opinion that the option of the Act had been a great boon to their Parishes.



The next step taken by the Committee was to make a personal inspection of the Baths at Forest Hill and Ladywell, and the Baths and Wash-houses at Rotherhithe, Bermondsey, St. James's, Westminster, St. Pancras and Paddington. By this means the various establishments were seen at work, and a mass of additional information was placed at the service of the Committee by the courtesy of the Commissioners and the Managers, which has been found most useful in the preparation of this Report.

The Committee having carefully and anxiously considered the matter in all its bearings, were of opinion that to provide adequate Bathing and Washing accommodation for the whole of the Parish, it is advisable to erect three bathing establishments, to be placed in the parliamentary divisions of North Camberwell, Peckham, and Dulwich; with the addition of Wash-houses for North Camberwell and Peckham.

The Committee having seen to what extent Bathing and Washing accommodation had been provided at the establishments visited, and the cost thereof, were of opinion that their recommendation could be carried into effect for a sum not exceeding £65,000, to be obtained on loan, to be repayable by instalments spread over 30 years.

Having regard to the experience of other parishes which proves that the profits on the trading accounts are in proportion to the accommodation afforded, and taking into consideration the fact that in the majority of cases the profits partly pay the interest and repayment of loans (notably in St. Marylebone, where the profits have relieved the rates to the extent of £54,085, and in St. Pancras, where in ten years £15,883 were paid out of profits toward loans and interest), the Committee confidently anticipated that by a judicious selection of the sites for the

establishments, a considerable portion of the expenses for erection, &c., would be met out of the profits realized. In the event of this not being the case, the average rate necessary to be levied would be less than 1d. in the pound.

The Committee strongly and unanimously urged the Vestry to come to a decision which would confer upon the Parish a boon of the highest order, and one which cannot fail to promote the cleanliness, health, and general well-being of the people.

The Vestry having adopted the Report of the Special Committee, a Meeting of the Vestry was upon a written request of thirty-two Ratepayers and another of eighteen Members of the Vestry duly convened for the purpose of considering and determining whether the Act of 9 and 10 Victoria, Cap. 74, intituled—“An Act to encourage the establishment of Public Baths and Wash-houses” should be adopted for this Parish, and it was unanimously resolved that such Act should be adopted. The consent of the Secretary of the Local Government Board was received, and upon the 7th of December last the following Commissioners were appointed, Messrs. J. T. Sears, R. Strong, J. Duckett, W. L. Dowton, G. L. Turney, E. C. Davis, and R. T. Bonsall. Mr. Sears was elected Chairman of the Commissioners, and the following was the first Report of such Commissioners:—

#### REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC BATHS AND WASH-HOUSES OF CAMBERWELL.

We, the Commissioners, beg to report that we considered it advisable, immediately after our appointment by the Vestry, to inspect the Public Baths situated at Lewisham and at Forest Hill which have been recently erected, as also those at Rotherhithe, where both Wash-houses and Baths are built and are now in good working order, with a view of ascertaining the extent, fittings,



machinery, and general requirements of these buildings.

Having ascertained the area necessary, and obtained such information as would, in our judgment, assist us in carrying into effect the duties confided to us by the Vestry, for the erection of Public Baths and Wash-houses, we caused advertisements to be inserted in the *South London Press*, *Camberwell and Peckham Times*, *The Builder*, *The Standard*, and *The Daily News*, for three consecutive weeks, one insertion each week, stating that the Commissioners were prepared to receive offers of freehold sites suitable for the erection of Baths and Wash-houses in the Parish, and to furnish the particulars as to the situation, area, and lowest price required for the purchase. In response to such advertisement, we received twelve offers of sites in different parts of the Parish, and in order to obtain as large a number of offers as possible to select from, it was decided to continue the advertisements for a further period of three weeks in the following local papers:—*South London Press*, *Camberwell and Peckham Times*, and *South London Mail*, which resulted in three additional offers, making a total of fifteen. We accordingly viewed all the sites that were considered by us to be in a good position for the purpose, and all, we regret to state, with the exception of the site of the Birkbeck Schools, Willowbrook road, were deemed unsuitable either in area, position, or price. Enquiries are, however, being made in reference to sites for other portions of the Parish.

The Birkbeck Schools site offered many advantages both in position, area, and the possibility of utilizing the present buildings for the purposes of Baths, Wash-houses, and the necessary Offices. The price asked by Mr. Pennack,

the Freeholder, was £5,000, which was considered too high, and after correspondence and an interview with him he consented to reduce the price to £4,500, and offered a strip of land running by the side of the buildings, for an additional £250 (this strip of land is an important part of the area required,) making the purchase money £4,750.

Before proceeding further with the negotiations, we felt it desirable to obtain the practical opinion of Mr. J. C. Reynolds, your Surveyor, on the question of the adaptability of the present buildings for the erection of public Baths and Wash-houses, and he was good enough (although not within his duties) to view the same, and he reported to us that he was of opinion that the present buildings appeared to be of a character convertible for the purpose of Baths and Wash-houses.

In addition to his judgment, we considered it advisable to have a detailed report prepared respecting the buildings, by another professional man, and accordingly instructed Mr. Thos. Wilkins, Surveyor, of Lyndhurst road, to advise the Commissioners upon the following points, viz. :—

(i) Whether the present buildings can be advantageously and usefully converted into suitable Public Baths, Wash-houses, with the necessary Offices.

(ii) If such buildings are, in his opinion, convertible for such purposes, what should be the position, measurement, and manner of the construction of such Baths, Wash-houses, and necessary Offices.



(iii) The depth of the present concrete foundation of the premises, and how much (if any) fresh concrete would be required, also what iron work for supports, also in view of the buildings being used during winter months as gymnasium, &c.

(iv) The height and elevation of the Baths, Wash-houses and Offices, that could be erected out of the present buildings and strip of land adjoining, and whether it would be necessary to heighten the present roof.

(v) Whether a new front and entrance to the premises would be required.

(vi) To what extent the materials at present forming part of the premises will be available for such alterations.

(vii) Whether the warming apparatus and boilers on the premises could be utilized, and to what extent.

(viii) What the estimated saving will be in using the present buildings, in lieu of constructing an entirely new building for Baths, Wash-houses and Offices.

(ix) And to report generally on the subject for the information and guidance of the Commissioners.

A Copy of his Report is appended hereto, with plans of the premises, which we submit to the Vestry. We had a long interview with Mr. Wilkins when he afforded us additional information and explanation in respect of his Re-

port. We arrived at the decision after careful consideration that the Birkbeck Schools Site was an eligible site, having regard to the present buildings, areas, and their locality, and one which might advantageously be utilised for the erection of Public Baths and Wash-houses for that part of the Parish.

We submit the foregoing for the consideration of the Vestry, and invite their opinion thereon. If in favour of its purchase, we, in pursuance of the 9th and 10th Victoria, Cap. 74, ask the Vestry's consent to borrow £15,000, to be repaid with interest by 30 yearly instalments, to be secured on mortgage on the Rates for the Relief of the Poor of the Parish.

We also have to ask the Vestry to make an Order on the Overseers of the Poor of this Parish for the sum of £100, on account of the expenses of carrying the above Act into execution, such sum to be chargeable upon the Poor Rate of the Parish.

All of which is submitted. Given under our Corporate Seal this 6th day of June, 1888.

By order,

GEO. W. MARSDEN,

*Clerk to the Commissioners.*

L. S.



REPORT to the Commissioners of Public Baths and Wash-houses of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, respecting the adaptability and expediency of converting the present buildings on the Birkbeck School Site, Willowbrook road, Peckham, to the purpose of Baths and Wash-houses, by Mr. Thomas Wilkins, Associate and Science Prizeman of King's College, London, Prizeman of the Society of Engineers, Westminster.

6, GREAT ST. HELENS,

LONDON, E.C.,

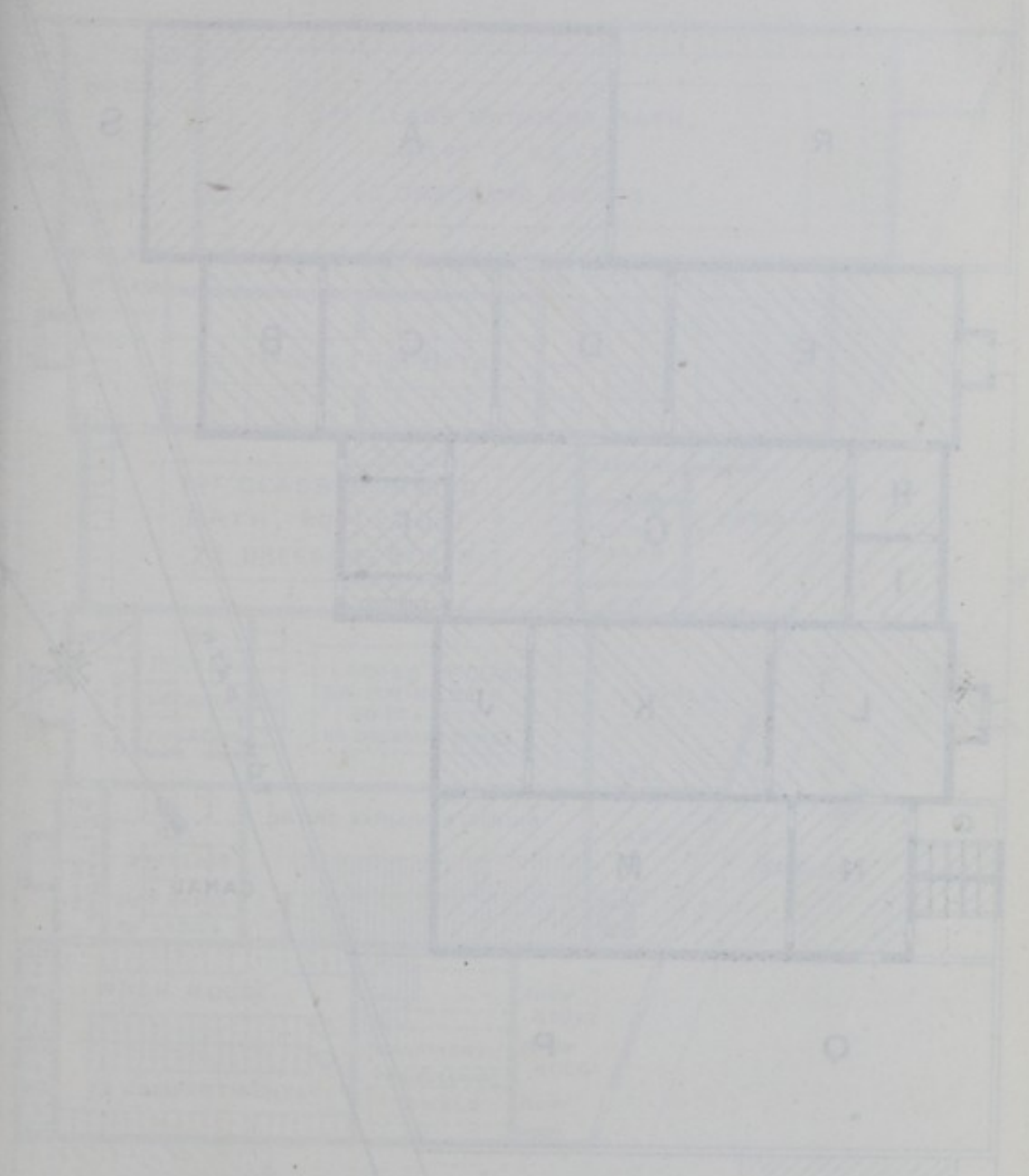
*May 16th, 1888.*

*Question No. 1:—*

Whether the present buildings can be advantageously and usefully converted into suitable Public Baths, Wash-houses, with the necessary offices.

*Answer:—*

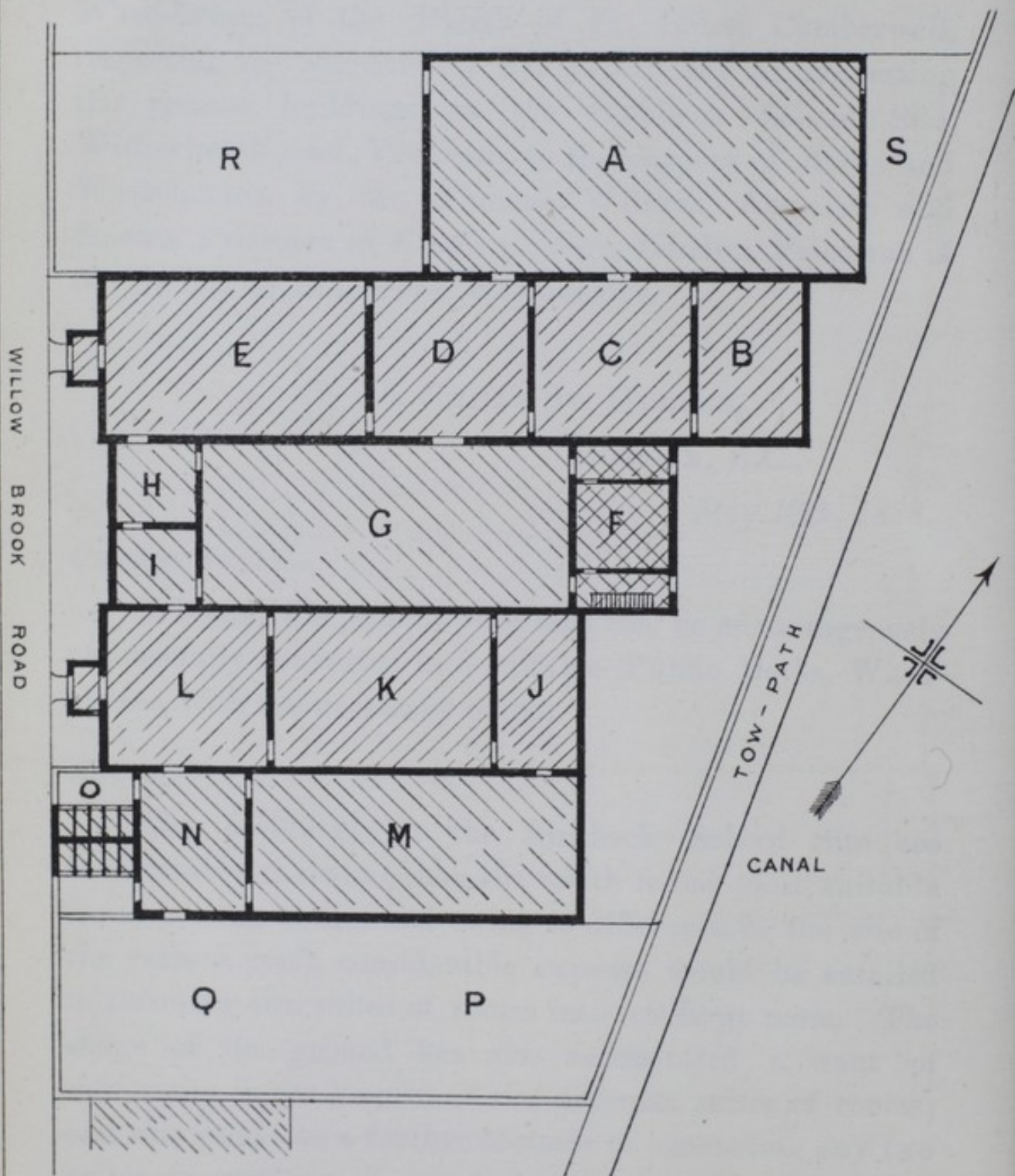
The buildings on the Birkbeck School Site are considerably narrower than the width found most suitable for swimming baths; and owing to difference in the rise of the various roofs, considerable expense would be entailed in throwing two suites of rooms into one large room. The shape of the ground has also necessitated a want of uniformity in the lengths of the different suites of rooms; and this would be a further obstacle to converting any two suites or portions of any two suites into one large room. Notwithstanding these drawbacks, and for the present not considering the price, I am of opinion that the existing buildings can be advantageously and usefully converted into suitable Baths and the necessary offices; but that it



THE BIRKBECK SCHOOL SITE  
 1875-1876

Architectural drawing of the Birkbeck School site, showing the layout of the building and the surrounding area. The drawing is oriented with North at the top.



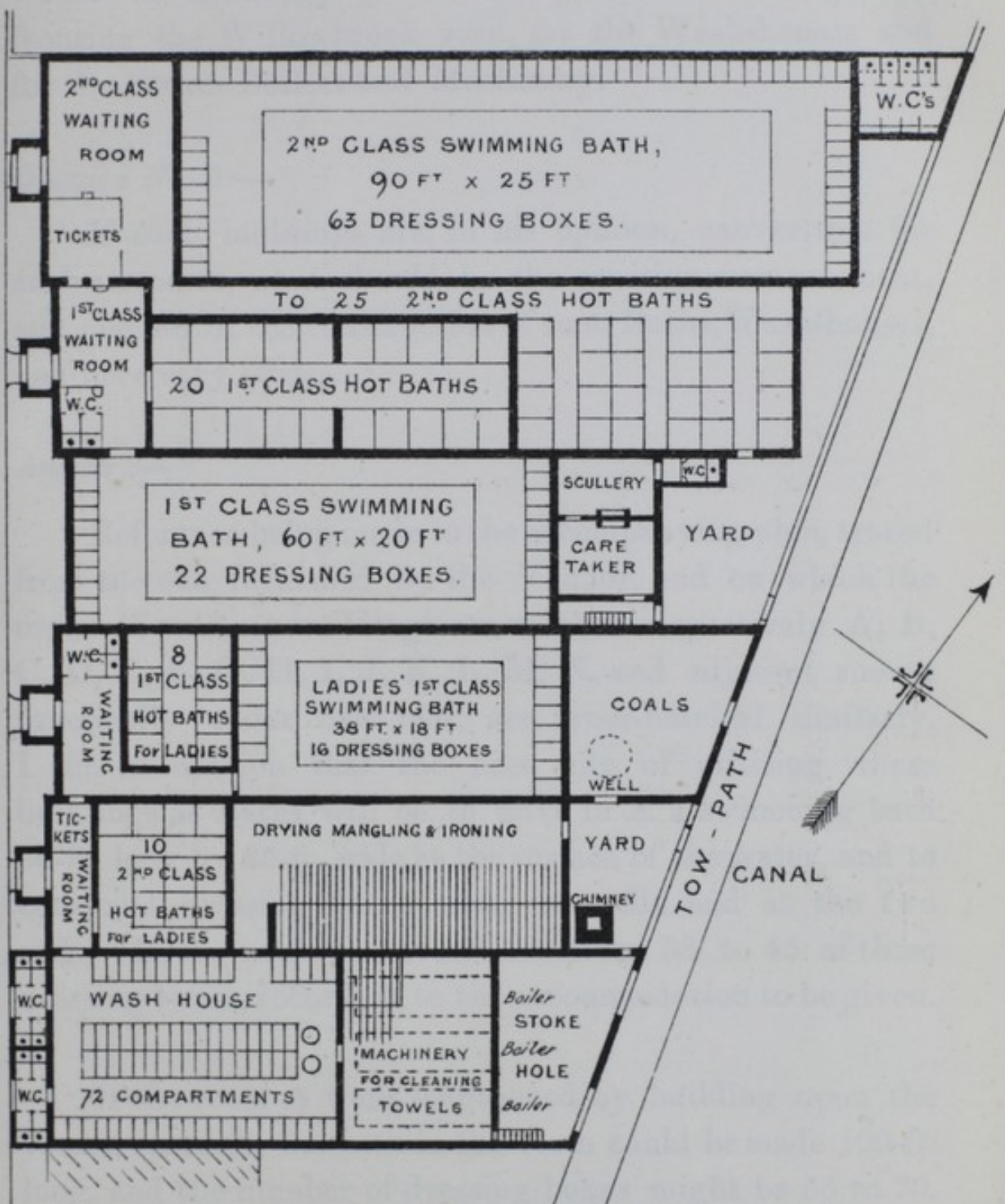


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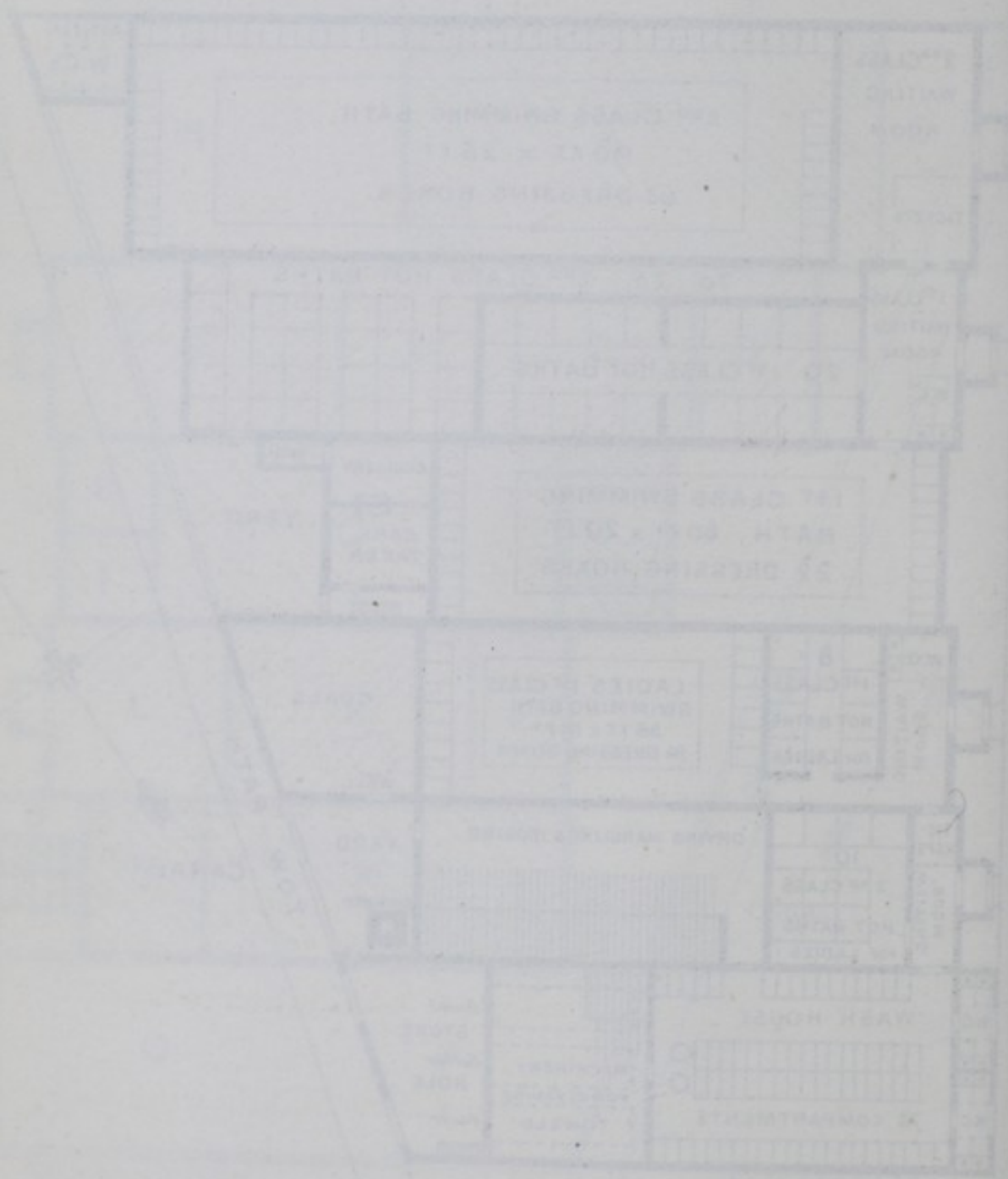


PLAN OF PROPOSED BATHS & WASH HOUSE  
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would be necessary to use the piece of vacant ground fronting the Willowbrook road, for the Wash-houses and for the Steam Boilers and Machinery.

*Question No. 2 :—*

If such buildings are, in his opinion, convertible for such purposes, what should be the position, measurement, and manner of the construction of such Baths, Wash-houses, and necessary offices.

*Answer :—*

Reference being made to the accompanying plan, traced from the one furnished by the Vendor, and on which the rooms of existing buildings are marked respectively A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, and adjacent rooms, practically under one roof, are cross-hatched similarly. I am of opinion that the best way of utilising these buildings as Baths will be to have in A a swimming bath 60-ft. long by 25-ft. wide at the surface of the water, and to construct dressing boxes along one side and at the two ends. Room could be found for from 33 to 45 of these dressing boxes, according to the accommodation to be given.

If the room A were lengthened by building upon the vacant space R, the bath in this room could be made 100-ft. long, and the number of dressing boxes might be 55 to 70.

The rooms B, C, and D might be thrown into one and used for a swimming bath about 55-ft. long, and 18-ft. wide at the water surface, with dressing boxes for, from 35 to 45 persons.



The room E can be sub-divided and used for men's ticket office, and waiting rooms ; a portion might also be used for hot baths.

F on the plan is the site of the Caretaker's rooms, consisting of three bed-rooms upon the upper floor, and kitchen, scullery, passage and staircase on lower floor.

The lower floor is very inconveniently arranged, and should be remodelled.

If it should be desired to have a third swimming bath for men, it should be in the room G, and might be 50-ft. long, by 18-ft. wide at the water surface, otherwise this room might be utilised for hot baths. The rooms H, I might be thrown into one, and partitioned for 12 hot baths.

If it is desired to have a swimming bath for women and young children, the rooms J, K might be utilised for that purpose. By converting them into one room a bath 38-ft. long, by 18-ft. wide at the water surface, could be obtained.

The room L could be sub-divided partly for use as women's ticket office and waiting rooms, and partly for use as hot baths for women.

With respect to the Wash-houses, buildings should be erected upon the vacant land marked P, Q.

The Steam Boilers should be at P, the fires being towards the canal, and portions of the vacant space between the existing buildings and the boundary wall next the

canal could be used as a coal store, the coals being delivered by water.

The Wash-houses should be at Q, where there would be sufficient space for 70 to 80 women washing at the same time. The space above the Steam Boilers and the rooms M, N, would be utilised for the drying horses, and for mangles, hydro-extractors, and ironing tables.

The present w.c.'s at O are wholly unsuitable, and the space might be utilised for second class hot baths for women.

The Urinals at S are also unsuitable. It is found desirable to have urinals and w.c.'s convenient to each swimming bath, and the best positions for these can only be decided upon when preparing a general plan of the premises to a larger scale.

*Question No. 3 :—*

The depth of the present concrete foundation of the premises and how much (if any) fresh concrete would be required. Also, what iron-work for supports. Also in view of the buildings being used during the winter months as gymnasium, &c.

*Answer :—*

The present concrete foundations, where opened by the vendor for my inspection, extended to a depth of 5-ft. 9-in. below the floor line. The bed of concrete is 4-ft. wide by 2-ft. 3-in. thick. I do not think the present walls would need underpinning.



I would advise that the swimming baths be made of concrete, and if this be carefully done, the portion below the level of the present foundation can be put in without disturbing the present foundations, and will act as a retaining wall.

*Question No. 4 :—*

The height and elevation of the Baths, Wash-houses, and Offices, that could be erected out of the present buildings and strip of land adjoining, and whether it would be necessary to heighten the present roof.

*Answer :—*

The existing buildings are 14-ft. 6-in. to 15-ft. high from the floor line to the pole plates, *i.e.*, to the top of the walls, which will be quite high enough. With respect to using the buildings as a gymnasium during the winter, the rooms are high enough for all ordinary gymnastic appliances, except the trapeze.

No great expense need be incurred in providing supports for those appliances which are hung from the walls or roof. The roofs therefore need not be heightened for Baths.

*Question No. 5 :—*

Whether a new front and entrance to the premises would be required.

*Answer :—*

In my opinion it is unnecessary to put a new front to the existing building. I would suggest that any new building decided upon should be made to harmonise with

the present front. The present entrances can be used, one for men's baths, the other for women's baths. The entrance to the Wash-houses should be from the Willowbrook road to the new building at Q on plan. If desired there might be a first and second-class entrance for men, a second entrance being provided in the prolongation of the building A which I suggest should be erected at R. The buildings at R, Q, and O should be so constructed, with reference to the existing front, as to give a uniform and agreeable elevation.

*Question No. 6 :—*

To what extent the materials at present forming part of the premises will be available for such alterations.

*Answer:—*

It will be necessary to remove the wooden floors from the swimming bath room. The sloping floors in the rooms suggested to be used for ironing and drying rooms can be lowered to a proper level by altering the piers beneath them. This will be an awkward job. Hence it is only where it will be unnecessary to remove the floors that they will be of any value except as old material. The bricks from the walls, which I suggest should be removed to throw two or more rooms into one, can be used again in the new constructions suggested.

*Question No. 7:—*

Whether the warming apparatus and boilers on the premises could be utilised, and to what extent.

*Answer:—*

The boilers of the present warming apparatus being



situated beneath the floor of room D, would have to be removed if that room is thrown into one with B and C. They are in a most inconvenient position for getting fuel to them and for firing. In the rooms with sloping floors also, there are heaters which would require to be placed at a different level. Most of these warming pipes could be used again, but the value of the apparatus is not more than its value as second hand material.

*Question No. 8 :—*

What the estimated saving will be in using the present buildings in lieu of constructing an entirely new building for Baths, Wash-houses, and Offices.

*Answer :—*

I am of opinion that a saving of £2,500 to £2,800, would be effected by using the existing buildings instead of constructing similar new walls, and roofs for the proposed Baths, and Wash-houses, and it is probable that if entirely new buildings were decided upon, plans would be submitted that would entail a considerably greater outlay, than the cost of the additions and alterations I suggest, together with the sum above mentioned, will amount to.

*Question No. 9 :—*

And to report generally on the subject for the information and guidance of the Commissioners.

*Answer :—*

The alterations suggested would give a very commodious establishment, with two or three class men's swimming baths; two or three class hot baths; a women's swimming bath, with two class hot baths; care-taker's

residence ; boiler and machinery house ; wash-house for 70 to 80 women, with all usual conveniences ; at a cost which I roughly estimate at £6,500 to £7,000, inclusive of the boilers and machinery, but not inclusive of the cost of the site and buildings existing thereon.

The above mentioned baths would give accommodation at one time in all for 110 to 130 persons in the men's swimming baths, 40 to 45 persons in the men's hot baths, 16 persons in the women's swimming baths, and 20 persons in the women's hot baths.

Probably if the existing buildings were totally unsuitable, the Commissioners would hesitate to give such extensive and varied accommodation in this spot.

I have ascertained from the Vestry Surveyor that there is a 3-ft. by 2-ft. brick sewer in the Sumner road, sufficiently below the level of the surface of the roadway, to insure suitable drainage from the baths, if constructed of the same depth as is usual.

In the rough estimate given allowance is not made for pumping or filtering the water. The Commissioners would have to take into consideration whether it would be cheaper (1) to purchase from the Water Company the very large supply of water that will be required (about 10 million gallons per annum), (2) to sink a well, and pump water as is done in many large establishments in London, or (3) to take water from the canal and filter it by methods similar to those adopted in the floating bath that was for some years moored in the Thames by Charing Cross Bridge. The determination of this point will depend very much upon the terms offered by the Water Company.



The subsoil of the site being a loamy and sandy gravel, materials for concrete are in abundance on the premises. This should be taken into consideration in estimating the value of the property.

The total area of the site is a little more than 2-roods 15-perches.

In making this Report, I have followed the nine headings submitted for my guidance as to the information desired by the Commissioners.

(Signed) THOS. WILKINS.

#### CANTERBURY ROAD BRIDGE.

The Metropolitan Board of Works having inserted clauses in their Various Powers Bill enabling them to erect a Bridge across the Grand Surrey Canal. The following are the clauses therein contained:—

1. To give power to the Board to purchase and take the existing swing bridge.
2. To give power to the Vestry and District Board to contribute towards the expenses to be incurred in the erection of the bridge.
3. To give power to any person under disability to subscribe, and to convey land without compensation.
4. If the contributions shall amount to one-half of the *estimate* of the cost of the bridge and approaches, after allowing for the re-sale of the land not required, to construct the bridge within twelve months after the passing of this Bill.

5. That on the completion of the bridge and approaches the carriage and footways shall be formed and laid out, and shall be used by the public, and the maintenance, repair, cleansing and lighting shall be under the management and jurisdiction of either this Vestry or the District Board in the like manner as other public roads, on such terms and subject to such conditions as may be agreed upon, or in the event of difference as shall be settled by the Board.

The Bill passed into Law, and the Vestry received a letter from the Metropolitan Board of Works stating that the total estimate of the cost of the bridge and approaches (after deducting the value of the land promised to be given without compensation), was £13,400, and that the Board was only willing to carry out the improvement upon *condition* that one half of the cost was contributed by the Vestry and the Owners of the land required to be given up to make the approaches, that the promised contribution did not amount to £6,700 and asking whether this Vestry were prepared to increase their contributions, so as to bring the amount of promised contributions to the required amount.

The General Purposes Committee in conference with a Deputation of the Greenwich Board of Works, held on the 23rd February, 1887, passed a recommendation to the Vestry, that in the opinion of the joint Committees the cost of the bridge and approaches should not exceed £10,000, the limit fixed by the Resolution of the Vestry of the 20th January, 1886. This recommendation was confirmed by the Vestry and the District Board of Works. The resolution of the Vestry, and the increased estimate of the Metropolitan Board of Works, created a considerable difficulty in carrying out the work, the Metropolitan Board of Works having only statutory power to proceed if the contribution of the Vestry shall amount to one-half of the *estimated* cost of



the bridge. The Vestry again took the request of the Board into their consideration, and not being inclined to alter their resolution that the expense should not exceed £10,000, instructed me to refer them to the resolution of the Vestry, that the expense should not exceed that amount. The Board however passed a resolution that they could only proceed with the work upon the following conditions, viz :—"That the Land-owners give up the land required for the bridge and approaches, that the Local Authorities and Land-owners contribute £6,000, that an agreement be entered into for carrying out the arrangement," and requested to be informed whether the Vestry were prepared to accept these conditions.

The General Purposes Committee on receipt of this letter, deemed it advisable again to invite a Deputation of the Greenwich Board of Works, to meet them to consider the best course to be adopted. After much consideration, it was agreed to recommend a contribution of a moiety not exceeding £6000 of the *actual* cost of the bridge. The Vestry and the Greenwich Board of Works confirmed the recommendation of the joint Committees. This resolution was communicated to the Metropolitan Board of Works and led to much controversy with that Board, inasmuch as the Board considered that they had no power to proceed with the erection of the bridge, unless the Vestry and Greenwich Board of Works and Owners agreed to pay one-half of the *estimated* expenses as required by the Boards' Various Powers Act. The Vestry which had already increased their contribution from £1,000 to £1800, would not make any further advance. The difference was happily settled by the perseverance of the representatives of this Vestry at the Metropolitan Board, and it was finally agreed that the value of the land agreed to be given up should be part of the contribution of the Owners, and thus the requirements of the Statute complied with. An agreement has now been prepared, whereby the Vestry, the District Board of Works, and



Owners agree to pay their respective contributions, and the Freeholders and Lesees agree to convey the land required to effect the improvement, and pay their contribution as agreed. This agreement has been duly executed by all parties, and the Seal of the Vestry affixed. I learn that Tenders will shortly be invited for the construction of the bridge.

#### COAL AND WINE DUTIES.

The Bill for the continuance of these duties which was reported upon fully in the last Report, has been again introduced into Parliament, and the Metropolitan Board of Works forwarded to the Vestry a letter asking them to present a Petition to the House of Commons in favour of such Bill, but the Vestry resolved to take no action in the matter.

#### CANTERBURY ROAD PAVING.—VESTRY *v.* STOTESBURY.

In the last Annual Report it is reported that the Court of Queen's Bench had decided, in the Special Case of the Vestry *v.* Board of Works for the Greenwich District, that the Vestry could not recover the sum of £613, the cost of paving this road upon the Deptford side, but that the Vestry had power under the order of the Metropolitan Board of Works, which vested the management of Canterbury road in the Vestry, to recover the paving expenses from the owners of property, although such property was not in this Parish. The Vestry were consequently necessitated to make a new apportionment against the owners in this Parish, as also owners in Deptford Parish for the paving expenses of the road. In consequence of the decision (so clear and conclusive) that the Vestry had the legal right to charge the owners in Deptford Parish, a hope was expressed that the owners would not endeavour to escape payment by legal technicality, these hopes were unfortunately not realized, as one owner stated he intended to take advantage of every technical point. The demand made on Mr. Stotesbury not having been paid, a summons was issued in the Greenwich Police Court for £548 3s. 8d.



being the apportioned amount in respect of his property in the said road. Upon the hearing of the summons Mr. Austin (Counsel) represented the Vestry, and Mr. Geo. Lyon, Mr. Stotesbury and a technical objection was taken by his Counsel that the land of the Canal Company agreed by them to be given up for the purposes of the new bridge which "bounded" and "abutted" the present termination of the road, not having been assessed, the apportionment was bad, and the Magistrate, R. H. B. Marsham, Esq., dismissed the summons without costs upon this objection. The Vestry on the 7th December ordered a fresh apportionment to be made in accordance with this decision, and the Vestry of the 21st December in making such apportionment resolved:—"That having regard to the decision of the Magistrate, that the land which the Surrey Commercial Docks Company are the owners abutting the termination of the road, should be assessed, are of the opinion that inasmuch as the land would form part of the roadway leading to the bridge shortly to be constructed by the Metropolitan Board, and which will be given up by the Company to effect a great public improvement, that it is just and expedient to assess the land in a much less amount than the other owners."

Mr. Stotesbury having refused payment of the fresh apportionment amounting to £548 3s. 8d. upon 28 houses and building land, a summons was issued against him returnable in the Greenwich Police Court before Mr. Marsham; on the hearing of this summons, Mr. J. V. Austin again appeared for the Vestry, and Mr. George Lyon for the Defendant. The Defendant's Counsel then took two objections, viz:—firstly, that the measurement was inaccurate, and secondly, that the Vestry had no legal power to assess the land of the Surrey Commercial Dock Company (being land which they had agreed to surrender to the Metropolitan Board of Works without compensation for the erection of the bridge) in a different sum to the Defendant's land, which is valuable building



land. The Magistrate made an order for the apportioned amount, together with £3 3s. costs. Application was made to the Magistrate to state a Case for the decision of the Court of Queen's Bench, which was granted.

The Appeal was heard in the High Court of Justice, (Queen's Bench Division) before Mr. Justice Wills and Mr. Justice Grantham, sitting as a Divisional Court. For the Appellant (Mr. Stotesbury), Mr. G. Lyon, Mr. Laing with him, for the Respondents (the Vestry) Mr. J. V. Austin. Mr. Lyon in opening the case for the Appellant, argued that the Vestry could not apportion the expenses between the owners of land in the same street at different rates, and cited "*Nesbitt v. Greenwich*" (L.R. 10 Q.B.), "*Wright v. Ingle*" (L.R. 16 Q.B. 468) "*Whitchurch v. Fulham*" (L.R. 1 Q.B. 241), "*London School Board v. Vestry of St. Mary, Islington*" (Q.B.D. 65.)

Mr. Austin for the Vestry, cited the case of "*Chelsea v. Evans*" (34 J.P. 23) and other cases.

The Court held that the apportionment must be supported. The earlier Act had not provided for any apportionment, or for any means of recovering the individual sums due for paving expenses. But under the 77th Section of the later Act 25 and 26 Vict., Cap. 102, the power of apportioning the total cost among the owners of lands and houses was thrown on the Vestry, though it did not contain any definite principle upon which they were to Act. The governing element of the Section was that the Vestry were the tribunal who were to decide how these costs were to be apportioned, and therefore neither the principle, nor the want of principle upon which the Vestry acted, could be inquired into by the Magistrate. The only principle that the Vestry had to follow, was that they were to act upon what they thought to be really just and fair. The case cited for the Vestry was very much in point. The power given in the section to rate lands at



a less sum than houses, was not to be taken to be a limitation of power, but only as an indication to the Vestry or their Surveyor, that, if thought "just and expedient" the difference between the two classes of property might be taken into consideration. The case of the "London School Board *v.* the Vestry of St. Mary, Islington" (L.R. 1 Q.B.D.), showed what vast powers the Vestry had, for their apportionment was supported in that case when the School Board, on a frontage of perhaps 20 feet, was assessed at nearly thirty times the amount of a neighbouring owner, whose frontage was over 130 feet. The Vestry had the power of apportioning such expenses, and the sooner this was realized the better. The appeal must therefore be dismissed with costs.

Mr. Laing then applied for leave to appeal but this the Court refused.

#### FREE LIBRARIES.

At a Meeting of the Vestry, held on the 28th March, the following Letter was read from Mr. LIVESEY:—

"SOUTH METROPOLITAN GAS CO.,

709A, OLD KENT ROAD,

*March 27th, 1888.*

DEAR MR. MARSDEN,

I have been intimately connected for nearly fifty years (twenty-eight as a resident) with the Parish of Camberwell, particularly with the North Peckham Ward, where the Gas Works are situated, and am desirous of doing something that may be useful to the inhabitants, especially the working people, and will add some enjoyment to their lives. After much consideration, I think a Free Public Library would best promote union amongst classes, and give the

people the means of spending their spare time pleasantly and profitably.

With this object, I have secured a suitable site, Nos. 678, 680, and 682, Old Kent Road ; the frontage is 48-ft., and the depth 150ft.

If the Parish will take up the question I will give the site and provide a building for a Free Library in that locality. In so large a Parish three or four such libraries will probably be necessary, but one would certainly be wanted in the Old Kent Road.

I think they should be founded by public subscriptions or private benefaction as is being done in Lambeth, when a rate of one halfpenny in the pound would probably be sufficient for their maintenance.

I address this proposal to you as I think such a movement to be successful should be taken in hand by the Vestry, who will, I feel sure, do what is best for the Parish.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

GEORGE LIVESEY.

G. W. MARSDEN, Esq.,

*Vestry Clerk."*

Moved by Mr. G. C. WHITELEY, seconded and unanimously:

RESOLVED.—That Mr. LIVESEY be informed by the Vestry Clerk that his very generous offer was received with much warmth and cordiality, to assure him that his proposal was thoroughly appreciated by all Members of the Vestry,



and to convey to him their best thanks for the valuable and useful gift he proposed to confer on the Parishioners.

Moved by Mr. H. ROWLEY, seconded by Mr. W. E. TEATHER,  
and

RESOLVED:—That the question be referred to a Special Committee consisting of three Members from each of the standing Committees.

The following Members were then appointed to form such Special Committee, from the—

*Sewers and Sanitary Committee :*

MESSRS. T. FOSTER, T. L. LASSAM, and R. D. WINYARD.

*General Purposes Committee .*

MESSRS. A. MIDDLEMASS, J. FAULKNER, and W. J. HAZEL.

*Finance Committee :*

MESSRS. G. C. WHITELEY, M. WALLACE, and H. ROWLEY.

*Plant and Scavenging Committee :*

MESSRS. G. L. TURNEY, A. MADGE, and A. NORMAN.

Report of the Special Committee appointed by the Vestry to consider the letter of the 27th March last, from Mr. GEORGE LIVESEY, offering to provide a Free Library in the Old Kent Road, if the Vestry would take up the question of Free Libraries in this Parish.

Your Committee desire to express their sense of the noble generosity of Mr. LIVESEY in proposing to give a Free Library to the Parish.

They are of opinion that the proposed Gift should be used as an incentive to other possible donors, and also to

urge upon the Ratepayers generally the advisability of adopting the Free Libraries Act in the Parish of Camberwell.

From enquiries made in Parishes where the Libraries Act has been adopted, your Committee have ascertained that the cost of providing a Library is about £5,000, and of maintaining the same £500 a year.

Your Committee are of opinion that four Libraries would be required to accommodate the inhabitants of this extensive Parish. The sum of £20,000 would therefore be required to establish the Institutions, and about £2,000 a year for the maintenance of the same.

Of the £20,000 required, the generous offer of Mr. LIVESEY may be taken to represent £5,000, which leaves £15,000 to be raised from other sources.

Your Committee believe that the Rate collected under the Libraries Act should be used for the maintenance only of the Institutions, which would limit the necessary Rate to the maximum of a halfpenny in the pound, and increase the chance on appeal to the Ratepayers of carrying the proposals.

Your Committee need not remind the Vestry of the great advantages to be gained by placing Free Libraries in different parts of this Parish.

They strongly urge the Vestry to seize the present favourable opportunity of inviting other Parishioners to follow the example of Mr. LIVESEY, and to endeavour to bring about the adoption, by the Parish of Camberwell, of a measure which is likely to confer great benefits upon the community.



The Committee recommended:—

1. That Mr. LIVESEY's generous offer be accepted.
2. That an appeal be immediately made by this Vestry for aid in providing three additional Institutions.
3. That the necessary steps be taken to bring the Libraries Act into operation, the Rate not to exceed one halfpenny in the pound.
4. That your Committee be instructed to carry out the foregoing Resolutions.

#### NOMINATION OF COMMITTEES.

The Vestry at a Meeting held on the 28th March, 1888, resolved, on the motion of Mr. R. D. Winyard, that the nomination of the Members of the Vestry to the different Standing Committees should be made by Wards, and that Meetings of the Members for each Ward should be summoned by the Vestry Clerk for the purpose of preparing such nominations. Such Meetings have this year been held, and the Committees elected by the Vestry upon such nominations.

#### METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

On the 17th August last, the Vestry resolved that an humble Address should be presented to Her Most Gracious Majesty, praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to enquire into the alleged wrong doing of certain Officials and Members of the Metropolitan Board of Works in the administration of the affairs of that Board, and that all the Metropolitan Vestries and District Boards should be invited to join in such Address, power was also given to the Law and Parliamentary Committee to settle the form of Address; at a Special Meeting of the Vestry held on the 30th August, 1888, the Seal was affixed to the following Address:—

“To the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty ; the humble loyal, and dutiful Address of the Members of the Vestry of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, in the County of Surrey.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Your suppliants, by virtue of the existing Metropolis Local Management Acts, elect two representatives as part of the body known as the Metropolitan Board of Works, consisting of 60 Members. All the other Members of the Metropolitan Board of Works except three are similarly elected by the Metropolitan Vestries and District Boards, pursuant to the statutes on that behalf, such three Members being elected by the Common Council of the City of London.

The Metropolitan Board, not being directly elected by the people, owes no allegiance to any constituency, and cannot be assailed, except to the extent to which each Vestry or District Board can put pressure on the Members it elects.

Your suppliants, speaking for themselves, and to the best of their belief, as to many other Metropolitan Vestries or District Boards, are under a sense of responsibility in respect of the Metropolitan Board and its administration. The scope of the Metropolis Local Management Acts enables the people to elect from themselves representatives, still clothed with the harness of their daily callings, to fulfil the duties of local self-government ; and any failure by the Metropolitan Board or its officers to carry out its duties with the strictest integrity, soils the reputation of local self-government, and reflects with discredit, at least indirectly, upon all the Vestries and District Boards of the Metropolis.

It is unfortunately common knowledge to all people of the Metropolis, and therefore unnecessary of proof, that an official of the Metropolitan Board, charged with important duties connected



with selling land belonging to the Metropolitan Board, became interested with the purchasers of such land; if indeed he was not himself, whilst acting for the Metropolitan Board—the *sellers*, already trafficking in the land as a *purchaser*. The whole matter seems to have been admitted before the Metropolitan Board; but, as appears to your suppliants, so low is that Board's sense of moral duty, that they merely passed the following resolution, condemning their officer and censuring his conduct, which censure has even yet not been administered.

‘That this Board is of opinion that none of its officers should be interested in the financial success of any dealings with the Board's properties, and considers that Mr. Robertson's admitted financial connection with his brothers, under the assumed name of Grey, in such dealings, and especially the unauthorised substitution of one of his brothers for Mr. Foster, a tenant appointed by the Board, is most improper and deserving of censure.’

Your suppliants are alarmed at the low moral tone of a public Board that could thus deal with so serious an offence of an official; and your suppliants are under fears that the Members of the Board, or an important number of them, may not be free agents towards their officials, but may have dealings of their own which they may not wish either to disclose or to have disclosed.

The fears, alarms, and amazement of your suppliants have been greatly aggravated by the course the Metropolitan Board has taken upon these matters being challenged in the public Press. The judgment of your suppliants is, that there are a number of the Members of the Metropolitan Board who are endeavouring to hide something, or hush something up. That Board has refused to appoint a Special Committee to enquire into the facts, but has by a majority adopted the sham of appointing a Committee of the whole Board, the very effect of which is, to put the Members



of the Board into the position of being their own judges upon serious charges and accusations against them. So ill-balanced and ill-guided are some of the Members sitting on this Committee, that one of them proposed a criminal prosecution for libel against a person who had written a letter containing serious allegations against the Board, and who had declined to appear before such a Committee.

The public Press, the people, a very large section of the Metropolitan Board itself, many of the Metropolitan Vestries and District Boards, together with your suppliants, believe that the Committee so appointed is wholly inadequate either for ascertaining the guilt of the parties accused, or for establishing the innocence of many Members and officials.

Your suppliants believe that nothing short of a Royal Commission (with the mercy that Your Most Gracious Majesty finds the indulgence to accord to wrong doers, who truthfully disclose all the facts for the general benefit of the community) will have the result of unearthing and bringing to light the corruption which is charged against the Metropolitan Board of Works and its Officers, and of establishing the innocence of those now unjustly under the cloud of suspicion. Numerous persons have refused to give evidence before the Board's Committee, whilst they have expressed their willingness to appear before a Royal Commission.

The importance of the enquiry will appear from a few figures. Last year, the Board received from about four millions of taxpayers, and a few other sources emanating from the people, the enormous sum of about £1,500,000. Since its incorporation, the Board has from time to time borrowed £36,000,000 of which about £30,000,000 is still owing.

Putting the inhabitants of the United Kingdom at about 40,000,000 and the Imperial Budget at about £80,000,000 it



will be seen that Imperial taxation amounts to about £2 per head per annum. The Metropolitan Board taxed and otherwise received from the people last year at the rate of about 8s. per head, and did not decrease its loans. The Metropolitan Board has in three years spent £196,268 1s. 4d. in endeavouring to deodorise London Sewage, this expenditure being, according to an eminent expert, almost useless.

Your suppliants in Common Vestry assembled on the 17th day of August, 1887, unanimously passed the following resolution:—

Moved by Mr. Teather, seconded by Mr. Foskett, and

Resolved:—‘That an humble Address be presented to Her Most Gracious Majesty, praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to enquire into the alleged wrong doings of certain Officials and Members of the Metropolitan Board of Works, in the administration of the affairs of that Board, and that all other of the Metropolitan Vestries, and the District Boards, be invited to join in such Address.’

Your suppliants in exercise of one of the dearest rights of Englishmen, and as representing upwards of two hundred thousands of your Most Gracious Majesty’s loyal, dutiful, and loving subjects, approach your Most Gracious Majesty and throne direct, praying that for the protection of the innocent from numerous slanders, and for the searching out of the guilty if any there be, Your Most Gracious Majesty may be pleased to command that a Royal Commission be appointed, with all usual powers, to consider and enquire into the matters referred to in this most humble address, or arising out of the administration of the Metropolitan Board.

Given under the Corporate Seal of the Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell, in Vestry assembled this 30th day of August, 1887.”

Copies of this Address were also sent to all the London Vestries and District Boards, asking for the same to be brought before their respective Boards. Replies were received from 39, of whom 19 agreed with Camberwell, 5 with the resolutions of the Paddington Vestry also in favor of a Royal Commission being appointed, 5 acknowledged the receipt, 8 who differed but recommended no action, and 2 have the matter still under consideration.

On the 9th September, 1887, a letter was received from Godfrey Lushington, Esq., stating "that he had been directed by the Secretary of State to acquaint me, for the information of the Vestry, that he had laid before the Queen the Petition to Her Majesty forwarded in my letter of the 31st ult., praying Her Majesty to issue a Royal Commission of enquiry into certain matters connected with the administration of the Metropolitan Board of Works."

On the 11th February, 1888, a letter was received from the Paddington Vestry, stating that that Vestry had unanimously resolved that the Right Honorable Lord Randolph Churchill, M.P., and Mr. John Aird, M.P. be requested to introduce a Bill into Parliament for the appointment of a Royal Commission. An Act of Parliament was moved for and obtained for the appointment of a Royal Commission by Lord Randolph Churchill, and the Commissioners appointed were Lord Herschell (Chairman) Mr. F. A. Bosanquet, Q.C., and Mr. H. C. Grenfell. The Commissioners have power to compel the attendance of witnesses, and any witness who refuses to answer any question put to him by the Court, would be liable to imprisonment. Witnesses who answer and make full disclosures will be entitled to a Certificate, which will relieve them from all actions at law or criminal proceedings; any witness not making a full disclosure will be liable to be proceeded against civilly or criminally, as such evidence may render him liable. The Commission held its first sitting on May 5th.



## TREASURER.

The 62nd Section of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855, enacts that the Vestry shall appoint a Treasurer (whose duty it is to keep the Account of the Vestry). Robert Ryrie, Esq., the then Chairman of the London and Joint Stock Bank, was appointed by the Vestry Treasurer, and the Accounts of the Vestry were kept in his name at the Southwark Branch. The London and South-Western Bank having now established two branches of their Bank in the Parish of Camberwell, one at High street, Peckham, and the other at Camberwell green, the Vestry considering these conveniences to the Ratepayers, and the advantages of a local Bank, took into their consideration the expediency of appointing a new Treasurer, and whilst recognising and thanking Robert Ryrie, Esq., for the attention the London and Joint Stock Bank had given to the Account, stated that they felt it their duty to avail themselves of the convenience of a local Bank, and thereupon appointed Sir George R. Prescott, Bart. (one of the Directors of the London and South-Western Bank), Treasurer. The Bank purchased £15,000 in the names of the Trustees as a security for the due performance of the office of Treasurer. The Vestry appointed Geo. Crispe Whiteley and the Vestry Clerk as Trustees on behalf of the Vestry, and the Bank appointed two Trustees on their behalf. The Account has accordingly been transferred from the London and Joint Stock Bank to the London and South-Western Bank. An unanimous vote of thanks was passed by the Vestry, to the Treasurer, Manager, and Officers of the London Joint Stock Bank for their attention to the Vestry Accounts.

## PERSONAL.

Death of Mr. J. O. Wilson. On the 1st February last, the Chairman reported to the Vestry the death of Mr. J. O. Wilson, whereupon the following resolution was unanimously passed:—

That the Vestry receive with deep regret, the intelligence of the death of Mr. John Osborn Wilson, who was a Member of this Vestry for the last 21 years, during which time he filled for 3 years the important office of Overseer of the Poor of the Parish, and was chosen Chairman of the Sewers and Sanitary Committee for two successive years, all of which appointments he filled with credit to himself and to the great advantage of his fellow Parishioners. His devotion to the interests of the Parish, his upright conduct and kindness of heart, obtained for him the respect and esteem of his colleagues. This Vestry now offer their condolence with his family in their heavy bereavement and irreparable loss.



That the Vestry receive with deep regret, the intelligence of the death of Mr. John O'Brien Wilson, who was a Member of the Vestry for the last 21 years, during which time he filled for 9 years the important office of Overseer of the Town of the Parish, and was chosen Chairman of the Sewer and Sanitary Committee for two successive years, all of which appointments he filled with fidelity to himself and to the great advantage of his fellow Parishioners. His devotion to the interests of the Parish, his upright conduct and kindness of heart, obtained for him the respect and esteem of his fellow-citizens. This Vestry now offer their condolences with his family in their heavy bereavement and irreparable loss.

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

NO. 1.—PARISH OF CAMBERWELL, SURREY.

1887—88.

CENSUS SUMMARIES.

—:O:—

Report of the Finance Committee.



1887-88.

Report of the Finance Committee.

*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 25 years, as will be seen from the following statement:—

TABLE II.

*Shewing the RATEABLE VALUE for the last 25 years.*

Year.				Rateable Value.	Increase.
				£	£
1863	...	...	...	27 <sup>c</sup> ,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	...	...	...	979,841	28,030
1886	...	...	...	1,010,407	30,566
1887 (Lady-day, 1888)				1,030,905	20,498
					760,592*

\* Total Increase in 25 years.

In the year 1863, One Penny in the Pound produced about £1,000 after deduction for losses; it now yields about £3,713.

The following is a Statement of the Area, Rateable Value, and number of Assessments in each Ward of the Parish:—

APRIL 1888 RATE.

Ward.	Number of Assessments.	Rateable Value.	Area in Acres.
No. 1	4,711	£ 93,830	200
2	4,497	99,848	240
3	3,802	114,675	280
4	5,928	147,340	370
5	7,637	198,872	830
6	10,716	376,340	2,422
Total	37,291	1,030,905	4,342

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

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*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, 1887 ... ..	626	2	7
„ Cash received from Rates, &c. ... ..	136,920	14	3
	<u>£137,546 16 10</u>		

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Cash disbursed ... ..	136,831	19	6
„ Balance in hand March 25th, 1888 ... ..	714	17	4
	<u>£137,546 16 10</u>		

ON THE POOR RATE.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Cash received from Rates, &c. ... ..	£87,064	10	6

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Cash disbursed ... ..	£87,064	10	6

## VESTRY ACCOUNT.

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand	March 26th, 1887	...	...	6,327	18	5		
„	do. on Deposit	...	...	...	9,500	0	0		
							15,827	18	5
„	do. received during the year	...	...	...			134,984	12	1
							£150,812	10	6
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Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				137,388	17	10
„	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1887—							
	Current Account	...	...	3,423	12	8			
	Deposit Account	...	...	10,000	0	0			
							13,423	12	8
							£150,812	10	6

For particulars see detailed account.

## VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS ACCOUNT).

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand,	March 26th, 1887	...	...	770	11	1		
„	Deposit Account	...	...	...	5,900	0	0		
							6,670	11	1
„	Cash received during the year	...	...	...			14,243	19	10
							£20,914	10	11
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Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				15,649	1	6
„	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1888—							
	Current Account	...	...	465	9	5			
	Deposit Account	...	...	4,800	0	0			
							5,265	9	5
							£20,914	10	11

## BURIAL BOARD.

Dr.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To	Cash in hand	March 26th, 1887	...	...	1,912	13	5		
„	do. received for Interment Fees and	other amounts	...	...	4,907	16	4		
							£6,820	9	9
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Cr.									
By	Cash expended during the year	...	...				3,642	14	2
„	Balance in hand	March 25th, 1888	...				3,177	15	7
							£6,820	9	9



## CHURCHWARDENS.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
To Cash in hand March 26th, 1887	... ..	35	11	10
„ do. received for Burial Fees	... ..	183	4	2
		<u>£218</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>0</u>

Cr.		£	s.	d.
By Cash expended during the year	... ..	215	7	6
„ Balance in hand March 25th, 1888	... ..	3	8	6
		<u>£218</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>0</u>

## CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
To Cash in hand January 1st, 1887	... ..	1,127	18	1
„ do. received during the year	... ..	1,160	5	11
		<u>£2,288</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>

Cr.		£	s.	d.
By Cash expended during the year	... ..	1,134	9	5
„ Balance in hand for distribution for the year 1888	... ..	1,153	14	7
		<u>£2,288</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>

## CHARITY TRUSTEES.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
To Cash in hand January 1st, 1887	... ..	25	7	5
„ do. received during the year	... ..	1,187	9	0
		<u>£1,212</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>5</u>

Cr.		£	s.	d.
By Cash expended during the year	... ..	1,207	10	10
„ Balance in hand December 31st, 1887	... ..	5	5	7
		<u>£1,212</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>5</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.
OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS on the Vestry						
Rates ... ..				714	17	4
There are further Assets in the nature of arrears, amounting to ... ..	207	2	3			
From which deduct Liabilities amounting to	92	16	6			
				114	5	9
Leaving a nett Balance in favour of the Rates of ... ..				£829	3	1
OVERSEERS' ACCOUNT on the Poor Rate	...	...		Balanced		
There are Assets in the nature of Arrears of Rates, amounting to ... ..				127	3	8
VESTRY ACCOUNT ... ..				13,423	12	8
Against which there are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to ... ..				12,750	12	1
Leaving a nett Balance in hand of ... ..				£673	0	7
VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS WORKS) ...				5,265	9	5
Against which there are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to ... ..				4,459	18	4
Leaving a Balance of ... ..				£805	11	1
BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNT ... ..				3,177	15	7
Against which there are Liabilities after deducting Assets, amounting to ... ..				368	3	10
Leaving a nett Balance in hand of ... ..				£2,809	11	9
CHURCHWARDENS' ACCOUNT ... ..				£3	8	6
CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE'S ACCOUNT				£1,153	14	7
TRUSTEES OF CHARITY ESTATES' ACCOUNT ...				£5	5	7

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Parishioners.

*March 25th, 1888.*

MATTHEW WALLACE, *Chairman.*



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

OVERSEAS ACCOUNTS on the Yearly		Rate
There are further Assets in the nature of	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
From which certain liabilities amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
Base of	...	...
OVERSEAS ACCOUNT on the Yearly		Rate
There is also in the nature of Assets of	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
From which certain liabilities amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
VICTORY ACCOUNT		Rate
Against which there are liabilities (partly collected) and	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
VICTORY ACCOUNT (NEW STREET'S WORKS)		Rate
Against which there are liabilities (partly collected) and	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
MURRAY BOARD ACCOUNT		Rate
Against which there are liabilities (partly collected) and	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
CHURCHWARDENS ACCOUNT		Rate
Against which there are liabilities (partly collected) and	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...
CHARITY TRUSTEES' ACCOUNT		Rate
Against which there are liabilities (partly collected) and	...	...
Amounts amounting to	...	...
Leaving a net balance in hand of	...	...

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AN ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT

OF

CASH RECEIVED AND EXPENDED

BY THE

VESTRY OF THIS PARISH

FROM THE

*26th March, 1887, to the 25th March, 1888.*



## GENERAL RATE.

Dr.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Cash Balance, March 26th, 1887, as per last Annual Report (page 183) ...		9,541 11 3	MATERIALS.	
Overseers, Order of Vestry, 1887... ..		75,500 0 0	By Cash to Contractors ... ..	7,890 4 9
INTEREST ON DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.				
To Cash ... ..		17 7 0	SLOPPING AND WATERING.	
RENT ACCOUNT.			By Cash, Working Expenses (including £10,029 for labour) ... ..	16,060 14 4
To Cash ... ..		18 4 0	„ Works Account ... ..	107 2 7
REPAIRS TO ROADS AFTER OPENING TRENCHES.			„ Plant Account ... ..	493 3 10
To Cash ... ..		996 15 8		16,661 0 9
DEPOSITS ON SCAFFOLD, &c. LICENSES.			GLENGALL WHARF.	
To Cash ... ..		147 3 0	By Cash, Moiety of Rent, &c.... ..	89 14 6
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS.			PARISH ROADS.	
To Cash ... ..		203 16 11	By Cash... ..	2,811 12 7
SALE OF ROAD SWEEPINGS, MANURE, &c.			LONDON SCHOOL BOARD.	
To Cash ... ..		43 7 6	By Cash, Amount of Precept, dated 10th March, 1887 ... ..	17,288 13 5
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.			By do. do. 28th July, 1887 ..	17,404 1 8
To Cash ... ..		310 0 0		34,692 15 1
REPAIRS TO ROADS.			INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.	
To Cash ... ..		18 5 6	By Cash ... ..	734 1 4
Carried forward ... ..		£86,796 10 10	Carried forward ... ..	£62,879 9 0

## GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.		Expenditure.	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
By Amount brought forward ...	...	86,796 10 10	By Amount brought forward ...	62,879 9 0
			HIGHWAYS LABOUR.	
			By Cash ...	3,362 17 10
			SCAFFOLD, &c., LICENSES.	
			By Cash, Return of Deposits ...	108 18 7
			ASSESSMENT EXPENSES.	
			By Cash ...	205 0 0
			RENT OF WHARFS (HIGHWAYS).	
			By Cash ...	310 3 10
			REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT.	
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 15th Instalment of Loan of £8,000, due October 1st, 1887 ...	420 0 0
			By Cash paid London Life Association, 13th Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due July 29th, 1887 ...	663 13 4
			By Cash paid General Assurance Company, 12th Instalment of Loan of £4,500 due February 23rd, 1888 ...	225 0 0
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 8th Instalment of Loan of £17,000 due January 1st, 1888 ...	850 0 0
			By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 7th Instalment of Loan of £12,500, due April 1st, 1887 ...	625 0 0
				2,786 13 4
Carried forward ...	...	£86,796 10 10	Carried forward ...	£69,653 2 7



## GENERAL

Dr.	Receipts.	£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward ... ..		86,796 10 10
Carried forward ... ..		£86,796 10 10

## RATE—Continued.

Expenditure.	Cr.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.
By Amount brought forward ... ..	69,653 2 7
INTEREST ON LOANS.	
By Cash paid as under, less Income Tax, viz.:	
Metropolitan Board of Works ...	77 6 3
Do. do. do. ... ..	414 7 4
Do. do. do. ... ..	310 11 2
General Assurance Company ... ..	83 11 2
London Life Association ... ..	68 15 5
	954 11 4
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.	
By Cash returned ... ..	320 0 0
MASONS' GENERAL WORKS.	
By Cash ... ..	3,195 0 4
REMOVAL OF STREET REFUSE.	
By Cash ... ..	2,168 19 11
OFFICERS' WEEKLY SALARIES.	
By Cash ... ..	617 7 10
SALARIES.	
By Cash, Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, Assistant Vestry Clerk, and other Officers One Year, £2,344 2s. 8d., One-third to this Rate ... ..	781 7 7
By Cash, Salaries of Medical Officer, Inspectors of Nuisances, and Superannuation, One Year, £853 os. od., One-half to this Rate ... ..	426 10 0
Carried forward ... ..	£78,116 19 7

## GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Cr.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward ...	86,796 10 10	By Amount brought forward ...	78,116 19 7
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.			
		By Cash for Printing and Stationery ...	477 15 5
		„ Establishment Charges and Sundries ...	871 19 2
		One-third to this Rate of ...	1,349 14 7
		By Baths and Wash-houses ...	3 10 0
			78,570 7 10
		By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities	
		Account ...	8,226 3 0
	<u>£86,796 10 10</u>		<u>£86,796 10 10</u>



## GENERAL RATE—Continued.

Dr.	Liabilities (Partly Estimated.)		Assets (Partly Estimated.)	Cr.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
MATERIALS.				
To Amounts due ... ..	1,563 2 8		By Balance from Cash Account ... ..	8,226 3 0
SLOPPING AND WATERING.			By Accounts due to Vestry, viz:—	
To Amounts due for Repairs to Hydrants,			Repairs to Roads ... ..	29 0 10
Rent of Depôt, Insurance, Water for			Sale of Road Sweepings, Manure, &c.	
Roads, Repairs and Sundries ... ..	567 7 4		(estimated at) ... ..	10 0 0
„ Amounts due for Fodder ... ..	359 12 10		Sundries ... ..	65 16 6
		927 0 2		104 17 4
MASONS' GENERAL WORKS.				
To Amounts due for Stone, Lime, &c., &c. ...	113 11 1			
PARISH ROADS.				
To Amounts due for Tar Paving Footpaths,				
&c. ... ..	342 19 9			
INTEREST AND INSTALMENTS				
OF LOANS.				
To Amounts due to Metropolitan Board ...	813 1 5			
SYDENHAM HILL.				
To Amount due to Lewisham Board of Works				
for Moiety of Maintenance ... ..	101 3 1			
GLENGALL WHARF.				
To Amounts due for Rates, Gas, Water, &c.	27 7 4			
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.				
To Amounts due to Contractors .. ..	180 0 0			
RENT ACCOUNT.				
To Amounts due ... ..	109 4 4			
SCAFFOLD LICENSES.				
To Amounts Returnable to Owners (estimated at)	168 18 0			
Carried forward ... ..	£4,346 7 10		Carried forward ... ..	£8,331 0 4

## GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Estimated Liabilities.—Continued.	Estimated Assets.—Continued.	Cr.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward ... ..	4,346 7 10	By Amount brought forward ... ..	8,331 0 4
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.			
To Amounts due for Ironmongery, Timber and Sundries ... ..	64 12 3		
PROVISIONS FOR SPECIAL WORKS.			
To Amount yet to be expended ... ..	2,925 0 0		
REMOVAL OF STREET REFUSE.			
To Amount due to Contractor ... ..	652 15 5		
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.			
To one-third of £ 233 10s. 5d., chargeable to this Rate ... ..	77 16 10		
	<hr/> 8,066 12 4		
To Balance in favour of Rate ... ..	264 8 0		
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	£8,331 0 4		£8,331 0 4



## NEW STREETS WORKS.

Dr.	Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance, March 26th, 1887, as per last Annual Report, folio 189 ... ..					6,670	11	1
To Cash Contributions from Owners, from March 26th, 1887, to March 25th, 1888		14,131	18	2			
„ Cash Costs ... ..		3	13	10			
					14,135	12	0
To Cash Sundries, viz. :—							
Interest on Deposit Account ... ..		105	7	1			
Returns on Re-apportionment not called for ... ..		3	0	9			
					108	7	10
					£20,914	10	11

## Estimated Liabilities.

To Amounts due to Contractors, Reductions on Re-apportionment, &c., &c. ...	11,087	10	9
To Unclaimed Returns ... ..	60	10	10
To Sundries ... ..	34	10	10
To Balance ... ..	805	11	1
	£11,988	3	6

Expenditure.	Cr.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Payments from Lady-day, 1887, to Lady-day, 1888, viz. :—							
Cash to Contractors, &c....		14,825	17	7			
Returns to Owners on Re-apportionment ... ..		319	7	0			
Salaries, Incidentals, &c....		503	16	11			
					15,649	1	6
By Balance to Assets and Liabilities Account					5,265	9	5
					£20,914	10	11

## Assets.

By Balance from Cash Account ... ..	5,265	9	5
By Amounts due from Owners ... ..	6,722	14	1
	£11,988	3	6

## SEWERS RATE.

Dr.	Receipts.	
		£ s. d.
To Balance in hand March 26th, 1887, as per last Annual Report, page 195 ...		128 11 2
OVERSEERS.		
To Order of Vestry, 1887 ...		14,955 0 0
PRIVATE DRAINS.		
To Cash from Owners of Property ...		497 12 0
NEW SEWERS.		
To Cash from Owners of Property ...		52 10 0
ADULTERATION ACT.		
To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs ...		56 13 0
NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT.		
To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs ...		10 9 0
SALE OF MANURE <i>re</i> DUSTING.		
To Cash ...		8 17 0
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.		
To Cash from Contractors ...		40 0 0
SUNDRIES.		
To Cash ...		13 11 6
Carried forward ...		15,763 3 8

Expenditure.	Cr.
	£ s. d. £ s. d.
SEWERS GENERAL WORKS.	
By Cash paid W. Harris ...	1,483 18 3
REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT.	
By Cash paid as under, viz. :—	
London Life Association, 20th Instalment of Loan of £23,000, due May 1st, 1887 ...	766 13 4 ✓
London Life Association, 21st Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due 29th September, 1887 ...	333 6 8 ✓
Atlas Assurance Company, 22nd Instalment of Loan of £26,000, due January 31st, 1888 ...	866 13 4 ✓
	1,966 13 4
INTEREST ON LOANS.	
By Cash paid as under, less Income Tax, viz. :—	
London Life Association ...	389 17 9 ✓
Do. do. ...	161 9 3 ✓
Atlas Assurance Company ...	378 6 10 ✓
	929 13 10
SMALL BILLS.	
By Cash paid ...	38 16 10
DISINFECTING.	
By Cash paid for attending Machine, Repairs to Apparatus, Compensation, Disinfecting Powder, &c. ...	310 3 10
PRIVATE DRAINS.	
By Cash returned to Owners ...	30 8 2
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.	
By Cash ...	495 17 3
Carried forward ...	5,255 11 6



## SEWERS RATE—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.		Expenditure	Cr.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward ... ..		15,763 3 8	By Amount brought forward ... ..	5,255 11 6
			NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT.	
			By Cash paid for Summonses, &c. ... ..	9 16 1
			ADULTERATION ACT.	
			By Cash paid Analyst, Summonses, Samples, &c. ... ..	208 7 10
			LABOUR.	
			By Cash advanced for Flushing, &c. ... ..	1,247 12 0
			DUST PLANT ACCOUNT.	
			By Cash for Horses, Harness, Baskets, &c., &c. ... ..	239 1 7
			GLENGALL WHARF.	
			By Cash, Moiety of Rent, Rates, Sundries, &c. ... ..	89 13 11
			DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.	
			By Cash returned ... ..	20 0 0
			DUST WORKING EXPENSES.	
			By Cash paid for Fodder, Repairs to Carts and Harness, Veterinary Attendance, &c. (including £2,364 for Labour) ... ..	6,325 7 7
			SALARIES.	
			By Cash paid Foreman of Sewers ... ..	130 0 0
			„ Cash paid Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, and other Officers, One Year, £2,344 2s. 8d., One-third to this Rate ... ..	781 7 7
			„ Cash paid Salaries of Medical Officer and Inspectors of Nuisances, One Year, £853 os. od., One-half to this Rate ... ..	426 10 0
Carried forward ... ..		15,763 3 8	Carried forward ... ..	14,733 8 1

## SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Cr.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Amount brought forward ... ..	15,763 3 8	By Amount brought forward ... ..	4,733 8 1
		MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.	
		By Cash paid £1,349 14s. 7d., One-third to this Rate ... ..	449 18 2
		DUST WORKS ACCOUNT.	
		By Cash paid for Sundries ... ..	2 16 3
		By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account ... ..	45,186 2 6
			577 1 2
	<u>£15,763 3 8</u>		<u>£15,763 3 8</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, 1888	Balance due.
			£			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Jan. 31, 1866	Atlas Life Assurance Company	Sewers Rate	26,000	5 per cent.	30 years	866 13 4	19,066 13 4	6,933 6 8
Sept. 5, "	London Life Association	Sewers Rate	10,000	5 "	30 "	333 6 8	7,000 0 0	3,000 0 0
May 8, "	London Life Association	Sewers Rate	23,000	5 "	30 "	766 13 4	15,333 6 8	7,666 13 4
Nov. 6, 1872	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	8,000	3 $\frac{7}{8}$ "	20 "	*...	6,320 0 0	1,680 0 0
July 29, 1874	London Life Association	General Rate	10,000	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	15 "	666 13 4	8,666 13 4	1,333 6 8
Feb. 23, 1876	General Assurance Company	General Rate	4,500	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	20 "	225 0 0	2,700 0 0	1,800 0 0
Mar. 16, 1880	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	17,000	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ "	20 "	850 0 0	6,800 0 0	10,200 0 0
May 13, "	Metropolitan Board of Works	General Rate	12,500	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ "	20 "	625 0 0	4,375 0 0	8,125 0 0
			111,000				70,261 13 4	40,738 6 8

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

SEWERS

LIABILITIES (Estimated)

Dr.

£ 4. 4.

GENERAL WORKS

To Amount due for General Works to the City of London

Sewerage &amp;c. 1895-96 2

1896-97 2

1897-98 2

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## SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

Dr.	Liabilities (Partly Estimated)	£	s.	d.
GENERAL WORKS.				
To	Amount due for Drains, Repairs to Sewers, &c. ... ..	354	18	8
DUST REMOVAL.				
To	Amount due for Barging, Repairs to Harness, Shoeing, Dust Shoots, &c. ...	855	8	10
DISINFECTING.				
To	Amount due for Powder, &c. ... ..	49	5	0
GLENGALL WHARF.				
To	Amount due for Gas, Water, &c. ...	27	7	3
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS.				
To	Amount due for Water to Urinals, Repairs, Drain Eyes, Registrars' Returns, &c. ... ..	96	19	11
PRIVATE DRAINAGE.				
To	Amount Returnable to Owners ... ..	139	10	5
SMALL BILLS.				
To	Amount due ... ..	9	10	9
DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS.				
To	Amount due to Contractors ... ..	30	0	0
INTEREST ON LOAN.				
To	Amount due ... ..	72	16	3
PROVISION FOR SPECIAL WORKS.				
To	Amount yet to be expended ... ..	150	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.				
To	One-third of £233 10s. 5d. to this Rate...	77	16	10
		<u>£1,863</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>11</u>

## SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

Assets (Partly Estimated.)		£	s.	d.
By	Balance from Cash Account ... ..	577	1	2
By	Accounts due to Vestry, viz. :—			
	For Sewers Sundries ... ..	8	14	1
	For Dust, &c. ... ..	15	0	0
		<u>23</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1</u>
NEW SEWERS.				
By	Contributions due from Owners ... ..	426	16	6
PRIVATE DRAINS.				
By	Amounts due from Owners ... ..	285	8	2
		<u>1,312</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>11</u>
By	Balance against the Rate ... ..	550	14	0
		<u>£1,863</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>11</u>







# METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.

Dr.	Receipts.	£ s. d.
To Balance in hand March 26th, 1887, as per last Annual Report, page 205 ...		1,194 6 4
OVERSEERS.		
To Amount of Order of Vestry, 1887 ...		30,095 0 0

£31,289 6 4

Expenditure.	Cr.
	£ s. d.
METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.	
By Cash, Amount of Precept dated 21st January, 1887 ... ..	31,288 19 11
By Balance ... ..	0 6 5

£31,289 6 4



## A Summary of Cash Received and Expended From March 26th, 1887, to March 25th, 1888.

Dr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Cash at Bankers March 26th, 1887, as per last Annual Report, page 207...	6,327	18	5			
„ Cash on deposit do.	9,500	0	0			
				15,827	18	5
GENERAL RATE.						
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...				77,254	19	7
SEWERS RATE.						
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...				15,634	12	6
LIGHTING RATE.						
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...				12,000	0	0
METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.						
To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year ...				30,095	0	0
				£150,812	10	6

## NEW STREETS

To Cash at Bankers March 26th, 1887	770	11	1
„ Cash on deposit do.	5,900	0	0
	6,670	11	1
To Amount received during the year...	14,243	19	10
	£20,914	10	11

Dr.

Balance.

To General Rate	8,226	3	0
„ Sewers Rate	577	1	2
„ Lighting Rate	4,620	2	1
„ Consolidated Rate	0	6	5
„ New Streets Works	5,265	9	5
	£18,689	2	1

Cr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
GENERAL RATE.						
By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...				78,570	7	10
SEWERS RATE.						
By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...				15,186	2	6
LIGHTING RATE.						
By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...				12,343	7	7
METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE.						
By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year ...				31,288	19	11
				137,388	17	10
By Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1888, less Outstanding Cheques	3,423	12	8			
Cash on Deposit	10,000	0	0			
				13,423	12	8
				£150,812	10	6

## WORKS ACCOUNT.

By Amount paid during the year	15,649	1	6
„ Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1888, less Outstanding Cheques	465	9	5
„ Cash on Deposit	4,800	0	0
	5,265	9	5
	£20,914	10	11

Balance.

Cr.

By Cash at Bankers (Current Accounts)	3,889	2	1
„ Cash on Deposit Accounts	14,800	0	0
	£18,689	2	1

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, 1887, 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, 1888, and continued by adjournment until the 25th day of July, 1888.

JOHN COCHRANE, *Chairman*,  
GEORGE FOSTER,  
FREDERICK NORMAN,  
WILLIAM DAVIS,  
WILLIAM BRENCHLEY,

}  
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, 1888.*

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VESTRY HALL, CAMBERWELL, S.E.  
*July 25th, 1888.*

GENTLEMEN,

We, being the duly appointed Auditors of the Parish, have in accordance with the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1885, examined and audited the Books of Accounts with the Vouchers relating thereto for the period from the 26th March, 1887, to the 25th March, 1888, both dates inclusive, and submit the following report thereon.

Having gone minutely into the Vestry General Accounts we find them perfectly correct, and sign the same in satisfaction thereof.

With respect to the Burial Board's Accounts, we have to report that such of the accounts as are kept at the office are in perfect order. We regret however to say that we found irregularities in the matters under the control of Cemetery Superintendent Flatley, and especially as to the issue of Burial Certificates and the safe custody of the books, which caused us to put ourselves into communication with the Board.

The Members met us, and heartily assisted us in investigating the matter.

We have much pleasure in stating that what seems a very thorough system of checking the accounts has now been inaugurated, and in assurance thereof we do allow and sign the accounts.

At the same time, we would suggest that as much of the clerical work as possible, and particularly as regards cash transactions should be done at the office of the Board.

In the Charities Accounts, we have to report a similar circumstance to that stated in the report of our immediate predecessors one of the Distributors (Mr. Bellis) has furnished no receipts or statement of the disbursement of money placed in his hands for distribution. From what information we could gather, we are satisfied that the Annuitants have been paid, but the sum of £11 0s 0d. of the Samaritan Gift has not been distributed.

We notice that in several instances the recipients of the Samaritan Gift have received from more than one Distributor, and we think that care should be taken to spread the benefit as widely as possible.

In conclusion we beg to acknowledge the courtesy of the Clerks who have attended upon us during the Audit, and to express our entire satisfaction with and approval of the business like manner in which the accounts of the various departments are kept.

JOHN COCHRANE, (*Chairman.*)

GEORGE FOSTER.

FREDERICK W. NORMAN.

WILLIAM DAVIS.

WILLIAM BRENCHLEY.



## OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS

*From 26th March, 1887, to 25th March, 1888.*

VESTRY RATES made APRIL 6th, 1887, and OCTOBER 8th, 1887, and ARREARS OF 1886.

METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE, at				8d. in the Pound
SEWERS RATE	...	...	...	4d. in the Pound
LIGHTING RATE	...	...	...	4d. in the Pound
GENERAL RATE	...	...	...	8d. in the Pound
Arrears of last year				...
				£ 234 3 5½
od.				£154,727 18 0½

Districts.	Amount Charged, including £2 s. 5½d. short-paid at Lady day 1887	Collected.	Arrears March 25th, 1888.	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	13,614 12 2½	11,617 16 0	22 17 6	1,248 16 1½	47 0 1½	638 10 6	38 15 4	13,613 15 7½	0 16 7	...
St. George's Ward, No. 2	14,325 5 6	12,371 5 9	4 4 0	1,168 18 1	28 19 0	725 7 5	27 11 3	14,325 5 6	...	...
Camden Ward, No. 3 ...	13,368 4 9	11,530 2 6	26 5 9	734 1 4½	33 19 6½	1,018 13 10½	25 1 9	13,368 4 9½	...	0 0 0½
Peckham Ward, No. 4 ...	9,671 8 3	8,003 18 3	21 3 0	728 18 11½	32 11 9	853 17 5½	27 18 9	9,668 8 2	3 0 1	...
Peckham Ward, No. 4a ...	8,390 4 3	7,189 12 4	16 19 9	578 4 1½	28 3 6½	558 17 9	18 6 9	8,390 4 3½	...	0 0 0½
Peckham Ward, No. 5 ...	13,375 10 6	11,682 2 7	19 1 4½	714 17 11½	30 3 4½	894 0 3	37 4 9	13,377 10 3½	...	1 19 9½
Peckham Ward, No. 5a ...	13,687 8 4	11,858 12 6	21 19 1½	548 11 2½	24 0 1½	1,186 4 9½	47 18 7	13,687 6 4	0 2 0	...
Camberwell Ward, No. 6	14,453 15 10	13,003 4 10	21 8 3	72 9 9	36 10 6	1,271 5 2½	48 0 0	14,452 18 6½	0 17 3½	...
Camberwell Ward, No. 6a	8,672 8 11	7,142 16 9	16 14 6	151 16 3½	17 7 11½	1,298 10 4	45 1 6	8,672 7 4½	0 1 6½	...
East Dulwich Ward, No. 6	16,663 16 7	14,141 18 11	22 2 6	374 15 5½	57 13 6	2,018 11 2½	50 0 6	16,665 2 0½	...	1 5 5½
Dulwich Ward, No. 6 ...	12,366 15 3	11,497 16 5	14 6 6	23 2 8	14 6 0	768 5 11	48 17 10	12,366 15 4	...	0 0 1
Public Companies ...	16,137 7 8	15,984 0 2	...	...	...	153 7 6	...	16,137 7 8	...	...
	154,727 18 0½	136,023 7 0	207 2 3	6,344 12 0½	350 15 5½	11,385 12 2½	414 17 0	154,726 5 11	4 17 6	3 5 4½
Add short-paid								4 17 6		
								154,731 3 5		
Deduct over-paid								3 5 4½		
								£154,727 18 0½		



### VESTRY RATES.

£137,546 16 10

### VESTRY RATES.

£137,546 16 10





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

JOHN COCHRANE, *Chairman*,  
GEORGE FOSTER,  
FREDERICK NORMAN,  
WILLIAM DAVIS,  
WILLIAM BRENCHLEY,

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

25th July, 1888.





Extract from POOR RATES made APRIL 6th, 1887, and OCTOBER 8th, 1887, and Arrears of 1886.  
At 1s. 11d. in the £.

Districts.	Amount of Rate at 1s. 11d. in the £, and arrears due at the time of making the April Rate.		Collected.		Arrears March 25th, 1888.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Ward 1, St. George's Arrears ... ..	8,678 14 7½ 20 19 6					
		8,699 14 1½	7,426 7 10½	13 19 7		
Ward 2, St. George's Arrears ... ..	9,147 4 8 6 3 6					
		9,153 8 2	7,903 14 7	2 11 4		
Ward 3, Camden ... Arrears ... ..	8,529 18 3½ 11 17 6					
		8,541 15 9½	7,372 0 0½	16 1 3½		
Ward 4, North Peck- ham ... ..	6,167 0 5½ 15 0 6					
		6,182 0 11½	5,122 19 9	12 8 10½		
Ward 4a, North Peck- ham ... ..	5,345 5 10½ 14 12 6					
		5,359 18 4½	4,594 0 3	10 7 7½		
Ward 5, South Peck- ham ... ..	8,525 18 9 19 18 0					
		8,545 16 9	7,464 18 5½	11 14 11½		
Ward 5a, South Peck- ham ... ..	8,742 19 2 16 5 7					
		8,759 4 9	7,590 12 8	13 8 4½		
Ward 6, Camberwell Arrears ... ..	9,229 15 2 12 5 0					
		9,242 0 2	8,315 8 7½	14 1 8½		
Ward 6a, Camberwell Arrears ... ..	5,523 14 4½ 17 14 0					
		5,541 8 4½	4,565 2 10½	10 4 5		
Ward 6, East Dulwich Arrears ... ..	10,630 19 1 16 16 6					
		10,647 15 7	9,035 14 11	13 10 5		
Ward 6, Dulwich ... Arrears ... ..	7,985 3 5½ 7 16 6					
		7,992 19 11½	7,434 18 1½	8 15 1		
Public Companies ...		10,318 19 8	10,216 16 8	...		
		98,985 2 8	87,042 14 10½	127 3 8		

Allowed to Owners.	Amount legally excused.	Empties.	Reduced on Appeal.	Totals.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
797 3 0½	27 18 1½	409 2 3¾	25 3 3	8,699 14 1½
746 4 3½	18 11 10½	464 8 11	17 17 2	9,153 8 2
468 18 10½	19 15 1	648 13 6½	16 6 11	8,541 15 9½
465 2 4½	19 10 8	543 15 6	18 3 9½	6,182 0 11½
369 5 5	16 18 6	357 11 11	11 14 8	5,359 18 4½
456 12 4½	17 4 10½	571 0 0½	24 6 0	8,545 16 9
350 6 4½	14 15 9½	758 15 4½	31 6 2	8,759 4 9
46 6 0½	23 12 8	811 13 5	30 17 8½	9,242 0 2
96 18 11½	9 12 2½	830 19 0½	28 10 10	5,541 8 4½
239 4 8½	36 13 9½	1,290 10 11½	32 0 9	10,647 15 7
14 16 0½	10 3 8	491 19 6	32 7 6½	7,992 19 11½
...	...	102 3 0	...	10,318 19 8
4,050 18 5½	214 17 3	7,280 13 7½	268 14 9½	98,985 2 8

POOR RATE.

[illegible]

(Signed) H. LLOYD ROBERTS,

Expenditure.

	Expenditure.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Cash to Guardians, viz. :—						
For Poor Purposes ... ..	55,155	12	5			
For County Rate ... ..	8,270	4	11			
					63,425	17 4
By Cash for Police Rate ... ..					20,896	18 4
„ do. Collectors' Poundage... ..					1,496	4 8
By Cash, Sundry Expenses, viz. :—						
Printing Jury Lists ... ..	160	8	0			
Election of Vestrymen... ..	88	11	3			
Registration of Voters... ..	428	5	5			
Returning Officer's Expenses... ..	565	18	0			
Magistrates' Clerk ... ..	2	7	6			
					1,245	10 2
					£87,064	10 6

District Auditor.

22nd June, 1888.



*An Account in abstract of the Receipts and Expenditure*  
OF THE  
**CAMBERWELL BURIAL BOARD,**  
FROM MARCH 26TH, 1887, TO MARCH 25TH, 1888.

**Receipts.**

	£	s.	d.
To Cash, Balance in hand, 25th March, 1887	1,412	13	5
„ Cash on Deposit at Bank ... ..	500	0	0
„ Fees for Interments, Vaults, and Private Graves ... ..	4,534	4	7
„ do. Of Board of Guardians for Parish Interments ... ..	179	8	0
„ do. „Turving,” &c., Graves ... ..	76	11	0
„ do. Interest on Deposit Account ...	15	16	8
„ do. Burial Certificates ... ..	14	2	6
„ Cash. Mr. Austin for Grass ... ..	20	0	0
„ do. balance in hand of Clerk, “Wages Account” ... ..	62	13	7
„ do. Cheque Cancelled “J. W. Allen”...	5	0	0

Carried forward... ..

6,820 9 9

**Expenditure.**

	£	s.	d.
By Cash, Fees for Burial Services—Rev. T. Ray	234	11	6
„ do. Salary and Special Fees, S. Bright	141	7	6
„ do. Fees for Burial Services—Rev. Dr. Morgan ...	226	8	0
„ do. do. Churchwardens of St. Giles’ ...	183	4	2
„ do. do. Churchwardens of St. George’s ...	33	19	7
„ do. Advanced to pay Dissenting Ministers’ Fees ...	70	0	0
„ do. Advanced on Account of Wages at Cemetery, and Petty Cash ...	1,088	11	3
„ do. Salaries, Clerk and Surveyor ...	250	0	0
„ do. G. H. Farrington, Grants, and Stamps on Grants ...	11	10	0
„ do. W. M. Carey, Printing, &c. ...	28	14	9
„ do. Inland Revenue, Income Tax on Profits ... ..	56	16	4
„ do. W. Harris, Work at Cemetery ...	327	3	10
„ do. do. Carting do. ... ..	43	0	8
„ do. Daniel & Co., Brick Graves, &c. ...	69	7	4
„ do. Sundry Accounts ... ..	321	9	5
„ do. Repairs at Cemetery, A. Coldman	267	3	5
„ do. Fees for Burial Services—Rev. F. Kelly ...	154	1	1
„ do. do. Rev. W. S. Cadman	6	7	0

Carried forward ... ..

3,513 15 10

## BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNTS—Continued.

## Receipts.

	£	s.	d.
To Amount brought forward ...	6,820	9	9
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	£6,820	9	9

## Expenditure.

	£	s.	d.
By Amount brought forward ...	3,513	15	10
„ Cash, Fees for Burial Services—Rev. A. W. Drew ...		13	0
„ do. do. Rev. W. Scott ...		8	2
„ do. do. „ R. O. Thorpe ...		10	0
„ do. do. „ J. D. Dyke ...		1	11
„ do. do. „ Sinclair Carolin ...		0	16
„ do. do. „ J. M. Clarke... ..		1	16
„ do. do. „ T.A. Warburton ...		31	17
„ do. do. „ T. J. Gaster... ..		3	10
„ do. do. „ H.J. Swithinbank ...		1	13
„ do. do. „ N. Campbell ...		33	19
„ do. do. „ Bennett Foster ...		6	12
„ do. do. „ J. Seaver ...		11	13
„ do. do. „ Dr. Leary ...		3	9
„ do. do. „ C. E. Brooke ...		0	17
„ Balance, Current Account ...	687	16	0
„ Add short paid ...	0	10	0
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„ Less Outstanding Cheques ...	688	6	0
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		677	15
„ Deposit Account „ ...	2,500	0	0
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	£6,820	9	9

We hereby Certify and Report that we have Examined and Allowed the Accounts of the Burial Board of St. Giles, Camberwell, of which this Account is an Abstract, and we have appended thereto a Statement of Assets and Liabilities to the 25th March, 1888, subject to our Report to the Vestry.

JOHN COCHRANE, *Chairman*,  
GEORGE FOSTER,  
FREDERICK W. NORMAN,  
WILLIAM DAVIS,  
WILLIAM BRENCHLEY,

Auditors of  
the Parish of  
St. Giles,  
Camberwell.

July 23rd, 1888.



## BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNTS.—Continued.

Dr.	Liabilities.	£ s. d.	Assets	Cr.
				£ s. d.
To Salaries, Clerk and Surveyor ... ..		62 10 0	By Balance, Current and Deposit Accounts	3,177 15 7
„ Rev. T. Ray ... ..		55 14 0	„ Interment Fees, Board of Guardians, to	
„ Parish Clerk ... ..		32 2 0	25th March, 1888 ... ..	52 13 0
„ Churchwardens of St. Giles ... ..		53 2 8	„ Dissenting Ministers' Fees ... ..	7 14 0
„ Churchwardens of St. George's ... ..		5 10 0	„ Turfing Graves at Cemetery ... ..	1 10 0
„ Fees for Burial Services—Rev. F. F. Kelly		39 0 2	„ Burial Certificates ... ..	2 17 6
„ do. Rev. N. Campbell ... ..		7 5 0		
„ do. „ A. A. W. Drew ... ..		4 2 0		
„ do. „ W. Scott ... ..		2 6 6		
„ do. „ R. O. Thorpe ... ..		4 19 0		
„ do. „ W. S. Cadman ... ..		1 18 6		
„ do. „ J. Seaver ... ..		4 17 0		
„ do. „ J. B. Forster ... ..		2 12 6		
„ do. „ J. M. Clark ... ..		0 3 0		
„ do. „ C. E. Brooke ... ..		0 10 0		
„ do. „ J. D. Dyke ... ..		0 4 6		
„ do. „ T. J. Gaster ... ..		2 9 0		
„ do. „ Dr. J. H. Morgan ... ..		0 16 6		
„ do. „ H. S. Swithinbank ... ..		1 0 0		
„ do. „ S. Carolin ... ..		0 3 0		
„ do. „ Dr. Leary ... ..		1 1 0		
„ do. „ Dr. Warburton ... ..		8 8 0		
„ do. „ H. E. Jennings ... ..		1 9 0		
„ do. „ George Collett ... ..		0 3 0		
„ Officiating at Cemetery, Rev. Dr. Morgan		62 13 6		
„ South Metropolitan Gas Company ... ..		10 2 5		
„ Books, Printing, &c., W. M. Carey ... ..		7 3 6		
„ W. Harris, Cartage ... ..		20 4 9		
„ A. Coldman, Repairs ... ..		28 17 10		
„ J. Kellaway, Return of Fees paid ... ..		0 7 6		
„ Superintendent at Cemetery, Salary to date		7 10 0		
„ Rand & Batten <i>re</i> Tidy ... ..		2 2 0		
„ W. Berriman, Repairs, &c. ... ..		1 9 0		
„ Balance ... ..		2,809 13 3		
		<u>£3,242 10 1</u>		<u>£3,242 10 1</u>

*From March 26th, 1887, to March 25th, 1888.*

July, 1888.





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

Will dated 16th December, 1808.

As to Bequests for Ways, Charities, and Poor.

"To the Minister and Churchwardens of the  
Parish of Charlton, the sum of Five Hundred  
Pounds, to be applied at their discretion at their  
decease, and the income thereof to be applied  
to the support of a poor school for the Poor."

## CHARITY ACCOUNTS.

The above Bequest of 1808 has been paid in 1814  
the sum of 4517 2s. 6d. Capital and 100 per Cent.  
Interest, and the same has been paid into the name of "The  
Official Trustees of Charlton's Trust," pursuant to the  
provisions of the Charitable Trusts Act, 1853.  
The same has been received by the Accountant of the County  
of the County of the Office of the County Commissioners,  
Windsor, and the Year and Charitable Trusts have  
submitted the Official Trustees with an Order to the  
Accountant of the County to be paid to the  
Trustees.

Dated the 22nd day of March, 1879.

James Williams, M.A., Vicar

James Dodson,

Francis Payne,

David Caspary,

Charitable Trustees.



CHARITY ACCOUNTS.

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

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Will dated 16th December, 1868.

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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.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1879.

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LIST  
OF THE  
TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY ESTATES.

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

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1887.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
December, 1886, to December, 1887			
To Balance brought forward from last year's Account	25	7	5
To Cash from Receiver, viz:—			
<b>SIR EDMUND BOWYER'S CHARITY.</b>			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1887			
E. Symes ... ..	100	0	0
T. E. Silk ... ..	60	0	0
H. Matthewson ... ..	35	0	0
F. Browning ... ..	40	0	0
H. Carrington ... ..	50	0	0
	285	0	0
<b>CAGE, CAMBERWELL GREEN.</b>			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1887, J. Smith's Executors ... ..	7	0	0
<b>ENGINE HOUSE, CAMBERWELL GREEN.</b>			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1887, G. Priest ... ..	8	0	0
<b>ENGINE HOUSE, PECKHAM.</b>			
52 weeks Rent to 5th December, 1887, Ellen Walker ... ..	3	18	0
<b>SHOULDER OF MUTTON ESTATE.</b>			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1887, Mann, Crossman and Co. (less Property Tax) ... ..	19	7	6
Ditto, G. Culver (less Tax) ... ..	29	1	4
Property Tax Deductions refunded ... ..	1	13	4
	50	2	2
<b>SIR THOMAS HUNT'S GIFT.</b>			
One year's Rent Charge to Christmas, 1887, J. Dallor ... ..	2	13	4
<b>DIVIDENDS.</b>			
One year's Dividends to July, 1887, on £1,000 Consols	30	0	0
Ditto on £220 5s. 6d. to October, 1887, New 2½ per cent. Annuities ... ..	5	10	0
Ditto on £350 Consols, to July, 1887, per Charity Commissioners ... ..	10	10	0
Ditto on £187 5s. 11d. Consols, do. per Court of Chancery (less Property Tax) ... ..	5	8	11
Ditto to October, 1887, on £1,509 17s. 9d. Reduced Three per cent. Annuities ... ..	45	5	10
Ditto to July, 1887, 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
<b>BOWLES' FIVE ACRES.</b>			
Rents from sundry Tenants, to Michaelmas, 1887, less Property Tax ... ..	322	12	0
Ground Rents on Property, Bowles Road and Kent Road, to Michaelmas, 1887, less Property Tax ... ..	340	1	11
Property Tax refunded ... ..	22	12	4
	685	6	3
<b>BURSTED'S LAND.</b>			
One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1887, Cooper and Kendall (less Property Tax) ... ..	15	19	9
Ditto ditto T. Spurrier, less Property Tax ... ..	20	6	11
Property Tax Deductions refunded ... ..	1	5	0
	37	11	8
<b>INTEREST.</b>			
Interest on Cash placed at Deposit Account during the year ... ..	8	11	1
	£1,212	16	5

Cr.	£	s.	d.
December, 1886, to December, 1887.			
Cash—			
„ G. Martin, one year's Rent of slip of Land next Canal, to Michaelmas, 1887 ... ..	5	0	0
„ Sundries—Fire Insurance Engine House ... ..	0	2	6
„ 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
„ Charity Distribution Committee, voted for Distribution ... ..	1,150	0	0
„ J. Wilson's Bequest, Mr. Churchwarden Bickerstaff ... ..	2	8	4
„ Balance at Bankers carried to next years' Account ... ..	5	5	7

Examined and found correct:—

JOHN COCHRANE, *Chairman*.  
GEORGE FOSTER.  
FREDERICK W. NORMAN.  
WILLIAM DAVIS.  
WILLIAM BRECHLEY.

Auditors of the  
Parish of St. Giles  
Camberwell.

July 26th, 1888.

£1,212 16 5

STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

For the year ended December 31, 1911

The Board of Directors of the [Company Name] has the honor to submit to the stockholders the following statement of the affairs of the company for the year ended December 31, 1911.

The company has during the year completed the construction of the [Project Name] and has commenced the operation of the same. The results of the operation for the year are as follows:

Income from operations, \$[Amount]; operating expenses, \$[Amount]; net income, \$[Amount].

The company has also received from the [Government] a grant of \$[Amount] for the purpose of [Purpose].

The company has during the year paid dividends of \$[Amount] per share.

The assets of the company at the end of the year are as follows: [List of assets and their values].

The liabilities of the company at the end of the year are as follows: [List of liabilities and their values].

The net worth of the company at the end of the year is \$[Amount].

The Board of Directors has the honor to submit this statement to the stockholders and to recommend that they approve the same.

Respectfully,  
[Signature of Chairman of Board]



# 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, 1887, of ... ..	1,127	18	1
Cash received from the Trustees of the Charity Estates ... ..	1,150	0	0
Interest on Deposit Account ... ..	10	5	11
	2,288	4	0

The Amount expended to the 31st of December,  
1887, 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 £11 10s. each	172	10	0
G. M. Coghlan, Distribution Books ... ..	1	3	9
	1,134	9	5

Leaving an available Balance on December  
31st, 1887, for distribution during 1888  
of ... ..

£1,153 14 7

### NOTE.

Balance at Bankers ... ..	353	14	7
Deposit Account ... ..	800	0	0
	1,153	14	7

The foregoing sums were distributed as follows:—

AGED PARISHIONERS' GIFT.

					£	s.	d.
2 persons	for	4 months,	at	5s. per month	2	0	0
1	"	12	"	6s. "	3	12	0
1	"	3	"	7s. "	1	1	0
2	"	4	"	7s. "	2	16	0
2	"	8	"	7s. "	5	12	0
1	"	9	"	7s. "	3	3	0
10	"	12	"	7s. "	42	0	0
3	"	1	"	8s. "	1	4	0
1	"	2	"	8s. "	0	16	0
1	"	10	"	8s. "	4	0	0
1	"	11	"	8s. "	4	8	0
17	"	12	"	8s. "	81	12	0
6	"	1	"	9s. "	2	14	0
1	"	3	"	9s. "	1	7	0
1	"	9	"	9s. "	4	1	0
8	"	12	"	9s. "	43	4	0
5	"	2	"	10s. "	5	0	0
2	"	3	"	10s. "	3	0	0
3	"	4	"	10s. "	6	0	0
3	"	5	"	10s. "	7	10	0
2	"	6	"	10s. "	6	0	0
3	"	7	"	10s. "	10	10	0
5	"	8	"	10s. "	20	0	0
2	"	9	"	10s. "	9	0	0
3	"	10	"	10s. "	15	0	0
7	"	11	"	10s. "	38	10	0
96	"	12	"	10s. "	576	0	0
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189					£900	0	0
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## SAMARITAN GIFT.

						£	s.	d.
1	person	...	...	...	...	at 30s.	1	10 0
8	"	...	...	...	...	at 20s.	8	0 0
1	"	...	...	...	...	at 15s.	0	15 0
3	"	...	...	...	...	at 12s. 6d.	1	17 6
3	"	...	...	...	...	at 10s. 6d.	1	11 6
160	"	...	...	...	...	at 10s.	80	0 0
2	"	...	...	...	...	at 8s.	0	16 0
11	"	...	...	...	...	at 7s. 6d.	4	2 6
2	"	...	...	...	...	at 6s. 6d.	0	13 0
1	"	...	...	...	...	at 6s.	0	6 0
220	"	...	...	...	...	at 5s.	55	0 0
1	"	...	...	...	...	at 4s. 6d.	0	4 6
3	"	...	...	...	...	at 4s.	0	12 0
1	"	...	...	...	...	at 3s. 6d.	0	3 6
3	"	...	...	...	...	at 3s.	0	9 0
43	"	...	...	...	...	at 2s. 6d.	5	7 6
1	"	...	...	...	...	at 2s.	0	2 0

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 161 10 0

Balance of amount handed to Mr. A. J. Bellis  
for distribution (see paragraph in Audi-  
tors' Report) ... ..

11 0 0

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 £172 10 0

## 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,

J. COCHRANE, *Chairman*,  
G. FOSTER,  
F. NORMAN,  
WILLIAM DAVIS,  
W. BRENCHLEY,

} Auditors of  
the Parish of  
St. Giles,  
Camberwell

July 26th, 1888.



VESTRYMEN  
FOR THE PARISH OF  
ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL,  
ELECTED UNDER THE  
Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855.

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Vicar:

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

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Churchwardens:

WILLIAM JAMES MORRIS, 91, Camberwell  
grove.

JOSEPH NICHOLAS WESSON, 212, Camberwell  
road.

GEORGE CRISPE WHITELEY, "The Chestnuts,"  
Dulwich common.

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Champion park, Denmark hill.

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

## ELECTED MEMBERS.

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Retire from  
Office in  
the year

### Ward No. 1.

- 1890 ARNOLD, RICHARD, 122, Sumner road  
 1891 COOTE, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, 32, Commercial road, Peckham  
 1891 EVANS, GEORGE HENRY, Hampshire Cottage, Coleman road  
 1889 FOSTEN, JAMES, 61, Southampton street  
 1890 HICHISSON, JOSEPH, 35, Parkhouse street  
 1889 SEARS, JAMES TRESIDDER, 11, Peckham grove  
 1889 SHIPTON, LEONARD CHARLES, 226a, Albany road  
 1890 SMITH, SAMUEL, 2, Lawn houses, Peckham road  
 1891 SPARROW, JONATHAN, Camberwell Baths, Addington square  
 1891 SUGDEN, JOHN, 19, Peckham grove  
 1890 TEASDALE, THOMAS, 103, New Church road  
 1889 THOMPSON, JOSEPH FREDERICK, 32, Addington square

### Ward No. 2.

- 1889 BASSETT, JAMES, 322, Old Kent road  
 1891 CASTLE, HENRY, 27, Trafalgar road, Old Kent road  
 1891 DAVIS, JOHN, 44, Trafalgar road, Old Kent road  
 1890 GRIFFIN, HENRY, 13, Brodie street, Old Kent road



Retire from  
Office in  
the year

- 1891 HARLOW, JAMES HENRY, 558, Old Kent road  
 1889 HAZEL, WILLIAM JAMES, 434, Old Kent road  
 1891 HURST, WILLIAM BENJAMIN, 182, Peckham rye  
 1889 JACKSON, WILLIAM, 104, Trafalgar road, Old Kent  
 road  
 1890 JOHNSON, BROXHOLME, 4, Butlers terrace, Ossory  
 road  
 1890 NORMAN, ALFRED, 551, Old Kent road  
 1889 SAUNDERS, HENRY, 125, Villa street, Albany road  
 1890 WINYARD, RICHARD DANIEL, 38, Avondale  
 square, Old Kent road

### Ward No. 3.

- 1891 BICKERSTAFF, HENRY JOHN, 30, Brunswick  
 square, Camberwell  
 1889 DUCKETT, JONAS, 4, Brunswick square, Camberwell  
 1889 FOSTER, THOMAS, 17, Kimpton road, Camberwell  
 1891 GEORGE, JOHN, 309, Camberwell road  
 1890 HANN, WILLIAM, 77, Leipsic road, Camberwell  
 1890 INNES, JAMES EDWARD, 57, Denmark street,  
 Camberwell  
 1890 LASSAM, THOMAS LUDLOW, 35, Brunswick  
 square  
 1891 MADGE, ABRAHAM, Ventnor house, Knatchbull  
 road  
 1889 MIDDLEMASS, ANDREW, 29, Brunswick square,  
 Camberwell  
 1891 RELPH, JOHN THOMAS, 295, Camberwell road  
 1889 TEATHER, WILLIAM EDWARD, 33, Camberwell  
 park  
 1890 WESSON, JOSEPH NICHOLAS, 212, Camberwell  
 road

Retire from  
Office in  
the year

### Ward No. 4.

- 1891 BISHOP, JOHN, 703, Old Kent road  
1889 DAVIS, JOHN ALFRED, 13, Meeting-house lane,  
Peckham  
1891 FAULKNER, JOSEPH, 101, Asylum road, Peckham  
1890 FITZGIBBON, JAMES, "Bach house," 11, Queen's  
road, Peckham  
1890 FRYETT, SAMUEL, 711, Old Kent road  
1890 GIORGI, EDWIN, 1, George's terrace, Hill street,  
Peckham  
1889 HAWKEY, ROBERT CHARLES, High street,  
Peckham  
1891 LYON, JOHN ANDREW, "St. Mary-le-Strand  
house," Old Kent road  
1891 LYON, JOHN WILLIAM, 85, Asylum road, Peck-  
ham  
1890 LYON, WASHINGTON, 85, Asylum road, Peckham  
1890 MILLER, JAMES, 38, Clifton road, Peckham  
1889 MITCHELL, WILLIAM HENRY, 1, Clifton cres-  
cent, Asylum road  
1891 ROGERS, FREDERICK HENRY, 861, Old Kent  
road  
1889 SHAPLAND, EDWIN RICHARD, 135, Asylum road,  
Peckham  
1889 WESTAWAY, JAMES, 21, Peckham Park road

### Ward No. 5.

- 1889 BALLANTINE, EDMUND, 28, South grove, Peck-  
ham  
1889 BONSALE, RICHARD THOMAS, 57, High street,  
Peckham  
1891 BORLAND, JOHN, 184, High street, Peckham



Retire from  
Office in  
the year

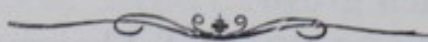
- 1891 CLUTTERBUCK, GEORGE, 12 and 16, Queen's road,  
Peckham
- 1889 DAVIS, EDWARD CHARLES, "Penrith house,"  
Peckham rye
- 1890 DOWTON, WILLIAM LEONARD, 84, Rye lane,  
Peckham
- 1889 FINCH, JOHN, 4, Talfourd road
- 1890 HOWARD, JOHN, "Windsor Lodge," Linden grove
- 1889 LEWIN, FREDERICK GEORGE, 38, St. Mary's  
road, Peckham
- 1890 PERRY, THOMAS JOHN, Fern villa, Harders road,  
Peckham
- 1890 PRESTON, DAVID CRIPPS, 109, Gibbon road,  
Nunhead
- 1891 ROWLEY, HENRY, 12, Nunhead crescent, Peckham  
rye
- 1891 SETTLES, GEORGE, "Stork house," Mundania road,  
Honor Oak
- 1891 SQUIRE, WILLIAM HENRY, Blenheim villa, Blenheim  
grove, Peckham
- 1890 YEATMAN, ALBERT, 6, Nunhead crescent, Peckham  
rye

### Ward No. 6.

- 1889 BRIDGER, REGINALD, 163, Grove lane, Cam-  
berwell
- 1890 COOPER, JOSEPH HENRY, "Worcester house,"  
East Dulwich grove
- 1890 DUNLOP, CHARLES, 1, Ashbourne grove, Lordship  
lane
- 1890 FOSKETT, EDWARD, 36, Copleston road, Denmark  
park

Retire from  
Office in  
the year

- 1890 GOFTON-SALMOND, R., "The Nook," Kingswood road, Upper Norwood
- 1891 KEEBLE, HENRY, 13, Windsor road, Camberwell
- 1889 MANSELL, THOMAS COLSTON, 84, Church street, Camberwell
- 1891 PHILLIPS, JOSEPH JOHN, 2, Zenoria street, Lordship lane
- 1890 PUCKLE, ROBERT ARTHUR, 201, Camberwell grove
- 1891 ROGERS, EDWARD DRESSER, "Rockley," Champion park
- 1891 STRONG, RICHARD, J.P., "Helstonleigh," 3, Champion park
- 1891 THORNHILL, JAMES ALFRED, Bradbourne villa, Bashey Hill road, Camberwell
- 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
- 1891 WHITELEY, GEORGE CRISPE, "The Chestnuts," Dulwich common
- 1890 WOOLLARD, HENRY WEEDON, Cornwall terrace, Lordship lane, East Dulwich





### Auditors.

WILLIAM DAVIS, 3, Alpha street, Peckham  
 JOHN HOLLIDAY, Sudbury villa, Asylum road,  
 Peckham  
 JAMES McKIE, 409, Old Kent road  
 WILLIAM BENJAMIN PARNELL, 117, George  
 street, Camberwell  
 W. CHARLES W. VINCENT, 17, Oakhurst grove,  
 East Dulwich

### Overseers of the Poor.

HENRY WEEDON WOOLLARD, Cornwall  
 terrace, Lordship lane  
 JOHN BORLAND, 184, High street, Peckham  
 WILLIAM JAMES HAZEL, 434, Old Kent road  
 WILLIAM BENJAMIN HURST, 182, Peckham rye

### Burial Board.

JOHN BORLAND, 184, High street, Peckham  
 THOMAS LUDLOW LASSAM, 35, Brunswick  
 square  
 JOHN ANDREW LYON, "St. Mary-le-Strand  
 house," Old Kent road (Chairman)  
 JOSEPH JOHN PHILLIPS, 2, Zenoria street, East  
 Dulwich  
 SAMUEL SMITH, 2, Lawn houses, Peckham road  
 JOHN SUGDEN, 19, Peckham grove  
 GEORGE LEONARD TURNEY, J.P., 198, Cam-  
 berwell grove  
 JOSEPH NICHOLAS WESSON, 212, Camberwell  
 road  
 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.	43, Clifton 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.

SIR GEORGE RENDLESHAM PRESCOTT, BART.,  
9, Clarges street, Piccadilly, W.

LONDON & SOUTH WESTERN BANK, Peckham  
Branch.

### Vestry Clerk.

GEORGE WILLIAM MARSDEN, 113, Camberwell grove



**Surveyor.**

JOHN COOK REYNOLDS, 43, Vicarage road, Camberwell

**Medical Officer.**

J. S. BRISTOWE, M.D., LL.D., F.R.S., 13, Old Burlington street, W.

**Analyst.**

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

**Assistant Vestry Clerk.**

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

**Inspectors of Nuisances.**

DONALD MACKAY, 15, Blenheim grove, Peckham

JOSEPH HENRY STEVENSON, 22, Friern road, East Dulwich

WILLIAM EDWIN GROOM, 117, Wells street, Camberwell

JOSEPH SAMUEL POINTON, 10, Camden street, Peckham

**Depot Superintendent.**

WILLIAM HARDY, 6, Cambridge terrace, Victoria road, Peckham

**District Superintendents.**

THOMAS MOORE, 83, Landcroft road, East Dulwich

JOHN RHODES, 147, Southampton street, Camberwell

ARTHUR MITCHELL, Forester road, Peckham rye

EDWARD ALBERT TURNER, 37, Jardin street, Albany road, Camberwell

GEORGE HENRY DEWEY, 63, Daneville road, Camberwell

WILLIAM STOLLERY, 4, Spurling road, East Dulwich

# LIST OF COMMITTEES--1888-9.

## General Purposes Committee.

### No. 1 Ward.

Mr. R. Arnold  
 „ J. Sugden  
 „ T. Teasdale

### No. 2 Ward.

Mr. J. Bassett  
 „ H. Griffin  
 „ H. Saunders

### No. 3 Ward.

Mr. J. Duckett  
 „ T. L. Lassam  
     *Vice-Chairman*  
 „ A. Middlemass  
     *Chairman*

### No. 4 Ward.

Mr. J. Fitzgibbon  
 „ S. Fryett  
 „ R. C. Hawkey  
 „ J. W. Lyon

### No. 5 Ward.

Mr. J. Borland  
 „ G. Clutterbuck  
 „ E. C. Davis  
 „ J. Howard

### No. 6 Ward.

Mr. J. H. Cooper  
 „ R. A. Puckle  
 „ E. Dresser Rogers  
 „ R. Strong  
 „ J. Walter

## Sewers and Sanitary Committee.

### No. 1 Ward.

Mr. G. H. Evans  
 „ J. Fosten  
 „ J. Sparrow

### No. 2 Ward.

Mr. J. Harlow  
 „ W. Jackson  
     *Vice-Chairman*  
 „ R. D. Winyard

### No. 3 Ward.

Mr. T. Foster  
 „ J. George  
 „ W. Hann

### No. 4 Ward.

Mr. E. Giorgi  
 „ W. Lyon  
 „ W. H. Mitchell  
 „ F. H. Rogers

### No. 5 Ward.

Mr. R. T. Bonsall  
     *Chairman*  
 „ J. Finch  
 „ W. H. Squire  
 „ A. Yeatman

### No. 6 Ward.

Mr. R. Bridger  
 „ H. Keeble  
 „ T. C. Mansell  
 „ J. A. Thornhill  
 „ J. Watson



## Finance Committee.

### No. 1 Ward.

Mr. W. A. Coote  
 „ J. T. Sears  
 „ S. Smith

### No. 2 Ward.

Mr. H. Castle  
 „ J. Davis  
 „ B. Johnson

### No. 3 Ward.

Mr. A. Madge  
 „ W. E. Teather  
 „ J. N. Wesson

### No. 4 Ward

Mr. J. Bishop  
 „ J. A. Lyon  
 „ E. R. Shapland

### No. 5 Ward.

Mr. W. L. Dowton  
 „ D. C. Preston  
 „ H. Rowley

### No. 6. Ward.

Mr. E. Foskett  
*Vice-Chairman*  
 „ M. Wallace  
*Chairman*  
 „ G. C. Whiteley

## Plant and Scavenging Committee.

### No. 1 Ward.

Mr. J. G. Hichisson  
 „ L. C. Shipton  
*Vice-Chairman*  
 „ J. F. Thompson

### No. 2 Ward.

Mr. W. J. Hazel  
 „ W. B. Hurst  
 „ A. Norman

### No. 3 Ward.

Mr. H. J. Bickerstaff  
 „ J. E. Innes  
 „ J. T. Relph

### No. 4 Ward.

Mr. J. A. Davis  
 „ J. Faulkner  
 „ J. Miller  
 „ J. Westaway

### No. 5 Ward.

Mr. E. Ballantine  
 „ F. G. Lewin  
 „ T. J. Perry  
 „ G. Settles

### No. 6 Ward.

Mr. C. Dunlop  
 „ R. Gofton-Salmond  
 „ J. J. Phillips  
*Chairman*  
 „ G. L. Turney  
 „ H. W. Woollard

## Charity Distribution Committee.

Mr. E. Ballantine	Mr. W. Jackson
„ R. T. Bonsall	„ J. T. Relph
„ G. Clutterbuck	„ James T. Sears
„ J. A. Davis	„ J. Sugden
„ E. Foskett	„ T. Teasdale
„ T. Foster	„ J. Walter
„ E. Giorgi	„ H. W. Woollard
„ W. J. Hazel	

## Assessment Committee.

### No. 1 Ward.

Mr. L. C. Shipton  
„ J. Sugden

### No. 2 Ward.

Mr. J. Bassett  
„ W. Jackson

### No. 3 Ward.

Mr. A. Madge  
„ A. Middlemass

### No. 4 Ward.

Mr. J. Faulkner  
*Chairman*  
„ J. A. Davis

### No. 5 Ward.

Mr. E. Ballantine  
„ W. L. Dowton

### No. 6 Ward.

Mr. J. J. Phillips  
„ M. Wallace

## Commissioners of Public Baths and Wash-houses.

Mr. R. T. Bonsall, 57, High street, Peckham  
„ E. C. Davis, "Penrith house," Peckham rye  
„ W. L. Dowton, 84, Rye lane, Peckham  
„ Jonas Duckett, 4, Brunswick square, Camberwell  
„ James T. Sears, 11, Peckham grove, (*Chairman*)  
„ Richard Strong, "Helstonleigh," 3, Champion park, Camberwell  
„ George Leonard Turney, 198, Camberwell grove



# LIST OF SUB-COMMITTEES.

## General Purposes Committee.

### BILLS.

Mr. R. Arnold	Mr. T. L. Lassam
„ J. Bassett	<i>Vice-Chairman</i>
„ J. Borland	„ A. Middlemass
„ J. H. Cooper	<i>Chairman</i>
„ R. C. Hawkey	

## Sewers and Sanitary Committee.

### BILLS.

Mr. R. T. Bonsall	Mr. E. Giorgi
<i>Chairman</i>	„ H. Keeble
„ G. H. Evans	„ R. D. Winyard
„ T. Foster	„ A. Yeatman

## Finance Committee.

### FINANCE SUB.

Mr. H. Castle	Mr. J. T. Sears
„ W. A. Coote	„ E. R. Shapland
„ W. L. Dowton	„ M. Wallace
„ E. Foskett	<i>Chairman</i>
<i>Vice-Chairman</i>	„ J. N. Wesson
„ A. Madge	„ G. C. Whiteley

## New Streets Committee.

Mr. J. Bishop	Mr. A. Madge
„ H. Castle	„ H. Rowley
„ W. A. Coote	„ E. R. Shapland
„ W. L. Dowton	„ S. Smith
„ E. Foskett	„ M. Wallace
„ B. Johnson	„ J. N. Wesson

## Plant and Scavenging Committee.

### BILLS.

Mr. E. Ballantine	Mr. J. T. Relph
„ H. J. Bickerstaff	„ G. Settles
„ J. A. Davis	„ L. C. Shipton
„ W. J. Hazel	„ <i>Vice-Chairman</i>
„ W. B. Hurst	„ J. F. Thompson
„ J. J. Phillips	„ J. Westaway
„ <i>Chairman</i>	„ H. W. Woollard

## Mortuary Committee.

Mr. R. T. Bonsall	Mr. F. H. Rogers
„ J. Finch	„ J. Sparrow
„ W. Hann	„ J. Watson
„ W. Jackson	

## Wilson's Grammar School Governors.

### PECKHAM ROAD.

*Founded by Royal Charter 1615—Re-constituted 1880.*

#### Ex-Officio Governors :—

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

W. J. Morris	} <i>Churchwardens.</i>
J. N. Wesson	
G. C. Whiteley	

#### Representative Governors :—

*Elected by the School Board for London.*

P. A. Nairne

G. C. Whiteley

#### Co-optative Governors :

J. A. Lyon

E. Dresser-Rogers

A. Middlemass

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, *Junr. Clerk.*



1888-89.

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BYE-LAWS  
OF THE  
VESTRY OF ST. GILES,  
CAMBERWELL.





# BYE-LAWS

OF

THE VESTRY

OF

ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

Time of  
Meeting

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.

Special  
Meetings

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.

Vestry Clock

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

Members  
Names

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

Notices of  
Motion

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.

**Minutes** 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.

**Questions** 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.*

**Business Paper** 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.

**Motions, &c. to be in Writing** 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.



Speeches,  
duration of 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.

Division 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.

Bank Book 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.

Elections 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.

Appointment  
by Vestry of  
Office of Profit 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.

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

Gratuities to  
Officers, &c. 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.

Sewers and Sanitary Committee 17. A Committee shall be appointed annually in the month of June, to consist of twenty-two Members from the several Wards, in the following proportions :—

Wards 1, 2 and 3	.	3 Members each.
Wards 4 and 5	.	4 „
Ward 6	.	5 Members

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

General Purposes Committee 18. A Committee consisting of a like number of Members for the respective Wards shall also be appointed, as in the preceding Bye Law, and shall enquire into all questions of Paving, Lighting, General Purposes, and all references from the Metropolitan Board of Works under the Metropolitan Building Acts; shall superintend the execution of such works, and shall from time to time report thereon to the Vestry.

Finance, Law, and Parliamentary Committee 19. A Committee shall also be appointed, in like manner, to consist of 18 members, three from each Ward, which shall enquire into all questions of Finance, Law, and Parliamentary business, shall collect



Paving expenses for New Streets ; and shall from time to time report thereon to the Vestry.

Plant and Scavenging Committee 20. A COMMITTEE, to be called the PLANT and SCAVENGING Committee, shall also be appointed, in like manner, to consist of 22 Members from the several Wards, in the following proportions :—

Wards, 1, 2 and 3 . 3 Members each.

Wards 4 and 5 . 4 „

Ward 6 . 5 Members

which Committee shall enquire into all questions of the Removal of Dust, Scavenging, and Watering, and shall have the management and control of all the Men, Horses, Stables, Shoots, Barges, Carts, and Machinery connected therewith; shall purchase Horses, Fodder, Tools and Materials required, and from time to time report thereon to the Vestry.

Bills and Accounts 21. All Bills of Contractors or Tradesmen 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.

Cheques, as to Signing 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.

Books, &c.,  
Overseers  
responsible for 23. The Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, Assistant Overseer, 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.

Books, &c., as  
to removal of 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.

Contracts, &c. 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.

Works, £50 and  
over to be  
tendered for 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.

Office Hours 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.

Common Seal 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.



Order of  
business of  
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—Report of Medical Officer of Health.

5th—Report of Analyst (if any).

6th—Deputations to be received (if any).

7th—Payments to be ordered.

8th—Reports in the following order *unless specially resolved to the contrary*:—

(a) Finance Committee.

(b) Sewers Committee.

(c) General Purposes Committee.

(d) Plant and Scavenging Committee

} Alternately.

9th—Parish Officers' Report (if any).

10th—Any other Special Report or Communication to the Vestry.

11th—The Seal of the Vestry to be affixed to any document.

12th—Motions (if any).

