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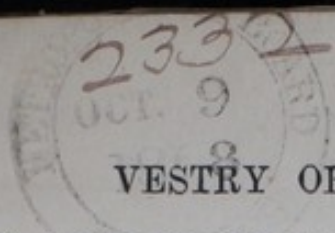
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VESTRY OF THE PARISH OF
SAINT LEONARD, SHOREDITCH,
MIDDLESEX.

METROPOLIS LOCAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1855.

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT

WITH AN ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT, AND SUMMARY
STATEMENT OF THE

**MONIES RECEIVED & EXPENDED
BY THE VESTRY**

For the Year ending March 25th, 1868.

TOGETHER WITH A STATEMENT OF THE

**MONIES OWING TO, AND DEBTS OWING BY
THE VESTRY;**

ALSO

A REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE VESTRY;
THE WORKS COMMENCED AND COMPLETED;
THE WORKS REMAINING IN PROGRESS, AND THE PROCEEDINGS
TAKEN UNDER THEIR AUTHORITY FOR THE
REMOVAL OF NUISANCES, OR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE SANITARY
CONDITION OF THE PARISH.

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OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1882

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WITH AN ACCOUNT OF THE

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR

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TAKEN UNDER THEIR AUTHORITY FOR THE

ROYAL OF ALBANY, FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE SANITARY

COMMISSIONERS OF THE PARISH.

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in the year 1883

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A REPORT

Of the proceedings of the Vestry of the Parish of St. Leonard, Shoreditch, in the County of Middlesex, in the execution of the Act passed in the Session of Parliament, held in the 18th and 19th years of the reign of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, cap. 120, intituled "*An Act for the better Local Management of the Metropolis,*" and of the Works commenced and completed respectively, for the year ending 25th March, 1868, the Works remaining in progress at the termination of such year, also the proceedings taken by them up to the said period, for the Removal of Nuisances, or the improvement of the Sanitary condition of the Parish.

VESTRY OF SAINT LEONARD, SHOREDITCH.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Of all Monies received and expended during the Year ending March, 1868, under the "Metropolis Local Management Act," 18th and 19th cap. 120.

RATES, &c.	RECEIPTS DURING THE YEAR.							PAYMENTS DURING THE YEAR.							CASH BALANCES.	
	March 25th 1867	Rates Collected.	Contributions and Interest on Rates.	Loans and Interest acct.	Hire of Town Hall	Transfer Accounts.	Assessments Metropolitan Board.	Works.	Charges on Establish-ment.	Repayment of Loans and Interest.	Transfer Accounts.	Law Expenses, Commissions, and other Contingencies.	March 25th, 1868	TOTALS.		
SEWERS.....	£ s. d. 1680 4 0	£ s. d. 7937 10 8	£ s. d. 324 15 6	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 2000 0 0	£ s. d. 1190 9 9	£ s. d. 874 3 3	£ s. d. 955 14 11	£ s. d. 833 15 0	£ s. d. 3000 0 0	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 1088 7 3	£ s. d. 11942 10 2		
GENERAL.....	565 3 4	26553 7 0	1264 19 9	... ..	52 3 0	... ..	... ..	1981 3 3	2875 17 0	4457 10 0	... ..	590 15 8	530 7 2	28435 13 1
MAIN DRAINAGE.....	4355 12 1	5282 3 10	28 9 11	... ..	... ..	... ..	4825 11 0	... ..	102 9 1	... ..	... ..	... ..	4738 5 9	9686 5 10
NEW SEWERS FUND ...	261 17 0	... ..	13 11 6	... ..	... ..	500 0 0	... ..	455 7 9	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	320 0 9	775 8 6
NEW PAVING.....	... ..	... ..	5 8 5	40000 0 0	... ..	... ..	40000 0 0	14667 19 0	... ..	... ..	2460 0 0	... ..	22877 9 5	40005 8 5
VESTRY HALL ACCOUNT	597 0 1	... ..	79 7 6	10000 0 0	... ..	4950 0 0	21000 0 0	9692 10 8	... ..	... ..	12460 0 0	290 13 8	193 3 3	22636 7 7
MORTGAGE DEBT	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..
SINKING FUND ...	5 11 9	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	5 11 9	5 11 9
TOTALS	14465 8 3	39773 1 6	1716 12 7	50000 0 0	52 3 0	7460 0 0	118016 0 9	45671 3 11	3934 1 0	5291 5 0	17920 0 0	881 9 4	29753 5 4	113467 5 4		

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Of all Arrears of Rates and other Monies owing to, and Assets and Liabilities owing by the Vestry of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch, on the March, 1868.

RATES, &c.	MONIES OWING TO THE VESTRY							DEBTS AND LIABILITIES OWING BY THE VESTRY.				
	Cash Balances.	Rates Uncollected	Amount in Surveyor's hands received for constructing outlets for drains and erection of hearths.	Balance in Surveyor's hands on Labor account.	Estimated value of Stone at Stone Yard	Due from the several Companies, &c. for repairing Trenches.	Tradesmen's Bills in Contract.	Salaries, Collectors Poundage and Bills not in Contract.	Precept by Metropolitan Board of Works.	Transfer Loans.	TOTALS.	
SEWERS.....	£ s. d. 1088 7 3	£ s. d. 2071 5 9½	£ s. d. 12 17 3	£ s. d. 7 6 6½	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 260 9 3	£ s. d. 25 11 8	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 800 0 0	£ s. d. 1086 0 11	
GENERAL.....	530 7 2	8473 2 6½	28 0 0	39 16 8	200 0 0	133 11 7	3518 18 5	1200 5 1	... ..	... ..	4719 3 6
MAIN DRAINAGE.....	4738 5 9	1749 5 7	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	25 12 9	4825 11 0	... ..	4851 3 9
NEW SEWERS FUND ...	320 0 9	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..
NEW PAVING.....	22877 9 5	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	262 18 0	262 18 0
VESTRY HALL ACCOUNT	193 3 3	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	2500 0 0	2500 0 0
MORTGAGE DEBT	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..
SINKING FUND ...	5 11 9	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..	... ..
TOTALS	29753 5 4	12293 13 11	40 17 3	47 3 2½	200 0 0	133 11 7	3779 7 8	1251 9 6	4825 11 0	3562 18 0	13419 6 2	
BALANCE											29049 5 1½	
											£42,468 11 3½	

Signed WILLIAM BOUCHER, ALFRED Wm. HUCKETT, HENRY FULLER, WILLIAM JAMES CRABB, JOSEPH MASH } AUDITORS.

Dated 25th May, 1868.

W. E. COLE, Accountant to the Vestry.

VESTRY RATES.

The amount of the rateable value of the property in the Parish, as assessed in the Rate Book on the quarter to Lady-day, 1868, was £364,650.

The following have been the Rates made by the Vestry for the year ending 25th March, 1868:

		Sewers Rate.	General Rate.	Main Drainage Rate.
Midsummer, 1867	2d...	2718 1 10	5d...6795 4 7	1d...1359 0 11
Michaelmas, „	1d...	1387 10 11	5d...6937 14 7	1d...1387 10 11
Christmas, „	2d...	3015 14 9	4d...6031 9 6	1d...1507 17 4½
Lady-day, 1868	1d...	1519 7 6½	5d...7596 17 8½	1d...1519 7 6½
		£8640 15 0½	£27361 6 4½	£5773 16 9

MAIN DRAINAGE RATE,

The Vestry, on the 7th day of April, 1867, made a Rate of 4d. in the pound, to be collected in the four following quarters in equal proportions of 1d. each quarter, for the purpose of paying the precept issued by the Metropolitan Board of Works, for the sum of £4,825 11s. 0d., that being the proportion to be paid by this Parish towards the expenses of the Board, in regard to the works now being carried out for the Main Drainage of the Metropolis, for the year ending 1st August, 1868.

The Main Drainage Rate account for the year ending the 25th day of March, 1868, is as follows:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Balance in hand on the 25th March, 1867.....	4355	12	1	Paid the Metropolitan Board Precept, dated			
Rates collected and paid Treasurer to Midsummer, 1867	1294	6	1	October, 1867...	4825	11	0
Ditto Michaelmas, „	1309	15	9	Collectors' Poundage.....	102	9	1
Ditto Christmas, „	1304	3	2	Balance in the Treasurer's hands, 25th March, 1868	4738	5	9
Ditto Lady-day, 1868	1373	18	10				
Interest for the year.....	28	9	11				
	<u>£9666</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>		<u>£9666</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>

The Precept received from the Metropolitan Board, which is dated the 24th January, 1868, and will become due on the 24th June, 1868, amounts to the sum of £3,761 18s. 11d., being £1,428 10s. 10d. less in amount than required by the Board for last year, and is the proportion to be paid by this Parish towards the general expenses of the Board, for the year, 1868.

The amount will have to be paid from the Sewers Rate.

NEW SEWERS FUND.

The Vestry have borrowed the sum of £10,000 for the purpose of constructing New Sewers in the Parish.

The principal to be repaid in twenty years by equal annual instalments, and the interest of 5 per cent. per annum, half yearly.

When borrowed.	Amount.	Amount repaid.	Amount due.
July 27th 1858	£3000	£1350 0 0	£1650 0 0
December 1st, 1858...	2000	900 0 0	1100 0 0
November 12th, 1861	5000	1500 0 0	3500 0 0
	£10,000	£3750 0 0	£6250 0 0

The following Sewers have been constructed by the Vestry, and the Works done by Contract :

LOCALITY.	DIMENSIONS.					COST.
	3 by 9 2 by 6 1 brick thick	3 by 0 2 by 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ brick thick	2 by 0	18 inches pipe sewer	12 inches pipe sewer	
Bevenden Street & vicinity..	323	250	.....	.....	280	£ s. d. 544 14 9
New Gloucester Street	762	.....	.....	120	.....	683 0 10
Paid from the Sewers Rate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1227 15 7
Motley Street and vicinity...	1190	.....	1310	.....	1056	1295 0 0
Albert Street and vicinity...	410	.....	660	.....	400	536 13 8
Vinegar Ground	700	490	294	.....	1105	1139 3 2
Mansfield Street	1125	600	120	709	1876	1467 10 4

NEW PAVING FUND.

The Vestry have also borrowed the sum of £60,000, for the purpose of paving and re-paving the Carriageways in the Parish.

The following statement shows the amount borrowed, how much repaid, and the amount now outstanding, as follows :

Date.	Borrowed.	Amount re-paid.	Amount due.
July 10th, 1861...	£5,000 at 4½ per cent. per annum ...	2000 0 0 ...	3000 0 0
Nov. 13th, ,, ...	5,000 ditto ditto ...	2000 0 0 ...	3000 0 0
Sept. 8th, 1863 ...	10,000 at £4 15s. 0d. ditto ...	2666 13 4 ...	733 6 8
Oct. 15th, 1867 ...	10,000 at 5 per cent. ditto ...	.....	10000 0 0
Dec. 3rd, ,, ...	10,000 ditto ditto ...	.....	10000 0 0
March 25th, 1868	20,000 at 4½ per cent. ditto ...	.....	20000 0 0
	<u>£60,000</u>	<u>£6,666 13 4</u>	<u>£53,333 6 8</u>

The following is a statement of the Paving Works that have been done under the orders of the Vestry, and paid for from the New Paving Fund, viz. :

Locality.	Cost.		
	£	s.	d.
Holywell Lane	1423	16	3
Pitfield Street	4420	10	11
High Street, Shoreditch	6775	19	3
Crown Street and Clifton Street	1655	13	3
Old Street Road	1580	15	8
Wilson Street	1611	0	1
Worship Street and Charles Square	398	5	2
St. John's Road	1003	10	9
City Road	2460	0	0
Kingsland Road	14667	19	0
Hackney Road	7090	0	3

NEW TOWN HALL.

The Architect reported on the 16th November, 1867, that, with the exception of painting, the builder had completed the New Town Hall, as per contract, and on the 17th December, 1867 the Vestry appointed a Hall Keeper, who took possession of the building at Christmas, 1867.

A Committee appointed by the Vestry has furnished the offices for the Clerks, Surveyor, &c., and also the chairs, benches, and fittings for the large hall. The Council Chamber, in which the Vestry hold their meetings, has been temporarily fitted up for carrying on the business.

The following is a Statement of the Expenses incurred in the Erection of the Building:—

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† This amount is for the expenses in the conveyance of the land, and the Bonds required in borrowing the money.

Road Materials received from the Contractors

During the year from the 25th March, 1867, to 25th March, 1868.

	BROKEN GRANITE.		BALLAST.		FLINTS.	
	At per yard.	Cubic yds.	At per yard.	Cubic yds.	At per yard.	Cubic yds.
Midsummer, 1867—						
Messrs. Booth & Griffiths	17/6 .	107 $\frac{1}{4}$ .	.	.	.	.
Mr. H. Dodd	.	.	.	.	8/- .	693
Mr. H. Crane	.	.	3/9 .	624 .	.	.
Guardians	14/9 .	709 .	.	.	.	.
Michaelmas, 1867—						
Messrs. Booth & Griffiths	17/6 .	21 $\frac{1}{4}$ .	.	.	.	.
Mr. H. Dodd	.	.	.	.	8/- .	158
Mr. H. Crane	.	.	3/9 .	172 .	.	.
Guardians	14/9 .	423 .	.	.	.	.
Christmas, 1867—						
Mr. H. Dodd	.	.	.	.	8/- .	596
Mr. H. Crane	.	.	3/9 .	260 .	.	.
Guardians	14/9 .	846 .	.	.	.	.
Lady-day, 1868—						
Mr. H. Dodd	.	.	.	.	8/- .	358
Mr. H. Crane	.	.	3/9 .	42 .	.	.
Guardians	14/9 .	1114 .	.	.	.	.
Totals	.	3220 $\frac{1}{2}$.	.	1098 .	.	1805

During the Paving of the Carriageways of the Kingsland and Hackney Roads, there were 3,330 cubic yards of material from those Roads distributed (where required) on the several Streets, &c., in the Parish.

From the Kingsland Road	.	.	1830 cubic yards
Ditto Hackney Road	.	.	1500 ditto

Maintenance of the Roads, Streets, &c.

The extent of the Roads kept in repair by the Vestry is about fifty miles.

Macadamized and Ballast	. . .	43 miles
Paved with Granite Cubes	. . .	7 „

the materials used in the unpaved Roads being Broken Granite, Flints, and Ballast.

PAVING WORKS.

The following Paving Works have been done during the year ending 25th March, 1868 :

Ware Street, Louisa Street, Nancy Street, and Watson's Place.—A new Granite Channel laid down, and the footways paved with new 3-in. York and new Granite Curb, at a cost of £612 5s. 4d.

East Street.—A new Granite Crossing laid down at the West end of East Street, at a cost of £21 11s. 10d.

Marlborough Road, Ipswich Road, Suffolk Road, and Norwich Road.—A new Granite Channell and Curb laid down, at a cost of £486 2s. 4d.

William Street, Canal Road.—A new Granite Curb laid down at a cost of £35 0s. 9d.

Holywell Row.—The footways re-paved with new 3-inch York and new Granite Curb, at a cost of £168 10s. 1d.

Kingsland Road.—The carriageway from the "Cherry Tree" to the Boundary Stone paved with new Granite Cubes, at a cost of £12,879 8s. 4d.; from Old Street Road to the "Cherry Tree," the carriageway re-paved with new Granite Cubes, at a cost of £1,788 10s. 8d., and the footways re-paved (where necessary) with new 3-inch York and new Granite Curb, at a cost of £1,124 18s. 10d.

John Street, Kingsland Road.—The carriageway paved with old Granite Cubes, at a cost of £226 6s. 0d., and the footways re-laid at a cost of £97 18s. 10d.

City Road.—The footways in front of Nos. 151, 153, 155, 152, 154, and 156, paved with new 3-inch York, at a cost of £75 10s. 11d.

George Street, Shoreditch.—The carriageway re-laid, at a cost of £4 1s. 3d., and the footway re-paved, at a cost of £17 17s. 8d.

East Road.—From the "Three Crowns" to Mr. Green's gateway, the footway re-paved with new 3-inch York, and new Granite Channel laid down, at a cost of £86 17s. 7d.

Whitecross Place.—The whole of the footway re-paved with old stone, at a cost of £13 8s. 10d.

Hackney Road.—The carriageway paved with new Granite Cubes, at a cost of £7,090 0s. 3d., and the footways re-paved (where necessary) with new 3-inch York and new Granite Curb, at a cost of £359 1s. 1d.

Hyde Place.—A new Granite Crossing laid down opposite St. Saviour's Church, at a cost of £26 12s. 10d.

Old Street Road.—In front and at the sides of the Town Hall the footway paved with new 3-inch York and new Granite Curb, at a cost of £132 17s. 8d.

The Surveyor has under his control two Foremen, one for the Eastern district, and one for the Western district of the Parish, and it is their duty to superintend the repair and maintenance of the roads and footways, to see that the watering is properly done, and to report to the Surveyor and Paving, &c., Committee, all matters relating to such roads, footways, &c., from time to time.

The number of laborers employed by the Surveyor on the roads is

sixteen, and they have to attend to the general repair and maintenance of the roads throughout the Parish.

Also from 25th March to 24th June there were seventeen laborers employed for sweeping and scraping the Macadamized and Ballast Roads, and cleansing Gullies, &c.

The Surveyor has also two Masons, with a laborer each, for the repair of the footway pavements, and in most cases to repair the pavement after trenches have been opened by Companies or Contractors.

There are also three Paviers for the repair of the carriageways, crossings, channels, &c., and five laborers generally employed throughout the Parish.

There is one man employed to cleanse the Urinals (14) belonging to the Vestry. (This man has been placed under the control of the Sanitary Committee.)

The Surveyor has three men employed in flushing the Sewers in the Parish; also, a bricklayer and laborer generally employed on sewers work.

The expense of maintaining the roads thrown upon the Parish by the 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 78, being the "Metropolis Turnpike Roads Acts' Amendment Act," for the period from the 25th March, 1867, to the commencement of paving such roads (Kingsland Road, 26th August, 1867; Hackney Road, 11th February, 1868:

Cubic Yards Broken Granite.			
For Kingsland Road	244	at 14/9 yard	£179 19 0
Hackney Road	286	„	210 18 6
Making a total of			<u>£390 17 6</u>

There was also 420 cubic yards of Mac Adam spread on the Hackney Road from the Kingsland Road, in addition to the 286 cubic yards supplied by the Contractors.

Cleansing and Dusting the Parish.

Amount paid the Contractor for cleansing
the paved streets, removing dust, &c.,
for the—

Quarter to Midsummer, 1867 750 0 0

Amount paid being the cost of cleansing the
Macadamized and Ballast roads, and
cleansing the gullies by the laborers
employed by the Vestry, including hire
of Teams, &c., for the—

Quarter to Midsummer, 1867 778 5 1

————— 1528 5 1

Amounts paid the Contractors for cleansing
the whole of the Parish, removing dust,
and cleansing the gullies, &c., for the—

Quarter to Michaelmas, 1867—East division 720 0 0

West division 625 0 0

————— 1345 0 0

Quarter to Christmas, 1867—East division 720 0 0

West division 625 0 0

————— 1345 0 0

Quarter to Lady-day, 1868—East division 720 0 0

West division 625 0 0

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Making a total cost for the year of . £5563 5 1

LIGHTING THE PARISH.

The Vestry contract with the Independent Gas Light Company, at Haggerstone, for the lighting of all the public lamps in the Parish that are situate on the North side of Worship Street, at £3 17s. 6d. per lamp per annum, which includes the supply of new burners, service pipes, and fittings for the same complete, with painting, repairing, and all removals that may be ordered by the Vestry.

The public lamps in the Parish on the South side of Worship Street are lighted by the Chartered Gas Company, Curtain Road, upon the following terms, viz.:

Newcastle Coal Gas—

4 feet per hour each lamp . . . £3 9 0

with the addition of 15s. per lamp per annum for repairs, lighting, cleansing, &c.

The number of public lamps in the Parish on the 25th March 1868, was—

The Independent Gas Company	. . .	1106
Chartered Gas Company	. . .	71
		1177
		1177

WATERING THE ROADS.

The whole of the Parish was watered by Mr. Henry Crane, of Baring Street, Hoxton, for the sum of £1,140, being £640 for the East division, and £500 for the West division.

The Contract was from the 8th March to the 31st October, 1867.

Roads watered twice a day	. . .	36
Ditto once „	. . .	131

There were sixteen Hydrants in the Parish for the purpose of watering; eleven supplied by the New River Company, and five by the East London Water Company, situated as follows :

North side of Wenlock Street, opposite Church Street

New North Road, opposite the Pavement Chapel

East Road (West side) opposite Singleton Street

Grange Street, near the North end of Saint John's Road

Old Street Road (West side) between Tabernacle Square
and Wood Street

At the back of the Urinal, near the North end of Hyde
Place

On the North side of Worship Street, near the South-east
corner of Worship Square

Great Cambridge Street (East side) between Gloucester
Street, West, and Kent Street

Opposite Shoreditch Church

Near the West end of Broke Road, Queen's Road

Curtain Road, opposite St. James's Church

High Street, Hoxton (East side) opposite Upper John
Street

The East-end of Margaret Street, near the Pump

Dunston Road, Kingsland Road, near the Urinal

Kingsland Road (East side) near Pearson Street

Hackney Road (South-east side) near Charles Street

Also a new Hydrant has been fixed near the railings of St. John's Church, Pitfield Street, supplied by the New River Company, making a total of seventeen.

SEWER WORKS.

New Sewers have been laid down in the following places, under a schedule of prices, by
Mr. James Smith, of Woodland Street, Dalston.

LOCALITY.	Length and Sizes—Feet lineal.					Side entrances	Ventila- ting Shafts	Gullies	Cost		
	3-ft. by 2-ft. 1 brick thick	2-ft. by 2-ft. half brick thick	15-inch pipe	12-inch pipe	9-inch pipe				£	s.	d.
Ware Street	186	302	.....	396	.....	1	1	9	291 18 3		
Louisa Street											
Nancy Street and Watsons Place											
Westmoreland Street											
Acton Mews	200	50	.....	.....	2	33 2 8		
Whitecross Place	360	465	.....	.....	.....	5	185 7 7		
Trafalgar Road	1	.....	about	20 0 0		
Stonebridge Common	1	.....	"	20 0 0		
Broke Road	1	.....	"	20 0 0		
Little Newton Street	1	.....	"	20 0 0		
Devonshire Street	1	.....	"	20 0 0		
East Road	1	.....	"	20 0 0		
*Westmoreland Place	420	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	122 0 0		

* Work done by men in the employ of the Vestry.

Re-numbering Houses in the Parish.

The Vestry (under the 87th Section of the 'Act to Amend the Metropolis Local Management Acts,') have given the necessary orders which have been carried out for the re-numbering the houses in the following streets, viz. :—

	Subsidiary Names Abolished		Number of Houses.
Pitfield Street	..	4	91
Shrubland Road	..	8	68
Broke Road	..	4	124
Brownlow Road	..	2	91
Curtain Road	..	0	154
Bridport Place	..	0	139
Pownall Road	..	8	133
Wenlock Street	..	2	101
Kingsland Road	..	9	292
Hoxton Street (late Hoxton Town)	..	6	311
Brougham Road, (late Victoria Road)		9	105
Albion Road	..	3	21
New North Road	..	12	180
Finsbury Avenue (late Long Alley)	..		
East Road	..	6	145
Shepherdess Walk	..	10	148
Goldsmith's Row	..	2	168
Worship Street	..	1	121
Great Cambridge Street		1	147
Weymouth Terrace	..	4	135
Phillip Street	..	1	127
Brunswick Place	..	2	62
York Street	..	1	50
Brunswick Street	..	3	139
Hows Street (late York Street)	..	1	84
Haggerstone Road	..	6	119
Canal Road	..	2	73

Contracts entered into by the Vestry for General Works, and Supply of Materials,
For One Year, from the 25th day of March, 1868.

DATE OF CONTRACT	NAME OF CONTRACTOR.	WORKS TO BE PERFORMED, OR MATERIALS SUPPLIED.
10th March, 1868	INDEPENDENT GAS COMPANY, Haggerstone... ..	To Light the whole of the Public Lamps in that part of the parish that is situate on the North side of Worship Street, the supply of Burners, Service Pipes, and Fittings, complete, also the Painting, Repairing, and all removals required, at £3 17s. 6d. per lamp per annum.
" " "	CHARTERED GAS COMPANY	To light the whole of the Public Lamps in that part of the parish that is situate on the South side of worship Street. Four feet per hour Newcastle Coal Gas, each lamp per annum £3 9s., with 15s. each for Lighting, Cleansing, Painting, Repairs, &c.
" " "	Mr. CHARLES PARSONS, Lower Shadwell	Dusting and cleansing the entire parish for £3980.*
" " "	MESSRS. BOOTH & GRIFFITHS, of Kingsland Road Bridge... ..	Mason's Work.
" " "	MESSRS. BOOTH & GRIFFITHS, of Kingsland Road Bridge... ..	Pavior's work.
" " "	Mr. HENRY CRANE, of 5, George Street, London Fields	Ballast 3/9, Sand 3/6, and Shingle 3/- per cubic load.
" " "	Mr. HENRY CRANE, of 5, George Street, London Fields	Flints 8/6 and Broken Kentish Rag Stone 9/- per cubic load.
" " "	MESSRS. BOOTH & GRIFFITHS, of Kingsland Road Bridge... ..	Broken Granite 16/8 per cubic yard.
" " "	Mr. A. T. ROBERTS, of 5, Hackney Road	Printing.
" " "	MESSRS. STACY BROTHERS, of 170, Shoreditch	Stationery.
" " "	Mr. GEORGE SMITH, of 12, Victoria Place, Brunswick Street	Painter's and Writer's Work.
" " "	Mr. GEORGE SMITH, of 12, Victoria Place, Brunswick street	Plumbers Work.
" " "	Mr. JAMES BARNES, of 85, Hoxton Street	Smith's Work.
" " "	Mr. WILLIAM TILLEY, of 161, Kingsland Road	Lamp Lanthorn's, &c.
" " "	MESSRS. SMITH & THOMPSON, Mill Field Iron Works, Stockton	Lamp Posts, Columns.
" " "	Mr. HENRY CRANE, of 5, George Street, London Fields... ..	General Cartage.
" " "	MESSRS. CAPON & Co., of 3, Canal Road... ..	Lime.
" " "	Mr. THOMAS KEY, 122, Brick Lane, Bethnal Green	Street Broom Heads.

* This Contract is for One Year, to 24th June, 1869.

SANITARY CONDITION OF THE PARISH.

Report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector.

GENTLEMEN,

I beg to submit for your information the following summary of Sanitary Works, carried out under the inspection, and by the orders of your Inspectors during the year ending March, 1868.

About 2000 houses have been inspected as the house to house visitations.

110 houses visited where infectious disorders were raging.

77 Cesspools have been abolished.

50 proper Water Closets have been erected, all provided with proper trapped soil pans, and properly drained to the Sewers.

201 House Drains have been properly cleansed.

309 Houses have been properly cleansed throughout.

663 Yards have been re-paved to improve the surface drainage.

391 Walls of Yards have been limewhited.

557 Drains in Yards have been trapped.

22 Houses have been ventilated by having additional windows or skylights where ventilation was defective.

25 Courts have been cleansed, and the walls limewhited.

400 New Dust-bins have been provided.

29 cases of insufficient water supply.

20 Dung-pits have been constructed.

36 New Water Butts, and 8 new Cisterns have been provided, and
30 Water Butts have been re-pitched.

15 instances of keeping pigs where notices have been served to remove them.

In six cases meat and fish have been destroyed, being unfit for human food.

I have also visited, each week since October, the following Police Stations, to take the register of the public lamps of the parish damaged

or not lighted during the night, viz. :—

N Division,—Hackney, Newington, and Kingsland Road.

G Division,—Old Street.

H Division,—Spital Square.

There have been 64 lamps out all night, and 23 broken.

There are 78 Slaughter-houses,
47 Cow-houses, and
147 Bake-houses.

I visit the whole of the Slaughter and Cow Houses four times a year, and the Bakers half-yearly. I have also visited houses and shops where Fireworks are sold, &c. I believe that in the whole of the parish no firework makers exist.

Proceedings have been compelled to be taken in 11 cases before the Police Magistrates at Worship Street Police Court, against owners of property where they have neglected or refused to carry out the orders of the Sanitary Committee.

The number of Sanitary Works executed since the establishment of the Vestry are as follows :—

3,598 Cesspools have been abolished.

5,397 proper Water Closets have been erected, and all properly drained to the Sewers.

2,908 House Drains have been cleansed and repaired.

4,391 Dust-bins have been provided.

During the year 1867 there were 1,714 applications to have dust removed, which were attended to by the Contractors.

Bedding removed and destroyed by order of the Medical Officer from the following places :—

			£	s.	d.
No. 11, Ingram's Buildings	..	..	0	9	3
Dyers' Court	..	..	
11, Paul Square	..	..	0	7	5
11, Francis Street	..	..	0	3	0
1, Parrott's Place	..	..	0	5	0
Carried forward	..	..	1	4	8

Brought forward ..	..	..	1	4	8
Nos. 2 & 5, Little Norfolk Place..	..	..	0	5	0
3, Jane Shore Court..	..	..	0	17	10
24, Windsor Place ..	..	..	0	16	0
1, Queen's Row ..	..	..	2	10	0
5, Little Norfolk Place ..	..	..	0	5	0
11, City Terrace ..	..	..	0	4	7
1, Wrights Buildings..	..	..	1	8	6
45, Curtain Road ..	..	..	0	12	3
2, Wright's Buildings			2	4	6
2, French Alley ..	..	..	0	14	4
45, Curtain Road ..	..	..	0	10	6
20, Laburnham Terrace ..	..	..	0	10	0
69, Leonard Street ..	..	..	0	11	9
13, White Cross Place ..	..	..	0	11	3
30, Fellowes Street ..	..	..	0	11	9
16, Hertford Street ..	..	..	1	4	6
6, New Inn Yard ..	..	..	0	12	6
45, Chatham Gardens ..	..	..	0	18	9
43, Bath Street, Old Street Road ..	..	..	0	11	9
5, Whitfield Street ..	..	..	0	14	6
222A, City Road ..	..	..	0	13	6
15, Craven Street ..	..	..	1	2	0
24, Ashford Street ..	..	..	0	6	4
11, Brownlow Street ..	..	..	0	14	6
21, Essex Street ..	..	..	0	11	6
1A, Willow Street	0	12	3
16, Luke Street	1	5	6
7, Lower John Street	0	11	9
8, Essex Street			0	12	0
			<hr/>		
			£24	9	3
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I am, Gentlemen,

Your most obedient Servant,

THOMAS A. DENNIS,

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

Town Hall, Old Street Road, 20th July, 1868.

SANITARY CONDITION OF THE PARISH.

The following statement will show the Works that have been carried out under the orders of the Sanitary Committee since the passing of the "Metropolis Local Government Act," 1855.

YEARS.	Cesspools abolished.	Drains cleaned and repaired. No. of houses drained into the sewers.	Water Closets constructed with Traps, &c.	Dust Bins constructed	Houses Ven- tilated.
1857...West Division...	64	370	225	53	...
„ ...East „ ...	120	324	180	42	...
1858...West „ ...	411	573	492	48	...
„ ...East „ ...	288	582	279	69	..
1859...West „ ...	221	457	304	83	...
„ ...East „ ...	198	504	284	64	5
1860...West „ ...	376	139	500	48	4
„ ...East „ ...	210	530	308	37	
1861...West „ ...	269	455	391	56	...
„ ...East „ ...	48	231	48	...	13
1862... „ ...	377	637	538	43	1
1863... „ ...	358	581	521	146	8
1864... „ ...	253	477	370	107	8
1865... „ ...	213	88	291	119	21
1866... „ ...	234	150	324	62	..
1867... „ ...	81	160	292	34	..
	3721	6258	5347	1011	1

Meetings of Vestry and Committees.

The Vestry have held	..	* ..	58	meetings	during	the	year.
Finance committee	..	..	37	..	..
Paving, &c., committee..	..	..	35	..	..
Assessment committee ..	..	..	37	..	..
Parliamentary committee	..	..	3	..	..
Sanitary committee	..	..	27	..	..
Vestry Hall committee..	..	..	74	..	..
Shepherdess Walk Improvement							
committee	..	..	1	..	..
Newington Charity	..	..	3	..	..
			<u>275</u>				

The Pumps in the Parish.

All the pumps, with the exception of the one in Brunswick have been removed to the Stone Yard.

The Gullies are now required to be cleansed by the Contractor for cleansing the Parish, and form part of the contract.

The number of Gullies in the Parish is as under :

For the East Division	..	..	..	..	978
For the West Division	..	..	..	..	1087
					<u>2065</u>

The following are the places where the Urinals are
now in use:

					Will accommodate Persons.
Tabernacle Square	stone	..	6		
Swan Yard.. .. .	slate & iron	..	10		
Hoxton Street, front of Red Lion Yard ..	brick & slate	..	4		
Kingsland Road Bridge	slate	..	3		
Great Chart Street.. .. .	iron	..	2		
Wenlock Street	iron	..	2		
Hoxton Street, back of Workhouse ..	iron	..	2		
Cavendish Street	iron	..	2		
North end of Curtain road	brick & slate	..	4		
South side of Rosemary Branch Bridge ..	iron	..	2		
George Square, Hoxton Street	slate	..	2		
Mill's Court, Curtain road	slate	..	2		
Shoreditch, opposite Church	iron	..	6		
Pitfield Street, by Church	iron	..	4		

No. 2, or Church Ward (continued).

BERTIN, SAMUEL GEORGE	71, <i>Paul-street</i>
BOYCE, ROBERT JOHN	94, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
CAIN, FRANCIS	45, <i>Great James-street</i>
COLE, WILLIAM	74, <i>Old-street-road</i>
COOKE, JOHN	126, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
GREEN, JONATHAN ALLISON	62, <i>Brunswick-place</i>
HART, JOHN	167, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
HOWS, WM. ARNOLD HADDON	274, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
HUGHES, WILLIAM	151, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
LACEY, ALFRED	85, <i>Curtain-road</i>
LOUGH, JOSEPH	155, <i>Holywell-street</i>
MAIN, WILLIAM HENRY	171, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
MARTIN, JAMES	162, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
OWEN, JOHN	67, <i>Old-street-road</i>
PLESTER, JOSEPH	1, <i>Willow-court</i>
SWAIN, WILLIAM	101, <i>Curtain-road</i>
STACY, JOHN LEATT	20, <i>Old-street-road</i>
WEST, JACOB	<i>Old-street-road</i>
AUDITOR, Mr. WILLIAM BOUCHER, 102, <i>Holywell-stre et, Shoreditch.</i>	

No. 3, or Hoxton Ward

Messrs. BAGLEY, JOHN	22, <i>Charles-square</i>
DEACON, SOLOMON	59, <i>Alma-street</i>
DENNY, DENNIS	8, <i>St. John's-road</i>
EDWARDS, EDWARD	<i>Mount-row, East-road</i>
EMMS, JAMES	14, <i>Charles-square</i>
FRANCIS NATHANIEL	96, <i>Pitfield-street</i>
HUCKETT, ALFRED WILLIAM	36, <i>East-road</i>
HASSELL, GEORGE	65, <i>Pitfield-street</i>
LARGE, JOHN HOOD	65, <i>New-north-road</i>
LINDSAY, ROBERT	7, <i>George's-buildings, Old-street road</i>
NOBBS, THOMAS ELLIS	38, <i>Shepherdess-walk</i>
POWNALL, The Very Rev. GEORGE PURVES	<i>Murray-street, New-north-road</i>
ROSE, JOSIAH	57, <i>Pitfield-street</i>
SARSON, HENRY	71, <i>New-north-road</i>

No. 3, or Hoxton Ward (continued).

Messrs. SNOWDEN, ROBERT	131, <i>City-road</i>
STAFF, ROBERT	8, <i>East-road</i>
STEVENS, DANIEL	68, <i>Old-street-road</i>
TAYLOR, WILLIAM	33, <i>Great Chart-street</i>
TURNER, THOMAS	56, <i>New Gloucester-street</i>
WESTON, BENJAMIN	27, <i>East-road</i>
YARROW, WILLIAM SMITH	68, <i>New-north-road</i>

No. 4, or Wenlock Ward.

Messrs. ANSELL, GEORGE WILLIAM	171, <i>New-north-road</i>
ATKYNS, Dr. ALFRED	91, <i>New-north-road</i>
BAKER, JAMES	66, <i>New-north-road</i>
BRAZIL, WILLIAM	100, <i>Shepherdess-walk</i>
BROOKS, GEORGE	115, <i>New-north-road</i>
COCKERTON, CHARLES EDWARD	177, <i>New-north-road</i>
ELLIS, JOHN	111, <i>New-north-road</i>
FELL, WILLIAM HALFORD	99, <i>New-north-road</i>
HAMMOND, JOHN	90, <i>Shepherdess-walk</i>
HANSON, THOMAS	<i>Wenlock-road</i>
HANSON, GEORGE	175, <i>New-north-road</i>
HORTON, WILLIAM	217, <i>New-north-road</i>
KELLY, Rev. HENRY PLIMLEY	112, <i>New-north-road</i>
MORGAN, THOMAS JUDSON	254, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
NORTH, JOHN	123, <i>Shepherdess-walk</i>
SEADON, JAMES SAMUEL	181, <i>New-north-road</i>
STARLING, WILLIAM	<i>Edward-street, Wenlock Basin</i>
STEVENS, CHARLES ROBERT	<i>Eagle Wharf-road</i>

AUDITOR, Mr. JOSEPH CORBETT, 102, *Shepherdess-walk*.

No. 5, or Whitmore Ward.

Messrs. BARNES, JAMES	202, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
BOOTH ALFRED	165, <i>St. John's-road</i>
FREEMAN, JAMES R. . . .	174, <i>St. John's-road</i>
HESTER, GEORGE	86, <i>St. John's-road</i>

No. 5, or Whitmore Ward (continued)

JENNESON, CHARLES	234, <i>Hoxton-street</i>
KING, ENOCH	<i>York House, Constable-alley</i>
NICHOLLS, WILLIAM	172, <i>St. John's-road</i>
NORBURN, ADOLPHUS HENRY	92, <i>St. John's-road</i>
PENSTONE, JOSEPH	104, <i>St. John's-road</i>
READING, JOHN EBENEZER	45, <i>St. John's-road</i>
WALKER, ENOCH	25, <i>Old-street-road</i>
WARREN, JOHN	102, <i>St. John's-road</i>

AUDITOR, Mr. HENRY FULLER, 232, *Hoxton-street*.

No. 6, or Kingsland Ward.

MESSRS. CRABB, WILLIAM JAMES	210, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
CRANSTON, WILLIAM	244, <i>Holywell-street</i>
DICKASON, JAMES	25, <i>Mansfield-street</i>
FLANDERS, ROBERT WILLIAM	1, <i>Pearson-street</i>
FROWDE, THOMAS	23, <i>Shap-street</i>
GODLONTON, THOMAS	51, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
HARVERSON, JOHN	111, <i>Hackney-road</i>
LAING, ROBERT	<i>Manor-house, Haggerstone-bridge</i>
LINES, DAVID	122, <i>Weymouth-terrace</i>
LONG, JEREMIAH	<i>Union-street, Kingsland-road</i>
PITMAN, ROBERT	9, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
PREVOST, WILLIAM	129, <i>Brunswick-street</i>

AUDITOR, Mr. JOHN REVILL, 232, *Kingsland-road*.

No. 7, or Haggerstone Ward.

MESSRS. BENNETT, GEORGE	26, <i>Tuileries-street</i>
CARR, FREDERICK	<i>Alfred-terrace</i>
CLARKE, JOSEPH	<i>The Imperial Gas Works, Margaret-street</i>
EDMONDS, JAMES	37, <i>Gt. Cambridge-street</i>
FREEBODY, WILLIAM YATES	239, <i>Hackney-road</i>
HODGES, THOMAS WILLIAM	149, <i>Great Cambridge-street</i>
LAWLESS, JOHN	341, <i>Hackney-road</i>
LITTLE, JOSEPH	146, <i>Brunswick-street</i>
SOUTHGATE, WILLIAM	24, <i>Margaret-street</i>

No. 8, or Acton Ward.

Messrs. CHAMBERS, GEORGE EDWARD .	15, <i>Haggerstone-road</i>
DALTRY, HENRY FREDERICK .	6, <i>Livermere-road</i>
DEATH, JEREMIAH	286, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
FRENCH, WILLIAM JOHN . . .	<i>Stonebridge-house, Haggerstone</i>
MANDERS, THOMAS	58, <i>Haggerstone-road</i>
REECE, THOMAS	282, <i>Kingsland-road</i>
RUDLAND, ROBERT	30, <i>Queen's-road</i>
SYKES, GEORGE	38, <i>Queen's-road</i>
TURNER, HENRY	1, <i>Broadway, London-fields</i>

List of Officers of the Vestry.

WILLIAM GOLDING DAVIS, Vestry Clerk.
 HENRY GAWEN SUTTON, M.D., Medical Officer.
 GEORGE CHARLES PERRETT, Surveyor.
 WILLIAM ELIAS COLE, Accountant and Examiner.
 THOMAS ABEL DENNIS, Chief Sanitary Inspector.
 JOHN ROBINSON, Assistant Inspector of Nuisances.
 WILLIAM DAVIS, Surveyor's Assistant.
 JOHN DRAKE,
 HENRY FRANCIS JONES, } Rate Clerks.
 GEORGE CHARLES YOUNG, }
 GEORGE LILLEY, Hall Keeper.
 EDWARD HENRY RUSSELL, Messenger.

W. G. DAVIS,

Vestry Clerk.

VESTRY OFFICES—

Town Hall, Old Street Road.

June, 1868.

