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OF THE

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OF THEIR

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ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

VESTRY of the PARISH of ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

In conformity with the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Act, the Vestry of the said Parish submit to the Parishioners a Statement of their Proceedings in the execution of the various powers vested in them, and an Account of their Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending 25th March, 1889.



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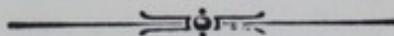
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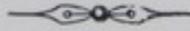
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Parish of St. Giles, Cumberwell,

REPORT

OF

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

*REPORT OF Works executed, and matters dealt
with during the Year ending Lady-day, 1889.*

1888-89.

Meeting of St. Giles' Church

REPORT

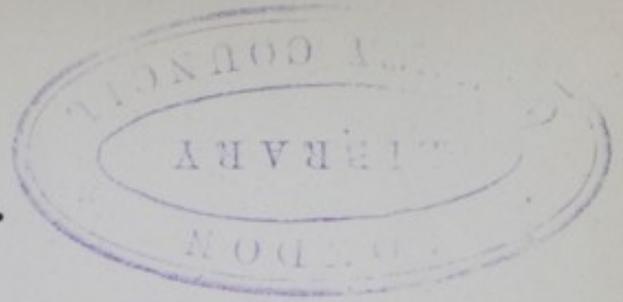
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REPORT OF WORK ACCOMPLISHED AND FINANCES

with closing the Year ending July 31st 1889.

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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, and the Private Roads which 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 | ... | 68 |
| Albert and Victoria terraces, New Church road | 116 | ... |
| Alder street, Sumner road | 69 | ... |
| Carried forward | 5,016 | 174 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 5,016 | 174 |
| Alexander street, Old Kent road ... | 126 | ... |
| Allendale road, Denmark road ... | 182 | ... |
| Alleyn crescent, Park road, 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 street, 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 | ... |
| Attwell road, Rye lane | 176 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 10,219 | 1,764 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 10,219 | 1,764 |
| Attwell street, Rye lane | 133 | ... |
| Aulay street, Ossory road | 127 | 113 |
| Avenue, The, Gipsy hill | 900 | ... |
| Avenue, The, High street, 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 | 177 | ... |
| 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 ... | 14,893 | 2,668 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|------------------|-------------------|
| | Length in yard | |
| Brought forward ... | 14,893 | 2,668 |
| 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, Sumner 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 ooad</i> ... | .. | ... |
| Belvoir road, 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 road | 745 | ... |
| Bishop's road, Lothian road ... | 76 | ... |
| Blackbridge street, New Church rd. | ... | 67 |
| Carried forward ... | 19,490 | 3,328 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 19,490 | 3,328 |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 23,596 | 4,141 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|------------------|-------------------|
| Length in yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 23,596 | 4,141 |
| Bromar road, Grove Hill road ... | 211 | ... |
| 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, Kimberly road ... | 283 | ... |
| 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 |
| Carried forward ... | 30,148 | 5,769 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|------------------|-------------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 30,148 | 5,769 |
| Camden street, Camden grove ... | 166 | ... |
| Cambrook street, Hatcham... | ... | 102 |
| Canning place, Grove lane ... | ... | 100 |
| Canterbury road, Old Kent road ... | 690 | ... |
| 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, Queens 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 ... | 288 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 33,889 | 6,964 |

| Name. | Public | Private |
|---|--------|---------|
| | Roads. | Roads. |
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 33,889 | 6,964 |
| Champion hill, Grove lane (part of) ... | ... | 658 |
| Champion park, Denmark hill ... | 333 | .. |
| 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 ... | 457 | ... |
| Clifton square, Albert road... .. | ... | 82 |
| Carried forwarn .. | 39,386 | 7,834 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 39,386 | 7,834 |
| Cobden street, St. George's road ... | ... | 70 |
| Coburg road, Old Kent road ... | 600 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Colyton road, Forest Hill road ... | ... | 550 |
| Commercial road, Old Kent road ... | 1,533 | ... |
| Constance road, Grove vale ... | 153 | ... |
| Cooper's road, Old Kent road ... | 236 | ... |
| Cooper's mews, Cooper's road ... | ... | 83 |
| Copeland road, Peckham rye ... | 483 | ... |
| Coplestone road, Choumert road ... | 387 | ... |
| Cork street, Waterloo street ... | 160 | ... |
| Cornwall road, Commercial road ... | 133 | ... |
| Cossall street, Burchell road ... | 79 | ... |
| Costa street, Choumert road' ... | 140 | ... |
| Cottage green, Southampton street... | 100 | ... |
| County grove, Camberwell New road | 256 | ... |
| Court lane, Dulwich village ... | ... | 1,166 |
| Cox's walk, Lordship lane (footpath ... only) ... | ... | 866 |
| Cowan street, Albany road... | 235 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 46,252 | 12,139 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 46,252 | 12,139 |
| Craigallion Gardens, Grove Park ... | ... | 380 |
| Cranswick rd., Rotherhithe New rd. | 102 | ... |
| Crawthow grove, Crystal Palace road | 350 | ... |
| Crebor street, Upland road... .. | ... | 133 |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 52,336 | 14,708 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 52,336 | 14,708 |
| Danes road, Denmark street ... | 58 | ... |
| Daniel street, Sumner road ... | 62 | ... |
| Daniels road, Nunhead ... | 280 | ... |
| Darrell street, Upland road ... | 314 | ... |
| Dartnell road, Albany road ... | 195 | ... |
| Datchelor place ... | 76 | ... |
| Davey street, Sumner road... ... | 76 | ... |
| Dayton grove, York grove | 197 | ... |
| De Crespigny park, Denmark hill ... | 366 | ... |
| Delaford road, Barkworth road ... | 402 | ... |
| Denmark hill (part of) | 1,023 | ... |
| Denmark road, Knatchbull road (part of) | 342 | ... |
| Denmark st., Denmark rd. (part of) | 218 | ... |
| Denman road, Talfourd road ... | 293 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 57,601 | 14,820 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 57,601 | 14,820 |
| Domville grove, Albany road ... | 158 | ... |
| Dominic road, Glengall road ... | ... | 60 |
| Downes street, Lower Park road ... | 220 | ... |
| Dowlas street, Wells street ... | 183 | ... |
| 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 road | 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 65,179 | 16,477 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 65,179 | 16,477 |
| 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 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Ethnard road, Old Kent road ... | 147 | ... |
| 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 road ... | 330 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 69,501 | 16,969 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 69,501 | 16,969 |
| Foreign street, Harold street (part of) | 27 | ... |
| Forest Hill road, Peckham rye ... | 1,400 | ... |
| Forester road, Linden grove ... | 156 | ... |
| Fountain road, College road ... | ... | 425 |
| 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 ... | ... | 40 |
| Garden row, Dulwich village ... | ... | 57 |
| Geldart road, Meeting-house lane ... | 108 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 76,223 | 18,258 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 76,223 | 18,258 |
| Glengall terrace, Trafalgar road ... | 90 | ... |
| Glengall mews, Glengall road ... | ... | 77 |
| Glengarry road, East Dulwich grove | 353 | ... |
| Gloucester road, Wells street ... | 628 | 57 |
| Godman road, Copeland road ... | 202 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Graylands 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 |
| Carried forward ... | 81,874 | 20,259 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 81,874 | 20,259 |
| 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 |
| Grove park, Camberwell grove ... | ... | 290 |
| Grove vale, Goose green ... | 496 | ... |
| Grummant road, Peckham road ... | ... | 143 |
| Guilford 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 87,662 | 21,971 |

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| | Length in Yard . | |
| Brought forward ... | 87,662 | 21,971 |
| 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 | 240 |
| 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, Peckham ... | 797 | ... |
| Hillsborough 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 93,546 | 22,740 |

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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 93,546 | 22,740 |
| 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 | ... |
| 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 ... | 700 | 300 |
| James cottages, Nunhead lane ... | ... | 60 |
| James grove, Commercial road ... | 190 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 96,396 | 24,412 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 96,396 | 24,412 |
| Jardin street, Albany road ... | 261 | ... |
| Jarvis road | 38 | ... |
| Jasper road, Farquhar road .. | 148 | 110 |
| Jasper passage, Jasper road (foot- way only) | 20 | ... |
| Jennings road, Landcroft road ... | 248 | ... |
| Jocelyn street, Commercial road ... | 201 | ... |
| John street, Edmund street ... | 142 | ... |
| Joiners Arms yard, Denmark hill ... | ... | 40 |
| Joys cottages, George street ... | ... | 43 |
| Kelmore grove, Oakhurst grove ... | 189 | ... |
| Kempshead road, Albany road ... | 215 | ... |
| Keston road, East Dulwich road ... | 172 | ... |
| Kerfield crescent, Grove lane ... | 108 | ... |
| Kimberley road, Nunhead ... | 556 | ... |
| Kimpton road, Church street ... | 223 | ... |
| King Arthur street, Clifton road ... | 260 | ... |
| King's road, Queen's road | 439 | ... |
| Kingswood road, Upper Norwood ... | 518 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 101,393 | 24,695 |

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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 101,393 | 24,695 |
| Knatchbull road, Camberwell New road | 777 | ... |
| Kincaid road, Meeting-house lane ... | 126 | ... |
| Lacon road, Crystal Palace road ... | 142 | ... |
| <i>Lanbury road, Ivydale road</i> ... | ... | ... |
| Lancroft road, Lordship lane ... | 576 | ... |
| 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 | 33 |
| Lindo street, Gibbon road | 83 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 106,666 | 25,907 |

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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 106,666 | 25,907 |
| 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 |
| Lothian road, Camberwell New road | 380 | ... |
| Lovegrove street, Old Kent road ... | 160 | ... |
| Love walk, Denmark hill (part foot-way only) ... | 366 | ... |
| Lordship lane, East Dulwich ... | 2,700 | ... |
| Loder street, Clifton road ... | 327 | ... |
| London road, Forest hill ... | 350 | ... |
| Loncroft road, Albany road ... | 262 | ... |
| Lower Park road, Peckham ... | 700 | ... |
| Lowth rd., 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 | ... |
| Lycott grove, East Dulwich grove | ... | 100 |
| Machell road, Kimberly road ... | 135 | ... |
| Malt street, Old Kent road... | 140 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 114,608 | 26,167 |

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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 114,608 | 26,167 |
| Malfort road, Grove hill road ... | 108 | ... |
| Manaton road, Albert road ... | 176 | ... |
| Manor grove, Hatcham ... | 170 | ... |
| Mansion-house sq., Camberwell road | ... | 76 |
| Mansion street, Camberwell road ... | ... | 127 |
| Marlborough cottages, Stafford street | ... | 45 |
| 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 road | .. | 35 |
| Mayhew's cottages, George street ... | ... | 53 |
| McDermott road, Maxted road ... | 194 | 141 |
| McDowall road ... | ... | 157 |
| McKerrell road, Hanover park ... | 171 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 117,644 | 27,316 |

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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 117,644 | 27,316 |
| 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 |
| Mews, Artichoke row (end of) ... | ... | 30 |
| Mews, from Gervase street to Leo street ... | ... | 83 |
| 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 ... | 251 | ... |
| ... | | |
| Naylor road, Asylum road ... | 480 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 121,761 | 28,001 |

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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 121,761 | 28,001 |
| 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 | ... |
| Nigel road, Peckham rye ... | 148 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 127,094 | 28,623 |

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| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 127,094 | 28,623 |
| 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 road, Ossory road ... | 116 | ... |
| Ondine road, Grove vale ... | 365 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 132,421 | 30,107 |

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| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 132,421 | 30,107 |
| Paradise place, High street, Peckham ... | ... | 140 |
| Paradise yard, High street, Peckham ... | ... | 40 |
| Paulet road, Harold street ... | 438 | ... |
| Peckham park, Lower park road ... | 175 | ... |
| Peckham park road, Old Kent road ... | 866 | ... |
| Peckham grove, Southampton street ... | 370 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Pellat road, Lordship lane ... | 377 | ... |
| Pemell's place, Queen's road ... | 184 | ... |
| Penford street, Knatchbull road ... | 151 | ... |
| Penarth street, Hatcham road ... | 125 | ... |
| <i>Pennach 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 140,379 | 30,600 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 140,379 | 30,600 |
| Piermont road, Peckham rye ... | 64 | ... |
| Pilkington road, Brayard road ... | 160 | ... |
| Pitt street, Commercial road ... | 113 | ... |
| Pitman street, Nelson street ... | 73 | ... |
| Placquett road, Grove vale... ... | 103 | 107 |
| Pleasant place, George street ... | ... | 40 |
| Pomeroy street, Queen's rd. (part of) | 33 | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 143,959 | 30,918 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 143,959 | 30,918 |
| 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 |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 147,749 | 31,936 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 147,749 | 31,936 |
| St. Aidan's road, Peckham rye ... | ... | 300 |
| St. Aidan's road, 20-ft. way out of ... | ... | 35 |
| St. James' road, Old Kent road ... | 335 | ... |
| St. George's street, Commercial road ... | 153 | ... |
| St. George's road, Wells street ... | 867 | ... |
| St. Mary's road, Queen's road ... | 560 | ... |
| St. Thomas's road, Old Kent road ... | 167 | ... |
| Scarsdale grove, Scarsdale road ... | ... | 100 |
| 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 |
| Carried forward ... | 152,247 | 32,893 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 152,247 | 32,893 |
| 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 | ... |
| 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 ... | 147 | ... |
| Stockwell street, Hatcham ... | 210 | ... |
| Stories road, Camberwell grove ... | 117 | ... |
| Straker's road, Peckham rye ... | 620 | ... |
| Stuart road, Peckham rye ... | 240 | 123 |
| Carried forward ... | 156,847 | 34,297 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 156,847 | 34,297 |
| 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 | ... |
| Sunwell street, Woods road ... | 153 | ... |
| Surrey terrace, Peckham park road ... | ... | 123 |
| 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 |
| Carried forward ... | 160,538 | 35,303 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|---|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 160,538 | 35,303 |
| Thompson street, Landeroft road ... | 138 | ... |
| Thorncombe rd., East Dulwich grove ... | ... | 170 |
| Thornhill square, Westmacott street ... | ... | 42 |
| ThurLOW park rd., Dulwich Common ... | 373 | ... |
| Tiger yard, Camberwell green ... | ... | 117 |
| Tilson road, Camden grove north ... | 300 | ... |
| Toulon street, Wyndham road ... | 206 | ... |
| Townley road, Lordship lane ... | ... | 555 |
| Tindal street, Lothian road ... | 190 | ... |
| Trafalgar road, Old Kent road ... | 500 | ... |
| Trafalgar square, Peckham park rd. ... | ... | 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 ... | 1,861 | ... |
| Union road, Dulwich ... | ... | 460 |
| Carried forward ... | 165,815 | 38,001 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 165,815 | 38,001 |
| 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 | ... |
| 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 ... | ... | 46 |
| Victoria road, Peckham | 610 | ... |
| Victory place, Trafalgar road ... | ... | 67 |
| Victory square, New Church road ... | 122 | ... |
| Villa street, Albany road | 50 | ... |
| Vivian road, Philip road, Peckham | | |
| rye | 88 | ... |
| Waghorn street, Maxted road ... | 204 | ... |
| Wagner street, Old Kent road ... | ... | 170 |
| Waite street, Trafalgar road ... | 125 | ... |
| Warner road, Denmark road (part | | |
| of) | 116 | ... |
| Carried forward .. | 170,905 | 38,829 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Length in Yards. | | |
| Brought forward ... | 1700,895 | 38,829 |
| 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 |
| Wells place, South street ... | 160 | ... |
| Wells street, Southampton street ... | 633 | ... |
| Westerfield gardens, Goldsmith road ... | ... | 80 |
| Westmacott street, Southampton st. ... | 343 | ... |
| Westwood park, Forest Hill ... | ... | 300 |
| Whateley road, Lordship lane ... | 339 | ... |
| Whittington road, Asylum road ... | 130 | ... |
| <i>Whorleton road, Peckham rye</i> ... | ... | ... |
| 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 | ... |
| Carried forward ... | 174,753 | 39,886 |

| Name. | Public Roads. | Private Roads. |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | Length in Yards. | |
| Brought forward ... | 174,753 | 39,886 |
| Wood vale, Lordship lane ... | 1,293 | ... |
| Woods road, Harders road... .. | 150 | ... |
| Worlingham road, Goose green ... | 303 | ... |
| Woodwarde road, Lordship lane ... | ... | 800 |
| 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 . . . | 177,288 | 40,858 |

Public Roads and Footways—Length,

177,288 yds. = $100\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

Private Roads and Footways—Length,

40,858 yds. = $23\frac{1}{4}$ miles.

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

SUMMARY.

| | | |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| Public Roads, Length 176,191 yds. = about $100\frac{1}{8}$ miles. | } | $100\frac{3}{4}$ miles. |
| Public Footways, Length 1,087 yds. = about $\frac{5}{8}$ mile. | | |
| | | 177,278 yds. — |
| Private Roads, Length 39,017 yds. = about $22\frac{1}{4}$ miles. | } | $23\frac{1}{4}$ miles. |
| Private Footways, Length 1,841 yds. = about 1 mile. | | |
| | | 40,858 yds. — |
| Total mileage of roads and Foot- ways in Parish | | <u>124</u> miles. |

“ 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 has been ascertained, and the difference between the Surveyor’s estimated and actual cost, collected from or returned to the Owners in each of the respective “New Streets.”

| | Length in Yds. | | Length in Yds. |
|--|-------------------|---|-------------------|
| Kingswood Road | 518 | Brought forward | 3,176 |
| Ivydale Road (under special arrangement) from Gib- bon Road to Limesford Road | 700 | Lordship Lane, from Pell- att Road to Heber Road (<i>footways only</i>) | 188 |
| Mundania Road | 251 | Darrell Street (in comple- tion) from No. 48 to Underhill Road | 156 |
| Machell Road | 135 | Sternhall Lane | 147 |
| Piermont Road | 64 | Champion Grove, Grove Lane | 288 |
| Peckham Park | 175 | Gloucester Road (two por- tions) | 75 |
| Canterbury Road | 312 | Kincaid Road | 126 |
| Alleyn Park, from Park Road to Union Road (<i>footways only</i>) | 357 | Geldart Road | 108 |
| Back Lane, from Asylum Road to Gervase Street | 177 | Clifton Crescent (in com- pletion) | 147 |
| Underhill Road (in comple- tion) from Dunstans Road to Langton Road | 487 | Buchan Road, Nunhead ... | 283 |
| Carried forward ... | 3,176 | Total length ... | 4,694 |

Total length executed during the Year, about $2\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

The following Roads, &c., have also been taken as "New Streets" by the Vestry, and the surveys, estimates, apportionments, &c., have been made, and the collection of the estimated Cost thereof is now in hand.

| | |
|--|---|
| Landells Road (in completion) from Goodrich Road to Crystal Palace Road | Hall Road (part of), Newlands, Peckham Rye |
| Guildford Place, from Green's Row to rear of Premises in George Street | Tarbert Road, East Dulwich Grove |
| | Pancras Road, Newlands |
| | Haymerle Road, Peckham Park Road |

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

| Year. | No. of Streets. | Length in miles. | Approximate Cost. |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Reported to 1888 | 499 | 60 $\frac{1}{4}$ | £319,920 |
| „ 1889 | 19 | 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ | 14,082 |
| Total to date | 518 | 63 | £334,002 |

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

LORDSHIP LANE, from Pellatt Road to Heber Road In conjunction with the "New Streets" work (footways only) of this thoroughfare, the Roadway also was widened by the Vestry, Land on the east side having been given up to the Public, which work of Road Improvement has been executed

by the Vestry staff. Channelling also has been laid in the water tables of this newly-formed portion of Lordship Lane.

ALLEYN PARK, from Park Road to Union Road. The Roadway of this thoroughfare (in conjunction with the "New Streets" work of the footways) has been widened, the work being executed by the Vestry staff, the cost of the increased width of Footway being jointly borne by the Dulwich College Authorities and the Vestry.

HIGH STREET, PECKHAM, south side, next to and adjoining east of Basing Road. New Houses and Shops being about to be erected here, an improvement was effected by the surrender to the Public by the Owner, of a slip of land between the old and new lines of Frontage. The former line inconveniently projected on to the direct line of the Public way.

EAST DULWICH GROVE, south side, in front of (late) "Clumber House," now the premises of the "Constitutional Club." Through the liberal offer of J. Blundell Maple, Esq., M.P., to give up a portion of ground in front of this Club House, in order that the Roadway might be widened to meet an Improvement line already commenced, the Vestry accepted the same, and executed the necessary work of kerbing and road-paving work thereto : and contributed also the sum of £30 towards the expences incurred by Mr. Maple in re-erecting the fence wall next the Public Way. The Freehold of the Land given up was duly dedicated to the Vestry. It is regretted that the Vestry have as yet been unable to make arrangements with the Owner of the adjacent premises, "The Chestnuts," to accomplish a similar object, and thereby complete this much desired Improvement.

In various parts of the Parish, several minor Improvements have been carried out where Shop Fronts, &c., have

been brought out in advance of the General Line of adjoining Buildings—by sanction of the Metropolitan Board of Works—on condition that small portions of Land be given up to widen the Public footway adjacent thereto, which have been claimed and paved by the Vestry.

STREET NOMENCLATURE.

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

RE-NUMBERED ONLY.

Southampton Street
 Coleman Road
 Jennings Road
 Lacon Road
 Melford Road
 Ossory Road
 Aulay Street
 Honor Oak Road
 Dunstons Road
 Belvoir Street
 Darrell Street
 Colwell Road
 Flodden Road
 Melford Road
 Reedham Street
 Queens Road (part of)
 Love Walk
 Lordship Lane
 Rye Lane

RE-NAMED ONLY.

Athearn Road
now
 Sunwell Street
 Piermost Road
now
 Piermont Road

RE-NAMED AND RE-NUMBERED.

Westhall Road, *now*
 Woodvale
 The Avenue, Linden Grove, *now*
 Forester Road
 Belvoir Road, late Belvoir St.,
 Crawthaw Grove throughout
 Elms Road, throughout,
 Calton Road throughout

MEM.—Parties whose property is affected by the change of numbers, &c. are informed that they 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 London County Council, Spring gardens.

PALIAMENTARY DEPOSITIONS, &c.

Session 1888-89.

The following Schemes received the consideration of your Committee upon the Report of your Surveyor, a copy of which Report is as follows :

“SOUTHWARK & DEPTFORD TRAMWAYS.”

W. SHELFORD, Engineer.

SUTTON & OMMANEY, Solicitors for
the Bill,

3 & 4, *Great Winchester Street,*
E. C.

SHERWOOD & Co., Parliamentary
Agents,

7, *Great George Street, West-*
minster.

“TRAMWAY No. 4.”

This is a proposed line of Tramway commencing in Jamaica Road, Bermondsey, passing into and along St.

James's Road, over the South Eastern Railway ("Bricklayer's Arms" Branch), crossing Rolls Road and entering this Parish in St. James Road, at Parish Boundary, running along such road and terminating by a loop junction with the present Tramway line at the intersection of Rotherhithe New Road with St. James Road.

This line is a single line with loops as follows :—

| | SINGLE LINE. Chains. | DOUBLE LINE. Chains. | GRADIENTS. |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| From Parish Boundary to Bonamy street - | 2·20 | — | 1 in 332 |
| From Bonamy street to opposite No. 327, St. James's Road - | — | 2·25 | 1 in 860 |
| From No. 327, to oppo- site Rotherhithe New Road - - | 4·25 | | 1 in 860 1 in 1085 1 in 125 |
| From opposite Rother- hithe New Road to junction with pre- sent line - - | — | 1·58 | 1 in 56 1 in 40 |
| <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | |
| Total Length single portion - - | 6·45 | 3·83 | |
| Do. do. Double or loop portion - | 3·83 | | |

Total length of "No.
4" Tramway in
Camberwell Parish 10·28 Chains.

Where the loop line is proposed near Bonamy street, there will be a portion on the East side only of the road which will be at a less distance than the statutory width (9-ft. 6-in.), viz. :—5-ft. 6½-in. between the outside of the footpath and the nearest rail of the Tramway.

At the loop and at the junction referred to, it will be necessary for the Vestry to insist upon the entire width of the carriageway to be paved with granite pitching, and that the portion of the loop line immediately adjacent to the urinal should be placed at such a distance therefrom as hereafter may be arranged with the Vestry.

“TRAMWAY NO. 25.”

Proposed junction of present Tramway in
St. James's Road with the Tramway in
Old Kent Road, next Canal Bridge.

This is a proposed junction with the existing Tramway of the Southwark and Deptford Tramway Company at a point 23 yards northward from its present termination in the St. James Road, next Old Kent road, with the existing lines of the London Tramways Company Limited, at a point 10 yards measured in a north-westerly direction from the centre of Canal Bridge, Old Kent road.

This will be a double line about 2·20 chains in length of the several gradients of 1 in 23, 1 in 20, 1 in 26, and 1 in 40, and will be at a less width than the statutory width on the East side.

The usual powers for the protection of the Vestry should be embodied in the Act.

SHORTLANDS AND NUNHEAD RAILWAY.

JOHN WOLFE BARRY, Engineer.

RADCLIFFES & CATOR, Solicitors for
the Bill,

20, *Craven Street, Strand.*

REES & FRERE, Parliamentary
Agents,

13, *Gt. George Street.*

This is a proposed Railway from Shortlands in the Parish of Beckenham, Kent, to Nunhead Station in the Parishes of St. Paul Deptford, and St. Giles Camberwell.

This will necessitate altering and enlarging the platforms, &c., of the Nunhead Railway Station, but will in no way interfere with any public road or thoroughfare in this Parish.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

Surveyor.

10th December, 1888.

The above Report was presented to and received the approval of the Vestry on the 19th December last.

TRAMWAYS.

The Line of Tramways laid some three years since from the southern end of Rye Lane, opposite Heaton Road, passing along the west side of Peckham Rye to East Dulwich Road, thence along East Dulwich Road to and along Crystal Palace Road to Lordship Lane, and along Lordship Lane in a south-

easterly direction as far as *The Plough* public-house, was inspected and passed in August last by Major General Hutchinson of the Board of Trade, your Surveyor, the Engineer to the Company, and several Members of the Vestry being present. The result of this inspection was that certain alterations and improvements were suggested by Major General Hutchinson, to be executed to the satisfaction of the Surveyor to the Vestry previously to the Board of Trade granting the certificate of the line being in working order. These alterations were duly carried out by the Tramway Company to your Surveyor's satisfaction, and he reported the same to the Board of Trade in accordance with their request, and the authority of the Vestry, and subsequently received a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Trade, acknowledging the Report and informing him that the Board of Trade had accordingly certified such lines to be fit for public traffic.

Notwithstanding all these tentative arrangements being disposed of, it is regrettable that this line remains unused.

With regard to that portion of the proposed London, Camberwell, and Dulwich Tramways, in *Rye Lane*, it will be remembered that the Vestry in July last, after mature deliberation, arrived at the following resolutions, viz. :—

“ That upon the London, Camberwell, and Dulwich
 “ Tramways acquiring the Land coloured red on the
 “ plan marked B, deposited with the Clerk of the
 “ Vestry (see Vestry Minute Book of that date), and
 “ upon their conveying the same without cost to the
 “ Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, for the use of the
 “ public for ever, and upon such Tramway being con-

“structed at the northern end of Rye Lane, as shewn
 “on a plan marked C, also deposited with the Clerk of
 “the Vestry (that shewn in dotted green lines not to be
 “constructed without the Vestry’s consent), and upon
 “the undertaking of the said Tramway Company to
 “open the already existing lines from “The Plough,”
 “Lordship Lane, to the “Heaton Arms,” Peckham
 “Rye, within two months of the sealing of the consent
 “of the Vestry and the Metropolitan Board of Works,
 “the consent of this Vestry be given to the construction
 “and opening of the Tramway through Rye Lane in
 “accordance and compliance with the existing Acts of
 “Parliament in that behalf.”

“That the seal of the Vestry shall not be affixed to
 “such resolutions, nor shall such resolutions when
 “sealed be delivered out of the Vestry until the said
 “Company have entered into an agreement with the
 “Vestry that they the Company will when required
 “by the Vestry or a Local Authority, within two years
 “from the opening of the said Tramway, apply to
 “Parliament for powers to acquire the land coloured
 “green and blue on the said deposited plan, marked B,
 “and that upon powers being granted to the Company
 “to acquire such land without having to acquire other
 “land from the respective owners thereof, will at their
 “own expense acquire the same, or so much thereof
 “as shall not have become public highway, and will,
 “free of cost, convey the land so acquired to the Vestry
 “of St. Giles, Camberwell, for the use of the public for
 “ever.”

The Company not having obtained the land to widen

Rye Lane between Heaton Road and Choumert Road, they made an application in September last to the Vestry for an extension of the Tramway already constructed from "The Plough" publichouse, Lordship Lane, to *Choumert Road*, by connecting the same with a *Tramway to be laid* through that part of Rye Lane extending from Choumert Road to High Street, Peckham. This application was approved by the Vestry as a means of connecting East Dulwich District with Peckham, and conducing thereby to the convenience of the inhabitants generally, the Vestry recommended such application to the favourable consideration of the Metropolitan Board of Works.

For this purpose a deputation of the Vestry attended the Metropolitan Board of Works in October last, urging the Board to consent to the proposal; it was referred to the Works Committee, who reported to the Board their opinion that they considered it would not be consistent with the provisions of the Peckham and East Dulwich Tramways Act of 1885 that the Board should consent to the proposal, inasmuch as the 5th Section of the Act of 1885 provided "that no part of the Tramway in Rye Lane should be constructed unless and until Rye Lane had been widened to the satisfaction of the *Board* and the Vestry of *Camberwell*." Therefore for the present the matter remains stationary.

CANTERBURY ROAD BRIDGE.

The building of this Bridge is now in hand, the contract having been let by the Metropolitan Board of Works on the 8th October last, to Messrs. Webster, this Vestry has contributed the sum of £1,400 towards the cost of this structure. The Greenwich Board of Works are also contributors thereto.

YORK STONE PAVING & GRANITE PITCHING.

GENERAL WORKS. The Repairs of the paved footways and crossings throughout the Parish, including those necessitated by the Company's openings for laying Gas and Water Mains, Services, and House supplies have been executed by the Staff in the Vestry employ, the material being purchased by contract. The Repairs to these trenches are charged to the respective Companies.

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

| | | | |
|------------------------|---|---|------------------|
| York Paving - - - | - | - | 13,802 feet sup. |
| Kerb - - - | - | - | 933 ,, run. |
| Granite Pitching - - - | - | - | 635 yds. sup. |

TAR PAVING.

The Tar-paved footpaths continue to be repaired by the Vestry workmen, including also the repairs of trenches opened by Gas and Water Companies, builders and others.

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

| | | | |
|--|---|---|------------------|
| General Repairs to Tar-paved Footpaths, viz: bottoming and topping (including trenches) - - - | - | - | 17,560 yds. sup. |
| Ditto, topping only - - - | - | - | 1,529 ,, |
| Ditto, painting and shelling - | - | - | 61,757 ,, |

LIGHTING.

Many additions have been made in the number of lamps, as also removals in the positions of those existing, improving generally the lighting of the Parish.

The following will shew the additions and alterations referred to :—

| Company providing the supply | No. of Lamps lighted at Lady-day, 1888. | New Lamps erected in year ending Lady-day, 1889. | Total No. of ordinary lamps at Lady-day 1889. |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|---|
| South Metropolitan Gas Company - | 3,121 | 74 | 3,195 |
| Crystal Palace District Gas Company - | 197 | — | 197 |
| | 3,318 | 74 | 3,392 |

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.
- 1 at Camberwell green Urinal.
- 1 at Hill street Urinal.
- 1 at High street, Peckham, opposite Rye lane.
- 1 at Southampton street, next Peckham road.
- 1 at Thurlow road, by Gallery road.
- 1 at Dulwich common, by Alleyn park.

Also special lamps of various power, viz. :—

- 1 Bigg's patent in Church street.
- 5 Bray's „ at Camberwell green.
- 1 „ „ at Church street, next Camberwell
grove.

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

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|------------|
| South Metropolitan gas company | £3 3s. 9d. } | per lamp |
| Crystal Palace Gas Company - | £3 14s. 0d. } | per annum. |

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 Gas supplied to central and special lamps (varying according to their illuminating power and quantity of gas consumed) is regulated by meter at the rate of 2s. 3d. per 1,000 cubic feet, being a recent reduction of 2d. per 1,000 feet.

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

The ordinary lamp columns and lanterns are provided, fixed, and charged for, by the respective Companies, remaining the property of the Vestry, 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, six applications for new Roads were referred by the Metropolitan Board for the opinion of this Vestry. The same were viewed and reported upon by the Surveyor, and after certain modifications the Vestry recommended the Board to approve five and refuse one application. The Board approved of four and refused two.

| NAMES OF STREETS. | Decision of Metropolitan Board of Works. | Recommendation of Vestry. |
|--|--|---------------------------|
| Whorleton Road Peckham Rye | Approved | Approved |
| Varcoe Road, in extension, Rotherhithe New Road ... | Approved | Approved |
| Linden Grove, in extension, Nunhead | Approved | Approved |
| Craigallion Gardens, Grove Park | Approved | Approved |
| Gordon Road, out of | Refused | Refused |
| Leipsic Road, out of | Approved | Refused |

LINES OF FRONTAGE, PROJECTIONS, &c.

The Metropolitan Board of Works submitted for the opinion of the Vestry 26 applications for lines of frontage, projections, &c., which have been examined and reported on by the Surveyor; the Vestry recommended approval of

21 cases and refusal of 5 cases. The Metropolitan Board of Works and London County Council consented to 17 and refused 9.

It may be well for the information of the Building Public, as regards Lines of Frontage, to record the following. Your Committee received a letter from the Superintending Architect stating that the Metropolitan Board's attention had been directed to the erection of a building at the corner of Avondale and Copleston Roads, Peckham, in advance of the buildings in the latter road.

The Building in question faces Avondale Road, and is built upon a corner piece of land next Copleston Road, and your Committee were advised by the Vestry Clerk that in the case of *Gilbert v. Wandsworth Board of Works*, Lord Coleridge had very recently decided that buildings were governed by the general building line in *both* streets, consequently this building, although in a line with the building in Avondale Road, is beyond the building line of Copleston Road, and therefore the Magistrate would make an order for the demolition of such part as is in advance of the general building line of Copleston Road.

Your Committee were of opinion that if such an order were made it would inflict a great hardship on the owner of this corner house, inasmuch as the past practice of the Metropolitan Board of Works permitted erections in a line with the forecourts of adjoining side roads, that is to say, to observe the building line in the road only to which the building fronted, which custom was upheld by the Metropolitan Board inasmuch that they resolved, That no action be taken in the matter, but the Committee wish it to be understood that in future the law, as recently adjudged, will be strictly enforced.

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 |
| | — | — |
| | 9 | 5 |
| | — | — |

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

ANDREW MIDDLEMASS,

(Chairman) To Jan. 1889 (deceased.)

(Signed)

THOS. LUDLOW LASSAM,

(Chairman) To March 25th, 1889.

JOSEPH HENRY COOPER,

Vice-Chairman.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

Surveyor.

May, 1889.

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|--------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Gamborwell green | 1 |
| Crystal Palace parade | 1 |
| Dulwich village | 1 |
| Peckham High street | 1 |
| Peckham eye | 2 |
| Sydenham rise | 1 |
| Wells street, by St. George's Church | 1 |
| | 0 |
| | 5 |
| | 5 |

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

ANDREW MIDDLEBASS,

(Signed) THOS. HUDNUT-BASSAN,

JOSEPH HENRY COOPER

J. G. REYNOLDS,

Plant and Scavenging Committee

1888-89.

SLOPPING, WATERING, DUSTING, &c.

This work as executed by the Veterinary plant, &c., has been arranged as follows:

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PLANT & SCAVENGING COMMITTEE,

For the year ending Lady-day, 1889.

Water Vans - 68 Steam Road Rollers - 3
Slop Carts - 7 Cart Vans - 1
Slop Carts - 40 Dog Carts - 3
Slop Vans - 12 Dog Carts - 24
Horse Road Brooms - 5 Dog Vans - 2

FODDER

The fodder consumed per horse per week has been:

Oaten, Mixture, and Hay - 1784 tons
Straw (including bedding) - 152 " "
Oats - 291 bushels
Beans - 414 "
Treat - 194 1/2 "

2

1888-89

REPORT OF THE
PLANT & SCAVENGING COMMITTEE

For the year ending Lady-day, 1889.

Plant and Scavenging Committee.

SLOPPING, WATERING, DUSTING, &c.

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

PLANT.

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|--------------------|----|
| Horses - - - | 88 | Light Cart - - - | 1 |
| Water Vans - - | 69 | Steam Road Rollers | 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 |

FODDER.

The fodder consumed per horse per week has been—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|---|------|----------|
| Clover, Mixture, and Hay | - | 1.64 | trusses. |
| Straw (including bedding) | - | 1.52 | „ |
| Oats - - - - - | - | 2.97 | bushels. |
| Beans - - - - - | - | 0.14 | „ |
| Bran - - - - - | - | 9.49 | lbs. |

The cost of the same consumed during the year, has amounted to £2,935 12s. 4d., equal to 13s. 6d. per horse per week.

In addition to the foregoing, the Vestry plant has been supplemented upon emergency for Road Watering, Cartage, and Dusting by *hired* Carts, Horses, &c., which has amounted to the sum of £630 13s. 6d.

During the past year 11 Horses have died, and 2 were sold being unfit for further Vestry use, representing about 15 per cent. upon the average stud, it has therefore been found necessary to provide for the vacancies so caused, and in order to maintain the efficiency of the work, somewhat to increase the stud, for which purpose authority was given by the Vestry to purchase, and 15 Horses have, since Lady-day, 1889, been bought under such order.

| | |
|---|----|
| Total No. of Horses in stock at Lady-day, | |
| 1888 | 91 |
| Purchased during the year ending Lady- | |
| day, 1889 | 3 |
| | — |
| | 94 |
| Horses died during the year ending Lady- | |
| day, 1889 | 13 |
| | — |
| Total in stock at Lady-day, 1889 | 81 |
| | — |

The death rate in the stud is somewhat high, but is due almost entirely to natural decay, occurring principally in the Dust Department with those horses which had been in the Vestry service almost from the commencement of the Vestry doing their own work.

COLLECTION OF SLOP.

The quantity of Slop collected was:—

| | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|-----------------|
| Road Slop | - | - | - | 27,511 loads. |
| Gulley Slop | - | - | - | 3,612 „ |
| Total | - | - | - | <u>31,123</u> „ |

(In 1887-8 the quantity was 30,536 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 24,285½ cart-loads, or 302 barge-loads.

The cost of this work during the year has been at the rate of—
Per cart-load, delivered direct into barges, 1s. 11d. for the first 3 months, and 2s. 2d. for the last 9 months.

(MEM.—A van-load is = 1½ cart loads.)

ROAD WATERING.

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 | 551 | 16 | 6 |
| Rent of meters. Standposts property of Vestry | 114 | 19 | 6 |
| Lambeth Water Company—by meter | 299 | 4 | 5 |
| Rent of meters | 66 | 3 | 0 |
| Rent of standposts | 47 | 5 | 0 |
| Kent Water Company—by mileage : about 11 miles ... | 330 | 0 | 0 |
| Four Pumps (from Grand Surrey Canal) | 31 | 11 | 0 |
| Lewisham Board of Works—Sydenham hill (moiety of expenses)... .. | 44 | 13 | 6 |
| | <u>£1,485 12 11</u> | | |

Length of roads watered about 97½ miles. Average per mile about £15*

* This cost, owing to the wet season, is somewhat lower than usual,

| | Southwark & Vauxhall Co.'s supply. | Kent Co.'s supply. | Lambeth Water Co.'s supply. |
|--|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | No. | No. | No. |
| Hydrants, the property of Vestry ... | 7 | 3 | — |
| Waterposts do. do. ... | 49 | 8 | — |
| Do. the property of the Lambeth Water Company, for which a rental of 30/- each per annum is paid ... | — | — | 32 |
| Meters—the property of the Companies, for which a rent of £2 2s. each per annum is paid | 56 | — | 32 |

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

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

THE LAMBETH WATER Co. at $8\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 1,000 gallons in the low-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 £30 per mile.

REMOVAL OF DUST AND HOUSE REFUSE, DUST BARGING, &c.

| | | |
|--|---|---------------|
| The quantity of dust collected during the past year ending Lady-day, 1889 | - | 24,866 loads. |
| Do. do. 1888 | - | 24,631 ,, |
| Increase on the previous year | | <u>235 ,,</u> |

Of the above quantity 21,570 loads were taken to the Wharf and barged away, the remainder being delivered at private shoots in various parts of the Parish at agreed prices.

The number of loads *barged away* is 3932 in excess of last year.

Your Committee with the view of reducing as much as possible the heavy cost of this Barging Work (especially that of the House Dust and Refuse), have taken every opportunity afforded them to deliver Dust, &c., to any one who could within the district of such collection make use of the same, *without detriment to the health of the locality where so deposited*, thus not only reducing the quantity *barged away*, but also saving of miles of Cartage from the respective Districts of Collection to the wharf; and in furtherance of this desire to reduce the very large and increasing cost of disposing of the Dust Refuse before referred to, your Committee have been for some time (and now are) engaged in making experiments and arrangements, by which they hope eventually *very materially* to further decrease the cost of this Department.

The dust barging has been carried out by Messrs. Smeed, Dean, & Co., at the rate of 3s. per dust-cart load for the first three months, and 2s. 8d. per dust-cart load for the last nine months.

For the convenience and information of the Parishioners, your Committee caused a house to house distribution of Dust Cards to be made, informing the Public of the special days of Collection from their respective localities, and certain suggestions made as to the consuming of such portion of the house refuse which is burnable, and thus contribute to effect a saving in this work, and conduce to a reduction of the rates.

VESTRY'S DEPÔTS.

Your Committee having had its attention drawn to the additional accommodation required at the several Depots placed under their charge, through the increased work of Slopping, Dusting, Carting, &c., have made alterations and improvements as under :—

ADDINGTON SQUARE DEPÔT.

The small cottage at this wharf which was formerly occupied by the Labourer in charge, but which, since his death, has been used as an office only, has been enlarged and made sufficient for residential occupation by the Superintendent of No. 1 District. The cost of this enlargement has been fully compensated for by doing away with the necessity of a night watchman, the District Superintendent now taking the entire charge of these premises, which in addition to the economy effected by such alteration, enables the Superintendent to more efficiently supervise the work in hand, and protect the plant, material, &c., on this wharf.

PECKHAM PARK ROAD DEPÔT.

Additions have been made to the horse loose boxes, and also the covered and open sheds, for the extension of the work carried on at this wharf. Also necessary repairs to the two cottages on the wharf, one of which is occupied by the Horse-keeper in charge of that portion of the Vestry's Stud kept here ; the other by one of the Vestry employees, who pays rent for the same to the Vestry.

GLENGALL ROAD WHARF.

The yearly increasing quantity of Slop and Dust brought to this Depot for deportation by Barges has rendered necessary some additional office and other accommodation to be made in order to insure efficient and economical supervision.

VICTORIA ROAD DEPÔT.

Alterations and additions have been made at this Depot, viz., to the Committee Room and also in the Clerk's Office, &c., providing for the increased Committee work which is carried out here by the "Plant Committee," who hold their usual weekly and other meetings at this Depot.

The larger portion of the Vestry's Stud is provided for on these premises, including the accommodation for the Veterinary treatment of the Horses; also the *Wheelwrights, Blacksmiths, and Shoeing Departments*. The Forage is also kept in Store at this Depot, the whole of the above being under the care and supervision of the Resident Depot Superintendent.

The Masons and Tar Paving Store, for this portion of the Parish is also provided here.

HENSLOWE ROAD DEPÔT, EAST DULWICH.

The premises purchased at above, as authorised by the Vestry, providing a supplemental Depot for the outlying Southern portion of the Parish, have been fitted up and

arranged for the reception and storage of Material, Carts, &c., also Paying the Road Labourers.

A District Superintendent resides on these premises, he paying a portion of the rent to the Vestry.

DULWICH VILLAGE.

A *temporary* shed Depot is rented in this locality for similar purposes, as referred to, at Henslowe Road, which is found to be convenient for the organization of the labour, &c., of this portion of the Parish.

JOSEPH JOHN PHILLIPS,

Chairman.

LEONARD CHARLES SHIPTON,

Vice-Chairman.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

Surveyor.

1889-90.



REPORT OF THE
SEWERS & SANITARY COMMITTEE,

For the year ending Lady-day, 1889.

arranged for the reception and storage of material, and for
the payment of the local labourers.

A Report on the progress of the work during the year
ending 31st December 1888.

DELUWICH VILLAGE
1888-89.

A temporary shed built on this locality for
the purpose of receiving material, which is
found to be convenient for the transport of the labour
of this portion of the Parish.

REPORT OF THE

SEWERS & SANITARY COMMITTEE

For the year ending Lady-day, 1889.

NOTHING REMAINS TO REPORT

The Chairman

H. C. REYNOLDS

The Sewers & Sanitary Committee

Submit a Report of the works carried out in their department during the year ending Lady-day, 1889 :—

NEW SEWERS.

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

| | PIPE SEWERS. | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 9-in. | 12-in. | 15-in. | 18-in. |
| | Feet. | Feet. | Feet. | Feet. |
| Laurel terrace, Avenue road | 64 | ... | ... | ... |
| Peckham park | ... | 58 | ... | ... |
| East Dulwich grove | ... | 80 | ... | ... |
| Kingswood road | ... | 406 | ... | ... |
| Elmington road | ... | 20 | ... | ... |
| Crebor street | ... | 56 | ... | ... |
| Astley street, Old Kent road | ... | 136 | ... | ... |
| Barry road | ... | 120 | ... | ... |
| Peckham rye | ... | ... | ... | 276 |
| Dulwich Common | ... | 10 | 12 | ... |
| Peckham Park road | ... | 40 | ... | ... |
| | 64 | 926 | 12 | 276 |

NEW SEWERS ON BUILDING ESTATES.

Plans and Sections having been deposited by the Owners for permission to lay down the following 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 the works were executed under the supervision of the officers of the Vestry.

| | PIPE SEWERS. | |
|--|--------------|--------|
| | 12-in. | 15-in. |
| | Feet. | Feet. |
| Pennack Road, Sumner road | 262 | ... |
| Ethnard road, Old Kent road | 320 | ... |
| Homestall road and Marmora road | 240 | 1,306 |
| Craigallion gardens, Grove park | 970 | ... |
| | ... | ... |
| | ... | ... |
| | ... | ... |
| | 1,792 | 1,306 |

NEW GULLIES.

Gullies for road drainage have been executed in connection with the foregoing works, and alterations to present gullies, where required, to complete the surface drainage in "New Streets" works.

SEWERS, REPAIR AND CLEANSING.

The Local Main Sewers are cleansed by the flushers in the employ of the Vestry. The quantity of slop removed from the same during the past year has been 425 cart loads.

The Brick Sewer in Dulwich Common road, reported by your Surveyor to be in a dilapidated condition, has been repaired for a length of 1,120 feet, and is now in a satisfactory state.

HOUSE DRAINAGE.

159 applications have been received for the drainage of 396 houses into sewers, and the works in connection therewith have been carried out under inspection. This number includes the re-modelling of the drainage of old houses as also the drainage of new property.

FLOODINGS.

This question is assuming a very serious aspect especially in its consequences which result to the low lying districts of the Metropolis, particularly to properties having cellars and basement floors.

The Sewers and Sanitary Committee of this Vestry have had the subject brought before them through the com-

plaints of the suffering inhabitants, and the consequent Reports thereon by your Surveyor, these Reports, after receiving the Vestry's consideration, were transmitted to the Metropolitan Board of Works.

Further—On a recent occurrence of floodings, it was again the subject of appeal to the Vestry, when after an exhaustive discussion, the matter was at once remitted to the London County Council for their consideration.

The reports by your Surveyor relating to this subject are here reproduced in order to inform the Parishioners that this subject has not been neglected by the Vestry, and further that the remedy does not lie within the Vestry control.

REPORT.

To the Sewers and Sanitary Committee:—

Re Floodings on the occasion of Heavy Rainfall on Tuesday night, the 26th June, 1888, also on the Friday following the above date.

Heavy rainfall. Having explained somewhat discursively to your Committee on Tuesday evening last on the above subject, when you received the several deputations, and also the many complaints and written communications thereon, I thought it desirable that I should, for your further consideration, condense my statement and explanations of the facts relating to the floodings on Friday, the 26th June. The rainfall in question, as registered at the Deptford and Crossness outfalls of the Southern Metropolitan Sewers, were respectively 1·75 and 2·10, between the hours of 6.30

and 11.0 p.m. I believe however that the principal portion of this rainfall occurred considerably *within* that period of time.

Result of storm
on the Low
level portions
of the Parish
and Metropolis
generally.

The above quoted rainfall, I need not say, was unprecedented, and its immediate result was disastrous in the low lying portions of the Parish, to properties *having basements*, the very rapid accumulation of water in the Sewers caused the flood level to rise even to the surface of the road in some instances, this being several feet *above the level of the Sewers and the basement stories*. The flood level spread of course throughout the Parish, blocking up the subsidiary local Sewers, and hence it follows blocked up the course of the surface and house drainage also, and the latter being driven back produced unsanitary effects *within* the houses.

On the whole our local Sewers sustained this unusual pressure satisfactorily, inasmuch that on the abatement of the storm, the pent-up sewerage quickly discharged itself, and with the exception of a fracture of a portion of the Pipe Sewer in Camberwell Grove, I have no special results to announce.

So much for the *low level sewerage*, the disposal of which, I may remark, is dependent upon the storm outfalls, and pumping arrangements of the Metropolitan Board of Works.

Mid Level
Metropolitan
Sewers.

The Main Metropolitan Sewer which intercepts the mid portion of the upper drainage of the Parish, was in like manner overcharged, especially at Rye Lane, by Hanover Street, and at Albert Road, &c.; it can

readily be understood that the Rye Lane Sewer, which *there* required a free outlet for its discharge, on meeting with the impediment of a *fully charged outlet*, filled up very quickly and was the cause of much of the flooding complained of in that locality; a larger sewer would have met with no better result under such circumstances. This blocked outlet sewer at Albert Road also impeded the flow from Copeland Road and its vicinity, and at, and about Druid's Place by the "Heaton's Arms" where these sewers work in conjunction, they met with the same resistance and shared a like fate.

High Level
Effra Main
Metropolitan
Sewers.

The High Level or Effra Main Metropolitan line of Sewer which crosses the Rye between East Dulwich Road and Nunhead Lane, was also heavily charged, and thus impeded the free emptying of the large sewer which comes across the Rye, running north and south up to the Stevens Estate at Sunnyside, &c.

This latter Sewer receives the Sewerage from Forest Hill road and its surroundings, but all were blocked and overpowered through the intensity and quantity of the rainfall, and the interrupted discharge above referred to.

The foregoing are some of the palpable causes, as I explained to you in Committee, of the complaints which you had to entertain; no remedy within the power of the Vestry exists to prevent such results on the recurrence of such an excessive downpour, the sizes of the local Sewers are, I think, proved to be sufficient, under the normal condition of the district, inasmuch that on the cessation of the storm on the 26th the flooding quickly subsided, and with the exception of the residuum of the drainage which

deposited itself in the unfortunately low basements, &c., all quickly disappeared, and our local Sewerage was in a few hours effectually discharging itself as usual.

Without going into an exhaustive report on this matter, I may repeat my opinion as previously expressed to you, that any remedy for the amendment or prevention of these enumerated results, must be the subject of a very large and collective consideration.

I may here state that in the few cases where floodings have been attributed to local causes, they shall have very early and earnest attention.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

July 13th, 1888.

Surveyor.

Report *re* Floodings, Monday, July 30th,
1888.

Another unprecedented rainfall, equal to 3.17 ins., between the hours of 3 and 9 p.m., has been the cause of renewed and very severe floodings. In the lower portions of the Parish it has produced the *usual inundation of Basements and Cellars*, the inevitable result in low-lying districts, and which I venture to suggest should in the future be discouraged by the Vestry, and the existing ones advised to be abandoned where practicable.

Also, in the upper portions of the Parish, this heavy rainfall caused damage to the Local Sewers, especially at Peckham Rye Common, through the overcharged condition of the Effra Main Metropolitan Line, which crosses from East Dulwich Road to Nunhead Lane.

The 4.0 ft. Barrel Local Sewer, which runs southward, through the Rye Common, burst on the Common for a length of about 20 feet; this result, it need scarcely be said, was to be expected, as this Local Main Sewer met stubborn resistance at its outfall.

This bursting enabled the pent-up Sewage to spread itself on the Common, passing into the Rye Pond, which overflowed, and thence passed down the steep Roads towards and along Rye Lane, Copeland Road, and adjacent Streets, doing much damage by flooding in its course.

This Road and Street flooding, I am of opinion, was intensified through the recent removal of the Penstock, at the north end of the Peckham Rye Pond, the present very small outlet of the Pond prevented the storm water passing into the old course, viz., into the Brick Barrel Sewer, consequently the run of the flood was diverted on to the surface of the Roads.

The bursting of the Sewer on the Common as before referred to, relieved to some extent the Sewer in Forest Hill Road, where (although the Basements were unfortunately again flooded near the foot of the Hill by Dunstan's Road) the Sewer was but slightly overstrained.

At Lordship Lane also, this Main Metropolitan Sewer was so overpowered with the storm water, that a side entrance on the footpath at North Cross Road was lifted by its force, aided possibly by the confined air in the Sewer seeking an escape.

As I remarked in my previous (printed) report of July 13th last, the "palpable cause" of these recurring floodings



is the overcharged condition of the main intercepting Sewers, it is but due, however, to note that the unexceptional avalanche-like downfall of rain within so short a period overpowered and overtaxed all the previous conceived necessities and appliances provided for ordinary wet seasons, and this subject must, I think, lead at no distant date to a serious consideration for the providing means to cope with such visitations in the future. These when undertaken must be of an extended character, and in the first instance (at least) must precede any Local extensions or enlargements of the present Sewers.

I may again remark that our Local Sewers as a whole worked well, in proof of which scarcely had the storm abated, than our Roads and Streets (which an hour previously were under water), became passable, the Gully drainage acting efficiently, and the Sewers performing their duty as local conduits, leading to the greater conduits of the Main Sewers. So long as this telescopic delivery is maintained uninterrupted, we are tolerably safe, except under such visitations as the storm of the 30th ult., which, it appears (reasonably considered) it is scarcely possible to provide against.

I have been in communication with the Engineer of the Metropolitan Board of Works on this subject, and I know it is receiving his anxious consideration. In conclusion, although I admit it is but poor comfort, I may confidently report, that other districts have been similarly, if not more seriously, visited.

J. C. REYNOLDS.

Surveyor.

August 1st, 1888.

With regard to the last paragraph of the Surveyor's Report, dated July 13th, 1888, "where floodings have been attributed to local causes," your Surveyor reported upon the expediency of laying down two lengths of Intercepting Sewers at Peckham Rye—one opposite Sternhall Lane, the other opposite Troy Town, for the purpose of relieving as much as possible the Rye Lane Sewer. This Report the Vestry adopted on the 19th December last, and the work was immediately carried out.

PUBLIC URINALS.

- | | |
|---|--|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Addington square, next High road. 2. Caspian street, New Church road. 3. Denmark hill, opposite Camberwell green. 4. Havil street, rear of Vestry Hall. 5. Hanover street, next Rye lane. 6. Hill street, opposite Bird-in-Bush road. 7. Joiners' Arms yard, Denmark hill. 8. Old Kent road, opposite Oakley place. 9. Orchard row, Camberwell New road. 10. Peckham High street, opposite Hill street. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 11. Peckham rye, Cross road, near Nunhead lane. 12. Peckham rye, opposite "Heaton Arms." 13. Rotherhithe New road, next St. James' road. 14. Southampton street, by Wells street. 15. Sumner road, next Commercial road. 16. Upland road, by Police Station. 17. Wells street, at St. George's Bridge. 18. Wyndham road, at Railway Bridge. 19. Commercial road, next Southampton street (recently erected.) |
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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.

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

R. T. BONSTALL,

Chairman, 1888-89.

WILLIAM JACKSON,

Vice-Chairman.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

Surveyor.

SUMMARY OF GENERAL CONTRACTS.

| Name of Contractor. | Nature of Contract. | Terms. |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Messrs. A. & F. Manuelle | Granite (Guernsey) | Lady-day 1888 to Lady-day 1889, as per schedule |
| Mr. J. Covington | Kent 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. Matthews | Horse Hire | Ditto |
| Messrs. Stenning | Timber for Wheelwrights Work, &c. | Ditto |
| Messrs. Carpenter Bros. | Harness | Ditto |
| Messrs. F. Austin | Painters' Sundries | Ditto |
| Messrs. Eastwood & Co. | 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 |
| Messrs. Middleton Bros. | Cart Grease, Machinery and Harness Oil | 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. |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Mr. F. Bird | Brooms | Lady-day 1888 to Lady-day 1889, as per schedule |
| Mr. W. Constable | Tar Paving Works | Ditto |
| Mr. J. S. Gabriel | Tar Paving Material | Ditto |
| Messrs. Wood & Sons | Smith and Ironmongers' Work | Ditto |
| New Carbolic Sanitary Company | Disinfecting Powder | Ditto |
| Messrs. J. Shelbourne & Co. | Slop Barging | Midsummer, 1888, to Midsummer, 1889, as per specification. |
| Messrs. Smeed, Deane, & Co. | Dust Barging | Ditto |
| Mr. W. Monks | Clock Winding | Ditto |

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACT.

| Name of Contractor. | Nature of Contract. | Locality of Work. |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons' Work | Alley n Park, footpaths only |
| Limmer Asphalte Company | Asphalte Work | Alley n Park, footpaths only |
| Mr. J. Bigg | Masons and Roadwork | Back Lane |
| Mr. James Stowell | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Buchan Road |

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL CONTRACT.

| Name of Contractor. | Nature of Contract. | Locality of Work. |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Mr. William Harris | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Canterbury Road |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Champion Grove |
| Mr. James Stowell | Masons' Work | Darrell Street |
| Mr. W. H. Wheeler | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Clifton Crescent |
| Mr. William Harris (Administratrix of the late) | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Geldart Road |
| Mr. William Harris (Administratrix of the late) | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Gloucester Road |
| Mr. William Harris (Administratrix of the late) | Masons and Roadwork... .. | (two portions) Kincaid Road |
| Mr. James Stowell | Masons' Work | Lord-hip Lane part of footway only |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Mundania Road |
| Limmer Asphalte Company | Asphalte Work | Ditto |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Machell Road |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Piermont Road |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Peckham Park |
| Messrs. Mowlem & Co. | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Kingswood Road |
| Limmer Asphalte Company | Asphalte Work | Ditto |
| Mr. William Harris (Administratrix of the late) | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Sternhall Lane |
| Mr. William Harris (Administratrix of the late) | Masons and Roadwork... .. | Underhill Road |
| Limmer Asphalte Company | Asphalte Work | Ditto |

1888-89.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S

ANNUAL REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,

During the last few years, as the Registrar General shows, the birth-rate, the death-rate, and the marriage-rate have all been falling. This general tendency to fall was maintained in the year 1888.

“The births registered in London in 1888 numbered 131,080, and were in the proportion of 30·7 to 1000 inhabitants. This is the lowest birth-rate recorded in London since 1841, when the rate was 30·4. In 1876 the rate was 35·9, but from that date it fell continuously year after year.

“The deaths registered in the year numbered 78,848, and corresponded to an annual rate of 18·5 per 1000. This is far the lowest death-rate as yet recorded in London; moreover, the three next lowest are those in the three immediately preceding years, when the figures were successively 19·8, 19·9, and 19·6.

“The marriages numbered 34,617, giving a proportion of 16·1 persons married to 1,000 of the population. This is the lowest marriage-rate as yet recorded in London. The next lowest rates, moreover, were those in the five immediately preceeding years, when they were successively 17·9, 17·6, 16·9, 16·6, and 16·3 per 1,000.”

There can be no doubt that this diminishing death-rate implies growing healthiness of the population, and that we may congratulate ourselves on the fact that the year 1888 was the healthiest year we have experienced since birth-rates and death-rates have been systematically recorded. On the other hand, the diminishing birth-rate may possibly be regarded by some persons as an unsatisfactory feature in the returns. As a matter of fact, however, the diminishing birth-rate renders the diminishing death-rate more significant of healthiness than would have been the case had the birth-rate been high. For, on the one hand, as children, in the first five years of life, always die in much larger proportion than do persons in any equal period of subsequent life, the births of any considerable number of children in excess of the actual number born in 1888 would have caused a more than proportionate increase in the deaths, and consequently a general increase in the death-rate; and, on the other hand, it can readily be shown by calculation that the lower the birth-rate in relation to the death-rate the higher is the average duration of life among the population concerned. It need hardly be said that the death-rate implies healthiness or unhealthiness only in so far as it implies long or short average duration of life; that, for example, there can be no difference in the healthiness of two localities, in one of which the death-rate is twice or even

thrice as high as that of the other, provided other conditions are such that in both cases the inhabitants attain the same mean age; or that, conversely, supposing different populations to enjoy the same mean duration of life, any differences which may be presented by their respective death-rates are due to other circumstances than difference of health. Now, the association of a birth-rate of 30·7 per thousand with a death-rate of 18·5, implies (if these rates be continued) an average duration of life of 41·7 years; whereas if, the death-rate continuing the same, the birth-rate should be 35·9 (which was its rate in 1876) the implied duration of life would be 38·4, or 3·3 years less.

On the whole, there was not much difference between the total zymotic death-rate of the year 1888 and that of 1887. There was an increase, of deaths due to hooping cough, from 2928 to 2987; of deaths due to diphtheria, from 961 to 1301; and of deaths due to enteric fever, from 672 to 720. But on the other hand deaths from measles fell from 2894 to 2401; and deaths from scarlet fever, from 1447 to 1209. There were 9 deaths from small pox in each year.

The populations of London and its five groups of districts, as determined at the Census of 1881, are subjoined in Table I. :—

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 (based on the assumption that the rate of increase which prevailed between 1871 and 1881 has since been maintained), the population of the Metropolis amounted, in the middle of 1888 to 4,282,921, an increase of 466,438 in the course of seven years.

In Table II. will be found the numbers 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 1888.

| | London. | West D. | North D. | Central D | East D. | South D. |
|-------------|---------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|----------|
| Births | 131,080 | 19,771 | 29,284 | 7,868 | 26,128 | 48,029 |
| Deaths | 78,848 | 13,851 | 17,118 | 5,823 | 15,907 | 26,120 |
| Birth-Rates | 30·7 | 25·5 | 28·3 | 36·5 | 35·8 | 31·6 |
| Death-Rates | 18·2 | 16·9 | 16·4 | 27·2 | 21·1 | 17·3 |

The birth-rate of the Southern group is lower than the birth-rates of the Central and Eastern groups, but is higher than those of the Western and Northern groups, and than that of the whole of London. It is lower by 1·4 per 1,000 than it was in 1887. The death-rate of the Southern districts is also lower than those of the Central and Eastern districts; but a little higher than those of the Western and Northern. It is lower also than that of all London.

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. | Scarlet Fever. | Diph- theria. | Fever. | Small Pox. | |
|---|-------------------|----------|-------------------|------------------|--------|---------------|---|
| 1879 | 3,000 | 2,488 | 2,706 | 592 | 1,099 | 458 | |
| 1880 | 3,438 | 1,501 | 3,073 | 561 | 886 | 475 | |
| 1881 | 1,961 | 2,533 | 2,108 | 654 | 1,196 | 2,371 | |
| 1882 | 4,647 | 2,329 | 2,004 | 863 | 1,117 | 431 | |
| 1883 | 1,582 | 2,420 | 1,989 | 951 | 1,081 | 134 | |
| 1884 | 3,188 | 2,285 | 1,444 | 973 | 1,045 | 913 | |
| 1885 | 2,479 | 2,928 | 707 | 896 | 695 | 899 | |
| 1886 | 2,834 | 2,078 | 688 | 846 | 701 | 24 | |
| 1887 | 2,928 | 2,894 | 1,447 | 961 | 672 | 9 | |
| 1888 | 2,987 | 2,401 | 1,209 | 1,301 | 720 | 9 | |
| 1888 | West D. | 492 | 420 | 142 | 318 | 115 | 1 |
| | North D. | 593 | 626 | 373 | 228 | 201 | 2 |
| | Central D. | 192 | 161 | 27 | 135 | 41 | 0 |
| | East D. | 666 | 656 | 218 | 201 | 135 | 1 |
| | South D. | 1,044 | 538 | 425 | 419 | 228 | 2 |
| Metropolitan Asylum Hospitals outside London. | 0 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 4 | |

I now pass on to the sanitary statistics of the Parish of Camberwell. Table IV. gives 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 1888, 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.

| | Parish. | Dulwich. | Camberwell. | Peckham | St. George's. |
|---|---------|----------|-------------|---------|---------------|
| As estimated at Census of of 1881 | 186,593 | 5,590 | 59,104 | 71,089 | 50,810 |
| As estimated for middle of year 1888 | 271,480 | 7,067 | 93,788 | 103,849 | 68,211 |

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 unimportant, depends on the fact (which renders absolute agreement impossible) that the increase for each sub-district, and also that for the entire parish, have been calculated on independent data. It is almost needless 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 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. I have ventured, therefore, to make another estimate of the

population on the assumption that the death-rate of Camberwell, during 1888, was exactly equal to the death-rate determined by the Registrar General for the South of London. Now there is no particular reason to believe that Camberwell has been more healthy during the past year than the parishes in its immediate neighbourhood; and if we assume, therefore, that the death-rate of 17·3, which is the Registrar General's estimate for the whole of South London, is also the death-rate of Camberwell, by an easy process we arrive at the conclusion that the population of Camberwell in the middle of 1888 was 232,890, a sufficiently large population but less by 38,590 than the estimate based on former experience. On the whole, I believe that the smaller estimate, though obtained in an unorthodox way and doubtless incorrect, is much nearer the truth than the other is.

During the year 1888, 7,132 children were born in the parish, of whom 3,594 were boys, 3,538 were girls (see Table V.); of these, 86 belonged to Dulwich, 2302 to Camberwell, 2530 to Peckham, and 2214 to St. George's. The total births were less numerous in 1888 than they were in 1887 by 317; and the diminution was general throughout the sub-districts. In Dulwich the falling off amounted to 21, in Camberwell to 61, in Peckham to 175, and in St. George's to 60.

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

| | Parish. | Dulwich. | Camberwell. | Peckham. | St. George's. |
|------------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|---------------|
| 1887 | 7,449 | 107 | 2,363 | 2,705 | 2,274 |
| 1888 | 7,132 | 86 | 2,302 | 2,530 | 2,214 |
| Difference | - 317 | - 21 | - 61 | - 175 | - 60 |

The birth-rates per 1,000, for the years 1887 and 1888, for Camberwell and its districts are given in Table VI. It will be observed that those for 1888 are all smaller than those for 1887, in which year, also, the birth-rates were unusually low. They were all, also (excepting only that of

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

| | Parish. | Dulwich. | Camberwell. | Peckham. | St. George's. |
|------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|---------------|
| 1887 | 28.9 | 15.6 | 26.8 | 27.4 | 34.7 |
| 1888 | 25.9 | 12.2 | 24.5 | 24.2 | 32.5 |

St. George's), considerably lower than the birth-rate of the whole of London. These rates have naturally all been deduced from the higher estimates of the parochial population previously given. But of course the higher the estimate of the population, the actual number of births remaining the same, the lower will the birth-rate become. And the calculated birth-rates are generally so low, that I cannot doubt that they are incorrect; and that they supply an additional reason for regarding my larger estimate of the population as being far in excess of the truth. It may be pointed out, however, that, although doubtless the birth-rate of Dulwich is below its proper figure, the birth-rate of Dulwich, owing to the social characteristics of the place, is always far below that of any other part of the Parish.

The deaths registered in Camberwell during the year (Table IX.) were 3,773, of which 1,848 were of males, 1,925 of females; and of which 59 occurred in Dulwich, 1,425 in Camberwell, 1,282 in Peckham, and 1,007 in St. George's.

The deaths were less numerous than those of 1887 by 238. In Dulwich there was an increase of one; but in all the other districts there was a fall: in Camberwell, of 147; in Peckham, of 34; and in St. George's, of 58.

Of the 1,425 deaths returned for the sub-district of Camberwell, 345 occurred in the Workhouse and Infirmary, and 83 in two Lunatic Asylums, making a total of 428 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. This has been done in Table VII. the last column of which gives the corrected returns.

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

| | Deaths returned. | Deaths in W. & L. A. | Deaths in W. & L. A. sub- tracted. | Deaths in W. & L. A. re-dis- tributed. | Estimates of Deaths due to Sub- districts. |
|--------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---|---|---|
| Dulwich | 59 | ... | 59 | + 6 | 65 |
| Camberwell | 1,425 | - 345 | 1,080 | + 109 | 1,189 |
| Peckham | 1,282 | ... | 1,282 | + 129 | 1,411 |
| St. George's | 1,007 | ... | 1,007 | + 101 | 1,108 |
| Parish | 3,773 | ... | 3,428 | + 345 | 3,773 |

The death-rates of Camberwell and of its 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 1888, shown in Table IV. The following table gives these death-rates, and, for the sake of comparison, those of 1887:—

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

| | Parish. | Dulwich. | Camberwell. | Peckham. | St. George's. |
|------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|---------------|
| 1887 | 15.6 | 9.6 | 14.3 | 15.1 | 15.6 |
| 1888 | 13.9 | 9.2 | 12.7 | 13.6 | 16.2 |

It will be observed, not only that the death-rates are all remarkably low (considerably lower 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, excepting that of St. George's, they are all considerably lower than the corresponding death-rates of 1887.

I have explained, over and over again, that the extreme lowness of our death-rates is not wholly due to healthiness of population. As I have shown earlier in this Report, it may be taken for granted that I have largely over-estimated the amount of the population, not only for the Parish as a whole, but also for each of its sub-districts, excepting, perhaps, that of St. George's. Another source of fallacy is the fact that many deaths, due to the Parish, occur in institutions outside the Parish. For some few years past, these deaths 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 to 256, of which 4

TABLE IX.—Returns of Births and Deaths for the Fifty-Two Weeks ending Saturday, December 27th, 1888.

| | BIRTHS. | | | DEATHS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|---------|------|------|-------------------|------|------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|---|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------|----------------|---------|---------------|------------|-------|-------|-----------|------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|-----|------|
| | | | | ACCORDING TO AGE. | | | | | | | | | | | 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 | Premature Birth or Defective Viability. | Infantile Fever | Child-birth | Other Causes | Erysipelas, Pyæmia, &c. | Pneumonia, Bronchitis, &c. | Diarrhoea and Dysentery | Cholera | Whooping Cough | Measles | Scarlet Fever | Diphtheria | Croup | Fever | Small Pox | Cornuptions, &c. | Tubercular Diseases | Other diseases, chiefly Chronic | | |
| DULWICH | 36 | 50 | 86 | 21 | 38 | 59 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 33 |
| CAMBERWELL | 1046 | 1156 | 2302 | 712 | 713 | 1425 | 281 | 158 | 42 | 51 | 77 | 111 | 139 | 135 | 195 | 160 | 69 | 7 | 24 | 108 | 10 | 7 | 18 | 91 | 173 | 22 | 6 | 0 | 36 | 23 | 9 | 22 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 46 | 169 | 69 | 578 |
| PICKHAM | 1248 | 1282 | 2530 | 616 | 666 | 1282 | 349 | 233 | 53 | 53 | 53 | 72 | 92 | 102 | 108 | 108 | 51 | 8 | 21 | 108 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 136 | 132 | 35 | 9 | 0 | 63 | 32 | 34 | 12 | 14 | 11 | 0 | 49 | 110 | 75 | 422 |
| St. GEORGE'S | 1164 | 1050 | 2214 | 499 | 508 | 1007 | 318 | 240 | 41 | 22 | 36 | 52 | 60 | 79 | 75 | 52 | 30 | 2 | 27 | 89 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 119 | 88 | 41 | 1 | 0 | 58 | 45 | 33 | 12 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 55 | 85 | 69 | 260 |
| 1st Quarter | 920 | 905 | 1825 | 544 | 569 | 1113 | 239 | 204 | 40 | 36 | 52 | 74 | 91 | 90 | 114 | 118 | 52 | 3 | 18 | 81 | 12 | 4 | 7 | 118 | 181 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 71 | 5 | 28 | 17 | 16 | 9 | 1 | 53 | 97 | 47 | 339 |
| 2nd Quarter | 873 | 893 | 1766 | 421 | 429 | 850 | 184 | 133 | 25 | 33 | 39 | 67 | 74 | 89 | 95 | 78 | 29 | 4 | 20 | 59 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 59 | 86 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 45 | 7 | 16 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 39 | 100 | 50 | 323 |
| 3rd Quarter | 873 | 880 | 1753 | 390 | 394 | 784 | 278 | 89 | 28 | 25 | 33 | 48 | 60 | 65 | 70 | 56 | 29 | 3 | 19 | 78 | 2 | 7 | 8 | 39 | 35 | 63 | 7 | 0 | 23 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 34 | 79 | 73 | 289 |
| 4th Quarter | 928 | 860 | 1788 | 493 | 533 | 1026 | 257 | 208 | 45 | 32 | 44 | 50 | 71 | 80 | 110 | 77 | 44 | 8 | 16 | 88 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 131 | 96 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 80 | 27 | 17 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 28 | 94 | 45 | 342 |
| Totals | 3594 | 3538 | 7132 | 1848 | 1925 | 3773 | 958 | 634 | 138 | 126 | 168 | 239 | 296 | 324 | 389 | 329 | 154 | 18 | 73 | 306 | 20 | 16 | 29 | 347 | 398 | 98 | 16 | 0 | 159 | 101 | 76 | 49 | 29 | 23 | 1 | 154 | 370 | 215 | 1293 |

Deaths in Workhouse and Infirmary, 345—(186 Males, 159 Females); in Lunatic Asylum, 83—(44 Males, 39 Females). Deaths in St. Saviour's Infirmary, not included in above Returns, 392—(237 Males, 155 Females).

TABLE IX

| Age Group | BIRTHS | | | | | | Total |
|-----------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| | M | F | M | F | M | F | |
| 0-4 | 186 | 200 | 215 | 230 | 245 | 260 | 1336 |
| 5-9 | 180 | 195 | 205 | 220 | 235 | 250 | 1265 |
| 10-14 | 175 | 190 | 200 | 215 | 230 | 245 | 1235 |
| 15-19 | 170 | 185 | 195 | 210 | 225 | 240 | 1205 |
| 20-24 | 165 | 180 | 190 | 205 | 220 | 235 | 1175 |
| 25-29 | 160 | 175 | 185 | 200 | 215 | 230 | 1145 |
| 30-34 | 155 | 170 | 180 | 195 | 210 | 225 | 1115 |
| 35-39 | 150 | 165 | 175 | 190 | 205 | 220 | 1085 |
| 40-44 | 145 | 160 | 170 | 185 | 200 | 215 | 1055 |
| 45-49 | 140 | 155 | 165 | 180 | 195 | 210 | 1025 |
| 50-54 | 135 | 150 | 160 | 175 | 190 | 205 | 995 |
| 55-59 | 130 | 145 | 155 | 170 | 185 | 200 | 965 |
| 60-64 | 125 | 140 | 150 | 165 | 180 | 195 | 935 |
| 65-69 | 120 | 135 | 145 | 160 | 175 | 190 | 905 |
| 70-74 | 115 | 130 | 140 | 155 | 170 | 185 | 875 |
| 75-79 | 110 | 125 | 135 | 150 | 165 | 180 | 845 |
| 80-84 | 105 | 120 | 130 | 145 | 160 | 175 | 815 |
| 85-89 | 100 | 115 | 125 | 140 | 155 | 170 | 785 |
| 90-94 | 95 | 110 | 120 | 135 | 150 | 165 | 755 |
| 95-99 | 90 | 105 | 115 | 130 | 145 | 160 | 725 |
| Totals | 1200 | 1300 | 1400 | 1500 | 1600 | 1700 | 10000 |

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. | Hooping Cough. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Diphtheria. | Croup. | Fever. | Small Pox. | Convulsions, &c. | | Tubercular Diseases. | | Other Diseases, chiefly Chronic. | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Puerperal Fever. | Other Causes. | | Under 5 years. | Over 5 years. | Under 5 years. | Over 5 years. | | | | | | | | | Phthisis. | Others. | | | | | | |
| DULWICH ... | 2 | 2 | 4 | .. | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 8 | 15 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 8 | | | |
| CAMBERWELL ... | 48 | 23 | 71 | 7 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 4 | 8 | ... | ... | ... | 8 | 15 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 8 | 4 | 30 | | |
| POCKHAM ... | 74 | 48 | 122 | 4 | 22 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 17 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 3 | ... | ... | 15 | 1 | ... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11 | 1 | 59 | | |
| ST. GEORGE'S ... | 33 | 26 | 59 | 6 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 4 | 29 | | | |
| 1st QUARTER... | 36 | 36 | 72 | 8 | 13 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 2 | ... | ... | 8 | 2 | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 6 | 2 | 27 | | |
| 2nd QUARTER... | 32 | 26 | 58 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 10 | ... | 2 | ... | 4 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 | 2 | 35 | | | |
| 3rd QUARTER... | 42 | 16 | 58 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 11 | 10 | 5 | 1 | ... | ... | 6 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 4 | 35 | | | | |
| 4th QUARTER... | 47 | 21 | 68 | 4 | 18 | 3 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | 8 | 1 | ... | ... | 4 | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 9 | 2 | 24 | | | |
| TOTALS ... | 157 | 99 | 256 | 17 | 48 | 20 | 24 | 24 | 34 | 35 | 24 | 26 | 3 | 2 | ... | 26 | 4 | ... | 1 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 | ... | 1 | 24 | 10 | 121 |

belonged to Dulwich, 71 to Camberwell, 122 to Peckham, and 59 to St. George's. They raise the total mortality of the Parish from 3773 to 4029.

Table XI. shows both the augmented mortality of the Parish and of its sub-districts, due to this addition, and the augmented death-rates :—

TABLE XI.—DEATHS AND DEATH-RATES OF CAMBERWELL AND ITS SUB-DISTRICTS OBTAINED BY INCLUDING THE 256 DEATHS WHICH OCCURED IN HOSPITALS AND ELSEWHERE OUTSIDE THE PARISH.

| | Parish. | Dulwich. | Camberwell. | Peckham. | St. George's. |
|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|----------|---------------|
| Deaths | 4,029 | 69 | 1,259 | 1,535 | 1,166 |
| Death-rates | 14.8 | 9.8 | 13.4 | 14.8 | 17.1 |

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 deaths according both to ages and to diseases.

There is not much in the tables calling for comment beyond the fact that both births and deaths were less numerous in 1888 than they were in the previous year; the births being lower by 397, the deaths by 214. This, of course, is in accordance with what was observed in regard to London generally, and with the general diminution in the birth- and death-rates.

The deaths of children under five years of age were, as usual, very numerous. In the whole Parish they amounted to 1657, or 44 per cent. of the total mortality. The propor-

tions varied, however, considerably in the different parts of the Parish. In Dulwich, where birth-rates and death-rate^s are always low, the number of such deaths was 13, and formed only 19 per cent. of the total deaths. In Camberwell, the number was 1259, and formed 36 per cent. ; in Peckham, the number was 1535, and formed 40 per cent. ; and in St. George's, the number was 1166, and formed 49 per cent.

The deaths arranged under the head of accidental or other violence, including those of parishioners occurring in hospitals and elsewhere outside the Parish, were 99. This number is larger by four than that returned in 1887.

Under the heading of premature birth or defective vitality, are included 310 deaths, or 30 less than were recorded in the previous year. The group is a somewhat heterogeneous one, inasmuch as it includes, not only children born prematurely and dying on account of their prematurity, but many children that die of obscure and ill-defined causes during the first few weeks after birth.

Thirty-seven deaths were ascribed to child-birth. This is three more than died from this cause in 1887, and was at the rate of 5·2 per 1,000 deaths. It may be observed that nearly all these deaths occurred in Camberwell and Peckham ; and that almost half occurred in the first quarter of the year.

Inflammatory affections of the lungs caused 756 deaths, of which 352 occurred in children under five years of age. Of these, 301 occurred in the first quarter of the year, 146 in the second quarter, 76 in the third quarter, and 233 in

the fourth quarter. Deaths from these disorders amounted to 751 in the previous year.

Diarrhoeal affections destroyed 115 lives ; 99 in children under five years of age, and 16 in persons above five. Of these deaths, 9 occurred in the first quarter, 20 in the second, 71 in the third, and 15 in the last. 239 deaths were ascribed to the same affections in 1887. The falling off in the number of diarrhoeal deaths was due to the coldness of the summer, and the consequent comparative absence of affections of the bowels at that season.

The zymotic diseases were, on the whole, less fatal in 1888 than they were in the previous year.

Hooping cough, which had caused 203 deaths in 1887, caused 160 only in 1888. The mortality due to this disease was heaviest in Peckham and St. George's. And it prevailed chiefly in the first and second quarters.

Measles caused 101 deaths, having caused 133 in the previous year. This disease was chiefly fatal in Peckham and St. George's, especially in the latter ; and it prevailed chiefly in the fourth quarter, during which time no less than 80 of the total number were registered.

Scarlet fever was fatal in 105 cases, of which 76 died in the Parish, and 29 in hospital. There were six more deaths in this year than in the previous one. The disease prevailed in the first and fourth quarters, and was chiefly fatal in Peckham and St. George's. Thus, 17 deaths belonged to Camberwell, 40 to Peckham, and 48 to St. George's.

Diphtheria, which caused a higher mortality in London than it has ever done before, caused 65 deaths in Camber-

well, or six less than it did in 1887. Of these, 49 occurred in the Parish, and the remainder in hospitals outside the Parish. Like scarlet fever, it was chiefly fatal in the first and last quarters. Three of the deaths belonged to Dulwich, 28 to Camberwell, 15 to Peckham, and 17 to St. George's.

The deaths from fever, mainly, of course, enteric fever, amounted to 31, of which 13 occurred in the first quarter. 16 of the total number belonged to Peckham. The number of deaths is smaller by 10 than that recorded in the previous year.

One death from small-pox occurred in the first quarter of the year. In the year before there were none; in the year before that, two.

Deaths from tubercular diseases amounted to 619. In 1887, 564 such deaths were recorded; in the previous year, 657.

To sum up, I am justified in saying, that the mortality of the Parish has been unusually low during the year, that on the whole there has been no undue prevalence or fatality of zymotic diseases; and that the year has been remarkably healthy.

The sanitary work of the Parish, during the year ending March 25th, 1889, has, on the whole, been going on satisfactorily; but unfortunately one of the Inspectors, Mr. McKay, who for several years past had suffered from bronchitis during the winter months, was for a time incapacitated, and had finally to give up his appointment, and another Inspector, who for some years had done good work, became incompetent, and had to be discharged. These unfortunate occurrences necessarily disarranged the work

of the office, and interfered to some extent with the continuous efficient performance of the ordinary duties of inspection. But the vacated places have been filled by other officers, and towards the close of the year ending March 25th, 1889, five Inspectors were, I am pleased to say, in full work.

The total number of houses inspected for the first time was less than that inspected in the previous year; but the number of re-inspections was larger. The great bulk of the work performed was of the ordinary character, and needs no explanation or comment.

I pointed out in my last report that for several years past the Inspectors had been giving more and more attention to what I termed "the niceties" of drainage; meaning thereby all those details which are necessary to ensure that drainage shall be not only efficient but also safe. This is a subject of the highest importance for the sanitary well-being of the Parish.

The sewerage of London, so far at any rate as concerns the arrangement and construction of the main sewers by Sir Joseph Bazalgette, under the direction of the late Metropolitan Board, and the arrangement and construction of the local sewers by the parochial Surveyors, under the direction of the Vestries and Local Boards, has, on the whole, as will generally be acknowledged, been admirably carried out. But in order to secure efficient and safe drainage it is essential, not only that the channels by which sewage is conveyed from dwelling-houses and other buildings and their adjuncts to the outlets of the main sewers should be as perfect as they can be made, but that also, on the one hand, all the details connected with the removal of sewage from premises should

be perfect, and on the other hand, that the arrangements for the disposal of sewage at the outlets should be adequate. The last is a matter of great importance, and, as we all know, of great difficulty; and in fact the problem is one that still awaits solution. But it does not immediately concern us, and I do not propose to discuss it. The sanitary arrangements of houses, however, concerns us all very closely, and on this subject I deem it my duty to make some remarks.

From the time when the present Vestry came into existence, great attention has been paid to this particular item of sanitary work. At first we had to get rid of the cess-pools and common privies with which, almost without exception, every house was provided, to have these replaced by water-closets, and to insist on the trapping and cleansing of drains, and on the drainage of yards and areas. But in these earlier times the best forms of closets, the best arrangements for flushing them and keeping them sweet, the best methods of dealing with the removal of slops, foul water, and rain water, the best forms of traps, and the best system of arranging underground drains, were not fully understood, and even if understood would have been difficult or impossible to enforce. But of late years scientific and practical knowledge with respect to these matters has made rapid advances, and public opinion has grown; so that now not only are the correct principles and the practical details of house-drainage well understood, but also the public generally are alive to the need of having their house-drainage in perfect order. For several years past we have (as Table XIV. will show for last year) been enforcing the ventilation of soil-pipes, the disconnecting of sink, waste-water, and rain pipes from sewers, the provision of efficient

traps in place of such as are effete and useless, and of efficient water-closet pans and traps, and water-supply apparatus, in place of such as experience has shown to be defective or dangerous.

But this has not been sufficient. It has long been known to the Sanitary Committee that, however well everything connected with the Parish drains has been carried out, there has never been any efficient supervision of the drainage and other sanitary arrangements of houses in course of construction. It has been no part of the duty of the Sanitary Inspectors to perform such functions; and there have been no officers on the Surveyor's staff to whom the duty has been, or could have been properly, entrusted. It is true that every builder has been required, before constructing his private drains, and connecting them with the public sewer, to send in a plan of his proposed drainage for the sanction of the Surveyor. But there has been no machinery by which builders could be compelled to carry out their private works in accordance with the plans submitted, or to ensure that the details of their works had been carried out in a workman-like or efficient manner. The Sanitary Committee, the Surveyor and myself have long been troubled about this matter; and all the more so, that the inspections of houses even recently built have shown that sanitary nuisances complained of have been largely due to scandalous neglect of duty on the part of those concerned in carrying out the drainage works; and that in most cases the plans sent in have not accorded with the arrangements finally adopted. The close attention and study which your Sanitary Inspectors have of late years had to devote to drainage questions, and the frequent reconstructions of drainage which, owing to the default above adverted to,

they have had to superintend and carry to a successful issue, naturally pointed to them as being the best fitted of all members of the staff of the Vestry to be entrusted with the important duty, not only of superintending the reconstruction of the drainage in houses already built, yet suffering from defective drainage, but also of supervising and advising with respect to the sanitary arrangements of houses in course of construction.

After fully considering the very great sanitary importance of the matter, and the feasibility of the plan, the Surveyor and myself proposed to the Sanitary Committee that the above duty should be devolved on the Inspectors; and with their assistance we prepared a scheme and a series of requirements with respect to the drainage of new houses, embodying as far as possible all the more recent real improvements. After due deliberation our scheme was approved of by the Committee, and has since been adopted by the Vestry.

It is impossible to tell at present how far this plan will prove a success; but undoubtedly it has the elements of success within it. The work is as yet only in its early infancy, and we cannot clearly foresee how large a staff will be needed to carry it out effectually. The actual Sanitary Inspectors are now five in number, a number by no means too large to do all the ordinary duties required of them by Act of Parliament, apart from the special additional duties which henceforth they will have to discharge. The former duties cannot properly be neglected; the latter duties will probably demand a very large amount of time and thought; and if they grow, as doubtless they will, they will absorb so much of the Inspectors' time, that in some form or other

assistance will have to be provided or a further special department created. I hesitate at the present moment to suggest how the difficulty will have to be met. The difficulty, however, is certain to arise; but I think it better to wait, and to propose the remedy when the exact nature of the difficulty to be met becomes apparent. But the new work is so important and far reaching, and its importance will gradually become so manifest, that I feel sure that in the course of time the Vestry will provide an adequate staff for its efficient performance.

I may add here that, necessary and important as the supervision and arrangement of the drainage works of new houses certainly are, the gradual reconstruction of the drainage of houses already built is at least as necessary and important, and is even more difficult. For the Sanitary Authority have no power to compel the examination of underground drains unless they give evidence of being out of order by creating a nuisance; and generally where such a nuisance exists, and the drains are examined, they prove to be altogether faulty, so that not only has new drainage probably on a new system to be carried out, but the defective drainage has to be wholly, or to a large extent, abolished and removed.

I append to this report (see Appendix) the regulations which are now furnished to builders, and which will henceforth guide us both in carrying out the drainage of new houses, and in reconstructing when necessary the drainage of houses already built. The principles which have guided us in the framing of our regulations are mainly as follows:—1st, that there shall be a ready and efficient discharge of soil, slops and waste water into the public

sewers; 2nd, that every precaution shall be taken to prevent the entry of sewer gas into houses; and 3rd, that all the drainage works shall be good and lasting, and so placed as to be easy to inspect and keep in good order. I need not go into the details of the regulations, the importance and significance of each of which will be obvious to all who study them.

Another matter on which I wish to make a few remarks is the question of the application of the powers conferred by the Artisans' Dwelling Acts to unhealthy areas in the Parish. It will be recollected that soon after the creation of the London County Council, a communication was addressed by this body to all the Metropolitan Vestries and District Boards requesting that the Medical Officers and Surveyors should be directed to report to the County Council all such areas within their respective districts as seemed to them proper for demolition and replacement by model lodging-houses; and it will probably be recollected that I reported briefly that I was not prepared to make any such return. Now it is well known that in various parts of Camberwell there is much small property which is old, ill-built, dirty, inhabited by persons of not over cleanly habits or occupations, and needing constant supervision to keep it in anything like a reasonable sanitary condition; which for various reasons we might well like to get rid of; and which I am sure many well-meaning persons would at once condemn. But of the property here referred to, the larger groups occupy sites not well adapted for dealing with on a large scale and as a whole, and the smaller groups can be dealt with, if the need should arise, by the Vestry itself, under Torrens's Act, or the Nuisance Removal Acts. There are, moreover, other reasons of a more important kind why I have

hesitated to condemn such property. The houses are mostly small, three or four-roomed dwellings, which are largely occupied by single families, or at most a couple of families. They have yards or small gardens, which are of great service to the inhabitants in conducting small businesses or trades, and in fact on such grounds are largely occupied by costermongers and persons of that class; and further, notwithstanding their unsavoury appearance and apparent over-population, we have found that preventible diseases prevail no more in them than in poor houses of a better class, and considerably less than they do in neighbouring tenement houses. The reasons, indeed, which have deterred me from condemning them are:—1st, that they are not the special haunts of unhealthiness; 2nd, that though they tend to be dirty and untidy, and to fall into disrepair, they are from their size and their surroundings better suited for the kind of tenants occupying them than tenement houses would be; and 3rd, that their ventilation and sanitary arrangements are really better than at first sight one might suppose. I have, over and over again, asked those dwelling in them whether they would rather live in them or remove to tenement or model lodging-houses; and almost without exception the reply made to me has been to the effect, that they prefer their own houses, because they have them to themselves, they have the use of a garden or yard, and the rent is less than would be that for equivalent accommodation in any form of tenement house. I may add, that I have several times made enquiry of clergymen and medical men, whose duties take them largely into these localities, and have found them taking very nearly the same view of the case that I have done. I am free to confess that the demolition of all such property as that to which I refer would remove a load of anxiety and responsibility from my shoulders.

In May, 1888, a sudden small outbreak of Scarlet Fever was brought to my knowledge. It appeared that between the 6th and 9th of the month, at a time when Scarlet Fever was not prevailing in the Parish, it broke out in nine scattered houses, all of which, as it turned out, were supplied by one milkman. But in the large majority of the houses supplied by the same milkman there was no occurrence of the disease. On investigation there was found to be no Scarlet Fever, nor had there been any, in the milkman's family or among his servants, and his cows, with one exception, were healthy. The one cow presented sores and scabs on one of its teats, which had a resemblance to those observed two or three years ago on some cows at a dairy at Hendon, which Dr. Klein regarded as the evidence of an attack of bovine Scarlet Fever, and to which he attributed an outbreak of Scarlet Fever, which had occurred among the customers of the cow-keeper to whom these cows belonged. Dr. Klein was invited to examine this cow; and I have heard that he has come to the conclusion that the disease was identical with that met with in the Hendon cows. It is right, however, to add that Dr. Klein's views are not accepted by all competent observers. Further, the disease in the present instances did not spread to other cows. Subsequently I ascertained that one of the milkman's servants was a lodger at a house in the neighbourhood, whence, on the 25th April immediately preceding, a case of Scarlet Fever had been removed to Hospital, and in which disinfection of the room occupied by the patient had been carried out under the supervision of one of the Inspectors on the 26th. It turned out that the house was occupied by a man and his wife, and that the patient and the servant of the milkman were their lodgers occupying separate rooms; and further, that the husband and the

patient were both servants to another milkman living in the neighbourhood, in the distribution of whose milk no outbreak of Scarlet Fever whatever had occurred. The suspected milkman's own servant, though living in the same house with the patient, never saw him during any part of his illness, and moreover seemed apparently entirely free from disease. The case is not a clear one, and I did not think it right, therefore, to do more than lay the facts before the Sanitary Committee at the time; and as nothing further was elicited to explain the outbreak, and no other cases of Scarlet Fever followed, I thought it best not to give the matter publicity. I am inclined however to believe, that the poison of the disease was really conveyed by one day's distribution of milk; and that in some way or other the servant who had lodged in the same house as the scarlatinal patient was the immediate source of contagion.

The only other subject to which I desire to call attention, is the seizure, on the 1st February, by Inspectors Stevenson and Dewey, of a large quantity of horse flesh intended for sale as human food. The Inspectors' attention had been drawn to suspicious proceedings on premises at the rear of No. 1, Linnell Road. In order to ascertain the facts they spent part of the night in a neighbouring room overlooking the place, and so found that horse flesh in large abundance was being prepared for human food. In the course of the night a portion of this was taken away in a cart, which the Inspectors followed to a butcher's shop in the London Road, and to several other shops in Southwark and Newington. In the morning the Inspectors entered the premises, and seized one ton fifteen hundredweight of horse flesh, which was unfit for food, and was afterwards condemned at the Lambeth Police Court by Mr. Partridge.

A summons was then issued against the defendant, who was fined £20 and £20 costs, and, in default, was committed to prison for two months, with hard labour. I think great credit is due to Inspectors Stevenson and Dewey for the skill and zeal they displayed in this matter.

In concluding this report I should like to express my great regret at the enforced retirement, on account of ill-health, of Inspector McKay, who, for a period of 16 years, faithfully served the Vestry as one of the Inspectors of Nuisances, and whose high character and honesty of work I have always fully appreciated; and I should wish also to record my satisfaction with the excellent work which has been carried out during the year by your present staff of Inspectors.

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. S. BRISTOWE.

TABLE XII.

ANNUAL MORTALITY RETURN OF ZYMOTIC DISEASES FROM
1856 (inclusive),

| YEAR. | Hooping Cough. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Diphtheria. | Fever. | Small Pox. | Diarrhoea. |
|----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------|--------|------------|------------|
| 1856 ... | 32 | 48 | 30 | | 19 | 5 | 29 |
| 1857 ... | 30 | 7 | 44 | | 24 | 4 | 50 |
| 1858 ... | 51 | 28 | 129 | 14 | 20 | 7 | 26 |
| 1859 ... | 66 | | 82 | | 31 | 12 | ? |
| 1860 ... | 36 | 40 | 34 | 11 | 26 | 5 | ? |
| 1861 ... | 72 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 25 | 2 | ? |
| 1862 ... | 53 | 32 | 101 | 40 | 64 | 0 | ? |
| 1863 ... | 57 | 32 | 124 | 29 | 41 | 14 | ? |
| 1864 ... | 61 | 29 | 83 | 16 | 51 | 10 | ? |
| 1865 ... | 52 | 39 | 55 | 14 | 31 | 12 | 118 |
| 1866 ... | 72 | 38 | 59 | 11 | 53 | 35 | 76 |
| 1867 ... | 64 | 20 | 75 | 8 | 41 | 9 | 67 |
| 1868 ... | 58 | 67 | 71 | 17 | 45 | 13 | 146 |
| 1869 ... | 134 | 43 | 164 | 9 | 46 | 9 | 133 |
| 1870 ... | 49 | 24 | 192 | 10 | 57 | 23 | 160 |
| 1871 ... | 50 | 29 | 60 | 9 | 40 | 153 | 143 |
| 1872 ... | 132 | 46 | 86 | 1 | 38 | 41 | 124 |
| 1873 ... | 60 | 49 | 7 | 7 | 38 | 2 | 137 |
| 1874 .. | 76 | 54 | 24 | 9 | 57 | 2 | 93 |
| 1875 ... | 125 | 64 | 177 | 14 | 40 | 1 | 107 |
| 1876 ... | 93 | 33 | 78 | 16 | 31 | 32 | 126 |
| 1877 ... | 61 | 72 | 38 | 12 | 27 | 124 | 94 |
| 1878 ... | 206 | 88 | 59 | 29 | 41 | 81 | 176 |
| 1879 ... | 122 | 123 | 76 | 31 | 35 | 80 | 75 |
| 1880 ... | 206 | 59 | 126 | 32 | 36 | 33 | 223 |
| 1881 ... | 74 | 95 | 120 | 29 | 44 | 190 | 127 |
| 1882 ... | 180 | 168 | 76 | 60 | 44 | 66 | 100 |
| 1883 .. | 91 | 112 | 48 | 49 | 35 | 19 | 122 |
| 1884 ... | 173 | 171 | 82 | 78 | 40 | 34 | 240 |
| 1885 ... | 136 | 91 | 20 | 68 | 27 | 154 | 135 |
| 1886 ... | 156 | 97 | 18 | 48 | 30 | 2 | 215 |
| 1887 ... | 203 | 133 | 99 | 71 | 41 | 0 | 239 |
| 1888 ... | 160 | 101 | 105 | 65 | 31 | 1 | 115 |

TABLE XIII.

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

| YEARS. | | Hooping Cough. | Measles. | Scarlet Fever. | Diphtheria. | Fever. | Small Pox | Diarrhoea. |
|--------|---------------------|----------------|----------|----------------|-------------|--------|-----------|------------|
| 1883. | 1st Quarter | 19 | 27 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 13 | 8 |
| | 2nd " | 23 | 43 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| | 3rd " | 13 | 32 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 92 |
| | 4th " | 36 | 10 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 0 | 11 |
| 1884. | 1st Quarter | 54 | 17 | 26 | 16 | 10 | 1 | 4 |
| | 2nd " | 79 | 86 | 35 | 24 | 11 | 10 | 8 |
| | 3rd " | 18 | 32 | 15 | 16 | 7 | 9 | 209 |
| | 4th " | 22 | 36 | 6 | 22 | 12 | 14 | 10 |
| 1885. | 1st Quarter | 41 | 39 | 3 | 15 | 5 | 53 | 10 |
| | 2nd " | 37 | 22 | 3 | 13 | 11 | 79 | 13 |
| | 3rd " | 20 | 14 | 4 | 22 | 6 | 14 | 99 |
| | 4th " | 38 | 16 | 10 | 18 | 5 | 8 | 13 |
| 1886. | 1st Quarter | 98 | 6 | 0 | 14 | 5 | 2 | 6 |
| | 2nd " | 35 | 61 | 3 | 8 | 8 | 0 | 13 |
| | 3rd " | 16 | 25 | 5 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 168 |
| | 4th " | 7 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 28 |
| 1887. | 1st Quarter | 29 | 14 | 13 | 16 | 7 | 0 | 10 |
| | 2nd " | 65 | 64 | 12 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 11 |
| | 3rd " | 80 | 40 | 23 | 20 | 6 | 0 | 207 |
| | 4th " | 29 | 14 | 51 | 20 | 16 | 0 | 11 |
| 1888. | 1st Quarter | 71 | 5 | 40 | 23 | 13 | 1 | 9 |
| | 2nd " | 46 | 7 | 22 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 20 |
| | 3rd " | 23 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 71 |
| | 4th " | 20 | 80 | 37 | 22 | 8 | 0 | 15 |

TABLE XIV.—RETURN OF WORK PERFORMED BY SANITARY INSPECTORS
FROM THE 26TH MARCH, 1888, TO THE 25TH MARCH, 1889 (INCLUSIVE).

| Description of Work. | INSPECTORS. | | | | | | | TOTAL. |
|--|---|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| | MACKAY (Retired Oct. 18th, 1888.) | STEVEN- SON. | SEDGLEY (Retired July, 1888.) | GROOM. | POINTON. | DEWEY (Appointed Nov., 1888.) | EAGLE (Appointed Jan., 1889.) | |
| Houses inspected..... | 1336 | 1424 | 956 | 1624 | 1633 | 397 | 92 | 7464 |
| „ re-inspected | 952 | 2106 | 393 | 2072 | 1936 | 496 | 156 | 8111 |
| Notices served, 1st | 418 | 594 | 195 | 861 | 536 | 105 | 31 | 2740 |
| „ „ 2nd..... | 27 | 27 | 0 | 44 | 22 | 7 | 0 | 127 |
| Summonses | 1 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Drains cleansed and repaired { | 412 | 398 | 83 | 728 | 318 | 129 | 39 | 2107 |
| „ trapped..... } | 412 | 398 | 83 | 728 | 318 | 129 | 39 | 2107 |
| Cesspools emptied | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| „ abolished..... | 1 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 26 |
| Closets provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| „ cleansed and repaired | 159 | 448 | 30 | 196 | 130 | 64 | 18 | 1045 |
| „ ventilated | 1 | 18 | 0 | 9 | 8 | 63 | 1 | 100 |
| „ water laid on to | 149 | 267 | 35 | 142 | 190 | 60 | 23 | 866 |
| Houses cleansed | 100 | 56 | 21 | 91 | 33 | 13 | 5 | 319 |
| „ repaired | 119 | 28 | 16 | 91 | 33 | 0 | 1 | 288 |
| Water supplied to houses | 3 | 12 | 0 | 25 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 59 |
| Cisterns supplied..... | 4 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 20 |
| „ covered and repaired | 68 | 16 | 26 | 71 | 118 | 0 | 1 | 300 |
| Dustbins provided | 77 | 192 | 37 | 130 | 161 | 29 | 9 | 635 |
| „ repaired .. | 39 | 5 | 20 | 48 | 127 | 40 | 0 | 249 |
| Houses drained into sewer..... | 24 | 109 | 4 | 84 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 239 |
| Yards paved | 52 | 171 | 9 | 180 | 254 | 96 | 32 | 794 |
| „ drained | 52 | 171 | 9 | 180 | 254 | 96 | 32 | 794 |
| Sinks, rainwater pipes, &c., disconnected..... | 450 | 1298 | 87 | 669 | 962 | 242 | 58 | 3766 |
| Cow-houses inspected | 7 | 10 | 0 | 16 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| Slaughter-houses inspected ... | 7 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 24 |
| Bake-houses inspected | 0 | 35 | 0 | 49 | 29 | 23 | 21 | 157 |
| Overcrowding abated | 2 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Manure, foul accumulations, &c., removed | 24 | 69 | 20 | 113 | 58 | 6 | 4 | 294 |
| Pigs and other animals removed | 0 | 4 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 26 |
| Urinals cleansed | 10 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 41 |
| Miscellaneous complaints at- tended to | 178 | 387 | 0 | 554 | 346 | 72 | 21 | 1558 |
| Water supply, complaints of deficiency of..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Houses in which structural alterations were made under Artizans' and Labourers' Dwellings Act | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sale of Food and Drugs Acts, samples submitted for analysis | 19 | 47 | 20 | 63 | 43 | 10 | 0 | 202 |
| Summonses under the above Acts | 2 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Cases of Small Pox attended to | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| „ Scarlet Fever attended to | 57 | 64 | 28 | 225 | 32 | 6 | 2 | 414 |
| „ Fever attended to | 0 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 23 |
| „ Diphtheria attended to... | 2 | 18 | 0 | 27 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 58 |
| Houses disinfected .. | 48 | 79 | 21 | 190 | 33 | 4 | 3 | 378 |
| Notices outstanding | 31 | 52 | 39 | 31 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 201 |
| Urinals provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Street Gullies provided | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Cleanse fish curing premises ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Ditches cleansed | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |

TARLE XV.

Return of Articles of Bedding, Clothing, &c., which have been disinfected after Infectious Disease, from 26th March, 1888, to 25th March, 1889, 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 | 59 | 47 | 111 | 48 | 104 | 39 | 43 | 51 | 37 | 11 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | £ | s. | d. |
| Stevenson | 85 | 85 | 163 | 74 | 178 | 76 | 47 | 94 | 37 | 18 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sedgley | 21 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Groom ... | 191 | 190 | 214 | 51 | 296 | 147 | 63 | 136 | 104 | 293 | — | 2 | — | — | 4 | — | 1 | — | 6 | — | 0 | 13 | 0 |
| Pointon | 32 | 48 | 105 | 41 | 116 | 12 | 9 | 57 | 21 | 118 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Dewey ... | 13 | 13 | 27 | 17 | 31 | 13 | 18 | 13 | 13 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Eagle ... | 3 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total ... | 404 | 388 | 627 | 239 | 733 | 269 | 181 | 359 | 216 | 444 | — | 2 | — | — | 4 | — | 1 | — | 6 | — | 0 | 13 | 0 |

Appendix to Report of Medical Officer of Health.

**RULES RESPECTING DRAINAGE AND OTHER
SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS TO BE OBSERVED
BY BUILDERS.**

1.—All drains and soil pipes shall, as far as possible, be kept outside the houses.

2.—The underground drains shall be made of sound glazed stoneware pipes, with well-fitting joints made water-tight with Portland cement or other approved material. The main drains shall not be less than 6-in. in diameter.

3.—They shall be laid evenly with a regular gradient from the sewer upon a bed of concrete or other suitable solid foundation.

4.—They shall have no sharp curves ; and especially any portion that may be situated under the house shall be laid, where practicable, in a direct line and without junctions.

5.—The main drain shall, where desirable, be disconnected from the sewer by an approved Interceptor.

6.—The drains shall, where practicable, be ventilated by a fresh-air inlet placed in the main drain as near as possible

to the Interceptor, and by outlet shafts of not less than 3-in. in diameter, prolonged directly upwards from the soil pipes outside the house, to the highest point of the roof, of at least three feet above the top of the highest windows.

7.—An inspection-chamber shall, where practicable, be provided between the Interceptor and the fresh-air inlet.

8.—Rain-water pipes, sink-pipes, and waste-water pipes of all kinds shall discharge outside the house into a stoneware syphon gully communicating directly with the underground drain.

9.—All sink pipes, as also soil pipes, shall, as far as practicable, have no sharp curves.

10.—Proper Y junctions shall, in all cases, be made in connection with all underground drains. No right angle junctions shall be allowed.

11.—Water closets, if not outside the house, shall, where practicable, be placed against an external wall, and be properly ventilated by windows communicating directly with the external air.

12.—Cisterns for drinking water shall be of sufficient size, made of slate or zinc or galvanized iron, well covered, and so placed as to allow of easy cleansing, and not be exposed to risk of contamination.

13.—If a cistern be used in common for drinking purposes and for flushing a water closet, it shall be provided with a waste preventer of approved pattern.

14.—There shall be an open air space of at least 6-in. between the lowest floor of all newly erected Buildings and the surface of the sub-soil, and this space shall be properly ventilated by means of air bricks suitably placed.

15.—There shall be an approved damp-proof course above the ground or basement level.

16.—Stair-cases and passages, especially those of tenement houses, shall be well lighted and ventilated by direct communication with the external air.

Notice of the intention to build new or alter existing premises with a plan of the same (Forms to be procured at the Vestry Hall), shall be deposited with the Surveyor to the Vestry shewing the proposed drainage works, and no part of such drainage shall be laid until the plan has been approved by him, nor shall any portion thereof be covered up or filled in until it has been inspected and passed by the Surveyor or Sanitary Inspector of the District.

That in respect of existing properties, before notices with regard to inspection-chambers or damp courses are served, the consent of the Committee is first to be obtained after the facts of each case have been reported upon by the Sanitary Officers.

It is Recommended—

That pan-closets with containers and also of the long hopper class be not adopted.

That for surface-traps stoneware syphon gullies only be used.

13. The floor shall have an approved damp-proof course above the ground or basement level.

14. Stair-cases and passages, especially those of tenement houses, shall be well lighted and ventilated by direct communication with the external air.

Notice of the intention to build new or alter existing premises with a plan of the same is to be returned at the Local Authority shall be deposited with the plan, and no part of such drawings shall be laid until the plan has been approved by him, nor shall any portion thereof be covered up or filled in until it has been inspected and passed by the Surveyor or Sanitary Inspector of the District.

That in respect of existing premises, before notice with regard to inspection-chimneys or damp courses are served, the consent of the Comptroller is first to be obtained after the facts of each case have been reported upon by the Sanitary Officer.

That the Comptroller shall have the right to inspect and to require the production of any plans, drawings, or other documents relating to any premises to which the provisions of this Act apply.

That pan-stoves with chimneys and also of the type hopper class be not adopted.

That for surface-drains downward syphon valves only be used.

That the Comptroller shall have the right to require the production of any plans, drawings, or other documents relating to any premises to which the provisions of this Act apply.

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ANALYST'S REPORTS.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY,

ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL,

MEDICAL AND SURGICAL COLLEGE, S.E.

June 24th, 1888.

To the Vestry of St. Giles, Camberwell.

GENTLEMEN,

During the past quarter I have analysed twenty-five samples of Milk, six of which were adulterated with respectively, 20, 15, 7, 8, 8 and 5 per cent. of added water. One other milk was skimmed to the extent of at least 30 per cent. but, whether of ignorance, or intention, I cannot say. It is a very common occurrence for a vendor of a watered milk to attempt to save himself by selling a top-skim rich in cream, a plan which does not answer. But a favouring of a

customer with his neighbour's cream is not uncommon, and in this manner the skimming may be explained.

Nine Butters have been examined. One was Butterine. About another Butter I was much exercised as to whether I should give a Certificate of Adulteration. Of late, butters have very much altered in the proportion of their constituent parts. From my own knowledge of genuine butters obtained by favour of various people, I have never found a butter to yield a larger per centage than 88·2 per cent. of fatty acids insoluble in water; the rule is about 87·5 per cent. of the total butter-fat. But of late, owing to the manipulation of butters upon a large scale in manufactories, the proportion has in a few cases risen to 89 per cent., and in the case which is now *sub judice* to 89·5 per cent. of the whole butter-fat. In this particular instance every item in the butter was, to say the least, extraordinary. The melting point as high as 35. The sp. gr, 0·9116, when the lowest gravity I have ever known was 0·912. The butter almost tasteless and very uneven in polarisation. As everything, as in milks, depends upon the standard taken, I wished to refer the samples unofficially to Somerset House, but your Committee thought otherwise, and I therefore altered my Certificate. Whatever the opinion of Somerset House Officials may be, one thing is certain, the sample examined by Mr. Otto Hehner was quite different from the sample analysed by me. It contained a notable quantity of copper, whereas the sample left with me contained no trace of copper.

Eight samples of Gin and Whisky were fairly up to

standard. The same may be said of Four Mustards, Two Peppers, One Coffee and One Cocoa.

The Certificates are all in possession of your Inspectors.

Michaelmas, 1888.

During the past quarter I have analysed twenty-four samples of *Milk*, and these have been on the whole satisfactory. The Summer months are expected to yield fodder which produces milks rich in cream. Some brought by our Inspectors must have been top-skims, so rich are they in cream. Only one milk out of the twenty-four was found to be skimmed, and none watered beyond the obligation to be allowed.

Of six *Butters* all were accounted genuine, as we have been obliged to raise our standard.

Five of the samples of *Coffee* out of the six forwarded were genuine. One sample contained more than a trace of chicory extract, with very slight indication of chicory-root. Silica was almost absent. But there was more extractive than I can account for, and I am making a further more complete study of the article.

Samples of *Lard* and *Cocoa* were also genuine. Of two *Mustards* one was strongly suspected from outward appear-

ance, but its very suspiciousness was due to unusual excellence, and from the presence of so much black mustard.

Two *Peppers* were proved to be unmixed.

Four *Gins* and four *Whiskies* complete my list. They were of good quality and up to standard.

All the certificates are in the hands of the Inspectors with the exception of that of No. 59.

December 25th, 1888.

During the past quarter I have analysed seventeen *Milks*. Of these, five were adulterated with respectively 18, 16, 21, 12 and 11 per cent. of added water. No. 132 was similar to 131, only skimmed. Nearly 30 per cent. of adulterations is the largest number we have had for a length of time, and shows the necessity of following up the subject.

The six samples of *Tea* were of interest as exhibiting the purity of the article. With the exception of a few extraneous leaves, none but the genuine tea could be found. Of course, there was considerable variety in the quality. No. 143 was very good: all yielded good extractive. The mechanical analysis of tea can be undertaken by any purchaser: the amount of dust of tea should regulate the time for drawing, as the larger the amount the less required

and the shorter the time for extraction. The best tea can be spoilt by allowing the tea-leaves to remain in contact with the aqueous extract after the goodness has been exhausted. The so-called increase in strength, by long standing, is in the tannin, and the consequent indigestibility of the "tea."

One *Butter* has been examined. Taking a low standard it has 40 per cent. of fat other than butter-fat.

Four *Lards* were of the nature, substance, and quality demanded.

The five samples of *Pickle* were quite free from any impurity, and were all made with vinegar free from sulphuric acid. Nos. 137 and 138 were very soft, but otherwise were quite passable.

Two preserved or *Bottled Fruits* have been examined. The preserved black currants were remarkably good and clean, although somewhat bleached, probably by sunshine or by the want of it.

A sample of *Raspberry Jam* was free from impurity and perfectly clean.

Three *Porters* may be mentioned as having been analysed. One of them was very inferior, and as watery as any one could wish. In alcoholic contents even, it was only a little superior to a temperance drink which I have lately examined.

Lastly, I have to record the examination of two *Citrates of Magnesia*, and of three *Rhubarbs*.

The term citrate of magnesia is known to be a misnomer, and so I have passed it as of the nature demanded. If it were already citrate of magnesia there would be no effervescence on the addition of water, and no use in the preparation. As far as the two samples are concerned, one is much better than the other.

The *Rhubarbs* were of very good quality.

March, 1889.

During the past quarter, twenty-one *Milks* have been analysed. None of them have been grossly adulterated with water, but many have been tampered with. Four of them have only just passed, and other four of them have been adulterated with, respectively, 8, 8, 7, and 9 per cent. of added water. Another sample had six per cent. of added water and was skimmed.

Besides milks sold as such, one milk sold as *Skim-milk* had at least 22 per cent. of added water. I say at least 22 per cent., taking the low standard of Somerset House. The milk numbered 154 was referred to Somerset House, and the case was heard yesterday (April, 4th). The analyses in juxtaposition are interesting.

| | Somerset House after 15 days. | Bernays', Fresh. |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Total solids | 11·25 | 11·76 |
| Water | 88·75 | 88·24 |
| Fat | 3·67 | 3·69 |
| Solids not Fat | 7·58 | 8·07 |
| | 100·00 | 100·00 |

The verdict of Somerset House was: "at least 7 per cent. of added water." I had given 7 per cent. It will be observed by those who understand figures that the large increase in the quantity of water and consequent decrease in the solids, not fat in the Somerset House analysis is owing to the degradation of the milk through keeping. The only value of the analysis of a stale milk consists in the confirmation (or otherwise) of the fat, and even this may alter if the water of adulteration should be of very bad quality. There should also be a confirmation of the correctness of the original analysis shewn in the decrease of the total solids.

The three *Condensed Milks*, Nos. 181, 185, and 193, are of a character so inferior that the public ought to be warned against them. When they are compared with Nestlé's (the best of all) and the Anglo-Swiss, they are only worthy of the name of Sugared Skim-milks; and when they are made up with water, as directed upon the labels, they should be called Sugared diluted Skims. They are an injury to the milk-trade, and a cover for the sale of

Watered Skims. Whether they are permissible under the Adulteration Act, is a matter for lawyers.

Sugar is cheap. No. 185 contains 51 per cent. Certainly a profit is not without honour. This sample states honestly (*if the label is read by poor people*) that the tin contains skimmed milk with the finest cane sugar. This very sample, if made up with water according to label, is skimmed milk (and it must be skimmed by machinery) containing thirty-eight per cent. of added water. To most people, who eat more than is good for them, it matters but little whether the nutritious quality of the milk be more or less, although one wonders that they do not expect to find their tea or coffee whitened by the cream of the milk. But what about the children?

Condensed Milk No. 181 which exhibits a standard, contains only 44 per cent. of sugar, and when made up with water, according to label, is really sweetened Skim with twenty per cent. of added water.

Condensed Milk No. 193 is prepared abroad, I should have thought might have been kept there with advantage, although probably the residents are too knowing to use it. It has a very sickly greenish tint, and is thickened by 44 per cent. of sugar. "It is prepared from the richest cows' milk, from which only a portion of the original cream has been extracted before condensation." "It is cheaper and more convenient than ordinary milk." I quote the label, and do not doubt its greater cheapness to the Vendor. There are no directions about the making up as Milk for the community, but only for Puddings and Pastry, and for help-

less Infants. I would call attention to the recipe for Infants. "Mix 10 to 15 parts of Water, according to the age of the child." Let me give you the compositions of various milks by way of comparison.

| | Mother's Milk. | 193 with 10 parts of water | 193 with 15 parts of water |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Water | 88·6 | 92·96 | 95·17 |
| Fat | 3·5 | 0·04 | 0·03 |
| Casein | 2·7 to 3·5 | 1·42 | 0·97 |
| Sugar of Milk | 5·0 | 1·35 | 0·93 |
| Ash | 0·2 | 0·24 | 0·16 |
| Sucrose | — | 3·99 | 2·74 |
| | <hr/> 100·00 | <hr/> 100·00 | <hr/> 100·00 |

If the unfortunate Infant is dependent upon the added ten parts of water, it is bad; but if upon the fifteen parts of water, it is worse. The child must then drink three times the normal to obtain the necessary nitrogenous food, and about one hundred times to obtain the necessary fat.

May I suggest that skimmed milk is much cheaper and better, when sweetened with sugar, than such condensed milks.

Of *Sweetstuffs* for children, five varieties have been analysed. No. 165 was sufficiently dirty from exposure: if that could be got over, it was unobjectionable. The others were clean, and do not call for remark.

Three *Porters* and one *Ale* were fairly of the nature, substance and quality demanded. Of four *Whiskies* only one was below standard. A sample of *Rum* was of usual quality.

One sample of *Butter* had all the marks of a genuine article before it is brought down to standard.

Of further articles of food I have examined four cases of *Tinned Lobster*, and one tin of *Salmon*. The latter was very good and the *Salmon* contained but a trace of tin. The only distinctly poor sample was No. 192. The case was very much battered, and two solder holes in the top of the tin more than suspicious. The inside of the tin was much blackened and corroded: the ash from nearly 400 grains contained iron, tin, lead and copper. No. 188 was the best.

Two kinds of *Beef Tea*, two samples of each, require some notice. Both contain a considerable amount of gelatine, from which comes a very large proportion of the boasted nitrogen. The gelatine in No. 145 so nearly approached the characteristics of ordinary glue, that I was pleased to find that No. 171 of the same name was perfectly free from the taint. From a scientific point of view I should give the preference to 153 and 163.

In conclusion I have to apologise for the lateness of my report. Many of the articles were only brought on and after Quarter Day.

I remain, GENTLEMEN,

Yours faithfully,

ALBERT J. BERNAYS.

VESTRY CLERK'S REPORT.

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

MEETINGS.

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

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Vestry Meetings | 45 |
| Standing Committee Meetings | 142 |
| Special and Sub-Committee, Burial Board, Baths, and Libraries Commissioners Meetings ... | 168 |
| Parish Officers' Meetings | 67 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | 422 |
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ANNUAL ACCOUNTS.

The Accounts of the Vestry for the year ending the 25th March, 1889, will be found at pages 193 to 276 of this Report. They have been examined by the Auditors elected by the Vestry under the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Acts.

The following Bills in Parliament have been brought under the notice of the Vestry or the Law and Parliamentary Committee :—

Parliamentary
and Municipal
Elector's Reg-
istration Bill.

This Bill, introduced by Mr. Causton, amends the law with respect to the Registration of Voters in the Metropolis successive occupation of either Lodgings or Houses or from different qualifying premises in any part of the Metropolis, to qualify for vote; the separate Lodger List to be abolished and new forms for claim provided. 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. It has been re-introduced from last Session.

Housing of the
Working
Classes.

Is a Bill, re-introduced by Lord Henry Bruce, 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.

Housing of the
Working
Classes
(Metropolis).

This is also a Bill on the same subject brought in by Mr. James Stuart, empowering the County

Council, subject to the provisions of this Bill :—(1) To buy, sell, hold, let, or hire land. (2) To build, manage buildings, and let rooms. (3) To lay out land for any of the following purposes :—(I.) To provide suitable dwellings inside or outside of the Metropolitan area for use by the population engaged in the industry of such area. (II.) To provide lodgings, baths, wash-houses, halls, or other structures required in their judgment for the use and convenience, or health of such population as aforesaid. (III.) To provide open spaces required in their judgment for the use, convenience of health of such population as aforesaid. (IV.) To acquire for the County Council any land within the said area or within five miles thereof, which, in their judgment, ought to be acquired with a view to the expansion of the said population. (V.) To provide, in connection with any dwellings held by the County Council, or for the use of the inhabitants thereof, kitchens, nurseries, dining halls, or other rooms for joint use. The object of this Bill, which was introduced for the first time in 1888, is to enable the London County Council to acquire land, build and let houses and rooms at fair rentals, provide open spaces, baths, halls, &c., for the benefit of the poorer classes. Vacant land is to be rated. The County Council are authorised to borrow money for the purposes of the Act. The method of providing for interest on, and repayment of, such advances, as well as other outlays, is by adding not more than one penny in the pound to the income tax paid on rents received by the receivers of rent within the metropolitan area. A cheap method of compulsory purchase is provided.

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.

The Rating
of Hoardings.

This Bill is re-introduced by Mr. Burdett-Coutts and 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 license 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.

This Bill has now become passed.

School Board
for London
Elections.

This Bill was introduced by the Member for the Dulwich Division, and provides for the abolition of the existing divisions for election of Members of the

London School Board and adopts the parliamentary divisions for that purpose, each division to be entitled to return one member, except that the City of London shall be entitled to return two members. [Dropped.]

Hours of Polling (Extension). This Bill provides that at all Parliamentary and Municipal Elections the poll shall commence at *eight o'clock a.m.*, and be kept open until *nine o'clock p.m.* [Dropped.]

Coal and Wine Duties. A Bill for the continuance of these duties for a limited period has been introduced by Sir Robert Fowler on behalf of the Corporation of London, and another Bill by Sir Joseph Pease for the abolition of the duties. Many communications for and against the abolition have been received, but the Vestry adhered to their resolution to take no action in the matter. This matter was reported upon fully in the last Report. The Bill for the Abolition has now received the royal assent.

Metropolis Rating Amendment. The object of this Bill is to charge, as in the case of a sewers rate, upon the freehold or inheritance of the land within the metropolis, the capital sums now due or hereafter to become due in respect of loans raised or hereafter to be raised, with the previous sanction of the Treasury or of the Local Government Board, after full investigation as to the class and nature of the work, and exclusively applied to carrying out permanent improvements.

The Select Committee on Metropolitan Local Government (1866) reported, "that nearly the whole of its (the late

“ Metropolitan Board of Works) expenditure and obligations
 “ have been incurred for the purpose of supplying wants
 “ arising from the defects of former administration of the
 “ affairs of the metropolis, and of effecting permanent
 “ improvements which have tended to increase the value
 “ of property in the metropolis.” They conclude, “ Your
 “ Committee therefore recommend that in any arrangement
 “ of the fundamental resources of the Metropolitan Board, a
 “ portion of the charge for permanent improvements and
 “ works shall be borne by the owners of property within the
 “ metropolis, the rate being in the first instance paid by the
 “ occupier and subsequently deducted from his rent, as is now
 “ provided in regard to the general property tax.”

The machinery by which it is proposed to give effect to this principle of local taxation is to take out of the amounts raised by any rating authority in the metropolis such sum now included therein as represents borrowed capital or annual instalments for its repayment, and to substitute in lieu thereof a metropolitan improvement rate, to be collected as a fixed charge from the occupier, as in the case of land tax.

The occupier paying the same shall be entitled to deduct the amount from any rent payable by him to his superior in title, and each successive owner of any interest less than the fee simple shall have this power. All contracts whereby this rate is shifted upon the occupier or the owner of any intermediate interest are declared void.

Metropolis
Water. This Bill recites that it is expedient for Sanitary and other reasons that the power of cutting off water, supplied by Water Companies for domestic purposes, should be restricted, and provides that the order of a Magistrate

shall be requisite to authorise the cutting off of water supplied for domestic purposes. [Withdrawn.]

Parliamentary Franchise. (Women). Two Bills giving the right to women to vote in all Parliamentary Elections have been introduced, one by Mr. Woodall, and the other by Mr. Walter McLaren. [Withdrawn.]

Poor Rate (Metropolis). This Bill is based upon the proposition that the relief of the poor of the metropolis is a common interest of all the ratepayers of the metropolis, and that consequently the cost of such relief should be defrayed by a rate levied equally over the entire metropolitan area. The principle was recognised in 1867 by the establishment of the Metropolitan Common Poor Fund, the operation of which has from time to time been extended, until it now covers about 43 per cent. of the cost of poor relief.

The inadequacy of this provision is exhibited by the latest return, which shows that the poor rate in Holborn is *three shillings* in the pound, whilst in Westminster it is only *one shilling and seven pence*, and the return shows that the poorest districts are the most heavily rated.

It is proposed by this Bill to charge the whole cost of poor relief in the metropolis upon the Common Fund (Clause 4).

The Bill avoids centralisation by interfering as little as possible with the several boards of guardians (Clause 11). But, on the other hand, as the guardians will be empowered to draw upon a common fund provided by

the whole metropolis, it is proposed that they should be subjected, in some degree, to the control of a central authority representative of the entire body of metropolitan ratepayers.

The London County Council is accordingly invested by this Bill with certain powers of control over the guardians (Clauses 9, 10, 13, and 15), and is also made the successor of the Metropolitan Asylums Board (Clauses 16 and 17). Touch will be maintained between the County Council and the guardians by a provision that the representatives on the Council of the area covered by each union shall be *ex officio* members of the board of guardians for that union. There will be no other *ex officio* members and no nominated members (Clause 18).

In the case of indoor relief, it is proposed to extend the machinery already provided in connection with the Common Fund to strictly analogous expenditure.

At present the entire cost of the maintenance of children in schools, and of casuals in casual wards, is charged upon the Common Fund, although the administration remains with the several boards of guardians, and the Bill applies the same principle to the maintenance of the inmates of workhouses, infirmaries, and other poor law institutions.

The County Council is empowered by the Bill (Clause 12) to transfer indoor paupers from one union to another in the metropolis, and thus obviate a waste of accommodation, which prevails to a considerable extent under the present system.

In the case of outdoor relief, the Select Committee on Poor Law Relief last session reported that "there are wide divergencies in the system of administration of out-door relief pursued by the various metropolitan boards of guardians, and, admitting that the guardians should within certain limits be able to adapt their policy to the particular circumstances of each district, it cannot be regarded as satisfactory that there should be in adjoining districts such a marked difference in practice as now sometimes exists." It is intended that by this Bill uniformity should be secured where uniformity is desirable, whilst at the same time the provisions are sufficiently elastic to adjust themselves to the varying circumstances of different unions (Clause 14).

An Amendment to this Bill, "to put off for six months," which was carried in the House of Commons, was moved by the Member of the Peckham Division and seconded by the Member for Dulwich, at a subsequent Meeting of the Vestry the following resolution was carried.

"That this Vestry considering that the principle contained in 'The Poor Rate (Metropolis) Bill is worthy of their strongest support, trusts that the measure may be re-introduced into Parliament, and receive the sanction of the Legislature at an early date, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Members of Parliament for the Borough."

Sanitary
Regulation of
Buildings.

This Bill provides that all buildings throughout the United Kingdom shall be registered and a certificate obtained from a licentiate in sanitary practice, stating that the sanitary condition of such building is

satisfactory, whereupon the Sanitary Registrar appointed by the local authority may issue his certificate stating that the building, being registered in accordance with the provisions of the Sanitary Registration of Buildings Act 1889, may be occupied accordingly. [Dropped.]

School Board Pensions. To allow the School Board for London to grant superannuation allowances to their Officers who become disabled by infirmity or age to discharge the duties of their office ; under the provisions of 29 Vict. cap. 31, but no officer to be entitled to an allowance unless he consents to a deduction from his salary at the rate of two per cent. per annum for the purpose of forming a Superannuation Fund.

Shops (Weekly Half-holiday). Introduced by Sir John Lubbock, and recites that whereas the health of many persons employed in shops is seriously injured by reason of the length of the period of employment therein, it is expedient to provide for the limitation of such period, and provides that the local authority, upon a requisition signed by not less than two-thirds of the occupiers of shops within the District belonging to the class to which the application relates, shall make an order giving effect to the said application. [This Bill has since been dropped.]

Superannuations—(Officers of County Councils). To enable County Councils to grant superannuation or retiring allowances to all officers and servants who become disabled or disqualified by age or infirmity, or any other causes, from properly discharging the duties of their offices ; and also a deduction of two and a half per cent. from salaries to meet superannuation allowances.

Parliamentary
Elections Bill.

The present Bill to consolidate, simplify, and amend the law relating to parliamentary elections is the first attempt yet made to embody in one measure the various complicated statutory provisions in numerous Acts of Parliament on this subject.

In by far the larger portion of this Bill the existing law is simply reproduced with such verbal alterations and modifications as were needed to fit in the various provisions with the proposed amendments of and alterations in the law proposed by this Bill. Wherever possible the exact words of existing statutes are retained, with the view of reducing the debatable matter, as far as practicable, to a minimum.

For the most part the law as it now exists is simply reproduced in the words of the several statutes particularly as regards :—

- (1.) The provisions relating to illegal and corrupt practices.
- (2.) The provisions relating to procedure at elections.
- (3.) The law relating to election petitions.
- (4.) The provisions relating to issue of writs, with modifications, and fixing date of elections.
- (5.) The method of taking votes at elections.

The chief alterations in the law proposed by this Bill are :—

- (1.) The substitution of simple residential manhood

suffrage as the qualification for the election of members to serve in Parliament in lieu of all existing franchises.

- (2.) The abolition of dual voting at elections.
- (3.) Simplification of the registration laws to accord with the proposed new franchise, mostly based on the provisions of the Scotch law.
- (4.) Alterations in the law as to the appointment and duties of returning officers in view of the new proposals contained in the Bill.
- (5.) The diminution of election expenses to candidates, and the payment of certain charges out of the Consolidated Fund.
- (6.) At general elections all elections to be on one and the same day throughout the United Kingdom.
- (7.) The abolition of the registration courts for the revision of lists of voters.
- (8.) The repeal of the Septennial Act, and substitution of triennial parliaments.
- (9.) The closing of public and licensed houses on the day of election.

County Council Election. The first election under the Local Government Act, 1888, was held throughout the Metropolis on January 17th, 1889, and a contest took place in all the divisions of the Borough of Camberwell, the Vestry Hall was used for the counting of the votes, and the result declared from the balcony over the entrance, by Mr. G. W.

Marsden, Jnr., the Deputy Returning Officer. The members elected will be found on page (301).

Coroners
Court.

The Mortuary Committee have for a long time had under their consideration the necessity of erecting a Coroner's Court, and have been endeavouring to select a site for this purpose, but no eligible spot could be found, excepting at the Mortuary. The Coroner having written to the Vestry again on this matter, I addressed a letter to the Bishop of Rochester asking his permission to erect a Coroner's Court on the ground next the Mortuary and for his consent to the holding of inquests therein. His Lordship, in reply, expressed his regret at being unable to comply with the request of the Vestry, the Canon preventing the holding of secular courts on Consecrated ground, and a recent Act forbidding the erection of any building on a disused church yard.

Kingswood
Road.

In 1871, the late Mr. Marshall applied for permission to form this road in continuation of a portion then called Church Road, leading out of Penge Road (now College Road) into Victoria Road (now Dulwich Wood Park). The road was then formed by him, but he never repaired the same. Complaints have, from time to time, been made to the Vestry, as to its bad and neglected condition, shewing the necessity of its being paved and placed under the supervision of the Vestry, by the 105th Section of the Metropolis Management Act, being put into force. The Vestry were anxious to carry out the wishes of the inhabitants, but the matter was environed with legal difficulties. The 105th Section of the Act enacts, "In case the owners of the

houses *forming the greater part* of any new street laid out or made, or hereafter to be laid out or made, which is not paved to the satisfaction of the Vestry."

In this road there were only eleven houses, or, more properly, mansions erected, all standing in their own grounds. Thomas Tapling, Esq.'s mansion had a frontage of at least 750 feet. The mansion formerly occupied by the late Captain Pim, had a frontage of 400, and the others had less dimensions. It will therefore be seen, that inasmuch as it has been decided in several cases, that in order to constitute a new street under the said Section, that there must be a continuous row of houses on each side of the street; and, also having regard to the language of the Section, the Vestry felt it necessary to consult counsel thereon, and he was of opinion that the road was wanting in the essential element to constitute a new street under the Statute, there not being a sufficient number of houses of continuous character, the Vestry, acting under such advice, did not deem it prudent further to proceed with the matter. The attention, however, of the Vestry was called again to the question by a resident in the neighbourhood, and the Vestry eventually took up the matter, and the General Purposes Committee, to whom the matter was referred, resolved to recommend the Vestry to take the opinion of the Magistrate whether the road was a new street within the meaning of the 105th Section, and for that purpose put in force the said Section. The Vestry adopted the recommendation. The Surveyor made his estimated expense, amounting at £2,047, and the Vestry apportioned the same amongst the owners. The contribution of Thomas Tapling, Esq., amounted to the large sum of £490 14s. 11d. All the owners paid the apportionments with a little murmuring save Mr. Tapling, whose solicitor

advised him to dispute the legality of the assessment *on him*. A summons was accordingly taken out. To prove the liability of Mr. Tapling, it was essential to prove that he was the owner of the estate and paying the rack rent for the house. It was also necessary to investigate the tenure under which the estate was held by him. It was found that he held the property under a lease granted to his late father by the Governors of Dulwich College in 1871, at a yearly rent of £255 for 54 years, which lease contained a covenant that he was to expend £2,000. It was also found that Mr. Tapling returned in his quinquennial return that the lease was worth £1,000. The late Mr. Tapling (the father), by his will, bequeathed the estate to trustees in trust for the defendant for *life*, and after his death to such person as he might direct. On the hearing of the summons the defendant's counsel took the following objections:—

- (1.) That Kingswood Road was not a new street under the Section.
- (2.) That he was not the owner, as the Governors of Dulwich College were in receipt of the rack rents.
- (3.) That the legal owners were the Trustees under the will to whom the estate has been bequeathed.

The Court having heard the evidence in support of the defendant's defence, and having heard the evidence on behalf of the Vestry in support of their case, especially of Charles Barry, Esq., the Surveyor of Dulwich College, to whom I was indebted for his able and skilful evidence in support of the Vestry. The Magistrate decided:—

- (1.) That Kingswood Road was a new street under the Statute.
- (2.) That the defendant was in receipt of the rack rent.
- (3.) That he was legal owner, and liable to pay £490 11s. 4d., and costs, and made an order accordingly.

The defendant applied for a Special Case on the two latter points. (The first point was a question of *fact* and not of *law*, and no case could be granted on that point.) The Court gave leave for a special case.

The defendant ultimately abandoned it and paid the money. The Vestry have now paved and made up this road.

Church Street
Fair. Many complaints having been received from the Residents of Church Street, Camberwell, of a Fair, consisting of shows, roundabouts, &c., that was being held on a piece of ground at the rear of 22, Church Street, I was instructed to write to the Chief Commissioner of the Police, asking him to take proceedings under the Metropolitan Fair Act, 1868, a reply was received stating that there was no disorder, and that the Police did not propose to interfere in the matter. It was in the power of the Police to have issued a summons under the "Fair Act," but they declined to put the provisions of the Act in force. This nuisance continued for some time, and a Deputation of the Inhabitants attended the Vestry, and I was instructed to take proceedings, to compel the removal of the Fair.

A summons was accordingly issued under the Licensing Act for keeping a place of amusement without having first applied to the Quarter Sessions for a license. I found that this was the only method of reaching the evil.

Upon the issue of the summons by me, the parties causing the nuisance moved away, and agreed not to place their shows in any other part of the Parish.

East Dulwich
Communica-
tion.

The Vestry have for many years past had under their consideration the great importance of better road accommodation being provided to connect East Dulwich with the more populous part of the Parish. On the motion of Mr. Matthew Wallace the following resolution was passed :—

“That in the opinion of this Vestry the time has now arrived when better road accommodation should be provided to connect East Dulwich with the more populous parts of the Parish.”

On the motion also of Mr. Wallace, a Special Committee was appointed to consider how best to give effect to the above resolution, and the following Members were appointed to form such Special Committee :—Messrs. Wallace, Bonsall, Lassam, Smith, Settles, Ballantine, Foskett, Jackson, Relph, Shipton, Norman, and Phillips.

The Committee met, and considered the subject of the reference and the plans and scheme which had been prepared by the Surveyor for the Special East Dulwich Communication Committee in 1886, at a subsequent Meeting proceeded from the Old Kent Road by the Trafalgar Road, to East

Dulwich Station; and it was fully reported upon to the Vestry, and the Vestry affixed their seal to the Petition to the London County Council, of which the following is a copy:—

To the Chairman, Aldermen, and Members of County Council for the Administrative County of London.

The PETITION of the Vestry of the Parish of Camberwell, in the County of Surrey, under their common seal.

SHEWETH,

THAT your Petitioners are the representatives of the Parish of Camberwell, as constituted under Schedule "A" of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855.

THAT the population of your Petitioners' Parish (which includes the Hamlet of Dulwich), and of the Parishes of Lambeth, Newington, St. George-the-Martyr, St. Saviour Southwark, and St. Olave, which comprise the greater part of South London, have increased during 10 years from 1871 to 1881 as follows:—

THAT the population of these Parishes has, since the taking of the last census in 1881, still further increased and that of your Petitioners' Parish is now estimated at over 250,000, with a Rateable value of £1,036,340 made up of 37,700 Assessments.

THAT in the East Dulwich portion of your

Petitioners' Parish alone there are about 858 empty houses with a Rateable value of £21,493, which inflicts a very heavy loss on the Ratepayers.

THAT your Petitioners appointed a Special Committee to consider how best to give effect to the following resolution:—

“That in the opinion of this Vestry the time has now arrived when better road accommodation should be provided to connect East Dulwich with the more populous parts of the Parish.”

THAT on the 27th March last, the Special Committee reported to your Petitioners as follows:—

“That your Committee having viewed and carefully considered the various routes at present leading to East Dulwich, are of opinion that the best would be that now proposed, commencing at the Old Kent Road, by the ‘Lord Nelson,’ thence by the Trafalgar and Sumner Roads, crossing High Street, Peckham, through Victoria Road, Bellenden Road, Adys Road to Goose Green, with a spur to East Dulwich Station (London, Brighton, and South Coast Railway), by extending Bellenden Road through vacant land to Placquet Road.

“Your Committee have been much assisted by the labours of the previous Committee appointed to consider this matter, and have received much valuable help from the Surveyor, showing that a good thoroughfare from the Old Kent Road to St.

John's Church, Goose Green, with an additional spur to East Dulwich Station can be made for the sum of about £50,000, with a roadway varying from 40 to 50 feet in width."

Your Petitioners therefore respectfully urge that for the reasons stated in the Report of the Special Committee as set out, and for the purpose of carrying out a much needed Metropolitan Improvement, your Honourable Council will exercise the power vested in them by Local Government Act, 1888, by undertaking the construction of the proposed road as shown on the plan submitted herewith, or in such other manner as may in the judgment of your Honourable Board be necessary to carry into effect this important improvement.

YOUR PETITIONERS therefore humbly pray that your Honourable Council for the reason set forth in the Petition, and having regard to the great important Public Improvement, will carry into effect this or such other scheme as in your judgment may be necessary or expedient to open up direct communication from East Dulwich to the populous parts of South London.

The Seal of the Vestry was hereto affixed at a Meeting held the 10th day of April, 1889.

By Order,

GEO. W. MARSDEN,

Vestry Clerk.

The Vestry deemed it best to approach, by way of deputation, the London County Council, also with plans and specifications showing the proposed route from Old Kent Road to Goose Green, with an additional spur to East Dulwich Station.

In accordance with the decision of the Vestry, a Deputation attended the Improvements Committee of the Council, and after hearing a most lucid and able exposition of the importance of the scheme from Mr. G. C. Whiteley, the Committee promised to give the matter their careful consideration.

I regret to state that a reply has been received from the London County Council, stating that owing to so many similar applications being made to the Council, they were unable at present to carry out the suggested improvement.

The matter has been again referred by the Vestry to the Special Committee.

**Appointment of
Medical Officer.**

The following Report of Sewers and Sanitary Committee as to General Order (Metropolis) of the Local Government Board (28th March, 1889), with Regulations as to Medical Officers of Health, was presented to the Vestry:—

Reporting:—That the Vestry Clerk has submitted a letter he has received from the Secretary of the Local Government Board enclosing the orders and regulations of that Board, in regard to the qualifications, appointment, salary, and term of

office of the Medical Officer of Health to be hereafter appointed by the Vestry.

The 88th Section of the Local Government Act, 1888, incorporates the 191st Section of the Public Health Act, 1875, which enacts that no person shall be elected a Medical Officer of Health unless the appointment and salary be approved of by the Local Government Board; and by another Section in the Local Government Act it is enacted that the County Council shall, from the 31st March last, pay out of the County fund one half of the salary of such Medical Officer when his qualifications, appointment, salary, and term of office are in accordance with the Regulations of the Local Government Board.

The Board are also empowered to prescribe regulations in regard to those Medical Officers of Health whose salary will be wholly paid by the Vestry.

The Order of the Local Government Board is divided into two parts, viz. :—

Part I. Relating to every Medical Officer of Health appointed after the 1st April, 1889, one half of whose salary will be payable to the Vestry by the London County Council.

Part II. To every Medical Officer of Health appointed on and after that time whose salary will be wholly paid by the Vestry.

AS TO PART I.

APPOINTMENT OF MEDICAL OFFICER.

Art. 1. A statement shall be submitted to *us* (The Local Government Board) on a form to be supplied by *us*, with all particulars as may be prescribed by *us*, with the salary intended to be paid.

Art. 2. When our approval (Local Government Board) has been given, the Vestry shall proceed to the appointment of the Medical Officer of Health.

Art. 3. Relates to advertising appointment.

Art. 4. Every Medical Officer shall be appointed by a majority of the Members of the Vestry, such appointment to be subject to *our* (Local Government Board) *approval*.

Art. 5. Relates to Vacancy.

Art. 6. If in the case of an Officer holding office at the date of this Order, the Local Authority desire to appoint him *under* this Order, or if, in the case of an Officer who may have been appointed under this Order for a specified term, the Local Authority should desire to renew his appointment for a further term, or otherwise in conformity with the provisions of this Order, it shall not be necessary for

notice of the proposed appointment or renewal to be given by advertisement, if notice be given at one of the two ordinary Meetings of the Local Authority next preceding the Meeting at which the appointment is made or renewed.

Art. 7. Relates to illness of Medical Officer.

Art. 8. Every Officer shall continue to hold office for such period as the Vestry may with *our approval* determine, or until he dies, or resigns, or is removed by such Authority with *our approval*, or shall be removed *by us* (Local Government Board).

Art. 9. Power to suspend Officer with consent of the Local Government Board.

Art. 10. Notice to determine appointment.

Art. 11. A month's notice necessary.

Art. 12. The Local Authority shall pay to every Officer such salary as may be approved *by us*.

Art. 13, 14 and 15. As to payment of salary.

Art. 16. Duties of Medical Officers of Health, detailed in Sub-sections 1 to 19.

Your Committee felt anxious to ascertain

the sentiments of Dr. Bristowe, as the Regulations more particularly affected him, and therefore referred the Order of the Local Government Board to him to report upon. The following is a copy of his report:—

“I have carefully perused and considered the documents recently sent down to the Vestry from the Local Government Board, in which are set forth the effect of the Local Government Act, 1888, on the relations between Medical Officers of Health, Vestries, County Council, and Local Government Board in the Metropolis. The documents are:—

1st. A General Order of the Local Government Board reciting the Clauses of the Act under which they acquire powers over the Medical Officer of Health, and giving in detail the regulations with regard to his appointment, tenure of office, salary and duties.

2nd. An explanatory memorandum addressed to the Vestry Clerk.

3rd. A form of proposal for appointment of Medical Officers of Health.

It appears that any Metropolitan Officer of Health who may be appointed in the future, will be appointed under exactly the same conditions as at present govern the appointment of provincial officers

of Health. Under any circumstances he will be largely under the immediate control of the Local Government Board, which in the Schedule of his duties (most of which are such as by law he is required to perform at the present time), prescribes "that he shall also observe and execute any instructions issued by us," namely, the Local Government Board.

A new appointment may be made in one of two ways, at the option of the Vestry: either the Vestry may pay the Medical Officer's whole salary, or they may require that one half of his salary shall be paid by the County Council. In the former case the Vestry may elect whomsoever they please, provided he is duly qualified, may pay him what salary they please, and (excepting for the newly acquired influence of the Local Government Board above adverted to) will maintain in all respects the same relations with their Officer of Health as they now hold; in the latter case (that is, when half of the Officer's salary is obtained from the County Council), the Local Government Board at once acquire, in virtue of that payment, large influence over the conditions of his appointment. All the Vestry's actions in relation to the Officer of Health must receive the sanction of the Local Government Board, which will have the power of determining the amount of his salary; whether or not he shall

devote his whole time to his sanitary duties ; and whether or not a particular candidate for office whom the Vestry elect, shall receive the appointment. And further, they will be able on the one hand to remove him from office, and on the other hand to prevent the Vestry from removing him. I have good reason to believe (although it does not appear from the documents on which I am reporting), that any new appointments of Medical Officers of Health will be made subject to a future re-arrangement of districts for Sanitary purposes ; and that, as regards those in respect of which half the salary is paid by the County Council, the Local Government Board will require that the Officer's whole time shall be devoted to the duties of his office, I need hardly say, with an increased salary.

I may add that the Orders and Regulations of the Local Government Board do not affect Metropolitan Officers of Health, elected prior to the coming into operation of the Local Government Act, 1888, and that in order to bring these within their operation it will be necessary for them to resign, and then to tender themselves for re-election."

(Signed), J. S. BRISTOWE.

Your Committee having carefully considered the Order, together with the Report of Dr. Bristowe thereon, have to express their regret

that an Act of Parliament, bearing the title of a "*Local Government Act*," should, by an incorporated clause, place the control, salary, and right of removal of the Medical Officer of Health under a Government Department, which is subversive of all the principles of local self government, and one which deprives the Vestries of the legitimate control of its own Officers. Fortunately it will not yet take effect, as the Act only applies to future appointments, unless the Vestry should desire to place itself under the regulations of the Local Government Board. Dr. Bristowe (who was appointed thirty-four years ago to the position now held by him) has zealously and ably discharged his duties during the whole of this long period, more especially during the visitation of Cholera and other dangerous epidemics, when he was able, by his eminent position in his profession, to render most valuable assistance to the Parishioners.

Your Committee believe that the Vestry wish to recognise the services of Dr. Bristowe, and will not desire to displace him by the appointment of a Medical Officer of Health under the terms of the Order, who would probably be a man of inferior rank in his profession with an increased salary. Your Committee therefore unanimously :—

Recommend :—That the Local Government Board be informed that this Vestry appreciate the

services of their present Medical Officer, and the manner in which he has discharged his duties for the past thirty-four years; and having regard to his high qualifications for the office, consider that any appointment under the Order would not be advantageous to the Parish, and therefore the Vestry do not propose to avail themselves of the Order.

R. T. BONSTALL,

Chairman.

VESTRY HALL, CAMBERWELL,

April 30th, 1889.

A P P E N D I X.

(LETTER FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.)

30th March, 1889.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board to draw attention to paragraph (c) of Section 88 of the Local Government Act, 1888, by which section 191 of the Public Health Act, 1875, is, after the 1st of April, 1889, made applicable to the Metropolis in like manner as if the Commissioners

of Sewers in the City of London, and every Vestry of a parish in Schedule A., and District Board of a district in Schedule B. to the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, or under any Act amending the same, were a local authority within the meaning of that section, and as if any medical officer of health hereafter appointed by such Commissioners, Vestry, or District Board were appointed under the Public Health Act. It is also enacted that the provisions of the Local Government Act with respect to the qualification of a medical officer or to the payment by a county council of a portion of the salary of a medical officer shall apply accordingly.

Under section 24 (2) (c) of the Local Government Act, which is thus made applicable to the Metropolis, so far as medical officers of health are concerned, it will devolve on the London County Council to pay, to every local authority for any area in the county by whom a medical officer of health is paid, one half of the salary of such officer, where his qualification, appointment, salary, and tenure of office are in accordance with the regulations made by Order under the Public Health Act, 1875; and by section 191 of the Public Health Act, as amended by section 24 (3) of the Local Government Act, the Board are empowered to prescribe regulations in regard to the qualification, appointment, duties, salary, and tenure of office of a medical officer of

health in respect of whose salary payment will be made by the County Council.

The Board are also empowered to prescribe regulations in regard to the qualification and duties of a medical officer of health, no portion of whose salary will be so paid.

The Board have accordingly issued an Order containing regulations with regard to the matters above mentioned, and two copies of it are enclosed.

The Order is divided into two parts, Part I. relating to every medical officer of health appointed on or after the 1st of April, 1889, one half of whose salary will be payable to the local authority by the London County Council, and Part II. to every medical officer of health appointed on or after the date referred to, no part of whose salary will be payable by the London County Council.

In Part II. the duties only of the medical officer of health are prescribed; but Part I. deals with the appointment, tenure of office, and remuneration, as well as with the duties of any medical officer of health to whom that Part applies.

It will be observed that before a local authority proceed to the appointment of a medical

officer of health, one half of whose salary will be payable by the county council, a statement is to be submitted to the Board, in a prescribed form, indicating the proposals of the local authority in regard to the district for which the officer is intended to be employed, the salary to be assigned to him, and certain other particulars. Two copies of the form of statement are enclosed for use in case the local authority should decide to make an appointment with a view to repayment by the county council of one half of the salary of the medical officer of health. Until the proposals contained in the statement have been submitted to and approved by the Board, the local authority should not proceed with the appointment of the officer.

When such approval has been obtained, the next step, unless the case comes within Article 6, will be to insert, in some public newspaper circulating in the district of the local authority, and at least seven days before the day fixed for the appointment, an advertisement containing the particulars mentioned in Article 3 of the Order. The appointment will be subject to the Board's approval.

If the local authority wish to obtain payment from the county council in respect of the future salary of a medical officer of health in office on the 1st of April, it is necessary that he should be ap-

pointed under the Order, but in such a case the Board do not consider it needful that an advertisement should be published in a newspaper of the proposal to appoint the officer. They have therefore provided by Article 6 that it shall not be requisite in any case of this kind to give notice by advertisement, if notice be given at one of the two ordinary meetings of the local authority next preceding the meeting at which the appointment is to be made. The Article will also apply in cases in which it is hereafter desired to renew appointments made under the Order for a specified term.

Article 5 has been inserted with a view to enable a local authority to provide in certain cases for filling up a vacancy about to arise in the office of medical officer of health, before the vacancy has actually arisen, and Article 7 provides for the remuneration of a person employed to act as a substitute for a medical officer who may be temporarily prevented by sickness or accident, or other sufficient reason, from performing his duties.

Articles 8 to 11 refer to the tenure of office of medical officers of health appointed under the Order. Articles 12 to 15 relate to the salaries of officers so appointed, and Article 16 to their duties. It will be observed that the salary payable to any such officer must be approved by the Board.

The Board do not consider it necessary to refer in detail to the duties prescribed by the Order for medical officers of health. For the most part they are analogous to those at present prescribed for medical officers of health appointed under the Public Health Act, 1875.

It will be observed that paragraph (16) of Article 16 will require the medical officer of health to transmit to the Board a copy of each annual and of any special report. It is important that this should be done, as, if the Board certify that the requirement has not been complied with, a sum equal to one half of his salary will be forfeited to the Crown, under section 24 (2) (c) of the Local Government Act, and must be paid by the county council into the Exchequer, and not to the local authority.

A copy of each report, whether annual or special, must be sent to the London County Council by the medical officer of health, and, if a copy of each annual report is not so sent, the county council may refuse to pay any contribution which otherwise they would, in pursuance of the Act, pay towards the salary of the officer. See section 19 (1).

It will also be the duty of the medical officer of health to give immediate information to the Board and to the London County Council of any

outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease within his district.

The duties assigned by Part II. of the Order to a medical officer of health, no part of whose salary is payable by the London County Council, will be the same as those assigned in the cases in which half of the salary will be paid, with the addition that under Article 17 (1) of the Order, it will be incumbent on the officer within seven days after his appointment to report the same in writing to the Board.

I am directed to add that the Board have not thought it necessary to prescribe any qualification for medical officers of health in the metropolis, as this matter appears to them to be sufficiently dealt with by section 18 of the Local Government Act, taken in connexion with section 88 (c). Having regard to these enactments, it seems to the Board that, except where they, for reasons brought to their notice, may see fit specially to allow, no person can hereafter be appointed the medical officer of health of any district in the metropolis, or the deputy of any such officer, unless he is legally qualified for the practice of medicine, surgery, and midwifery.

Moreover, after the 1st of January, 1892, no person can be appointed the medical officer of

health of any district in the metropolis which contained, according to the last published census for the time being, 50,000 or more inhabitants, unless he is qualified as above-mentioned, and also either is registered in the medical register as the holder of a diploma in sanitary science, public health, or State Medicine, under section 21 of the Medical Act, 1886, or has been during three consecutive years preceding the year 1892 a medical officer of a district, or combination of districts, with a population, according to the last published census, of not less than 20,000 inhabitants, or has, before the passing of the Local Government Act, been for not less than three years a medical officer or inspector of the Board.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

HUGH OWEN,

Secretary.

To

The Clerk to the Vestry of Camberwell.

The Vestry decided, upon the consideration of such report, to convene a Conference of Delegates from the Vestries and District Boards of the Metropolis thereon, such Conference was held at the Vestry Hall, when the following Local Authorities were represented:—

VESTRIES :

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|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| CLERKENWELL, | HAMMERSMITH, |
| NEWINGTON, | PADDINGTON, |
| ST. PANCRAS, | BETHNAL GREEN, |
| KENSINGTON, | ST. GEORGE-IN-THE-EAST, |
| ST. GEORGE'S, SOUTHWARK, | CAMBERWELL. |

THE BOARD OF WORKS FOR THE
PLUMSTEAD, ST. SAVIOUR'S, AND POPLAR DISTRICT.

The following Vestries and District Boards resolved to take no action under the Order of the Local Government Board, as to the appointment of Medical Officers of Health, and therefore did not appoint Delegates:—

VESTRY OF HACKNEY.

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

BOARD OF WORKS FOR THE ST. GILES' DISTRICT.

BOARD OF WORKS FOR THE HOLBORN DISTRICT.

BOARD OF WORKS FOR THE WANDSWORTH DISTRICT.

VESTRY OF ST. LEONARD, SHOREDITCH.

VESTRY OF ST. MARY, ISLINGTON.

VESTRY OF ST. MARY, LAMBETH.

The following appointed their Medical Officer of Health under the Order of the Local Government Board:—

BOARD OF WORKS FOR THE LIMEHOUSE DISTRICT.

VESTRY OF THE PARISH OF CHELSEA.

VESTRY OF THE PARISH OF FULHAM.

Many other Vestries and District Boards still had the matter under their consideration.

GEORGE CRISPE WHITELEY, ESQ., M.A., presided over the Conference.

When the following Resolutions were passed:—

“That pending further legislation upon the subject, it is not desirable at present to alter in any way the relationship between the Medical Officers of Health and the Local Authority, and that therefore no action be taken upon the Order of the Local Government Board (dated March 28th, 1889).”

“That a copy of the resolution be forwarded to all the Metropolitan Vestries and District Boards; the Local Government Board; and the London County Council.”

“That the best thanks of this Conference be given to the Camberwell Vestry for convening this Meeting, and to the Chairman for his able conduct in the Chair.”

Canterbury
Road
Paving. In the last Report I had the pleasure of reporting that the proceedings which had been taken against Mr. Stotesbury for the recovery of £613, the amount of his apportionment in this road, had been successful, the Appeal by him to the Court of Queen's Bench having been dismissed by the Judges. Mr. Stotesbury has now paid his

contribution, and the paving of this street has been carried out as far as the approaches of the Bridge, now being erected by the London County Council, will allow. It is with satisfaction that I have to report the completion of the paving of this road, after the litigation which has been pending for some years—the Vestry having at length been enabled to carry out this long-needed improvement to the Parish.

Canterbury
Road
Bridge. I am pleased to inform the Vestry that the construction of this bridge is now rapidly approaching completion, the work which is being carried out by the London County Council, will not only be a local benefit but a Metropolitan improvement.

Public
Libraries. It will be seen on reference to the last Annual Report, that the generous offer of Mr. LIVESEY to present a Public Library to the Parish had been accepted by the Vestry.

The Special Committee appointed made the following Recommendations, which were approved by the Vestry on the 30th May, 1888 :—

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.

In furtherance of this a large Public Meeting was held at the Peckham Public Hall, on Tuesday, October 23rd, 1888, Mr. G. C. WHITELEY, M.A., presiding, and he was supported by Sir EDWARD CLARKE, Q.C., M.P. (Solicitor-General), Mr. GEO. LIVESEY, The Rev. G. W. DANIELL, M.A., Rev. H. B. CHAPMAN, Rev. O. THORPE, Rev. W. JENNINGS, The Rev. Canon McGRATH, Rev. G. BUCHANAN RYLEY, Rev. J. PERKINS, Rev. J. C. POSTANS, Mr. J. PELLATT RICKMAN, Mr. R. STRONG, J.P., Mr. E. DRESSER ROGERS, Mr. G. L. TURNEY, J.P., and many Members of the Vestry. Numerous letters were received in support of the movement from those who were unable to attend the Meeting, among them being the following:—

Mr. A. A. BAUMANN, M.P., wrote:—"I am heartily in sympathy with the establishment of Free Libraries under the Act of Parliament, and I trust that the Ratepayers will adopt the recommendation of the Vestry."

The Rev. C. E. BROOKE regretted he would be unable to be present, adding that he need hardly say how entirely his sympathies were with the Free Libraries movement.

Canon FLEMING, formerly Vicar of Camden Church, wrote:—"Education is the only fortune a man cannot run through, and the only safe foundation upon which any true fortune can be built."

Mr. JAMES HENDERSON wrote:—"I can assure you I am heartily in favour of Free Libraries in

Camberwell, and support the recommendation of the Vestry to put the Free Libraries Act into force.”

A Resolution in favour of the adoption of the Public Libraries Acts was unanimously carried.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Public Libraries Act, a requisition was duly signed by a number of Ratepayers calling upon the Overseers to ascertain the determination of the Ratepayers as to whether the Public Libraries Act should be adopted for this Parish; and the Overseers decided that the best method of ascertaining the wishes of the Ratepayers was by the issue of voting papers to each Ratepayer, and the subsequent collection and scrutiny thereof. The Ratepayers were by such voting papers given the opportunity of stipulating whether, in their opinion, the adoption of the Acts should be subject to a limitation to some lower rate than One Penny in the £. The poll of the Parish was taken on the 7th January last, with the following result:—

In favour of the adoption of the Acts—

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| Limited to $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound | ... | ... | 209 |
| do. $\frac{1}{2}$ d. | do. | ... | 1,783 |
| do. $\frac{3}{4}$ d. | do. | ... | 148 |
| Without stipulation | ... | ... | 9,267 |
| | | | <hr/> |
| | | | 11,407 |
| Against | ... | ... | 5,357 |
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| Majority in favour | ... | ... | 7,050 |

A majority of Ratepayers having decided that the Public Libraries Acts should be adopted, the Vestry on the 30th January, 1889, appointed the following Commissioners :

GEO. LIVESEY, Esq.
 GEORGE CRISPE WHITELEY, Esq.
 JOSEPH FAULKNER, „
 EDMUND BALLANTINE, „
 WILLIAM ALEXANDER COOTE, „
 JAMES TRESIDDER SEARS, „
 JOHN THOMAS RELPH, „
 THOMAS LUDLOW LASSAM, „
 ROBERT ARTHUR PUCKLE, „

PERSONAL.

Middlemass
 Mr. A.
 Death of

During the past year the Vestry had to deplore the loss of Mr. Andrew Middlemass ; and at the Vestry Meeting held on the 16th January last, they recognised his great services by unanimously passing the following resolution :—

RESOLVED :—“ That this Vestry desire to place on record their deep regret at the death of their Colleague, Mr. Andrew Middlemass, and to express their high appreciation of the able, devoted, and valuable services rendered to the Vestry and his fellow parishioners during the long period of 20 years, in which he was a Member of the Vestry. He was

a powerful and talented debater, a great administrative organiser, possessed of rare and sound judgment, and a clear and eloquent exponent of the laws relating to local government of the Parish in all its branches. Above all his unselfish fidelity and honesty of purpose were paramount in his transactions with the Vestry. The Vestry recognising in him these great qualities he was selected to fill the following important positions:—He was elected a Member of the Sewer and Sanitary Committee, and chosen Chairman for two years. Subsequently he was appointed a Member of the General Purposes Committee, and for nine successive years he performed the onerous duties of Chairman with conspicuous ability. He also rendered good and faithful services as Overseer of the Poor for two years; and on the Metropolis Valuation Act (1869) coming into operation, he was elected the Chairman of the Assessment Committee, and all the Assessments of this large Parish were then revised and settled under the Act. The Vestry in 1885 were empowered to elect an additional Member to the Metropolitan Board of Works, and Mr. Middlemass was cordially and unanimously elected a representative. His extensive knowledge of Parochial affairs, together with his genial and kind manners, won for him the regard and esteem of his fellow Vestrymen. The Vestry, in bearing a tribute of respect to his memory, desire not to forget his bereaved widow and family; and they respectfully tender them their heartfelt sorrow at the loss they have sustained by his death, and their sincere condolence in their heavy bereavement.”

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS HAVE BEEN MADE
BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF
BATHS AND WASH-HOUSES FOR THIS PARISH.

REPORT of the Commissioners of Public
Baths and Wash-houses of Camber-
well.

We, the Commissioners, beg to report that the Vestry having deferred its decision in reference to the proposition as to the Birkbeck site until negotiations had been entered into with the proprietor of the Victoria Baths, Martin's Road, Peckham, steps were at once taken to ascertain whether that establishment could be obtained for the purposes of Public Baths and Wash-houses, and at what cost.

Having found that Mr. Higgs, the proprietor, was willing to dispose of the baths for £13,500, we personally surveyed the buildings and the vacant ground, together with the approaches from the High Street and Sumner Road.

The Victoria Baths consist of a 1st class swimming bath 100 feet by 36 feet, with 79 dressing boxes; a 2nd class swimming bath, 125 feet by 40 feet with 130 recesses; but these are without the privacy of doors or curtains. The 1st class bath is used largely by swimming clubs.

Of private baths there are 30, all of one class, and four of these are set apart for women, but the fact that they are approached through the same waiting room as the other 26, that the passage to the 26 passes between the four bath

rooms for women, there being two on either side, and that the partitions separating the men's from the women's baths do not reach the ceiling, prevents sufficient privacy being afforded to the women.

Being desirous of giving the Vestry the fullest possible information on this subject, we instructed Mr. Thomas Wilkins, C.E., to survey the existing baths, machinery, and pumping apparatus, and to report to us as to how they could best be extended and adapted to render them suitable for Public Baths and Wash-houses, and at what probable cost. He has made a most thorough and exhaustive examination of every part of the establishment and its plant, and finds that there is space enough to erect the additional private baths required, viz. :—Second class for men, and first and second class for women; also for wash-houses, with drying and ironing rooms complete. The pumping engine in the well is much out of order, and would have to undergo a thorough repair, and additional boiler power would have to be provided to meet the requirements of the enlarged establishment. He is further of opinion that it would be necessary in order to secure a suitable approach from the Northern end of the buildings, to purchase two cottages in Canal Row, and that the total cost, if the price asked by Mr. Higgs is given, will not be less than £21,000.

We having now carefully considered the whole question, have come to the conclusion that we can in no way approve of the purchase of the Victoria Baths in lieu of the site recommended in our previous report, for the following reasons.

1. That the very large and necessitous portion of the Parish which would be supplied by the Birkbeck site, would be almost entirely unprovided for by the Victoria Baths.

2. That by the selection of the Birkbeck site a saving of at least £7,000 would be effected.

3. That it is our decided opinion that the Birkbeck establishment would yield a fair trading return, while the approaches to the Victoria Baths (especially at the North end which is completely hemmed in) and the situation are such as to render it more than probable that the annual trading account would have to be balanced by a contribution out of the rates.

We have therefore decided to adhere to our first proposal, and trust that the Vestry will, without further delay, sanction the borrowing of the necessary sum of money so that the Birkbeck site may be immediately acquired, and steps be taken to secure the opening of the establishment before the bathing season of 1889 commences.

Mr. Pennack, the freeholder of the Birkbeck site, has expressed his willingness to reduce his price to £4,600, or to submit to an independent valuation to be obtained by us, and we, believing that £13,000 will cover the entire cost of the establishment, are prepared to substitute that amount for the £15,000 previously named.

We have the greater confidence in recommending this site, from the fact that the three swimming baths which would be provided would give 25 more dressing boxes than

are given at the Tottenham Court Road Baths (which are perhaps the most successful in London), while the private bathing accommodation would be equal to either Bermondsey or Rotherhithe, more than double that of Ladywell, and nearly double that of Forest Hill.

Then, in regard to position, it must be borne in mind, that the Birkbeck site, though situate in No. 5 Ward, is in direct touch with the whole of No. 2 Ward, and large portions of Nos. 1 and 4 Wards; there are several large factories within five or ten minutes' walk, employing more than 2,000 hands.

We wish it to be clearly understood that we do not consider that the work entrusted to us by the Vestry will be complete until the whole of the Parish is provided with adequate bathing and washing accommodation. Having, however, a site in view which we consider most desirable for one portion of the Parish, we feel that it is the safest and wisest course to concentrate our attention upon the district now under consideration, rather than have it divided between other districts at the same time.

Trusting that the Vestry will now give the matter their favourable consideration, and will support the Commissioners in the proposition which they make, and not withhold from one of the most densely populated and necessitous portions of the Parish the boon which it was so recently decided to bestow.

All of which is submitted.

JAMES T. SEARS,
Chairman of the Commissioners.

The Vestry referred this matter back to the Commissioners for further report as to the Victoria Baths.

REPORT of the Commissioners of Public Baths and Wash-houses of Camberwell, upon the resolution of the Vestry of October 10th, 1888, with plans of the Victoria Baths, as directed, and also further as to the Birkbeck Site.

To the Members of the Camberwell Vestry.

In accordance with the Resolution passed at the Vestry Meeting, on October 10th, to the effect:—

“That the question be referred back with a view to the Commissioners providing and furnishing to this Vestry a descriptive plan of the whole of the Victoria Baths, land, and approaches, as offered to the said Commissioners for the sum named (£13,500),”

the Commissioners now submit the plans of the Victoria Baths, and land adjacent, together with the approaches.

The suggestion as to the purchase of the two small cottages shewn upon the plan, is in order to give greater facilities of approach from the northern end of the site, which would be required for the Wash-house arrangement, and also to enable the coals to be delivered by barge instead of by vans as now, the present arrangement involving the carrying of the coals in sacks a distance of at least 120 feet.

We regret that we cannot recommend the acquirement of this site, and we have therefore no further report to make in connection with it.

We regard this matter entirely from a public standpoint, and had we adopted any other course we should have been sacrificing the public interests for the interests of a private concern, and in so doing would have been acting contrary to our sense of duty to the Ratepayers.

Our reasons for recommending the Birkbeck site, and for not supporting the Victoria Baths proposal have already been stated, and are as follows:—

We believe that the position of the Birkbeck site is one that will supply the needs of a very large and populous portion of the Parish left untouched by the Victoria Baths.

We further feel that the Victoria Baths supply a portion of the Parish which the Birkbeck site would not supply, and the fact that they are largely used by swimming clubs, and that, in all probability, the first-class private bathing would be but little, if at all, interfered with, would prevent the present trading account being seriously affected by an establishment in another portion of the Parish.

By our proposal, therefore, a second Establishment would be brought into existence, so that by the expenditure of a smaller sum of money than would be required to purchase and adapt the Victoria Baths, two Establishments would be secured to the Parish instead of one, and this we consider to be a decided gain.

Taking into consideration the fact that on two occasions the Vestry has voted against the acquirement of the Birkbeck *Buildings*, we feel that it would not be courteous to press that proposal further upon the attention of the Vestry. We have ascertained that Mr. Pennack is willing to dispose of the land without the buildings, but the price named by him, viz.: £3,750, is higher than the Commissioners feel justified in giving, but they will be prepared to purchase the land, clear of the buildings, for £3,000, upon the sanction of the Vestry being given to the borrowing of £18,000, for purchase of site and erection of entirely new buildings.

We desire to leave the question as to whether an entirely new Establishment shall be provided upon the Birkbeck site in the hands of the Vestry. It is the only proposition which we can now make for that portion of the Parish, and should this not be agreed to, the responsibility of withholding the advantages of the Public Baths and Wash-houses Act from this District must rest upon the Vestry.

In reference to the other portions of the Parish, we shall be glad to receive suggestions as to sites from any of the members of the Vestry, and in regard to all matters having to do with the carrying out of the Act, we shall be pleased to receive the co-operation and advice of any of our colleagues on the Vestry.

JAMES T. SEARS,

Chairman.

October 31st, 1888.

Upon this report it was moved by Mr. Winyard :—

“ That this Vestry hereby approve of the Commissioners of Public Baths and Wash-houses purchasing the land cleared of the buildings known as the Birkbeck Schools situate in Willowbrook Road, Peckham and in pursuance of the Act 9 and 10 Vic., chap. 74, ‘ An Act to encourage the establishment of Baths and Wash-houses,’ do sanction the Commissioners with the approval of the Local Government Board borrowing the sum of £18,000 to be paid by 30 yearly instalments with interest thereon, to be secured by the rates, for the relief of the poor of the Parish.”

This motion was negatived by the Vestry.

In December last three Commissioners, Messrs. E. C. Davis, Downton and Turney, retired in accordance with the provisions of the Baths and Wash-houses Act, and upon an election being held by the Vestry, Messrs. Turney, Relph and Wallace were appointed Commissioners in their stead.

FIRST REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE
PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND MUSEUMS.

We, the Commissioners, beg to report that we have unanimously appointed George Crispe Whiteley, Esq., Chairman, Joseph Faulkner, Esq., Vice-Chairman, and Sir George R. Prescott, Bart., Treasurer.

It is gratifying that the first business of the Commissioners was the receipt of the following letter :—

“ Fountain Court, Temple, E.C.,

“ *February 12th, 1889.*

“ DEAR MR. WHITELEY,

“ Camberwell having adopted the Free Libraries Act I am desirous to do what I can towards giving the scheme a fair start, I therefore offer to the Commissioners the Hall which stands at the corner of the Burton and Knatchbull Roads, to be used for the purpose of a Free Public Library only.

“ The building, with some slight alterations, which shall be made, will be found perfectly adapted for the purpose if the Commissioners are of opinion that the position is a suitable one.

“ Yours truly,

“ G. WHITELEY, Esq.

“ WILLIAM MINET.”

The generous offer of Mr. Minet was gladly accepted by us on behalf of the Ratepayers, and we took the first

opportunity of viewing the building with him, subsequently several interviews were had by the Chairman with Mr. Minet, and he met the wishes of the Commissioners in a most liberal spirit, and expressed his willingness to adapt the present building for the purposes of a Public Library by the erection of a Librarian's house and Lending Library adjoining.

This Library being on the borders of Lambeth Parish, we came to the conclusion that the Ratepayers of that Parish would benefit equally with our own, and we requested our Chairman to put himself into communication with Mr. Evan Spicer, one of the Lambeth Commissioners thereon, and we also wrote to that body, that having regard to the position of the building, and the great benefit it would confer on their Parish, whether they would be prepared to contribute £500, half the estimated cost of furnishing the Library with books, and also the like proportion of the cost of the future maintenance of such building, and in the event of their acceding to such request, we deemed it only just that three Commissioners should be appointed by Lambeth to assist in the management of such Library.

The Lambeth Commissioners expressed their willingness to comply with our request, but the question arose whether the Act allowed them to contribute to a Library in another Parish. A Bill was then before Parliament for the Amendment of the Public Libraries Acts, upon the question of rating land, and it was at once deemed advisable to take advantage of this Bill to obtain the introduction of a clause allowing one Parish to contribute to a Library in

another; through the activity of Mr. Evan Spicer, such a clause was drafted and submitted to Mr. Ritchie, President of the Local Government Board, approved by him, inserted in the Bill, and within a month the following clause had received the royal consent, and become law :—

“3. It shall be lawful for the Commissioners, separately appointed under the Public Libraries [England] Acts, 1855 to 1887, for any two or more adjoining parishes, with the consent of the vestries of such parishes, from time to time to agree to share in such proportions and for such period as may be determined by the agreement, the cost of the purchase, erection, repair, and maintenance of any library building situate in one of such parishes, and also the cost of the purchase of books, periodicals, and newspapers for such library, and all other expenses connected with the same; and the inhabitants of both or all the said parishes, as the case may be, shall be entitled to use the said library so long as the agreement shall continue in force.

“And any such agreement may provide that upon its termination an adjustment shall be made of the interests of the several Commissioners in the library, building, books, and other property to which they have contributed, and as to the mode in which such adjustment shall be arrived at.”—Public Libraries Acts Amendment Act, 1889, Vict. 52, c. 9.

We must congratulate the Parishioners on being indirectly the means of such an important and valuable addition to the law.

At the request of Mr. Livesey we thought it desirable to view the site in Old Kent Road, presented by him for the purpose of a Public Library, before any steps had been taken in the building of this Library; and he expressed his desire for the Commissioners to select an Architect. Ultimately, Mr. Whellock, of Camberwell, was selected, and sent in designs which were submitted to us, and which were after various suggestions adopted. This Library is now in course of erection, and it is hoped that in a few months it will be open for the use and benefit of the Parishioners.

We have been engaged in the consideration of other sites, and negotiating for the purchase of land and premises in suitable positions, but we have nothing definite at present to report.

We trust that without undue delay the Ratepayers will be in possession of Libraries throughout the Parish, in fulfilment of the charge entrusted to us by the Vestry.

Given under our Seal.



At the request of Mr. Liversy we thought it desirable to view the site in Old Kent Road presented by him for the purpose of a Public Library, before any steps had been taken in the building of this Library; and he expressed his desire for the Commissioners to select an Architect. Ultimately, Mr. Webb, of Cambridge, was selected, and sent in designs which were submitted to us, and which were after various suggestions adopted. This Library is now in course of erection, and it is hoped that in a few months it will be open for the use and benefit of the Parishioners.

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Given under our Seal.



Very truly yours,
 Wm. Webb

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of May 1851.

Report of the Burial Board.

THE Board report that the total number of interments for the year 1888-9 was 3690. The appendix is a detailed account of such interments.

PRIVATE GRAVES, ETC.

In consequence of the great increase in the number of interments, both Parishioners and non-Parishioners, and the purchase of private graves by the latter, the Board, after much consideration, deemed it expedient to pass a resolution that the Cemetery should, for the future, be reserved for the exclusive use of the Parishioners; the resolution not to effect the right to interment of non-Parishioners in graves previously purchased.

ROADS AND PATHWAYS.

The road and pathways requiring considerable repairs, the Board advertised for tenders, and that of Messrs. Mowlem & Co. for £411 being the lowest was accepted, and the work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Board; the drains, being found insufficient to carry off the water, have been replaced by larger ones, where required, and thoroughly repaired throughout, at a cost of over £300.

The Board have had to meet the precept from the Vestry for £770 3s. for the paving of Underhill Road.

The Board also have during the past financial year paid the Overseers a sum of £2,000, being surplus funds after paying the Cemetery expenses.

RESIGNATION OF THE CHAPLAIN.

The Board regret to state that they received the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Thomas Morgan, who had performed the duties of Chaplain in the Consecrated portion of the Cemetery for a period of 14 years, and that the Rev. F. F. Kelly, conjointly with the Vicars of the several Ecclesiastical Parishes of Camberwell, have appointed the Rev. J. C. Eyre Kitson as Chaplain, in place of Dr. Morgan.

On the resignation of Dr. Morgan, the Board passed a resolution and presented an address to him, referring to the amicable relations that had existed for 14 years, and expressing their regret at losing his valuable services.

(Signed),

J. A. LYON,

Chairman.

Abstract of Interments for Year 1888-89.

CONSECRATED GROUND.

| | Parish. | | Common Interments. | | | | Purchase. Private Graves. | | | | Re-openings. | | | | Total. |
|-------------|---------|-----|--------------------|-----|-------------------|----|---------------------------|----|-------------------|---|---------------|----|-------------------|----|--------|
| | *A | *C | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | |
| | | | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | |
| 1888. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| April ... | 9 | 11 | 86 | 72 | 15 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 2 | — | 11 | — | 8 | — | 233 |
| May ... | 12 | 5 | 66 | 69 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 2 | — | 5 | — | 5 | 1 | 192 |
| June ... | 13 | 5 | 60 | 33 | — | — | 11 | 2 | — | — | 7 | — | 1 | 3 | 135 |
| July ... | 11 | 12 | 35 | 55 | — | — | 19 | 1 | — | — | 9 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 142 |
| August ... | 10 | 6 | 38 | 66 | — | — | 6 | 1 | — | — | 9 | 1 | 6 | — | 143 |
| September | 9 | 15 | 40 | 62 | — | — | 10 | 1 | — | — | 3 | 2 | 5 | — | 147 |
| October ... | 23 | 12 | 68 | 86 | — | — | 13 | 1 | — | — | 6 | — | 4 | — | 213 |
| November | 17 | 25 | 57 | 97 | — | — | 3 | 1 | — | — | 4 | 1 | 7 | — | 212 |
| December | 6 | 10 | 60 | 89 | — | — | 10 | — | — | — | 8 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 192 |
| 1889. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 6 | 9 | 78 | 134 | — | — | 15 | 2 | — | — | 10 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 263 |
| February | 19 | 22 | 56 | 71 | — | — | 6 | — | — | — | 4 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 192 |
| March ... | 10 | 14 | 59 | 58 | — | — | 8 | 1 | — | — | 9 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 169 |
| Totals ... | 145 | 146 | 703 | 892 | 25 | 16 | 109 | 13 | 4 | — | 85 | 19 | 65 | 11 | 2233 |

*A—Adults.

*C—Children.

Abstract of Interments for Year 1888-89.

UNCONSECRATED GROUND.

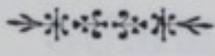
| | Parish. | | Common Interments. | | | | Purchase. Private Graves. | | | | Re-openings. | | | | Total. | |
|------------|---------|---|--------------------|-----|-------------------|---|---------------------------|----|-------------------|---|---------------|----|-------------------|----|--------|--|
| | | | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | Parishioners. | | Non-Parishioners. | | | |
| | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | A | C | | |
| 1888. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| April ... | — | — | 49 | 55 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | — | 7 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 13 | |
| May ... | — | 1 | 28 | 54 | 2 | 1 | 2 | — | 2 | — | 1 | — | 3 | 2 | 9 | |
| June ... | 1 | — | 37 | 49 | — | — | 7 | 2 | — | — | 2 | — | 2 | — | 19 | |
| July ... | 1 | — | 30 | 37 | — | — | 5 | 1 | — | — | 2 | — | — | 2 | 7 | |
| August ... | 2 | — | 33 | 61 | — | — | 10 | 1 | — | — | 2 | — | 4 | 2 | 11 | |
| September | — | — | 20 | 40 | — | — | 4 | — | — | — | 5 | — | 1 | — | 7 | |
| October... | — | — | 36 | 58 | — | — | 7 | 1 | — | — | 1 | 2 | 4 | — | 10 | |
| November | 3 | — | 21 | 57 | — | — | 3 | — | — | — | 5 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 9 | |
| December | — | — | 40 | 52 | — | — | 3 | — | — | — | 6 | 1 | 1 | — | 10 | |
| 1889. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | — | — | 37 | 81 | — | — | 9 | 1 | — | — | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 13 | |
| February | 3 | — | 33 | 52 | — | — | 5 | 2 | — | — | — | 2 | 3 | — | 10 | |
| March ... | 3 | — | 19 | 39 | — | — | 4 | 1 | — | — | 5 | 1 | 2 | — | 7 | |
| Totals ... | 13 | 1 | 383 | 635 | 8 | 6 | 63 | 10 | 4 | — | 38 | 14 | 30 | 10 | 121 | |

Consecrated, 2,233.—Unconsecrated, 1,215.—Brick Graves, 1.—R.O. Brick Graves, 8.—Stillborns, 233.—TOTAL, 3,690.

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

TABLE I.—PARISH OF CAMBERWELL, SURREY.

1888-89.



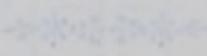
Report of the Finance Committee.

| Year ending 31st March | Number of Houses | | | Number of Persons | | |
|------------------------|------------------|----------|------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| | Total | Rateable | Unrateable | Total | Male | Female |
| 1888-89 | 27,207 | 22,001 | 5,206 | 51,048 | 27,028 | 24,020 |
| 1887-88 | 27,156 | 22,000 | 5,156 | 50,804 | 26,788 | 24,016 |
| 1886-87 | 26,904 | 21,847 | 5,057 | 50,578 | 26,529 | 24,049 |
| 1885-86 | 26,837 | 21,797 | 5,040 | 50,371 | 26,345 | 24,026 |
| 1884-85 | 26,813 | 21,775 | 5,038 | 50,340 | 26,323 | 24,017 |

Abstract of Inventions for Year 1888-89
Inventors' names

| Month | Inventors' names | | Number of Inventions | Number of Patents | Percentage |
|-----------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | Number of Inventions | Number of Patents | | | |
| January | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| February | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| March | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| April | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| May | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| June | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| July | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| August | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| September | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| October | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| November | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| December | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 |
| Total | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 100 |

1888-89



Report of the Finance Committee

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

TABLE I.—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, accor-
ding 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 Per- sons 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 26 years, as will be seen from the following statement :—

TABLE II.

Shewing the RATEABLE VALUE for the last 26 years.

| Year. | | | | Rateable Value. | Increase. |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|-----------|
| | | | | £ | £ |
| 1863 | ... | ... | ... | 270,313 | ... |
| 1864 | ... | ... | ... | 287,757 | 17,444 |
| 1865 | ... | ... | ... | 311,079 | 23,322 |
| 1866 | ... | ... | ... | 362,882 | 51,803 |
| 1867 | ... | ... | ... | 388,209 | 25,327 |
| 1868 | ... | ... | ... | 414,314 | 26,105 |
| 1869 | ... | .. | ... | 445,344 | 31,030 |
| 1870 | ... | ... | ... | 465,762 | 20,418 |
| 1871 | ... | ... | ... | 500,807 | 35,045 |
| 1872 | ... | .. | ... | 504,543 | 3,736 |
| 1873 | ... | ... | ... | 508,368 | 3,825 |
| 1874 | ... | ... | ... | 520,834 | 12,466 |
| 1875 | ... | ... | ... | 583,260 | 62,426 |
| 1876 | ... | ... | ... | 599,624 | 16,364 |
| 1877 | ... | ... | ... | 635,991 | 36,367 |
| 1878 | ... | ... | ... | 696,978 | 60,987 |
| 1879 | ... | ... | ... | 723,375 | 26,397 |
| 1880 | ... | ... | ... | 778,998 | 55,623 |
| 1881 | ... | ... | ... | 866,199 | 87,201 |
| 1882 | ... | ... | ... | 907,433 | 41,234 |
| 1883 | ... | ... | ... | 923,928 | 16,495 |
| 1884 | ... | ... | ... | 951,811 | 27,883 |
| 1885 | ... | ... | ... | 979,841 | 28,030 |
| 1886 | ... | ... | ... | 1,010,407 | 30,566 |
| 1887 | ... | ... | ... | 1,030,905 | 20,498 |
| 1888 (Lady day, 1889) | | | | 1,036,340 | 5,435 |
| | | | | | 766,027* |

* Total Increase in 26 years.

In the year 1863, One Penny in the Pound produced about £1,000 after deduction for losses ; it now yields about £3,770.

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

APRIL 1889 RATE.

| Ward. | Number of Assessments. | Rateable Value. | Area in Acres. |
|--------|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| No. 1 | 4,780 | £ 93,110 | 200 |
| 2 | 4,550 | 101,481 | 240 |
| 3 | 3,861 | 118,037 | 280 |
| 4 | 6,036 | 147,439 | 370 |
| 5 | 7,761 | 212,923 | 830 |
| 6 | 10,862 | 363,350 | 2,422 |
| Total. | 37,850 | £1,036,340 | 4,342 |

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

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

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

OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS.

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

ON THE VESTRY RATES.

| Dr. | | £ | s. | d. |
|------------------------------------|--------|----------|----|----|
| To Cash in hand March 26th, 1888 | | 714 | 17 | 4 |
| „ Cash received from Rates, &c. | | 141,412 | 13 | 11 |
| | | <hr/> | | |
| | | £142,127 | 11 | 3 |
| | | <hr/> | | |
| Cr. | | | | |
| By Cash disbursed | | 140,722 | 18 | 5 |
| „ Balance in hand March 25th, 1889 | | 1,404 | 12 | 10 |
| | | <hr/> | | |
| | | £142,127 | 11 | 3 |
| | | <hr/> | | |

ON THE POOR RATE.

| Dr. | | £ | s. | d. |
|----------------------------------|--------|----------|----|----|
| To Cash received from Rates, &c. | | £116,209 | 2 | 10 |
| | | <hr/> | | |
| Cr. | | | | |
| By Cash disbursed | | £116,209 | 2 | 10 |
| | | <hr/> | | |

VESTRY ACCOUNT.

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|----|----|-----------------|----------|----------|
| To Cash in hand March 26th, 1888 | 3,423 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| „ do. on Deposit | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 13,423 | 12 | 8 |
| „ do. received during the year | | | | 140,493 | 13 | 8 |
| | | | | <u>£153,917</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>4</u> |
| | | | | | | |
| Cr. | | | | | | |
| By Cash expended during the year | | | | 151,564 | 17 | 2 |
| „ Balance in hand March 25th, 1889— | | | | | | |
| Current Account | | | | 2,352 | 9 | 2 |
| | | | | <u>£153,917</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>4</u> |

For particulars see detailed account.

VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS ACCOUNT).

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-------|----|----|----------------|----------|-----------|
| To Cash in hand, March 26th, 1888... .. | 465 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| „ Deposit Account | 4,800 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 5,265 | 9 | 5 |
| „ Cash received during the year | | | | 11,130 | 13 | 6 |
| | | | | <u>£16,396</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>11</u> |
| | | | | | | |
| Cr. | | | | | | |
| By Cash expended during the year | | | | 11,259 | 18 | 6 |
| „ Balance in hand March 25th, 1889— | | | | | | |
| Current Account | 336 | 4 | 5 | | | |
| Deposit Account | 4,800 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| | | | | <u>£16,396</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>11</u> |

BURIAL BOARD.

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------|
| To Cash in hand March 26th, 1888 | 3,177 | 15 | 7 |
| „ do. received for Interment Fees and other amounts | 3,648 | 15 | 8 |
| | | | <u>£6,826</u> |
| | | | <u>11</u> |
| | | | <u>3</u> |
| | | | |
| Cr. | | | |
| By Cash expended during the year... .. | 6,332 | 9 | 5 |
| „ Balance in hand March 25th, 1889 | 494 | 1 | 10 |
| | <u>£6,826</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>3</u> |

CHURCHWARDENS.

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-------|----|----|
| To Cash in hand March 26th, 1888 | 3 | 8 | 6 |
| „ do. received for Burial Fees | 158 | 8 | 8 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £161 | 17 | 2 |
| | <hr/> | | |

| Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-------|----|----|
| By Cash expended during the year | 54 | 10 | 3 |
| „ Balance in hand March 25th, 1889 | 107 | 6 | 11 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £161 | 17 | 2 |
| | <hr/> | | |

CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE.

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|----|----|
| To Cash in hand January 1st, 1888 | 1,153 | 14 | 7 |
| „ do. received during the year | 1,096 | 13 | 7 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £2,250 | 8 | 2 |
| | <hr/> | | |

| Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|----|----|
| By Cash expended during the year | 1,163 | 7 | 9 |
| „ Balance in hand for distribution for the year 1889 | 1,087 | 0 | 5 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £2,250 | 8 | 2 |
| | <hr/> | | |

CHARITY TRUSTEES.

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|----|----|
| To Cash in hand January 1st, 1888.. | 5 | 5 | 7 |
| „ do. received during the year | 1,151 | 18 | 8 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £1,157 | 4 | 3 |
| | <hr/> | | |

| Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|----|----|
| By Cash expended during the year | 1,148 | 5 | 4 |
| „ Balance in hand December 31st, 1888 | 8 | 18 | 11 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | £1,157 | 4 | 3 |
| | <hr/> | | |

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. |
|--|-----|----|-----|---------|----|----------|
| OVERSEER'S ACCOUNTS on the Vestry | | | | | | |
| Rates | | | | 1,404 | 12 | 10 |
| There are Liabilities amounting to ... | 611 | 0 | 7 | | | |
| From which deduct further Assets in the nature of arrears, amounting to ... | 285 | 19 | 11½ | | | |
| | | | | 325 | 0 | 7½ |
| Leaving a nett Balance in favour of the Rates of | | | | £1,079 | 12 | 2½ |
| OVERSEER'S ACCOUNT on the Poor Rate | | | | | | Balanced |
| There are Assets in the nature of Arrears of Rates, amounting to £234 19s. 5d. and Liabilities for Poundage amounting to £363 8s. 3d. | | | | | | |
| VESTRY ACCOUNT | | | | 2,352 | 9 | 2 |
| There are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to | | | | 13,244 | 11 | 3 |
| Leaving an amount overpaid of | | | | £10,892 | 2 | 1 |
| VESTRY ACCOUNT (NEW STREETS WORKS) | | | | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| Against which there are Liabilities (partly estimated) after deducting Assets, amounting to | | | | 4,301 | 7 | 0 |
| Leaving a Balance of | | | | £834 | 17 | 5 |
| BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNT | | | | 494 | 1 | 10 |
| Against which there are Liabilities after deducting Assets, amounting to | | | | 252 | 0 | 4 |
| Leaving a nett Balance in hand of | | | | £242 | 1 | 6 |
| CHURCHWARDENS' ACCOUNT | | | | £107 | 6 | 11 |
| CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE'S ACCOUNT | | | | £1,087 | 0 | 5 |
| TRUSTEES OF CHARITY ESTATES' ACCOUNT ... | | | | £8 | 18 | 11 |

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Parishioners.

EDWARD FOSKETT,
Chairman.

ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

An Account in Abstract

OF

CASH RECEIVED AND EXPENDED

BY THE

VESTRY OF THIS PARISH

FROM THE

26th March, 1888, to the 25th March, 1889.

GENERAL RATE.

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----------|---------|----|----|
| To Cash Balance, March 26th, 1888, as per last Annual Report (page 169) ... | | 8,226 | 3 | 0 |
| OVERSEERS. | | | | |
| To order of Vestry, 1888 ... | | 74,463 | 4 | 9 |
| INTEREST ON DEPOSIT ACCOUNT. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 50 | 14 | 6 |
| RENT ACCOUNT (Park Road Cottage and 80, Henslowe Road). | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 28 | 4 | 0 |
| REPAIRS TO ROADS AFTER OPENING TRENCHES. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 1,277 | 5 | 11 |
| DEPOSITS ON SCAFFOLD, &c. LICENSES. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 196 | 10 | 0 |
| SUNDRY ACCOUNTS. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 238 | 18 | 6 |
| SALE OF ROAD SWEEPINGS, MANURE, &c. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 48 | 7 | 3 |
| DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 330 | 0 | 0 |
| REPAIRS TO ROADS. | | | | |
| To Cash ... | | 100 | 14 | 9 |
| Carried forward ... | | £84,960 | 2 | 8 |

| Expenditure. | £ | s. | d. | Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------|----|----|-----|---------|----|----|
| MATERIALS. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash to Contractors ... | | | | | 6,940 | 5 | 8 |
| SLOPPING AND WATERING. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash, Working Expenses (including £11,152 for Labour and £2,472 3s. 10d. for Removal of Street Refuse by barge). | 19,248 | 18 | 11 | | | | |
| By Cash, Works Account (for Repairs to Depôts, &c.) ... | 137 | 2 | 0 | | | | |
| By Cash, Plant Account (for New Plant) ... | 704 | 3 | 11 | | | | |
| GLENGALL WHARF. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash, Moiety of Rent, &c. ... | 91 | 1 | 10 | | 20,181 | 6 | 8 |
| PARISH ROADS. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash ... | | | | | 2,949 | 13 | 1 |
| LONDON SCHOOL BOARD. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash, Amount of Precept, dated 1st March, 1888 ... | 16,731 | 5 | 3 | | | | |
| By do. do. 5th July, 1888 ... | 16,803 | 1 | 4 | | | | |
| By do. Election Expenses, 1888 ... | 302 | 10 | 10 | | 33,836 | 17 | 5 |
| INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash ... | | | | | 839 | 18 | 4 |
| Carried forward ... | | | | | £64,748 | 1 | 2 |

THE BOARD OF ADVISORS

OF THE

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

AT THE

MEETING OF

THE

BOARD OF ADVISORS

ON

THE

PROPOSAL

FOR

THE

ESTABLISHMENT

OF

A

DEPARTMENT

OF

PHYSICS

AND

A

DEPARTMENT

OF

CHEMISTRY

AND

MINERALOGY

AND

GENERAL

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ s. d. |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|
| To Amount brought forward | ... | 84,960 2 8 |
| Carried forward | | 84,960 2 8 |

RATE.—Continued.

| Expenditure. | £ s. d. | Cr. | £ s. d. |
|--|---------|----------|-------------|
| By Amount brought forward | ... | | 64,748 1 2 |
| HIGHWAYS LABOUR. | | | |
| By Cash | ... | | 2,868 9 10 |
| SCAFFOLD, &c., LICENSES. | | | |
| By Cash, Return of Deposits | ... | | 158 4 6 |
| ASSESSMENT EXPENSES. | | | |
| By Cash | ... | | 155 0 0 |
| RENT OF WHARFS (HIGHWAYS). | | | |
| By Cash | ... | | 311 8 9 |
| REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT. | | | |
| By Cash paid Metropolitan Board of Works, 16th Instalment of Loan of £8,000, due October 1st, 1888 | ... | 420 0 0 | |
| 9th Instalment of Loan of £17,000, due January 1st, 1889 | ... | 850 0 0 | |
| 8th Instalment of Loan of £12,500, due April 1st, 1888 | ... | 625 0 0 | |
| By Cash paid London Life Association, 14th Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due July 29th, 1888 | ... | 666 13 4 | |
| By Cash paid General Assurance Company, 13th Instalment of Loan of £4,500, due February 23rd, 1889 | ... | 225 0 0 | |
| | | | 2,786 13 4 |
| Carried forward | ... | | 71,027 17 7 |

GENERAL

| Dr. | Receipts | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|----|----|
| To Amount brought forward | | 84,960 | 2 | 8 |
| £84,960 2 8 | | | | |

RATE.—Continued.

| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|-------|----|----|---------|----|----|
| Expenditure. | Cr. | | | | | | |
| By Amount brought forward | | | | | 77,753 | 6 | 7 |
| MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. | | | | | | | |
| By Cash for Printing and Stationery ... | | 432 | 11 | 8 | | | |
| „ Establishment Charges and Sundries ... | | 757 | 13 | 9 | | | |
| One-third to this rate of ... | | 1,190 | 5 | 5 | 396 | 15 | 2 |
| By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account | | | | | 78,150 | 1 | 9 |
| | | | | | 6,810 | 0 | 11 |
| | | | | | £84,960 | 2 | 8 |

GENERAL RATE.—Continued.

| Dr. | Liabilities (Partly Estimated.) | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | Assets (Partly Estimated.) | £ | s. | d. | Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|-----|--|---|----|----|--------|----|----|--|----|----|----|-----|--------|----|----|
| | MATERIALS. | | | | | | | By Balance from Cash Account | | | | | 6,810 | 0 | 11 |
| To | Amounts due | | | | 1,806 | 5 | 11 | By Accounts due to Vestry, viz. :— | | | | | | | |
| | SLOPPING AND WATERING. | | | | | | | Repairs to Roads | 60 | 18 | 11 | | | | |
| To | Amounts due for Removal by Barge, Repairs to Hydrants, Rent of Dépôt, Insurance, Water for Roads, Repairs and Sundries | | | | 1,500 | 17 | 3 | Sale of Road Sweepings, Manure, &c. (estimated to produce) | 10 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| „ | Amounts due for Fodder | | | | 517 | 19 | 6 | Sundries | 67 | 0 | 6 | | | | |
| | GLENGALL WHARF. | | | | | | | | | | | | 137 | 19 | 0 |
| To | Amounts due for Rates, Gas, Water, Rent, &c., | | | | 29 | 17 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| | MASON'S GENERAL WORKS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts due for Stone, Lime, &c., &c. ... | | | | 302 | 13 | 5 | | | | | | | | |
| | PARISH ROADS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts due for Tar Paving Footpaths, &c. | | | | 91 | 13 | 6 | | | | | | | | |
| | INTEREST AND INSTALMENT OF LOANS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts due to London County Council | | | | 795 | 3 | 7 | | | | | | | | |
| | SYDENHAM HILL. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amount due to Lewisham Board of Works for Moiety of Maintenance | | | | 190 | 10 | 11 | | | | | | | | |
| | DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts due to Contractors | | | | 220 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | |
| | RENT ACCOUNT. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts due | | | | 169 | 13 | 10 | | | | | | | | |
| | SCAFFOLD, &c., LICENSES. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To | Amounts Returnable to Owners (esti- mated at) | | | | 308 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | | |
| | Carried forward | | | | £5,873 | 5 | 0 | Carried forward | | | | | £6,948 | 0 | 4 |

GENERAL

| Dr. | Estimated Liabilities—Continued. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----------------------------------|-------|----|----|
| To Amount brought forward | | 5,873 | 5 | 0 |
| INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS. | | | | |
| To Amounts due for Ironmongery, Timber and Sundries | | 62 | 18 | 4 |
| PROVISION FOR SPECIAL WORKS. | | | | |
| To Amount yet to be expended | | 2,322 | 0 | 0 |
| MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. | | | | |
| To one-third of £290 7s. 6d., chargeable to this Rate | | 96 | 15 | 10 |

£8,354 19 2

RATE.—Continued.

| Estimated Assets.—Continued. | Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|------------------------------------|-----|-------|----|----|
| By Amount brought forward | | 6,948 | 0 | 4 |
| By Balance against the Rate | | 1,406 | 18 | 10 |

£8,354 19 2

NEW STREETS

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----------|--------|----|----|---------|----|------|
| To Balance, March 26th, 1888, as per last Annual Report. folio 175 | | | | | 5,265 | 9 | 5 |
| To Cash, Contributions from Owners, from March 26th, 1888, to March 25th, 1889 | | 10,602 | 2 | 5 | | | |
| „ Cash, Costs | | | 4 | 8 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | 10,606 | 10 | 5 |
| To Cash, Sundries, viz. :— | | | | | | | |
| Interest on Deposit Account | | 82 | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Returns on Re-apportionment not called for | | 56 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| Part of Extra Cost of Asphalte and Masons' Work at Alleyn Park, per Vestry | | 385 | 12 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 524 | 3 | 1 |
| | | | | | £16,396 | | 2 11 |

Estimated Liabilities.

| | | | |
|---|---------|----|-----|
| To Amounts due to Contractors, Reductions on Re-apportionment, &c, &c. | 11,956 | 18 | 8 |
| To Unclaimed Returns | 116 | 18 | 10 |
| To Sundries | 20 | 11 | 9 |
| To Balance | 834 | 17 | 5 |
| | | | |
| | £12,929 | | 6 8 |

WORKS.

| Expenditure. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------|----|----|---------|----|------|
| By Payments from Lady-day, 1888, to Lady-day, 1889, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| Cash to Contractors, &c. | 10,198 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| Returns to Owners on Re-apportionment | 690 | 16 | 7 | | | |
| Salaries, Incidentals, &c. | 370 | 15 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | 11,259 | 18 | 6 |
| By Balance to Assets and Liabilities Account | | | | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| | | | | £16,396 | | 2 11 |

Assets.

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---|-----|
| By Balance from Cash Account | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| By Amounts due from Owners | 7,793 | 2 | 3 |
| | | | |
| | £12,929 | | 6 8 |

SEWERS

| Dr. | Receipts. | £. | s. | d. |
|--|-----------|--------|----|----|
| To Balance in hand March 26th, 1888, as per last Annual Report, page 181 | | 577 | 1 | 2 |
| OVERSEERS | | | | |
| To Order of Vestry, 1888 | | 15,416 | 9 | 11 |
| PRIVATE DRAINS. | | | | |
| To Cash from Owners of Property | | 493 | 6 | 5 |
| NEW SEWERS. | | | | |
| To Cash from Owners of Property | | 120 | 6 | 10 |
| ADULTERATION ACT. | | | | |
| To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs | | 25 | 9 | 6 |
| NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT. | | | | |
| To Cash from Police Court for Fines and Costs | | 3 | 11 | 6 |
| SALE OF MANURE <i>re</i> DUSTING. | | | | |
| To Cash | | 11 | 19 | 9 |
| DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS. | | | | |
| To Cash from Contractors | | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| SUNDRIES. | | | | |
| To Cash | | 36 | 5 | 3 |
| Carried forward | | 16,704 | 10 | 4 |

RATE.

| Expenditure. | £. | s. | d. | Cr. |
|--|-----|----|----|------------|
| SEWERS GENERAL WORKS. | | | | |
| By Cash paid | | | | 1,411 11 5 |
| REPAYMENT OF LOANS ACCOUNT. | | | | |
| By Cash paid, viz. :— | | | | |
| London Life Association, 21st Instalment of Loan of £23,000, due May 1st, 1888 | 766 | 13 | 4 | ✓ |
| 22nd Instalment of Loan of £10,000, due 29th Sept., 1888 | 333 | 6 | 8 | ✓ |
| Atlas Assurance Company, 23rd Instalment of Loan of £26,000, due January 31st, 1889 | 866 | 13 | 4 | ✓ |
| | | | | 1,966 13 4 |
| INTEREST ON LOANS. | | | | |
| By Cash paid, viz. :— | | | | |
| London Life Association | 354 | 5 | 4 | ✓ |
| Do do. | 145 | 18 | 9 | ✓ |
| Atlas Assurance Company | 338 | 0 | 0 | ✓ |
| | | | | 838 4 1 |
| SMALL BILLS. | | | | |
| By Cash paid | | | | 32 14 4 |
| DISINFECTING. | | | | |
| By Cash paid for attending Machine, Repairs to Apparatus, Compensation, Disinfecting Powder, &c. | | | | 266 18 10 |
| PRIVATE DRAINS. | | | | |
| By Cash returned to Owners | | | | 16 16 9 |
| INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS. | | | | |
| By Cash paid | | | | 420 2 4 |
| Carried forward | | | | 4,953 1 1 |

| <u>SEWERS</u> | | <u>RATE</u> —Continued. | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------|
| Dr. | Receipts. | Expenditure. | Cr. |
| | | | |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. |
| To Amount brought forward | 16,704 10 4 | By Amount brought forward | 4,953 1 1 |
| | | NUISANCES REMOVAL ACT. | |
| | | By Cash paid for Summonses, &c. | 52 15 7 |
| | | ADULTERATION ACT. | |
| | | By Cash paid Analyst, Summonses, Samples, &c. | 196 13 5 |
| | | LABOUR. | |
| | | By Cash advanced for Flushing, &c. | 1,320 14 11 |
| | | DUST REMOVAL. | |
| | | PLANT, &c., By Cash for Vans & Baskets ... | 89 9 2 |
| | | WORKS, &c., By Cash, Repairs to Depôt ... | 1 17 0 |
| | | WORKING EXPENSES, By Cash, Fodder, Repairs to Carts, Harness, &c., Veterinary Attendance, Barging, &c., &c., (including £2,109 labour | 6,629 11 4 |
| | | GLENGALL WHARF. | |
| | | By Cash, Moiety of Rent, Rates, Sundries, &c. | 91 1 4 |
| | | | <hr/> 6,811 18 10 |
| | | DEPOSITS WITH TENDERS. | |
| | | By Cash Returned | 40 0 0 |
| | | SALARIES. | |
| | | By Cash paid Foreman of Sewers | 130 0 0 |
| | | „ Cash paid Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Sur- veyor and other Officers, One Year, £2,420 0s. 0d., One third to this Rate | 806 13 4 |
| | | „ Cash paid Salaries of Medical Officer and Inspectors of Nuisances, One Year, £943 5s. 0d., One-half to this Rate ... | 471 12 6 |
| Carried forward | <hr/> £16,704 10 4 | Carried forward | <hr/> £14,783 9 8 |

STATEMENT OF MONEY RAISED ON MORTGAGE BY THE VESTRY.

| Date of Mortgage. | Name of Mortgagee. | Nature of Security. | Amount Borrowed. | For what Purpose. | Rate of Interest. | Term of years. | Annual Instalment. | Amount repaid to March 25th, 1889. | Balance due. |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
| | | | £ | | per cent. | years. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Feb. 24th, 1864 | Pelican Life Assurance Company | Sewers Rate | 8,000 | New Sewers | 4½ | 20 | 400 0 0 | 8,000 0 0 | ... |
| June 23rd, 1865 | Hand-in-Hand Fire Insurance Company | Sewers Rate | 13,000 | Do. Do. | 5 | 20 | 650 0 0 | 13,000 0 0 | ... |
| Jan. 31st, 1866 | Atlas Life Assurance Company | Sewers Rate | 26,000 | Do. Do. | 5 | 30 | 866 13 4 | 19,933 6 8 | 6,066 13 4 |
| Sept. 5th, 1866 | London Life Association | Sewers Rate | 10,000 | Do. Do. | 5 | 30 | 333 6 8 | 7,333 6 8 | 2,666 13 4 |
| Mar. 14th, 1867 | London Joint Stock Bank | General Rate | 6,000 | General Purposes | 4 | ½ | ... | 6,000 0 0 | ... |
| May 8th, 1867 | London Life Association | Sewers Rate | 23,000 | New Sewers | 5 | 30 | 766 13 4 | 16,100 0 0 | 6,900 0 0 |
| Nov. 6th, 1872 | Metropolitan Board of Works | General Rate | 8,000 | New Vestry Hall | 3½ | 20 | *... | 6,740 0 0 | 1,260 0 0 |
| July 29th, 1874 | London Life Association | General Rate | 10,000 | York Paving | 4½ | 15 | 666 13 4 | 9,333 6 8 | 666 13 4 |
| July 29th, 1874 | London Life Association | General Rate | 5,000 | Tar Paving | 4½ | 6 | 833 6 8 | 5,000 0 0 | ... |
| Feb. 23rd, 1876 | General Assurance Company | General Rate | 4,500 | New Vestry Hall | 4½ | 20 | 225 0 0 | 2,925 0 0 | 1,575 0 0 |
| Oct. 4th, 1876 | General Assurance Company | General Rate | 5,000 | Tar Paving | 4½ | 6 | 833 6 8 | 5,000 0 0 | ... |
| May 28th, 1879 | General Assurance Company | General Rate | 6,000 | Slopping, &c., Plant | 4½ | 5 | 1,200 0 0 | 6,000 0 0 | ... |
| Mar. 16th, 1880 | Metropolitan Board of Works | General Rate | 17,000 | Granite Pitching | 3½ | 20 | 850 0 0 | 7,650 0 0 | 9,350 0 0 |
| May 13th, 1880 | Metropolitan Board of Works | General Rate | 12,500 | Do. Do. | 3½ | 20 | 625 0 0 | 5,000 0 0 | 7,500 0 0 |
| | | | 154,000 | | | | | 118,015 0 0 | 35,985 0 0 |

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* £410 the first year and £420 the remainder of the time

SEWERS RATE.

ESTIMATED LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

| Dr. | Liabilities (Partly Estimated). | £ s. d. |
|------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| GENERAL WORKS. | | |
| To | Amount due for Drains, Repairs to Sewers, &c. | 454 3 9 |
| DUST REMOVAL. | | |
| To | Amount due for Barging, Repairs to Harness, Dust Shoots, &c. | 1,049 6 11 |
| GLENGALL WHARF. | | |
| To | Amount due for Gas, Water, Rent, &c. ... | 29 6 5 |
| DISINFECTNIG. | | |
| To | Amount due for Powder, &c. | 13 18 0 |
| INCIDENTAL ACCOUNTS. | | |
| To | Amount due for Water to Urinals, Repairs, Drain Eyes, Registrars' Returns, &c. | 130 17 3 |
| PRIVATE DRAINAGE. | | |
| To | Amount Returnable to Owners | 178 5 10 |
| SMALL BILLS. | | |
| To | Amount due... .. | 9 17 7 |
| DEPOSIT WITH TENDER | | |
| To | Amount due to Contractor | 10 0 0 |
| INTEREST ON LOAN. | | |
| To | Amount due | 65 0 0 |
| PROVISION FOR SPECIAL WORKS. | | |
| To | Amount yet to be expended | 100 0 0 |
| MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. | | |
| To | One-third of £290 7s. 6d. to this Rate ... | 96 15 10 |
| | | <u>£2,137 11 7</u> |
| To | Balance in favour of Rate | 32 8 6 |
| | | <u>£2,170 0 1</u> |

SEWERS RATE.—Continued.

| Assets. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| By Balance from Cash Account | | 1,524 5 6 |
| By Accounts due to Vestry, viz. :— | | |
| For Sewers Sundries | 6 8 4 | |
| For Dust... .. | 13 12 0 | |
| | <u>20 0 4</u> | |
| NEW SEWERS. | | |
| By Contributions due from Owners | | 317 9 6 |
| PRIVATE DRAINS. | | |
| By Amounts due from Owners | | 308 4 9 |
| | | <u>£2,170 0 1</u> |

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LIGHTING RATE.

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----------|--------|----|----|
| To Balance March 26th 1888, as per last Annual Report, page 187 | | 4,620 | 2 | 1 |
| OVERSEERS. | | | | |
| To Order of Vestry, 1888 | | 12,491 | 19 | 2 |

£17,112 1 3

| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--|--------|----|----|--------------------------------|----|----|
| | | | | | Cr. | | |
| | | | | | GAS FOR STREET LAMPS. | | |
| By Cash paid South Metropolitan Gas Co. ... | | 10,373 | 14 | 11 | | | |
| „ Do. do. Crystal Palace District Gas Co. ... | | 714 | 16 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 11,088 | 11 | 6 |
| | | | | | SYDENHAM HILL. | | |
| By Cash paid Lewisham Board of Works, moiety of Lighting | | | | | 44 | 18 | 8 |
| | | | | | SALARIES. | | |
| By Cash paid Salaries of Vestry Clerk, Surveyor, and other Officers, £2,420. One-third to this Rate | | | | | 806 | 13 | 4 |
| | | | | | MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. | | |
| By Cash paid £1,190 5s. 5d., One-third to this Rate | | | | | 396 | 15 | 1 |
| | | | | | 12,336 | 18 | 7 |
| By Balance carried to Assets and Liabilities Account | | | | | 4,775 | 2 | 8 |

£17,112 1 3

LIGHTING RATE.—Continued.

| Dr. | Liabilities. | Assets. | Cr. |
|-----|---|------------------------------|-----------|
| | | | £ s. d. |
| | GAS FOR STREET LAMPS. | | |
| | To South Metropolitan Gas Company and Crystal Palace District Gas Company... | By Balance from Cash Account | 4 775 2 8 |
| | 2,794 5 2 | | |
| | SYDENHAM HILL. | | |
| | To Lewisham Board of Works, moiety of Lighting t. Lady-day, 1889 | | |
| | 44 13 6 | | |
| | PROVISION FOR ADDITIONAL LAMPS & SPECIAL WORKS. | | |
| | To Amount yet to be expended | | |
| | 600 0 0 | | |
| | MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES. | | |
| | To One-third of £290 7s. 6d. to this Rate ... | | |
| | 96 15 10 | | |
| | 3,535 14 6 | | |
| | To Balance in favour of Rate | | |
| | 1,239 8 2 | | |

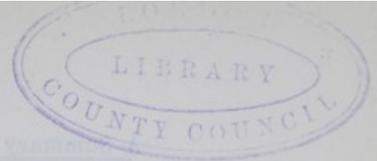
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£4,775 2 8

METROPOLITAN

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ s. d. |
|---|-----------|--------------------|
| To Balance March 26th, 1888, as per last Annual Report, page 191 | | 0 6 5 |
| OVERSEERS. | | |
| To Order of Vestry, 1888 | | 35,140 5 8 |
| | | <u>35,140 12 1</u> |
| To Balance against the Rate, March 25th, 1889 | | 10,756 19 11 |

£45,897 12 0



CONSOLIDATED RATE.

| Expenditure. | £ s. d. | Cr. | £ s. d. |
|--|--------------|-----|--------------------|
| METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS. | | | |
| By Cash, Amount of Precept dated 20th January, 1888 | 35,140 12 1 | | |
| By Cash, Amount of Precept dated February 1st, 1889 | 10,756 19 11 | | |
| | | | <u>45,897 12 0</u> |

£45,897 12 0

A Summary of Cash Received and Expended

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------|----|----|---------|----|----|
| To Cash at Bankers March 26th, 1888, as per last Annual Report, page 193 | 3,423 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| „ Cash on deposit do. | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 13,423 | 12 | 8 |
| GENERAL RATE. | | | | | | |
| To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 76,733 | 19 | 8 |
| SEWERS RATE. | | | | | | |
| To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 16,127 | 9 | 2 |
| LIGHTING RATE. | | | | | | |
| To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 12,491 | 19 | 2 |
| METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE. | | | | | | |
| To Amount received in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 35,140 | 5 | 8 |
| | | | | 153,917 | 6 | 4 |

NEW STREETS

| | | | | | | |
|--|-------|---|---|---------|----|----|
| To Cash at Bankers March 26th, 1888 | 465 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| „ Cash on deposit do. | 4,800 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 5,265 | 9 | 5 |
| To Amount received during the year | | | | 11,130 | 13 | 6 |
| | | | | £16,396 | 2 | 11 |

| Dr. | Balance. | £ | s. | d. |
|----------------------------|----------|---------|----|----|
| To General Rate | | 6,810 | 0 | 11 |
| „ Sewers Rate | | 1,524 | 5 | 6 |
| „ Lighting Rate | | 4,775 | 2 | 8 |
| „ New Streets Works | | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| | | £18,245 | 13 | 6 |

From March 26th, 1888, to March 25th, 1889.

| Cr. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|----------|----|----|
| GENERAL RATE. | | | | | | |
| By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 78,150 | 1 | 9 |
| SEWERS RATE. | | | | | | |
| By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 15,180 | 4 | 10 |
| LIGHTING RATE. | | | | | | |
| By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 12,336 | 18 | 7 |
| METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE. | | | | | | |
| By Amount paid in respect of this Rate during the year | | | | 45,897 | 12 | 0 |
| | | | | 151,564 | 17 | 2 |
| By Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1889, less Outstanding Cheques | | | | 2,352 | 9 | 2 |
| | | | | £153,917 | 6 | 4 |

WORKS ACCOUNT.

| | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|---------|----|----|
| By Amount paid during the year | | | | 11,259 | 18 | 6 |
| „ Balance at Bankers, March 25th, 1889, less outstanding Cheques | | | | 336 | 4 | 5 |
| „ Cash on Deposit | | | | 4,800 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | 5,136 | 4 | 5 |
| | | | | £16,396 | 2 | 11 |

| Balance. | Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|---------|----|----|
| By Consolidated Rate | | 10,756 | 19 | 11 |
| „ Cash at Bankers (Current Accounts) | | 2,688 | 13 | 7 |
| „ Cash on Deposit Account | | 4,800 | 0 | 0 |
| | | £18,245 | 13 | 6 |

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, 1888, to the 25th day of March, 1889, and the items therein comprised, and having found such Accounts correct, do now sign the same, in token of our allowance thereof.

Dated this 29th day of May, 1889, and continued by adjournment until the 27th day of July, 1889.

WILLIAM DAVIS, *Chairman*,
 J. MCKIE,
 W. B. PARNELL,
 W. CHAS. W. VINCENT, C.A.,

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, 1889.*

VESTRY HALL, CAMBERWELL,

July 27th, 1889.

GENTLEMEN,

We, being the duly appointed Auditors of the above Parish, have to report, that in accordance with the provisions of the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855, we have carefully examined and audited the Books of Accounts with the Vouchers relating thereto for the period from the 26th March, 1888, to the 25th of March, 1889, both days inclusive, and submit the following report thereon.

That having examined the Rate Books with Collectors' receipts, and the Vestry General Accounts, we are satisfied with the correctness of the same.

With regard to the Burial Board Accounts your Auditors are pleased to report that all the books, including those kept by the Superintendent at the Cemetery, are in perfect order.

Re, the Charity Accounts:—We again notice that in some instances monies from the Samaritan Fund have been

given more than once to the same persons, by different distributors. We would therefore recommend that a district be assigned to each distributor, and that no persons should receive any sum outside the district in which they reside.

In conclusion, your Auditors beg to acknowledge the courtesy of the various heads, and take this opportunity of thanking them for the valuable assistance rendered by them.

WILLIAM DAVIS, *Chairman*,
 J. MCKIE,
 W. B. PARNELL,
 W. CHAS. W. VINCENT, C.A.

} *Auditors of the*
 } *Parish of S^t. Giles,*
 } *Camberwell.*

To the Chairman and Members of the
Camberwell Vestry.

VESTRY RATES made APRIL 7th, 1888, and
 METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE
 BEARERS RATE
 LIGHTING RATE
 GENERAL RATE

| Amount to Credit | Amount to Debit | Balance at Close |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 1,812 6 | | |
| 1,242 18 | | |
| 783 4 | | |
| 750 0 | | |
| 718 1 | | |
| 370 12 | | |
| 74 18 | | |
| 152 10 | | |
| 188 12 | | |
| 21 12 | | |
| 1,812 6 | | |

OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS

From 26th March, 1888, to 25th March, 1889.

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VESTRY RATES made APRIL 7th, 1888, and OCTOBER 6th, 1888, and ARREARS of 1887.

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| METROPOLITAN CONSOLIDATED RATE, at | 9½d. in the Pound | } ... | £ s. d. |
| SEWERS RATE | 4d. in the Pound | | |
| LIGHTING RATE | 3¼d. in the Pound | | |
| GENERAL RATE | s. 8¼d. in the Pound | | |
| Arrears of last year ... | | | 207 2 3 |
| s. 1d. | | | <u>£160,062 12 1½</u> |

| Districts. | Amount charged, including £4 17s. 6d. short-paid at Lady-day, 1888. | Collected and paid into Bankers, including £3 5s. 4½d. overpaid at Lady-day, 1888. | Arrears March 25th, 1889. | Allowed to Owners. |
|--------------------------|---|--|---------------------------|--------------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| St. George's Ward, No. 1 | 14,060 19 10½ | 11,916 12 11 | 19 12 3 | 1,342 5 11 |
| St. George's Ward, No. 2 | 14,977 10 6 | 12,982 0 1 | 5 10 3 | 1,242 18 2½ |
| Camden Ward, No. 3 ... | 13,937 5 1½ | 12,090 11 3½ | 23 4 3 | 763 4 2½ |
| Peckham Ward, No. 4 ... | 9,900 18 6 | 8,207 6 2 | 23 0 6 | 778 0 4½ |
| Peckham Ward, No. 4a... | 8,695 9 8 | 7,488 7 4 | 26 5 9 | 594 6 8½ |
| Peckham Ward, No. 5 ... | 13,818 13 2½ | 11,891 3 7½ | 40 15 3 | 748 1 9½ |
| Peckham Ward, No. 5a ... | 14,239 1 10½ | 12,257 18 8 | 28 8 6 | 579 12 2½ |
| Camberwell Ward, No. 6 | 14,764 15 9½ | 13,257 6 7 | 35 6 11½ | 74 18 6 |
| Camberwell Ward, No. 6a | 8,868 10 11 | 7,412 11 4 | 14 10 3 | 162 16 3 |
| East Dulwich Ward, No. 6 | 17,314 2 1½ | 14,529 1 7¾ | 56 0 6 | 423 12 3 |
| Dulwich Ward, No. 6 .. | 12,768 3 8½ | 11,917 7 9 | 13 5 6 | 24 17 7 |
| Public Companies ... | 16,717 0 10 | 16,716 13 2 | | |
| | <u>160,062 12 1½</u> | <u>140,667 0 6½</u> | <u>285 19 11½</u> | <u>6,734 14 0½</u> |

| Amount Legally Excused. | Empties. | Reduced on Appeal. | Totals. | Short-paid. | Over-paid. |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 68 7 1½ | 684 3 1½ | 28 12 4 | 14,059 13 7½ | 1 6 3 | |
| 31 12 5½ | 688 16 0½ | 26 13 5 | 14,977 10 6 | | |
| 39 18 4 | 990 7 9½ | 29 19 11 | 13,937 5 9½ | | 0 0 7½ |
| 26 18 9 | 830 0 5½ | 35 11 3 | 9,900 17 6 | 0 1 0 | |
| 15 5 0 | 552 19 5½ | 18 5 5½ | 8,695 9 8½ | | 0 0 0½ |
| 46 14 6 | 1,069 19 1½ | 21 19 9 | 13,818 14 0½ | | 0 0 9½ |
| 51 3 7½ | 1,279 1 1½ | 42 17 8 | 14,239 1 10 | 0 0 0½ | |
| 42 18 3½ | 1,298 11 0½ | 56 16 2 | 14,765 17 6 | | 1 1 8½ |
| 20 7 0½ | 1,213 16 7½ | 44 10 10 | 8,868 12 4 | | 0 1 5 |
| 52 14 5 | 2,192 13 9½ | 59 7 9½ | 17,313 10 5 | 0 11 8½ | |
| 20 1 6½ | 726 15 3½ | 65 16 2 | 12,768 3 10 | | 0 0 1½ |
| | 7 15 2 | 2 12 6 | 16,727 0 10 | | 10 0 0 |
| <u>416 1 0½</u> | <u>11,534 19 0½</u> | <u>433 3 3</u> | <u>160,071 17 10½</u> | <u>1 19 0</u> | <u>11 4 9</u> |

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Add short-paid ... | 1 19 0 |
| | <u>160,073 16 10½</u> |
| Deduct over-paid ... | 11 4 9 |
| | <u>£160,062 12 1½</u> |

THE BOARD OF ADVISORS

OF THE

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

AT THE

MEETING OF

THE

BOARD OF ADVISORS

ON

THE

PROPOSAL

FOR

THE

ESTABLISHMENT

OF

A

DEPARTMENT

OF

PHYSICS

AND

A

DEPARTMENT

OF

CHEMISTRY

VESTRY RATES.

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|--|----------------|---------|----------------------|
| To Cash Balance in hand, March 26th, 1888 | | | 714 17 4 |
| „ Do. received on 1888 Rates, and Arrears of former Rates | | | 140,663 15 2 |
| „ Cash Sundries, viz. :— | | | |
| Summons and Warrant Fees .. | 458 18 9 | | |
| Return <i>re</i> Registration Expenses | 200 0 0 | | |
| Do. Election Expenses | 90 0 0 | | |
| | <u>290 0 0</u> | | 748 18 9 |
| | | | <u>£142,127 11 3</u> |

| Expenditure. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | Cr. |
|---|---------------------|---------|----------------------|
| By Cash paid to Vestry, viz. :— | | | |
| General Rate, Order 1888 | 74,463 4 9 | | |
| Sewers Rate, Order 1888 | 15,416 9 11 | | |
| Lighting Rate, Order 1888 | 12,491 19 2 | | |
| Metropolitan Consolidated Rate, Order 1888 | 35,140 5 8 | | |
| | <u>137,511 19 6</u> | | |
| By Cash Collectors' Poundage | | | 1,451 19 1 |
| „ do. Salaries of Clerks | | | 695 4 2 |
| „ do. Other Disbursements, viz. :— | | | |
| Printing and Stationery | 316 14 0 | | |
| Stamps used in Collection | 160 16 0 | | |
| „ do. Sundry Expenses (including £290 returned to this Account, see Contra) | 586 5 8 | | |
| | <u>1,063 15 8</u> | | |
| | | | <u>140,722 18 5</u> |
| By Balance to Assets and Liabilities ... | | | 1,404 12 10 |
| | | | <u>£142,127 11 3</u> |

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

WILLIAM DAVIS, *Chairman*,

J. MCKIE,

W. B. PARNELL,

W. CHAS. W. VINCENT, C.A.

Auditors of
the Parish of
St. Giles,
Camberwell.

July, 1889.

Extract from POOR RATES made ARBITRARY

At 28

| Year | Rate | Amount of Rates at 28.63 in the | Year | Rate | Amount of Rates at 28.63 in the |
|------|------|---------------------------------|------|------|---------------------------------|
| 1871 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1872 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1873 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1874 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1875 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1876 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1877 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1878 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1879 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1880 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1881 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1882 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1883 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1884 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1885 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1886 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1887 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1888 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1889 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1890 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1891 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1892 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1893 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1894 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1895 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1896 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1897 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1898 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1899 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1900 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1901 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1902 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1903 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1904 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1905 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1906 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1907 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1908 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1909 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1910 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1911 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1912 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1913 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1914 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1915 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1916 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1917 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1918 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1919 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1920 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1921 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1922 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1923 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1924 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1925 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1926 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1927 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1928 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1929 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1930 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1931 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1932 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1933 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1934 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1935 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1936 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1937 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1938 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1939 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1940 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1941 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1942 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1943 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1944 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1945 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1946 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1947 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1948 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1949 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1950 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1951 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1952 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1953 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1954 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1955 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1956 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1957 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1958 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1959 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1960 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1961 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1962 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1963 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1964 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1965 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1966 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1967 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1968 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1969 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1970 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1971 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1972 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1973 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1974 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1975 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1976 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1977 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1978 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1979 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1980 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1981 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1982 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1983 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1984 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1985 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1986 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1987 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1988 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1989 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1990 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1991 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1992 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1993 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1994 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1995 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1996 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1997 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 1998 | 2 | 11,382 10 |
| 1999 | 2 | 11,382 10 | 2000 | 2 | 11,382 10 |

Extract from POOR RATES made APRIL 7th, 1888, and OCTOBER 6th, 1888, and Arrears of 1887.

At 2s. 6d. in the £.

| Districts. | Amount of Rates at 2s. 6d. in the £, and arrears due at the time of making the April Rate. | | Collected. | | Arrears March 25th, 1889. | | Allowed to Owners. | Amount legally excused. | Empties. | Reduced on Appeal. | Totals. | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-----------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------|--------------------|---------|---------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | | | | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Ward 1, St. George's Arrears | 11,381 10 7½ | 13 19 7 | 11,395 10 2½ | 9,670 6 11¾ | 12 1 10½ | 1,090 11 4¼ | 44 14 9¾ | 554 10 2¼ | 23 5 0 | 11,395 10 2½ | | |
| Ward 2, St. George's Arrears | 12,141 15 7½ | 2 11 4 | 12,144 6 11½ | 10,531 17 9 | 4 11 10½ | 1,007 17 6¾ | 20 14 4½ | 557 16 0¼ | 21 9 4½ | 12,144 6 11½ | | |
| Ward 3, Camden Arrears | 11,273 16 4½ | 16 1 3½ | 11,289 17 8 | 9,794 15 9¼ | 19 13 9 | 618 15 5 | 29 1 9½ | 803 3 9¾ | 24 7 1½ | 11,289 17 8 | | |
| Ward 4, North Peckham | 8,005 17 10½ | 12 8 10½ | 8,018 6 9 | 6,647 10 10¼ | 19 3 9 | 631 2 1½ | 18 15 10 | 673 2 2¼ | 28 12 0 | 8,018 6 9 | | |
| Ward 4a, North Peckham | 7,036 14 4½ | 10 7 7½ | 7,047 2 0 | 6,070 19 5¼ | 21 18 1½ | 482 8 0 | 9 3 8 | 447 15 10¾ | 14 16 10½ | 7,047 2 0 | | |
| Ward 5, South Peckham | 11,190 3 3 | 11 14 11¾ | 11,201 18 2¾ | 9,648 0 11¼ | 33 19 4¼ | 606 18 6 | 25 15 10¼ | 868 19 1½ | 18 4 4½ | 11,201 18 2¾ | | |
| Ward 5a, South Peckham | 11,547 18 6½ | 13 8 4¼ | 11,561 6 10¾ | 9,960 18 1¼ | 24 4 8 | 470 8 10 | 32 17 2¾ | 1038 3 9¾ | 34 14 3 | 11,561 6 10¾ | | |
| Ward 6, Camberwell Arrears | 11,961 16 0½ | 14 1 8½ | 11,975 17 9 | 10,755 9 4¼ | 29 9 1½ | 60 15 10½ | 32 0 11¾ | 1052 3 0½ | 45 19 4½ | 11,975 17 9 | | |
| Ward 6a, Camberwell Arrears | 7,176 11 0 | 10 4 5 | 7,186 15 5 | 6,009 13 7½ | 12 1 10½ | 132 1 1 | 13 13 1 | 983 3 10½ | 36 1 10½ | 7,186 15 5 | | |
| Ward 6, East Dulwich Arrears | 14,024 18 9 | 13 10 5 | 14,038 9 2 | 11,778 11 4½ | 46 13 9 | 344 3 3½ | 42 7 0½ | 1778 12 6 | 48 1 2½ | 14,038 9 2 | | |
| Ward 6, Dulwich ... Arrears | 10,455 8 1¼ | 8 15 1 | 10,464 3 2½ | 9,773 13 5 | 11 1 3 | 20 4 7 | 15 8 2½ | 590 1 1 | 53 14 8 | 10,464 3 2½ | | |
| Public Companies ... | 13,565 19 5 | | 13,565 19 5 | 13,557 10 8 | ... | ... | ... | 6 5 0 | 2 3 9 | 13,565 19 5 | | |
| | £129,889 13 8 | | 114,199 8 3¾ | 234 19 5 | | 5,465 6 7¼ | 284 12 10¾ | 9353 16 6½ | 351 9 10½ | 129,889 13 8 | | |

POOR

| Dr. | Receipts. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----------|---|----|----|-----------------|----------|-----------|
| To Cash received from Rates, to March 25th, 1889 | | | | | 114,196 | 1 | 4 |
| „ do. Sale of Borough, &c. Lists | | 5 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| ! do. Moiety of Fines under Bread and Coal Acts | | 7 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| do. Contribution from Burial Board ... | | | | | 2,000 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | 13 | 1 |
| | | | | | | | 6 |
| | | | | | <u>£116,209</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>10</u> |

(Signed) H. LLOYD ROBERTS

RATE.

| | Expenditure. | £ | s. | d. | Cr. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------------|--------|----|----|-----|-----------------|----------|-------------|
| By Cash to Guardians, viz. :— | | | | | | | | |
| For Poor Purposes | | 83,166 | 0 | 11 | | | | |
| For County Rate | | 8,979 | 11 | 4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 92,145 12 3 |
| By Cash for Police Rate | | | | | | | | 21,178 0 0 |
| „ do. Collectors' Poundage | | | | | | | | 1,235 16 9 |
| By Cash, Sundry Expenses, viz. :— | | | | | | | | |
| Printing Jury Lists | | 169 | 4 | 0 | | | | |
| Election of Vestrymen... .. | | 96 | 4 | 0 | | | | |
| Registration of Voters | | 505 | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| Returning Officers' Expenses | | 776 | 16 | 6 | | | | |
| Magistrates' Clerk | | 2 | 7 | 6 | | | | |
| Commissioners of Baths and Wash-houses | | 100 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1,649 13 10 |
| | | | | | | <u>£116,209</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>10</u> |

District Auditor,
28th July, 1889.

BURIAL BOARD ACCOUNTS.—Continued.

| Dr. | Liabilities. | £ s. d. | Assets. | £ s. d. |
|---|--------------|------------------|---|------------------|
| To Salaries, Clerk and Surveyor | | 62 10 0 | By Balance, Current and Deposit Accounts ... | 494 1 10 |
| „ Rev. T. Ray | | 42 8 6 | „ Interment Fees, Board of Guardians, to 25th March, 1889 | 45 19 0 |
| „ Parish Clerk | | 32 5 0 | „ Dissenting Ministers' Fees | 1 7 0 |
| „ Churchwardens of St. Giles | | 40 10 3 | „ Turfing Graves at Cemetery | 9 2 0 |
| „ Churchwardens of St. George's | | 6 13 0 | „ Burial Certificates | 0 15 0 |
| „ Fees for Burial Services—Rev. F. F. Kelly | | 20 10 9 | | |
| „ do. Rev. N. Campbell | | 2 13 6 | | |
| „ do. „ A. A. W. Drew | | 2 8 0 | | |
| „ do. „ R. O. T. Thorpe | | 3 6 6 | | |
| „ do. „ W. S. Cadman | | 1 18 6 | | |
| „ do. „ Meade | | 1 11 0 | | |
| „ do. „ J. Seaver | | 2 6 0 | | |
| „ do. „ J. Bennet Forster | | 1 13 0 | | |
| „ do. „ C. E. Brooke | | 2 3 6 | | |
| „ do. „ J. D. Dyke | | 2 10 6 | | |
| „ do. „ T. J. Gaster | | 1 10 6 | | |
| „ do. „ M. S. Swithinbank | | 2 12 0 | | |
| „ do. „ Dr. T. H. L. Leary | | 1 2 6 | | |
| „ do. „ W. J. Strickland | | 1 0 0 | | |
| „ do. „ H. B. Chapman | | 1 13 0 | | |
| „ do. „ George Collet | | 2 3 0 | | |
| „ do. „ Wm. Calvert | | 2 13 0 | | |
| „ Officiating at Cemetery, J. C. Eyre-Kidson | | 53 0 6 | | |
| „ Lambeth Water Works | | 0 16 0 | | |
| „ Books, Printing, &c., W. M. Carey | | 3 2 6 | | |
| „ Administratrix of W. Harris, Cartage | | 5 10 6 | | |
| „ W. Berriman, Repairs | | 1 1 0 | | |
| „ F. French, Flowers | | 2 4 0 | | |
| „ South Metropolitan Gas Works | | 5 7 4 | | |
| „ To Balance | | 242 1 6 | | |
| | | <u>£551 4 10</u> | | <u>£551 4 10</u> |

1860.

Parish of St. Giles, Cambridge.

CHARITY ACCOUNTS.

Cambridge, and under their control
and management, by Act of Parlia-
ment 3 Wm. 4. c. 31. Sec. 12.

LANDED ESTATES.

By EDWARD BOWYER, CLERK.

Printing of the above and maps (originally sold

CHARITY ACCOUNTS.

1889.

Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell.

PARTICULARS of the Estates and Bequests
vested in the Trustees of the Charity
Estates of the Parish of St. Giles,
Camberwell, and under their control
and management, by Act of Parlia-
ment 3 Will. 4, C. 33, Sec. 52.

LANDED ESTATES.

SIR EDMOND BOWYER'S CHARITY.

Consisting of five houses and shops (originally four

houses) situate at Denmark Hill, bequeathed by Will of Sir Edmond Bowyer dated 11th July, 1862, let as follows :—

| Lessee or Tenant. | Description. | Yearly Rent. |
|--|--------------------|--|
| F. Browning | Coffee Shop | £45, on Lease for 12 years from 1887. |
| W. C. Matthewson | Tobacconist's Shop | £35, on Agreement for 3 years from 1886. |
| Late R. Carrington, now let to Elizabeth Brignall | Baker's Shop | £40, on Lease (pending) 21 years from 1889 |
| T. E. Silk | Upholsterer's Shop | £60, on Lease for 14 years from 1882. |
| E. Symes | Butcher's Shop | £100, on Lease for 21 years from 1870. |

OLD CAGE, DENMARK HILL.

Land on which the "Old Watch House" and Cage formerly stood, Denmark Hill.

The building let on lease to James Smith for 60 years from 1862, at £7 per annum.

OLD ENGINE HOUSE, CAMBERWELL GREEN.

A piece of ground next the Greencoat Schools, on which the Engine House was erected.

The building let on lease to George Priest for 21 years from 1872, at £8 per annum.

PECKHAM CAGE.

Building removed some years since and Drinking Fountain erected thereon in 1863. Urinal also since placed thereon.

ENGINE HOUSE, PECKHAM.

A piece of land situate in Blue Anchor Lane, Peckham, conveyed to the the Trustees by Deed dated 23rd August, 1849.

The Old Engine House on this land is let under a weekly agreement at 1s. 6d. per week.

SHOULDER OF MUTTON ESTATE.

Consisting of a piece of land about 2 roods, 2 perches, situate Sumner Road and Willowbrook Road, Peckham, formerly part of the North Fields or Common Fields of Peckham. Leased for 99 years from 1863 at a ground rent of £50 per annum, and upon which has been erected the "Trafalgar" Public House and 22 dwelling houses and shops. The leases are now held as follows:—

| Tenant or Lessee. | Description of Property. | Yearly Rent. |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Mann, Crossman & Co. | Public House, "The Trafalgar," | Ground Rent £20, on Lease for 99 years from 1863. |
| E. J. Harwood | 22 Houses and Shops | Ground Rent £30, on Lease for 99 years from 1863. |

SIR THOMAS HUNT'S GIFT.

A Legacy of £2 13s. 4d. per annum charged upon four houses formerly standing in Kent Street, Boro' (now pulled down), left by Will of Sir Thomas Hunt dated 28th April, 1625.

The rent charge is paid by Mr. J. Dallor, Charlotte Street, Blackfriars.

THE BURSTEDS, BRAYARD ROAD, PECKHAM.

A piece of land containing about 2 roods, formerly part of Peckham Fields.

On this land eight dwelling houses have been erected and a workshop at rear, and held as follows:—

| Tenant or Lessee. | Description of Property. | Yearly Rent. |
|--------------------------|---|---|
| Messrs. Cooper & Kendall | Nos. 13, 14, 15, & 16, Rock terrace Brayard Road, and Warehouse at rear | £16 10s. on Lease for 80 years from 1877. |
| Thomas Spurrier | Nos. 17, 18, 19, & 20, Rock terrace, Brayard Road | £21, on Lease for 80 years from 1887. |

BOWLES' FIVE ACRES ESTATE.

Originally land purchased from Sir Edmond Bowyer, having a frontage in the Old Kent Road (near Canal Bridge) of 225 feet, or thereabouts, and at the rear thereof, partly abutting on land adjoining the towing path of the Grand Surrey Canal. A portion of this land (about 2 roods) was, in the year 1807, sold to the Canal Company for a sum which was invested in the purchase of £800 Consols. The residue of the land was demised by lease dated the 24th March, 1807, to William Lamb for 61 years from Lady-day then next at £62 per annum. Upon this lease falling in at 1868, the materials of the property were sold at auction, and the estate ultimately laid out for building leases for 70 years from June, 1872. The present lessees are as follow, viz. :—

| Tenants or Lessees. | Description of Property. | Yearly Rent. (Ground Rents). | £ s. d. | | |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|----|----|
| | | | £ | s. | d. |
| T. J. Scotts | 1 Bowles Road | dwelling house | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| J. Dahmen | 2 & 3 „ | „ | 9 | 10 | 0 |
| W. Ross, jnr. | 4 „ | „ | 4 | 15 | 0 |
| J. Massie | 5 „ | „ | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Hunt | 6, 7 & 8 „ | „ | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| G. Mason | 9 & 10 „ | „ | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Barrett | 11, 12 & 13 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| G. Stokes | 14 „ | „ | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Pierson | 15, 16 & 17 „ | „ | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| E. T. & W. T. Goldsmith | 18 „ | „ | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| G. Marshall, jnr. | 19 to 29 (triangle) | „ | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| E. W. Thomas | 30 Bowles Road | „ | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| E. M. Coulsell | 31, 32 & 33 „ | „ | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| E. W. Thomas | 34, 35, 36 & 37 „ | „ | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| G. Warren | 38 & 39 „ | „ | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| W. Panter | 40, 41, 42 & 45 „ | „ | 18 | 10 | 0 |
| R. J. Wilson | 43 & 44 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Row | 46, 57 48 „ | „ | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| (Late G. Cocking) | Whiting Factory | Lease surrendered | 83 | 0 | 0 |
| London Tramways Company (late Martin) | Factory & Stables | | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| L. Christian | Factory | | 41 | 0 | 0 |
| London Tramways Company | Stables and Yard | | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Norman | 518 Old Kent Road | shop | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| A. Norman | 520 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Dahmen | 522 „ | „ | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Norman | 524 „ | „ | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| R. Gatenby | 526 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Gatenby | 528 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Nunn | 530 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Nunn | 532 „ | „ | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| H. Vickery | 534 „ | „ | 12 | 5 | 0 |
| London Tramways Company | Strip of Land | Smith's shop thereon | 5 | 0 | 0 |

£683 10 0

2.—FUNDED ESTATES.

ALLEN'S GIFT.

Joseph Allen, M.D., formerly of Dulwich, by his Will, dated 12th November, 1793, gave and bequeathed to the Vicar and Churchwardens of Camberwell the sum of £200 Three Per Cent. Consols in trust, for them and their successors, "to pay the dividends thereof to the Churchwarden and Overseer for the time being of the Hamlet of Dulwich every year, to be laid out in coals, and distributed amongst the poor housekeepers of Dulwich for ever."

The dividends, £6 per annum, form one of the special gifts, and are at Christmas expended in the purchase of sacks and half sacks of coals, and distributed according to the Will of the Testator.

BOWLES'S FIVE ACRE.

The proceeds of the sale of a portion of this land (see Landed Estates), was in the year 1807 invested in the purchase of £800 Three Per Cent, Consols, producing £24 per annum.

The dividends are carried to the General Fund paid to the Distribution Committee.

ARNOT'S CHARITY.

Michael Arnot, by Will dated 20th April, 1823, bequeathed the interest of £100 Old South Sea Annuities (subsequently converted into New $2\frac{1}{2}$ Per Cent. Annuities) to be divided equally—"one half part to charity schools and the other half part to three poor persons of, and belonging to, the Parish of Camberwell.

One half of this dividend—£1 10s.—is paid to a Charity School nominated yearly by the Charity Distribution Committee, and the other half carried to the General Fund handed over to that Committee.

PINCHBACK'S GIFT.

Mrs. Pinchback bequeathed by Will the sum of £100 to the Vicar and Churchwardens of Camberwell, "the interest to be laid out in Bread, and distributed to the Poor at the Parish Church of St. Giles, Camberwell, on the second Sunday in each month." This sum was, in the year 1844, invested in the purchase of £100 5s. Old South Sea Annuities.

The dividends of this sum are appropriated according to the Testator's Will, as a special gift.

By a resolution of the Trustees, dated 20th May, 1853 this Stock, together with Arnot's Gift, before described, were converted into £220 5s. 6d, New Two and a Half Per Cent. Annuities.

NOYES' CHARITY.

By Will, dated 31st March, 1800, Mr. Edward Noyes, Jun., gave and bequeathed £300 Three Per Cent. Reduced Annuities, "the proceeds to be given in Bread to poor persons of the Parish of Camberwell, who shall neither be maintained or relieved thereby, on Christmas Day and the 21st February (Testator's birthday)."

The dividends, £9 per annum, belong to the Special Gifts, and are applied according to the Will of the Testator.

HARRIOTT SMITH'S GIFT.

Mrs. Harriott Smith, by her Will, dated 23rd September, 1808, gave and bequeathed to the Vicar, Churchwardens, and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of St. Giles, Camberwell, the sum of £1,000 Three Per Cent. Reduced Annuities in trust "to pay and divide the dividends thereof to ten of the oldest poor housekeepers of the towns and villages of Camberwell and Dulwich equally, for ever."

The Dividends of this sum, £30 per annum, form one of the Special Gifts, and are distributed according to the Will among ten poor housekeepers.

MRS. JONES' GIFT.

By Will, dated 21st March, 1842, Mrs. Susannah Jones gave and bequeathed to the Trustees of the Charity Estates the sum of £100 Three Per Cent. Reduced Annuities, "the interest to be paid annually at Christmas, equally to six poor persons residing in the Liberty of Peckham."

The Dividend, £3 per annum, forms one of the Special Gifts, and is distributed according to the Testator's Will.

MATHEWS' GIFT.

Mr. William Mathews, by his Will, dated the 30th October, 1750, gave the interest of £150 "to the Minister, Churchwardens, and Overseers of the Parish of Camberwell, to be laid out in Bread, and distributed to poor communicants of the Church of England on Sacrament Sundays." By a decree of the Court of Chancery, in a suit Attorney-General *v.* Osmond, this sum was invested in the purchase

of £187 5s. 11d. Three Per Cent. Consols, in the name of the Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery, and the Dividends, £5 12s. 4d. per annum, belong to the "Special Gifts," and are distributed according to the Will.

HOWLETT'S ACRE.

By Will of Sir Edmund Bower, dated 11th July, 1626, a piece of land situate at Half-Moon Lane, Dulwich, known as Howlett's Acre, was given to the Poor of "Camberwell, the rents to be paid yearly on Good Friday."

In the year 1858, this land was sold to Mr. George Keen, of Herne Hill, by the Trustees, with the consent of the Charity Commissioners, and the proceeds invested in the purchase of £350 Three Per Cent. Consols.

The Dividends of this sum form part of the General Fund paid to the Distribution Committee.

WILSON'S CHARITY.

Jane Wilson bequeathed by Will dated 23rd December, 1868, £80 13s. 1d. Consols, the Dividends to be laid out in purchase of Flannel Petticoats at Christmas for Poor Persons of Peckham.

The amount is expended annually by the Churchwardens as directed.

3.—OTHER CHARITIES.

GRAY'S CHARITY.

By Will, Dated 15th December, 1868, Robert Alexander Gray bequeathed £500 (to be invested) and the interest to be applied in purchase of warm clothing for the poor of the Parish not receiving parochial relief; also Three Per Cent. Consolidated Bank Annuities to produce thirty guineas per annum, to be distributed by the Master of the Workhouse of the Parish of Camberwell each Christmas, for personal comfort or benefit of the inmates of such Workhouse.

HENRY SMITH'S CHARITY.

A sum, averaging £19 per annum, is receivable by the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Camberwell, under the Will of Henry Smith, dated the 24th April, 1627, arising from the Rents of certain Freehold Estates in the County of Kent, "to be laid out every winter in the purchase of Great Coats for the Poor Inhabitants" of certain parishes named in the Will, including the Parish of Camberwell.

The amount is received by the Churchwardens and Overseers, and appropriated by them in the purchase of great coats and cloaks, which are distributed to the poor at Christmas in every year.

LIST
OF THE
TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY ESTATES.

W. DICKER, Esq.

A. HONYWILL, Esq.

T. L. LASSAM, Esq.

J. A. LYON, Esq.

R. A. PUCKLE, Esq.

E. DRESSER ROGERS, Esq.

R. STRONG, Esq., J.P.

M. WALLACE, Esq.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY

GENERAL STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

| Dr. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|--------|----|----|
| December, 1887, to December, 1888 | | | | | | |
| To Balance brought forward from last year's Account ... | | | | 5 | 5 | 7 |
| To Cash from Receiver, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| SIR EDMUND BOWYER'S CHARITY. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1888 | | | | | | |
| E. Symes | 100 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| T. E. Silk | 60 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| H. Matthewson | 35 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| F. Browning | 45 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| One quarter's Rent to Christmas, 1887 | | | | | | |
| H. Carrington | 12 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 252 | 10 | 0 |
| CAGE, CAMBERWELL GREEN. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1888, J. Smith's Executors | | | | | 7 | 0 |
| ENGINE HOUSE, CAMBERWELL GREEN. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1888, G. Priest | | | | | 8 | 0 |
| ENGINE HOUSE, PECKHAM. | | | | | | |
| 52 weeks' Rent to 3rd December, 1888, Ellen Walker | | | | | 3 | 18 |
| SHOULDER OF MUTTON ESTATE. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1888, Mann, Crossman and Co. (less Property Tax) | 19 | 9 | 2 | | | |
| Ditto, G. Culver (less Tax) | 29 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| Property Tax Deductions refunded | 1 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 50 | 2 | 0 |
| SIR THOMAS HUNT'S GIFT. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent Charge to Christmas, 1888, J. Dallor | | | | | 2 | 13 |
| DIVIDENDS. | | | | | | |
| Five quarters' Dividends to October, 1888, on £1,000 New Consols | 37 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| One year's Dividends on £220 5s. 6d. to October, 1888, New 2½ per Cent. Annuities | 5 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| Five quarters' Dividends on £350 New Consols, to October, 1888, per Charity Commissioners | 13 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| Ditto on £187 5s. 11d. New Consols, do. per Court of Chancery (less Property Tax) | 5 | 9 | 3 | | | |
| Ditto to October, 1888, on £1,509 17s. 9d. New Consols | 45 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| Ditto to July, 1888, on £80 13s. 1d. New Consols, per Court of Chancery Jane Wilson's Bequest, less Income Tax | 2 | 7 | 1 | | | |
| Property Tax Deductions refunded | 0 | 4 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | 109 | 8 | 11 |
| Bonus allowed by Bank of England on Transfer of Stock to New Consols, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| £1,000 Consols | 2 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| £350 Do. (Charity Commissioners) | 0 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| £1,509 17s. 9d. Reduced Three per Cents. | 3 | 15 | 5 | | | |
| £187 5s. 11d. (Court of Chancery) | 0 | 9 | 4 | | | |
| £80 13s. 1d. Do. | 0 | 4 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 7 | 16 | 3 |
| BOWLES' FIVE ACRES. | | | | | | |
| Rents from sundry Tenants, to Michaelmas, 1888, less Property Tax | 303 | 16 | 4 | | | |
| Ground Rents on Property, Bowles Road and Kent Road, to Michaelmas, 1888, less Property Tax | 341 | 5 | 2 | | | |
| Property Tax refunded | 19 | 13 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | 664 | 14 | 10 |
| BURSTED'S LAND. | | | | | | |
| One year's Rent to Michaelmas, 1888, Cooper and Kendall (less Property Tax) | 16 | 0 | 10 | | | |
| Ditto, ditto, T. Spurrier, less Property Tax | 20 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| Property Tax Deductions refunded | 1 | 1 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | 37 | 11 | 3 |
| INTEREST. | | | | | | |
| Interest on Cash placed at Deposit Account during the year | 8 | 4 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | 8 | 4 | 1 |
| | | | | £1,157 | 4 | 3 |

ESTATES OF ST. GILES, CAMBERWELL.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1888.

December, 1837, to December, 1888.

CASH—

| | Cr. |
|---|----------|
| | £ s. d |
| " G. Martin, one year's Rent of slip of Land next Canal, to Michaelmas, 1888 | 5 0 0 |
| " Fire Insurance Engine House and Sundry Expenses | 0 13 0 |
| " 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 | 1090 0 0 |
| " J. Wilson's Bequest, Mr. Churchwarden Wesson | 2 12 4 |
| " Balance at Bankers carried to next years' Account | 8 18 11 |

 £1,157 4 3

Examined and found correct :—

WILLIAM DAVIS, *Chairman*,
 J. McKIE
 W. B. PARNELL,
 W, CHAS. W. VINCENT, C.A.,

Auditors of the
 Parish of St. Giles
 Camberwell.

STATE OF ST. GILES, CAMBRIDGE.

THE TAX RECEIPT BOOKS, 1891.

THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1891.

1891
1890
1889
1888
1887
1886
1885
1884
1883
1882
1881

6. Having now given a list of the tax-payers
of the town of Cambridge, 1891
I hereby certify that the same is
correct and true to the best of my
knowledge and belief, and that the
same have been examined and found
correct by the several assessors,
and that the same have been
examined and found correct by the
selectmen of the town of Cambridge,
1891.

WILLIAM DAVIS, Town Clerk.

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Charity Estates Distribution Committee.

THE REPORT OF THE CHARITY DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE.

The Committee beg to report as follows:—

| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|--------------|----------|----------|
| That they had an available balance in hand and on Deposit on the 1st of January, 1888, of | | | | 1153 | 14 | 7 |
| Cash received from the Trustees of the Charity Estates | | | | 1090 | 0 | 0 |
| Interest on Deposit Account | | | | 6 | 13 | 7 |
| | | | | <u>2250</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>2</u> |
| The Amount expended to the 31st of December, 1888, 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 £13 10s. each | 202 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| London and South Western Bank, Cheque Book | 0 | 2 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | <u>1163</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>9</u> |
| Leaving an available Balance on December 31st, 1888, for distribution during 1889, of | | | | <u>£1087</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>5</u> |

AGED PARISHIONERS' GIFT.

| | | | | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----|------------|----|-----------|---------------|-----|----|----|
| 1 | person for | 12 | months at | 6s. per month | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| 3 | persons | 1 | " | 7s. " | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 4 | " | 7s. " | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 5 | " | 7s. " | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 7 | " | 7s. " | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| 4 | " | 9 | " | 7s. " | 12 | 12 | 0 |
| 3 | " | 12 | " | 7s. " | 12 | 12 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 1 | " | 8s. " | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 2 | " | 8s. " | 0 | 16 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 3 | " | 8s. " | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 4 | " | 8s. " | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 10 | " | 8s. " | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | " | 12 | " | 8s. " | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 11 | " | 9s. " | 4 | 19 | 0 |
| 9 | " | 12 | " | 9s. " | 48 | 12 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 1 | " | 10s. " | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | " | 2 | " | 10s. " | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | " | 3 | " | 10s. " | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 4 | " | 10s. " | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | " | 5 | " | 10s. " | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 6 | " | 10s. " | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 7 | " | 10s. " | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | " | 8 | " | 10s. " | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | " | 10 | " | 10s. " | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | " | 11 | " | 10s. " | 22 | 0 | 0 |
| 108 | " | 12 | " | 10s. " | 648 | 0 | 0 |

£900 0 0

SAMARITAN GIFT,

| | £ | s. | d. | ... | ... | ... | £ | s. | d. |
|--------------|---|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-------------|-----------|----------|
| 1 persons at | 1 | 10 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| 17 „ | 1 | 0 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 17 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 „ | 0 | 12 | 6 | ... | ... | .. | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 199 „ | 0 | 10 | 0 | ... | .. | .. | 99 | 10 | 0 |
| 13 „ | 0 | 7 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 17 | 6 |
| 1 „ | 0 | 7 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| 1 „ | 0 | 6 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 | 6 |
| 5 „ | 0 | 6 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| 2 „ | 0 | 5 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 11 | 0 |
| 282 „ | 0 | 5 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 70 | 10 | 0 |
| 3 „ | 0 | 4 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| 6 „ | 0 | 3 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 18 | 0 |
| 25 „ | 0 | 2 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| 4 „ | 0 | 2 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 1 „ | 0 | 1 | 6 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| 1 „ | 0 | 1 | 0 | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| <u>563</u> | | | | | | | <u>£202</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>0</u> |

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 |
| | <u>£60</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>8</u> |

VESTRYMEN

FOR THE PARISH OF

St. Giles, Camberwell.

ELECTED UNDER THE

Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855.

Vicar:

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

Churchwardens:

WILLIAM JAMES MORRIS, 91, Camberwell
grove,
GEORGE CRISPE WHITELEY, B.A., "The
Chestnuts," Dulwich Common.
ROBERT ARTHUR PUCKLE, 201, Camberwell
Grove.

ELECTED MEMBERS.

Retire from
Office in
the year.

Ward No. 1.

- 1890 ARNOLD, RICHARD, 122, Sumner road
 1891 COOTE, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, 7, Hinckley road, East Dulwich
 1891 EVANS, GEORGE HENRY, Hampshire cottage, Coleman road
 1892 FOSTEN, JAMES, 69, Southampton street
 1890 HICHISSON, JOSEPH GELDART, 35, Parkhouse street
 1892 JACKSON, ALFRED ROBERT, 87, New Church road
 1892 SEARS, JAMES TRESSIDER, 11, Peckham grove
 1892 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 THOMPSON, JOSEPH FREDERICK, 32, Addington square

Ward No. 2.

- 1891 CASTLE, HENRY, 27, Trafalgar road, Old Kent road
 1891 DAVIS, JOHN, 3, Percy villas, Peckham road
 1892 GOODWIN, HENRY, 322, 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
 1892 HAZFL, WILLIAM JAMES, 434, Old Kent road
 1891 HURST, WILLIAM BENJAMIN, 182, Peckham
rye
 1892 JACKSON, WILLIAM, 104, Trafalgar road, Old
Kent road
 1890 JOHNSON, BROXHOLM, 4, Butler's terrace,
Ossory road
 1890 NORMAN, ALFRED, 551, Old Kent road
 1892 WRIGHT, ALFRED WILLIAM, 81, Neate street,
Camberwell
 1890 WINYARD, RICHARD DANIEL, 38, Avondale
square, Old Kent road

Ward No. 3.

- 1891 BICKERSTAFF, HENRY JOHN, 30, Brunswick
square, Camberwell
 1892 ELLEN, JOHN FULLER, 18, Church street,
Camberwell
 1892 GEORGE, HENRY, 38, Church street, Camberwell
 1891 GEORGE, JOHN, 309, Camberwell road
 1890 HANN, WILLIAM, 77, Leipsic road
 1892 HOWE, WILLIAM, 3, Longfield Houses, Knatchbull
road, Camberwell
 1890 INNES, JAMES EDWARD, 57, Denmark street
 1890 LASSAM, THOMAS LUDLOW, 35, Brunswick
square, Camberwell
 1891 MADGE, ABRAHAM, Ventnor House, Knatchbull
road
 1891 RELPH, JOHN THOMAS, 8, Crofton road

Retire from
Office in
the year

- 1892 ROBERTS, ROBERT, 13, Church Street, Camberwell
1890 WESSON, JOSEPH NICHOLAS, 212, Camberwell
road

Ward No. 4.

- 1892 BEAL, SAMUEL, 676a, Old Kent road
1891 BISHOP, JOHN, 703, Old Kent road
1892 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 GIORGI, EDWIN, 1, George's terrace, Hill street,
Peckham
1890 LONGMAN, SYLVANUS, 103, & 105, 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
1892 MITCHELL, WILLIAM HENRY, 1, Clifton
crescent, Asylum road
1892 PHILLIPS, EDWIN ROBERT, 3a, York grove,
Peckham
1891 ROGERS, FREDERICK HENRY, 861, Old Kent
road
1892 SHAPLAND, EDWIN RICHARD, 135, Asylum
road, Peckham

Retire from
Office in
the year

Ward No. 5.

- 1892 BALLANTINE, EDMUND, 28, South grove, Peckham
- 1892 BEARD, OLIVER GEORGE, 1, Hanover Park, Peckham
- 1892 BONSTALL, RICHARD THOMAS, 57, High street, Peckham
- 1891 BORLAND, JOHN, 184, High street, Peckham
- 1892 CLARKE, CHARLES GODDARD, 12, Elm grove, Rye Lane, Peckham
- 1892 DEWSNAP, JOHN WILLIAM, 8, St. Mary's road, Peckham
- 1891 FLECK, HENRY, 128a, Queen's Road, Peckham
- 1890 DOWTON, WILLIAM LEONARD, 84, Rye lane, Peckham
- 1890 HOWARD, JOHN, Windsor Lodge, Linden grove, Nunhead
- 1891 MILLEN, ERNEST, Rye Hill Villa, Peckham Rye
- 1890 PERRY, THOMAS JOHN, 22, Queen's road, Peckham
- 1890 PRESTON, DAVID CRIPPS, 109, Gibbon road, Nunhead
- 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.

- 1890 COOPER, JOSEPH HENRY, Worcester house, East Dulwich grove

Retire from
Office in
the year

- 1890 DUNLOP, CHARLES, 1, Ashbourne grove, Lordship lane
- 1892 FARRE, JOHN PINDER, 24, Croxted road, Dulwich
- 1890 FOSKETT, EDWARD, 36, Copleston road, Denmark park
- 1892 GRAHAM, HORACE, 22, Hillsborough road, East Dulwich grove
- 1890 GOFTON-SALMOND, R., "The Nook," Kingswood road, Upper Norwood
- 1891 KEEBLE, HENRY, 13, Windsor road, Camberwell
- 1892 JOHNSTON, THOMAS, M.R.C.S., 1, Windsor road, Denmark hill
- 1892 MURPHY, WILLIAM ADAMS, 32, The terrace, Peckham road
- 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, Bushey Hill road
- 1892 WALLACE, MATTHEW, "Kirkside," Lordship lane
- 1892 WALTER, JAMES, Gough house, Croxted road, Dulwich
- 1891 WHITELEY GEORGE CRISPE, "The Chestnuts," Dulwich common
- 1890 WOOLLARD, HENRY WEEDON, 83, Melbourne grove, East Dulwich

Auditors.

FREDERICK JOHN BENHAM, 7, York grove, Peckham
 WILLIAM BRENCHLEY, 5, Dagmar road, Camberwell
 WILLIAM DAVIS, 3, Alpha street Peckham
 GEORGE FOSTER, 74, George street, Camberwell
 JAMES McKIE, 409, Old Kent road

Overseers of the Poor.

WILLIAM BENJAMIN HURST, 182, Peckham rye.
 EDMUND BALLANTINE, 28, South Grove, Peckham
 JOHN THOMAS RELPH, 8, Crofton Road.
 JOSEPH HENRY COOPER, Worcester house, East
 Dulwich Grove.

Burial Board.

JOHN BORLAND, 184, High street, Peckham
 WILLIAM ALEXANDER COOTE, 7, Hinckley road,
 East Dulwich
 THOMAS LUDLOW LASSAM, 35, Brunswick square
 JOHN ANDREW LYON, St. Mary-le-Strand house, Old
 Kent road
 JOSEPH JOHN PHILLIPS, 2, Zenoria street, East
 Dulwich
 SAMUEL SMITH, 2, Lawn houses, Peckham Road
 JOHN SUGDEN, 9, Peckham grove
 JOSEPH NICHOLAS WESSON, 212, Camberwell road
 HENRY WEEDON WOOLLARD, 83, Melbourne grove,
 East Dulwich

OFFICERS.

Treasurer.

SIR GEORGE RENDLESHAM PRESCOTT, BART.,
London and South Western Bank.

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.

Professor A. BERNAYS, St. Thomas' Hospital.

Assistant Vestry Clerk.

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

Vestry Clerk's Department.

C. WILLIAM TAGG, T. W. STEVENSON.

Surveyor's Department.

O. S. BROWN, W. E. WOOLDRIDGE, N. F. DENNIS.

Accountant's Department.

R. H. LORD, S. W. FISHER, H. H. HYSLOP, *New Streets.*

Churchwardens' and Overseers' Department.

R. C. CARTER, J. C. HURST, T. KINGSBURY, A. R. BRYANT, A. E. FLOWER, A. PURKIS.

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. | 54, 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. |

Inspectors of Nuisances.

JOSEPH HENRY STEVENSON, 22, Friern road, East Dulwich.

WILLIAM EDWIN GROOM, 117, Wells street, Camberwell.

JOSEPH SAMUEL POINTON, 38, Choumert grove, Peckham.

GEORGE HENRY DEWEY, 63, Daneville road, Camberwell.

WILLIAM EAGLE, 22, Basing Road, Peckham.

Sewers Foreman.

T. BALLARD, 23, Arthur street, Peckham.

Depot^A Superintendent.

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

Depot^A Clerk.

JOHN W. DAW, Victoria Road Depot.

District Superintendents.

THOMAS MOORE, 83, Landcroft road, East Dulwich.

JOHN RHODES, Addington Square Depot.

ARTHUR MITCHELL, Henslowe Road Depot.

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

Dust Superintendent.

WILLIAM STOLLERY, 4, Spurling road, East Dulwich.

Superintendent of Camberwell Green.

CHARLES TARRANT.

Street Keeper.

W. ROY.

Hall Keeper.

W. GODFREY.

Mortuary Keeper.

St. George's Road,
JOHN FREEMAN, 20, Cobden Street, Peckham.

LIST OF COMMITTEES, 1889-90.

General Purposes Committee.

No. 1 Ward

Mr. R. Arnold
 „ J. G. Hichisson
 „ J. Sugden

No. 2 Ward

Mr. H. Goodwin
 „ W. J. Hazel
 „ A. W. Wright

No. 3 Ward

Mr. H. J. Bickerstaff
 „ J. F. Ellen
 „ T. L. Lassam
Chairman

No. 4 Ward

Mr. S. Beal

Mr. J. Fitzgibbon
 „ S. Longman
 „ J. W. Lyon

No. 5 Ward

Mr. O. G. Beard
 „ J. Borland
 „ J. Howard
 „ J. W. Dewsnap

No. 6 Ward

Mr. J. H. Cooper
Vice-Chairman
 „ R. A. Puckle
 „ E. Dresser Rogers
 „ R. Strong
 „ M. Wallace

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
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 „ H. W. Woollard

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| „ S. Beal | „ W. J. Hazel |
| „ O. G. Beard | „ T. L. Lassam |
| „ J. H. Cooper <i>Vice-Chairman</i> | <i>Chairman</i> |

Sewers and Sanitary Committee.

BILLS.

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| „ E. Giorgi | „ T. J. Perry |
| | „ R. D. Winyard |

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|---------------------------------------|------------------|
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| „ C. G. Clarke | „ B. Johnson |
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| | „ J. N. Wesson |
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New Streets Committee.

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| Mr. J. Bishop | Mr. B. Johnson |
| „ H. Castle | „ A. Madge |
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| „ W. A. Coote | „ S. Smith |
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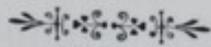
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Time of Meeting. 1. The Vestry shall be summoned to meet every alternat Wednesday, at Half-past Six o'clock in the Evening, throughout the year (unless ordered to the contrary by the Vestry), or on such other day and hour as the Vestry may from time 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.

Motion, &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:—

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| 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).

RESOLUTIONS OF THE VESTRY.

Resolved :—

Minute Book
No. 1, Page 165,
April 23rd, 1856. That all Reports be ready for inspection by the members of the Vestry by Four o'clock on the day of the meeting of the Vestry on which such Reports are intended to be read.

Resolved :—

Minute Book
No. 23, Page 43,
September 28th,
1881. That the Vestry Clerk and also the Assistant Vestry Clerk be authorised to sign receipts on behalf of the Vestry.

Resolved :—

Minute Book
No. 26, Page 530,
November 5th,
1884. That the book for Members' signature be removed immediately the Vestry Meeting is over, and that no Member be allowed to sign his name after the removal of the same.

Resolved :

Minute Book
No. 28, Page 28,
July 22nd, 1885. That it be an instruction to the Vestry Clerk to record in future on the Minutes all questions by Members, and the replies given thereto.

Resolved.—

Minute Book
No. 29, Page 471,
February 2nd,
1887. That no contentious matter be discussed after 10 o'clock, p.m., unless the majority of members present otherwise order.

Resolved :—

Minute Book
No. 30, Page 266.
June 22nd, 1887.

That no motion shall be made for the payment of any sum of money by the Vestry without due notice, and no amendment shall be made for any sum in excess of the amount of which Notice has been given.

Resolved :—

Minute Book
No. 32, Page 75,
September 26th,
1888.

That when it shall appear to the Chairman that there is a manifest desire on the part of the Vestry that the question then under discussion shall be put to the vote, or when nine Members shall rise in their places and desire the question shall be put, the Chairman shall put the previous question "that this question be now put," and if the Vestry so resolve in the affirmative, a vote on the Motion, or Motion and Amendment, shall be taken without further debate.

