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VESTRY

OF THE

Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch,

MIDDLESEX.

METROPOLIS LOCAL MANAGEMENT ACT, 1855.

TWENTY-FOURTH

ANNUAL REPORT

FOR THE

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A REPORT

On the Receipts and Expenditure, Assets and Liabilities of the Vestry of the Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch, and of the proceedings of the Vestry, and of the Works undertaken and executed, &c., and of the Medical Officer of Health, for the year ending Lady-day, 1880.

Published pursuant to the "Metropolis Local Management Acts."

A REPORT

On the Receipts and Expenditures, Assets and
Liabilities of the Vestry of the Parish of Saint
Leonard, Shoreditch, and of the Proceedings of
the Vestry, and of the Officers, Deacons and
Sextons, and of the Medical Officer of
Health for the year ending Lady-day, 1889.

Published pursuant to the Statute in
Force relating to the Management of
Churches.

REPORT OF THE VESTRY CLERK.

GENTLEMEN,

During the year ending Lady-day, 1880, the amount collected on the Poor's Rate was £51,566 6s. 4d.; the amount in the pound levied for the four quarters was 2s. 1d., being for the quarter to Midsummer, 5d.; to Michaelmas, 7d.; to Christmas, 6d.; and to Lady-day, 7d.

During the previous year the Poor Rate was 2s. 6d.

The amount of the Guardians' Calls for the year ending Lady-day, 1879, was £50,000; and for the last year, £39,000; and for the half-year, Lady-day to Michaelmas, 1880, is £24,000.

The amount owing to the Guardians at Lady-day, 1879, was *nil*; at the end of the year, ending at Lady-day, 1880, the sum of £4,500 was due.

Further particulars of the expenditure of Poor Rate will be found in the Balance Sheet, as audited and signed.

SEWERS AND GENERAL RATES.

The statement hereto appended will give the details of the receipts and expenditure on account of the Sewers and General Rates. It is only necessary here to state that the rates levied for the last three years were—

	1878.	1879.	1880.
General, in the £ ...	1/9	2/-	2/1
Sewers ditto ...	6d.	6d.	7d.
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	2/3	2/6	2/8

The total amount collected on the Vestry rates for the year was £65,418 4s. 10d., an increase from the previous year of £4,848 15s. 0d.

Of these sums collected by the Vestry large amounts are paid to other authorities for purposes over which the Vestry has no control. Thus, in addition to the £39,000 paid to the Guardians, out which the County Rates and Metropolitan Asylum Board's charges are paid, there is the sum of £10,641 15s. 9d. paid to the Commissioners of Police, equal to an actual rate on the parish of 5d. in the £; also £210 9s. 9d. to the Returning Officer for Borough Registration expenses.

From the Sewers rate is paid the Metropolitan Board's Consolidated rate of £11,114 13s. 6d. From the General rate is paid the School Board rate of £11,538 6s. 2d. All these charges are based upon the rateable value of the property according to the valuation list, and no reduction is made for empty houses or for the allowance to owners. It will therefore be seen that where, from local circumstances, a considerable portion of property is unoccupied the burden of taxation falls unequally upon the remaining portion, but possibly a remedy for this inequality is not to be easily devised.

ASSESSMENTS.

The Valuation List for the previous year amounted to £641,204 Gross value, £517,897 Rateable value. For the present year the amount is fixed at Gross value, £650,990; Rateable value, £526,035; being an increase of £9,786 and £8,138 respectively.

RAILWAYS, TRAMWAYS, &c.

The only proposal relating to works of this character made to Parliament in the Session commencing 1880, affecting this parish, was one which projected a line of tramway from Shoreditch High Street, through Bethnal Green Road, and thence eastwards. So far as the parish of Shoreditch was concerned, it was a matter of the extension of the tramway from the High Street through the New Bethnal Green Road for about a distance of 200 yards. The Company agreed with the Vestry in respect to this proposed extension, to the same terms as had been previously settled for the Shoreditch High Street. It now transpires that owing to difficulties which have arisen as to terms in other parishes, the Company has abandoned all projects for new works during the present Session.

HARWAR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

In the report of the last year the following was stated:—

“The arrangements between the Vestry, the Drapers’ Company, and the Charity Commissioners, for the removal of Harwar’s Almshouses, in Kingsland Road, and the completing the thoroughfare through Harwar Street, late Thomas Street, have progressed somewhat slowly owing to some differences between the Company and the Commissioners. These have now been settled and the order will shortly be issued.

“The scheme to be sanctioned will be the conversion of the benefits of the Almshouses into twelve pensions,—six men, married or single, and six women, single or widows, of £30 per year each.

The present inmates will receive £35 15s. per year. One half of the pensions will be appointed on the recommendation of the Charity Trustees of this parish, the other half will be appointed by the Drapers' Company. So much of the present site as is not required for improvement purposes will be let by the Company on building lease, and the rent obtainable will be applied to the Pension Fund. To make up the Pension Fund to £240 per year, the Vestry is to pay into Consols such a sum as will afford dividends which, when added to the rent obtainable, will provide that sum of £240; but at first the sum of £3,000 is to be invested to await the final adjustment after the property has been let. It is estimated that the total cost of widening and paving the widened portions of the thoroughfares will be £3,000, but that will depend upon the amount of rent that will be obtained. The Metropolitan Board has agreed to contribute one-half, such contribution not to exceed £2,000."

I have now only to report that the order has been issued by the Charity Commissioners, and is dated the 12th of August, 1879, confirming the scheme as stated in outline above, and that a copy of the same may be seen at the Vestry Offices. By the terms of the agreement between the Vestry and the Charity Trustees, as approved by the Charity Commissioners, the sum of £240 was to be secured to the Charity, firstly by the ground rent of the property to be let, and secondly the balance by dividends accruing from a sum to be invested in Consols by the Vestry; but in no case was the Vestry to pay a less sum as purchase-money for the land taken from the Company than £450. The property was put up for letting by the Drapers' Company, and the highest bid (apparently a genuine one, as one year's rent was deposited) was £230, leaving but £10 per year to be made up by the Vestry. Under these circumstances the proviso for payment of £450 comes into operation.

The Vestry has paid to the account of the Official Trustees of Charitable Funds the sum of £2,932 10s. 0d., representing £3,000 in Consols; and should the arrangement be, as is expected, fully

carried out upon the terms as above stated, there will have to be returned to the Vestry a sum representing in Consols at the time of the transfers £2,550. The Vestry has also paid to the Drapers' Company towards the allowance to pensioners (late inmates of Harwar's Almshouses), as per agreement, £150, for one year, Michaelmas, 1879, to Michaelmas, 1880. There will be a further sum to pay, perhaps £30, to Christmas next; but the exact amount will depend upon matters not yet quite determined.

The Metropolitan Board has agreed to contribute one-half the net cost of this improvement, such contribution not to exceed the sum of £2,000. This matter as to total cost and contribution is not finally settled.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

During the last year the Vestry has effected two improvements of a somewhat small, still of an important, character. First, the removal of the forecourt of No. 7, Curtain Road, at a total cost, including compensation to owners, professional charges, paving, &c., of £222 15s. 4d.; and second, the rounding of the corner of the Chapel yard at the junction of Mintern Street and New North Road—total cost, £182 15s. 5d.; towards which the Tramway Company, whose lines pass the corner, paid £50. It is expected that the Metropolitan Board will contribute one-half of the cost of both these improvements.

DRINKING FOUNTAIN AND COLUMN, GREAT EASTERN STREET AND OLD STREET.

In the last Annual Report reference was made to a subject which was then under the consideration of the Improvement Committee—the erection of a Drinking Fountain and Column, at the junction of Great Eastern Street and Old Street. Since then the Committee submitted to the Vestry a proposal which has been adopted. It has been decided to erect a pedestal and column, to be of polished grey and red Scotch granite, with bronze capital and

other ornaments. The granite work has been entrusted to Mr. A. Nicholson, of Mark Lane; the bronze work to the Coalbrooke Dale Company, through the agency of Mr. E. Wells, of Wood Street; the foundations have been entrusted to Messrs. Nowell & Robson. The arrangements for fixing are not yet determined; the water supply and apparatus connected therewith will be provided by the Metropolitan Drinking Fountain Association. It is expected that the column will be erected in September next.

The Metropolitan Drinking Fountain Association has already provided a granite horse trough, near the spot, which is extensively used.

RAILWAYS, TRAMWAYS, &c.

No Railway or other Bills of a like character, affecting the Parish, have been promoted during the past year, except a Bill to authorise *inter alia* the extension of the North Metropolitan Tramway, from the High Street, Shoreditch, through the Bethnal Green Road, to a junction with the existing line in Cambridge Road. A very small portion of this line would have affected this parish, and no difficulty was experienced by the Vestry in coming to an agreement with the Tramway Company. Owing, however, to difficulties which arose between other parishes and districts, and the Company, the latter was induced to abandon all extensions which were struck out of the Bill, and the same is now being promoted for the Company's private purposes only, and has no relation to public works.

SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACT.

Appended are the Reports of Dr. Stevenson, Analyst.

Prosecutions were instituted and convictions obtained in several cases, the penalties varying from £5 to the costs of the summons. The Act has practically put an end to food adulteration. Milk and butter are now almost the only articles in respect to which it is practised.

THE TOWN HALL.

During the year the Large Hall has been let 154 times ; the Council Chamber 13 times ; the Committee Rooms have been used by Local Societies, mostly free of charge.

The receipts for letting were £1,037 19s. 0d.

VESTRY AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The number of Vestry and Committee Meetings held during the year ended April 30th, 1880, is as follows :—

Number of Vestry Meetings...	...	...	36
Finance Committee (including Meetings of Audit Committee)	...	...	35
Sewers, &c., Committee	...	...	42
Lighting Committee ...	...	...	6
Sanitary Committee (including Meetings of Sub-Committee) ...	...	...	12
Valuation Committee ...	...	...	20
Town Hall Committee	...	...	32
Parliamentary and Improvement Committee..			13

Appended is a list of Contracts entered into by the Vestry for the year, with other requisite information.

I have the honour to be,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient Servant,

E. WALKER,

Vestry Clerk.

TOWN HALL,

OLD STREET,

June, 1880.

VESTRY OF SAINT LEONARD, SHOREDITCH.

POOR RATE.

A COPY of an Abstract Statement of the amount levied in respect of Poor Rates, and the Expenditure thereof, under the Order of the Vestry, for the half-year ending 29th Sept., 1879.

Receipts.		Expenditure.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Balance in hand 25th March, 1879.....	4386 17 6	The Guardians of the Poor, under Contribution Orders ..	15000 0 0
From the Poor Rate.....	24967 16 4	Police Rate	5247 0 7
The Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury—Contributions in aid of Rates in respect of Government Property, in lieu or Assessment	14 0 0	Election of Vestrymen	82 19 2
		Collectors' Poundage and Salaries	291 3 3
		Burial Board, for defraying the expenses of the Board under the Acts 16 and 17 Vic., c. 134, and 17 and 18 Vic., c. 137.....	100 0 0
		Rate for Hall	50 0 0
		Superannuation— <i>re</i> Coste.....	8 0 0
		Collectors' Receipt Stamps	12 15 4
		Balance in hand 29th Sept., 1879	8576 15 6
	<u>£29368 13 10</u>		<u>£29368 13 10</u>

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Dated this 17th day of January, 1880.

(Signed) H. L. ROBERTS, Poor Law Auditor.

VESTRY OF SAINT LEONARD, SHOREDITCH.

POOR RATE.

A COPY of an Abstract Statement of the amount levied in respect of Poor Rates, and the Expenditure thereof, under the Order of the Vestry, for the half year ending the 25th March, 1880.

Receipts.				Expenditure.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Balance in hand 25th March, 1880.....	8576	15	6	The Guardians of the Poor, under Contribution Orders,....	19500	0	0
From the Poor Rate.....	26598	10	0	Police Rate	5394	15	2
The Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury—Contribution in aid of Rates in respect of Government Property, in lieu of Assessment	12	0	0	Registration of Voters (Parliamentary).....	400	2	5
				Jury List	33	8	3
				Collectors' Poundage and Salaries.....	392	13	8
				Burial Board, for defraying the expenses of the Board under the Acts 16 and 17 Vic., c. 134, and 17 and 18 Vic., c. 137.....	60	0	0
				Rate for Hall	25	0	0
				Superannuation— <i>re</i> Coste	16	0	0
				Collectors' Receipt Stamps	10	16	0
				Law Expenses	43	19	0
				Balance in hand 25th March, 1880.....	9310	11	0
					<u>£35187</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
	<u>£35187</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>				

Dated this 12th day of June, 1880.

(Signed) H. L. ROBERTS, *Poor Law Auditor.*

ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT, shewing the RECEIPTS and
for the Year ended

SEWERS

(including Metropolitan

	£	s.	d.
To Balance in hand, 26th March, 1879	1935	19	2
Rates collected during the year	14233	16	7
Licenses	140	19	3
Amount received for Cleansing a Sewer	20	0	0

£16,330 15 0

EXPENDITURE for the Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch,
the 25th March, 1880.

RATE.

Consolidated Rate.)

	£	s.	d.
By Cost of New Urinal (Rosemary Branch Bridge) ..	51	0	0
Sewer Rods	5	6	2
Bricks	11	15	0
Side Entrances for Sewers	42	0	0
New Sewer Works	194	1	0
Income Tax on Loans	0	15	10
Precept issued by Metropolitan Board for 1879 ..	11114	13	6
Salaries, Pounding and Superannuation	1036	10	6
Principal and Interest on Loans	564	8	10
Drain, &c., Pipes	33	14	8
Water for Public Urinals	72	2	0
Rates for Hall	20	16	8
Surveyor—Labor Account	500	0	0
Balance in hand, 25th March, 1880	2683	10	10

£16,330 15 0

GENERAL

ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT, shewing the RECEIPTS and
for the Year ended

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand, 25th March, 1879	9343	8	1
To Amount received on a/c of Rates	51184	8	3
do. Trench Repairs	1569	4	3
do. Licenses	106	13	2
do. Letting Town Hall	1037	19	0
do. Balance, after purchase of £3000 Consols—Harwar Street Improvement	63	15	0
Metropolitan Board—Loan towards Sun Street Improvement	10000	0	0
Transfer from New Paving Fund	503	15	8
do. Tramway Paving Fund	1400	0	0
Repairs at 24, Moneyer Street, and houses in Norfolk Gardens	82	16	9
Lighting under Railway Arches, &c.	88	5	1
North Metropolitan Tramways Co., Contribution towards Mintern Street Improvement	50	0	0
Contributions to Paving	84	14	4
Sale of Old Iron	27	2	6
Maintenance of Old Street Asphalte	64	10	0
Fines (Hoarding)	4	5	0
Fines (Adulteration Act)	9	0	0
Carried forward	£75,619	17	1

RATE.

EXPENDITURE for the Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch,
the 25th March, 1880.

	£	s.	d.
By Amount paid London School Board	11538	6	2
Assessment Committee Expenses	62	16	3
Advance to Metropolitan Board towards Sun Street Improvement	10000	0	0
Invested in Consols <i>re</i> Harwar Street Improvement	3000	0	0
Drapers' Company, <i>re</i> Harwar Street Improvement	150	0	0
Improvement, No. 7, Curtain Road	171	0	0
Asphalte Company—Maintenance of Old Street	46	0	0
Repairs to houses in Ware Street	65	3	9
Asphalte Company—Trench Repairs	17	11	4
Steam Roller	402	17	4
Hire of Water Vans	120	0	0
Horse Hire for Water Vans	683	7	0
Water for Roads	266	4	9
	1069	11	9
School Board Election	173	17	3
Rents	75	0	0
Public Lighting—Gas	4190	9	9
Wages	940	0	0
Maintenance	329	11	6
Other Expenses	83	7	11
	5543	9	2
Mintern Street Improvement	89	7	4
Gas, Fuel and Water for Hall, &c.	225	10	7
Preparation of Valuation List, and extra assistance in office, on account	56	0	0
Advertisements and Stamps	63	7	8
Committee Expenses	44	18	6
Printing and Stationery	410	13	11
Works, Repairs, &c., at Hall	298	2	5
Salaries, Poudage, and Superannuation	1925	13	9
Carried forward	£35,429	7	2

GENERAL

*ACCOUNT IN ABSTRACT, shewing the RECEIPTS and
for the Year ended*

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	75,619	17	1

£75,619 17 1

RATE—Continued.

*EXPENDITURE for the Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch,
the 25th March, 1880.*

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	35429	7	2
Principal and Interest on Loans	10761	10	4
Surveyor's Laborers	2060	0	0
Paviors' Work	3798	2	10
Masons' Work	3735	0	3
Cartage	248	5	6
Smiths', Painters', Writers' and Plumbers' Works	86	3	1
Clerk's Weekly Wages and Petty Cash	440	0	0
Surveyor's Petty Disbursements	39	4	0
Adulteration of Food Act	71	0	0
Broken Granite	3335	18	10
Dusting and Scavenging	5512	10	0
Lime and Cement	47	8	10
Hoggin, Sand, Flints, &c.	875	6	5
Rate for Town Hall	79	3	4
Disinfectants	49	6	4
Metropolitan Board—Precept under Metropolis			
Toll Bridge Acts	1208	15	0
Sundries	435	16	6
Balance in hand, 25th March, 1880	7406	18	8

£75,619 17 1

NEW PAVING

Account of Receipts and Expenditure for

	£	s.	d.
To Amount of Loan (No. 26) from Metropolitan Board of Works for Paving and Improvement purposes	6000	0	0
Ditto ditto (No. 27) for same purposes	..	6000	0 0
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	£12,000	0	0

BURIAL

An Account of the Receipts and Expenditure

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand, 1st January, 1879 13 18 5
Cash received from the Vestry on Certificate dated 12th May, 1879 100 0 0
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	£113	18	5

FUND.

the Year ended 25th March, 1880.

	£	s.	d.
To Amount paid Griffiths on a/c of New Paving Works	..	2000	0 0
Ditto ditto	..	2000	0 0
Ditto ditto	..	2000	0 0
Ditto ditto balance	2496	4	4
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Ditto Aspinall & Son on a/c of New Paving Works	1500	0	0
Ditto ditto	..	1500	0 0
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	3000	0	0
Amount transferred to General Rate to close this Account 503 15 8
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	£12,000	0	0

BOARD.

for the Year ended 31st December, 1879.

	£	s.	d.
By Amount paid Holmes for maintenance of Churchyard and Hackney Road Burial Ground, to Christmas, 1878 72 19 9
Cheque Book.. 0 4 2
Balance in hand, 31st December, 1879 40 14 6
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	£113	18	5

We, the undersigned, being the Auditors appointed under the Metropolis Local Management Act, 18 and 19 Vict., cap. 120, have proceeded, pursuant to the 195th section of the said Act, to Examine and Audit the Accounts of the Vestry of the Parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch, for the Year ending the 25th day of March, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty, and having examined the Accounts of the said Vestry for the period aforesaid with the various Books and Vouchers in support of the same, do declare that the same, of which the above are abstract copies, are true and correct in all particulars, and we sign the same in token of such our allowance thereof.

Dated this Nineteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty.

W. W. WOODIN.
THOS. CRANSTON.
GEORGE C. STONEHAM.
JOHN LAMING.

STATEMENT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES
Shoreditch, on the

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand, 25th March, 1880	2683	10	10
Outstanding Rates	338	9	5
Licenses	23	15	6
Surveyor's Labor Account	19	12	4

SEWERS

£ s. d.

2683 10 10

338 9 5

23 15 6

19 12 4

GENERAL

Balance in hand, 25th March, 1880	7406	18	8
Outstanding Rates	915	9	3
Hire of Town Hall	90	0	0
Amount to be received from the Tramway Company for road repairs	241	0	0
Surveyor's Licenses	37	13	9
Coal Plates (Surveyor)	1	17	6
Repairing Trenches—			
New River Company	62	6	4
East London Water Company	27	16	0
Gas Light Company	309	5	4
	399	7	8
Hill & Co.—Rent (Steam Pipe)	20	0	0
Lamplighters' Wages Account	32	12	0
Clerk's Weekly Wages Account	19	5	6
Clerk's Petty Cash Account	7	14	0

of the Vestry of the Parish of Saint Leonard,
25th March, 1880.

LIABILITIES.

RATE.

	£	s.	d.
Pipes, &c.	5	5	10
Collectors' Poundage	23	17	10
Salaries	96	0	1
Amount of Quarter's proportion of Precept from the Metropolitan Board	2998	13	5
Water for Public Urinals	17	7	6

RATE.

Paviors' Work	1133	0	6
Masons' Work	371	11	3
Cartage	42	4	9
Broken Granite	416	18	6
Ballast, Sand, Flints	101	9	6
Lime and Cement	13	11	8
Dusting and Scavenging	287	10	0
Public Lighting	1274	0	5
Gas for Town Hall	67	0	8
Printing and Stationery	128	1	0
Painters', Writers' and Smiths' Work	32	16	5
Salaries	88	0	0
Rents	27	10	0
Collectors' Poundage	73	2	9
Disinfectants	7	12	0
London School Board—March Contribution	3387	11	5
Principal and Interest on Loans	1198	5	8
Adulteration Act	19	0	0
Repairs, &c. to Public Lamps	44	13	3
Removals and New Works (Lamps)	32	2	6
Gas Fittings, &c., at Hall	90	8	6
Sugg—Repairs, &c. (Contract)	10	16	0
Surveyor's Labor Account	10	16	8
Do. Sundry Expenses	9	3	0
Registrars' for Returns	9	11	10

VESTRY OF SAINT LAMARD, SHOREDITCH.

RETURN AS TO THE COLLECTION OF RATES FOR THE YEAR TO LADY-DAY, 1880.

WARD.	COLLECTOR.	Amount of Poor Rate Assessment, as per Valuation List at Lady-day, 1880.	Arrears outstanding at Lady-day, 1879.	Amount of Rates Levied including Arrears.	Collection including Arrears, previous Quarter.	Excuse.	Losses by Empties, &c.	Losses by Removals.	Irrecoverable.		Arrears outstanding at close of Rate to Lady-day, 1880.	Amounts paid the Collectors for Poundage and Salaries.
									No Effects and Insolvencies.	Arrears outstanding at close of Rate to Lady-day, 1880.		
		£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Moorfields	E. C. Pitt { Poor Vestry	84052 } 82957 }	13 2 6	19594 1 11	18093 1 18 12 4	114 10 7	1103 4 5	26 19 8	15 4 3	21 11 3	160 0 0	
Church North	George Pearce....	55855	....	13236 14 6	12434 15 15 10	62 17 6 1/2	112 15 4	25 3 2	....	5 19 4	227 3 6
Church South	Joseph Riley	54981	....	13975 1 10	11697 14 17 10 9	54 11 6	854 19 8	....	....	11 3 2	219 16 6
Hoxton	E. Cranston.....	70835	....	16639 12 2	15636 14 18 19 2	124 1 9	361 10 2	22 15 8	44 4 3	....	160 0 0
Wenlock	R. S. Ricketts ..	54782	....	13004 6 6	12505 12 5 4	54 17 4	123 6 7	10 16 6	12 17 2	4 10 4	160 0 0
Whitmore	H. W. Hart.....	50291	1 8 0	11896 5 9	10913 10 16 0	55 3 10 3/4	157 4 5	37 4 3	21 18 11	....	212 1 2
Kingsland	J. G. Laming	49179	....	11584 15 1	10701 16 2 9	37 7 2 1/2	170 3 5	15 5 2	14 4 10	10 10 3	160 0 0
Haggerstone West..	J. G. Laming	11154	....	2641 1 9	2422 12 8 3	12 18 5 1/2	78 16 11	4 18 0	....	....	....
Haggerstone East..	G. C. Young	29382	....	6975 7 6	6320 15 19 3	7 16 3	70 2 4	21 8 8	9 18 3	....	....
Acton	G. C. Young	37940	....	8876 4 1	8080 13 5 1	36 13 8	82 15 5	26 0 5	22 6 9	5 2 6	160 0 0
North London Ry. ....	.....	16000	....	3800 0 0	3800 0 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
North Western Ry.	{ Poor Vestry	20123 10 } 17623 10 }	....	4516 9 4	4296 1 10	....	....	....	....	220 8 2	....
Town Hall .....	.....	1000	....	237 10 0	237 10 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
			14 10 6	126177 10 5	117138 12 14 9	560 18 2	3114 18 8	190 11 6	140 14 5	279 5 0	1459 1 2	

A LIST

Of the Monies Borrowed upon Mortgage of them, together with the Amounts repaid thereon.

No. of Loan.	From whom Borrowed.	Date when borrowed.	For what purpose.	Time for Repayment.	Amount borrowed.	Amount repaid.	Amount unpaid.
8	Mr. Alfred Walker, now transferred to the Mutual Life Assurance Society	1861, November	Sewage Works	20 years	Rate of Interest £5000 at 5 per cent.	£4500 0 0	£500 0 0
10	Mutual Life Assurance Company	1865, September	Town Hall	30 years	10000 at 5 "	4666 13 4	5333 6 8
11	ditto	1865, November	ditto	30 years	4000 at 5 "	1866 13 4	2133 6 8
12	ditto	1866, February	ditto	30 years	4000 at 5 "	1866 13 4	2133 6 8
13	ditto	1866, October	ditto	30 years	4000 at 5 "	1733 6 8	2266 13 4
14	ditto	1867, January	ditto	30 years	6000 at 5 "	2600 0 0	3400 0 0
15	ditto	1867, October	Paving Works	20 years	10000 at 5 "	6000 0 0	4000 0 0
16	ditto	1867, December	ditto	20 years	10000 at 5 "	6000 0 0	4000 0 0
17	Universal Life Assurance Society	1868, March 25th	ditto	20 years	20000 at 4 1/2 "	12000 0 0	8000 0 0
18 & 19	Metropolitan Board of Works	1876, April 1st	ditto	15 years	15000 £3 18/6 "	3482 0 0	115 8 0 0
20	ditto	1877, March 24th	ditto	20 years	5000 3 15/ "	750 0 0	4250 0 0
21	ditto	1877, June 23rd	ditto	20 years	5000 3 15/ "	529 0 0	4471 0 0
22	ditto	1877, July 1st	Constructing new street, Worship St. to Sun St.	52 years	40000 3 15/ "	1540 0 0	38460 0 0
23	ditto	1877, October 1st	Paving Works	20 years	5000 3 15/ "	500 0 0	4500 0 0
24	ditto	1878, February	Sewer Work	30 years	4000 3 15/ "	268 0 0	3732 0 0
25	ditto	1878, October	Constructing new street, Worship St. to Sun St.	51 years	15000 3 15/ "	295 0 0	14705 0 0
26	ditto	1879, April 1st	Improvement & Paving Works	15 years	6000 3 15/ "	....	6000 0 0
27	ditto	1879, July 1st	ditto	15 years	6000 3 15/ "	....	6000 0 0
28	ditto	1879, September	Sun Street Improvements	50 years	10000 3 15/ "	....	10000 0 0
					184000	48597 6 8	135402 13 4

Loans Nos. 1 to 7, and also No. 28, have been fully paid off and discharged.

ANALYST'S REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 24TH JUNE, 1879.

Date of receipt by Analyst of the Article to be Analysed.	Name of Person from whom the Article was received.	Number marked on the Parcel containing the Article by which it is to be identified by the Inspector in lieu of the Name of the Person from whom it was procured.	Article received.	Result of Analysis specifying the nature and kind of foreign ingredients detected in such article (if any).	Observations.
June 23rd	Henry R. Fletcher, Inspector of Nuisances	.... 23 A	Milk	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 24 A	Milk	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 25 A	Milk	Genuine, but poor in quality..	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 26 A	Milk	Water 9 per cent., and $\frac{1}{8}$ th of butter fat deficient.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 29 A	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 30 A	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 31 A	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 32 A	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed

Total Number of Samples analysed during the Quarter, 8.

THOMAS STEVENSON, *Analyst.*

REPORTS OF THE ANALYST,
 MADE PURSUANT TO THE
 "SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1875."

ANALYST'S REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1879.

Date of receipt by Analyst of the Article to be Analysed.	Name of Person from whom the Article was received.	Number marked on the Parcel containing the Article by which it is to be identified by the Inspector in lieu of the Name of the Person from whom it was procured.	Article received.	Result of Analysis specifying the nature and kind of foreign ingredients detected in such article (if any).	Observations.
Sept. 11th	Henry Richard Fletcher..	.... A 33	Butter	Fat other than butter fat 75 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 34	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 35	Butter	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 36	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 37	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 38	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 39	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... A 40	White Pepper	Genuine	
"	" "	.... A 41	Mustard	Genuine	
"	" "	.... A 42	Coffee	Genuine	

Total Number of Samples analysed during the Quarter, 10.

THOMAS STEVENSON, *Analyst.*

ANALYST'S REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 25th DECEMBER, 1879.

Date of receipt by Analyst of the Article to be Analysed.	Name of Person from whom the Article was received.	Number marked on the Parcel containing the Article by which it is to be identified by the Inspector in lieu of the Name of the Person from whom it was procured.	Article received.	Result of Analysis specifying the nature and kind of foreign ingredients detected in such article (if any).	Observations.
Oct. 22nd	Henry R. Fletcher, Inspector.	.... 43 A	Milk	Added water 13 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	"	.... 44 A	Milk	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	"	.... 45 A	Milk	Added water 28 per cent.	Not decomposed
Dec. 20th	"	.... 47 A	Milk	Added water 12 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	"	.... 48 A	Milk	Genuine	Not decomposed
Dec. 23rd	"	.... 49 A	Gin	Water over and above that contained in 35 per cent. under proof gin, 3.4 per cent.	Strength 38.4 per cent. under proof, sweetened
"	"	.... 50 A	Gin	Water over and above that contained in 35 per cent. under proof gin, 1.8 per cent.	Strength 36.8 per cent. under proof, sweetened
"	"	.... 51 A	Gin	Water over and above that contained in 35 per cent. under proof gin, 1.2 per cent.	Strength 36.2 per cent. under proof, sweetened
"	"	.... 52 A	Gin	Genuine	Strength 33.7 per cent. under proof, sweetened
"	"	.... 53 A	Gin	Genuine	Strength 30.9 per cent. under proof, sweetened
"	"	.... 54 A	Gin	Genuine	Strength 30.1 per cent. under proof, sweetened

Total Number of Samples analysed during the Quarter, 11.

THOMAS STEVENSON, *Analyst.*

ANALYST'S REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 25TH MARCH, 1880.

Date of receipt by Analyst of the Article to be Analysed.	Name of Person from whom the Article was received.	Number marked on the Parcel containing the Article by which it is to be identified by the Inspector in lieu of the Name of the Person from whom it was procured.	Article received.	Result of Analysis specifying the nature and kind of foreign ingredients detected in such article (if any).	Observations.
Mar. 3rd	Alfred Parish, 21, Lillington street, Pimlico	.... A 13	Milk	Deficient in butter fat to the extent of 86 per cent.	Not decomposed Possibly the genuine milk of an ill-fed animal. <i>Fee paid</i>
Mar. 18th	Henry Richard Fletcher..	.... 55 A	Milk	Added water 30 per cent. and 30 per cent. butter fat deficient	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 56 A	Milk	Added water 20 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 57 A	Milk	Added water 27 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 58 A	Milk	Added water 15 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 59 A	Milk	Genuine, but poor in cream ..	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 60 A	Rum	Genuine	Strength 24.6 per cent. under proof
"	" "	.... 61 A	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 62 A	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 63 A	Bread	Genuine	Not decomposed
Mar. 19th	" "	.... 66 A	Milk	Added water 12 per cent.	Not decomposed
"	" "	.... 67 A	Milk	Added water 16 per cent.	Not decomposed
Mar. 20th	" "	.... 64 A	Coffee	Genuine	
"	" "	.... 65 A	Sugar	Genuine	

Total Number of Samples analysed during the Quarter, 14.

THOMAS STEVENSON, *Analyst.*

REPORT OF THE SURVEYOR.

SURVEYORS DEPARTMENT.

GENTLEMEN,

Herewith I beg to submit a summary of the works carried out under the superintendence of this Department for the twelve months ending 25th March, 1880.

MAINTENANCE OF ROADS.

The following are the quantities and cost of materials used in repairing the Mc Adam and Ballast Roads in the Parish.

2947 $\frac{1}{4}$	yards cube	Broken Granite	£2536	14	11
722 $\frac{1}{2}$	ditto	Flints	264	18	4
60	ditto	Ballast	18	15	0
937 $\frac{1}{2}$	ditto	Hoggin	292	19	5

During the year 551 cubic yards of old pebbles were broken up costing £68 17s. 6d. and loaded and carted on the roads at a further cost of £41 6s. 6d. making a total of £110 4s. 0d.

Two foremen (one only since September last) and twelve laborers have been employed in the general repairs of the unpaved roads and in repairing trenches opened by the Gas and Water Companies, and the wages paid them for the year amounted to £712 3s. 4d. and the Companies contributed £610 1s. 1d. for repairs to trenches in the said roads; the sum of £454 3s. 11d. was paid for extra labor employed during the time the Steam Rollers were at work.

STEAM ROAD ROLLER.

In July and August last two ten ton Steam Rollers were hired by the Vestry, one from Messrs. Aveling and Porter, of Rochester, and the other from Messrs. Green and Son, of Leeds, and after being in use some time the first named one was purchased for the sum of £380 0s. 0d., and it continued working on the roads until the winter weather put a stop to its operations, and it commenced working again on the 5th March of this year.

The following statement will shew the roads rolled and the cost of same :—

STREET.	MATERIAL AND COST.			Wages and Watchmen.	Roller, Water Cart & Water.	Cost.	Square yards.	Cost per yard.	Siftings from yards.
	Broken Granite.	Flints.	Hoggin.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Shepherdess Walk	96½ 83 16 4	..	32½ 10 3 1	29 11 11	4 19 10	128 11 2	2320	1/1½	—
Brunswick Place	91½ 79 12 7	..	22½ 7 1 7	18 11 3	3 16 6	109 1 11	1130	1/11	—
Great Chart Street	287½ 250 7 3	..	70 21 17 6	30 17 9	6 5 9	309 8 3	1810	3/5	—
Buttesland Street	153¾ 133 10 6	..	26½ 8 3 0	22 9 7	3 5 7	167 8 8	2120	1/7	—
Haberdasher Street	328½ 286 1 8	..	70 21 17 6	28 7 5	6 8 5	346 2 6	2980	2/4	27 3 7 6
Singleton Street	26¼ 23 17 2	..	13¾ 4 5 11	2 17 3	0 13 2	32 8 6	260	2/6	6 0 15 0
Baches Street	157¾ 137 3 1	..	18¾ 5 17 0	16 2 3	1 4 4	161 4 2	1850	1/9	7 0 17 6
Park Street	47½ 41 7 3	..	6¼ 1 19 1	4 16 10	1 2 4	49 5 6	440	2/3	—
Nile Street.....	100 87 1 8	..	23¾ 7 8 5	8 3 0	2 6 11	105 0 0	760	2/9	—
Allerton Street .....	..	123¼ 46 4 5	26½ 8 4 1	8 10 7	2 13 2	67 2 3	940	1/5	12 1 10 0
Rushton Street.....	38¾ 24 4 5	141¼ 52 19 4	31¼ 9 15 4	27 15 4	9 1 2	124 8 1	2000	1/3	5 0 12 6

STREET.	MATERIAL AND COST.			Wages and Watchmen.	Roller, Water Cart & Water.	Cost.	Square yards.	Cost per yard.	Siftings from yards.
	Broken Granite.	Flints.	Hoggin.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Dean Street .....	..	86 $\frac{1}{4}$ 32 6 10	10 3 2 6	12 13 6	4 6 7	54 6 11	825	1/4	15 1 17 6
Bookham Street	212 $\frac{1}{2}$ 185 1 0	..	38 $\frac{1}{4}$ 11 19 0	22 3 6	3 14 6	222 18 0	2000	2/2 $\frac{3}{4}$	—
Alma Street	161 $\frac{1}{4}$ 140 8 5	..	70 21 17 6	20 4 11	2 7 5	184 18 3	2300	1/7 $\frac{1}{2}$	—
Buckland Street	130 113 4 2	..	40 12 10 0	18 16 9	2 18 1	147 9 0	2440	1/2 $\frac{1}{2}$	—
Nicholas Street.....	212 $\frac{1}{2}$ 178 18 1	..	60 18 15 0	15 9 4	8 1 6	221 3 11	1980	2/3	—
Eagle Wharf Road	96 $\frac{1}{4}$ 83 16 4	..	56 $\frac{1}{4}$ 17 12 1	22 9 8	6 8 11	130 7 0	1920	1/4 $\frac{1}{2}$	—
Pritchards Road	83 $\frac{3}{4}$ 72 18 8	..	33 $\frac{3}{4}$ 10 10 11	20 14 4	6 11 1	110 15 0	1320	1/8	—
Newton Street .....	..	243 $\frac{3}{4}$ 89 7 6	52 $\frac{1}{4}$ 16 8 2	19 13 2	7 18 1	135 6 11	2220	1/2 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 2 0 0
Great James Street	63 $\frac{3}{4}$ 55 10 4	..	18 $\frac{1}{2}$ 5 17 2	6 18 2	3 3 7	71 13 9	1445	1/	3 loads Cartage 0 4 6
Whiston Street	134 117 11 3	..	17 $\frac{1}{2}$ 5 9 5	28 17 6	8 11 8	160 9 10	1740	1/10	—
*Essex Street .....	..	..	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1 3 5	1 13 9	0 19 1	7 6 3	820	1/2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Broken Pebbles 10 3 10 0

* Only regulated and rolled.

CARRIAGEWAY PAVING.

The following works have been executed during the year at a cost of £13805 12s. 6d.

<i>Saint Johns Road</i> —repaved with new 7 × 3 granites	£4776	6	2
<i>Ivy Street</i> —paved with old granites	258	6	9
<i>Britannia Street</i> —paved with old granites	830	17	10
<i>Kingsland Road</i> , north side of Canal Bridge—portion relaid	21	10	11
<i>Kingsland Road</i> , from Old Street to “Cherry Tree”—portions between tram rails and curb relaid	194	15	1
<i>Rose Street</i> —channels paved with old granites ...	8	6	11
<i>Church Street</i> , Shoreditch—repaved with new 7 × 3 granites.....	194	4	8
<i>Commercial Street</i> —portion relaid.....	14	15	4
<i>Holywell Row</i> —portion relaid	39	13	3
<i>Clifton Street</i> (late Worship Square)—portion relaid	60	10	0
<i>Hill Street</i> —portion relaid	8	12	0
<i>Castle Street</i> —repaved with new 7 × 3 granites	143	16	5
<i>Leonard Street</i> —portion relaid	127	1	11
<i>Paul Street</i> —relaid (portion with dressed granites)	512	13	4
<i>Willow Street</i> —(crossing).....	18	15	11
<i>Luke Street</i> —paved with old granites	308	19	8
<i>Shoreditch</i> —(crossing)	22	15	4
<i>Scrutton Street</i> —portion repaved with new 7 × 3 granites, and portion relaid	942	10	2
<i>Coronet Street</i> —portion paved with old granites...	48	1	4
<i>City Road</i> —between tram rails and curb, relaid, near rails repaved with new 9 × 4 granites ...	380	9	6

<i>Pitfield Street</i> —small portion relaid.....	£1	1	4
<i>Queen Street</i> , now <i>Stean Street</i> —channels paved with old granites.....	36	10	6
<i>Cron dall Street</i> —relaid	290	5	1
<i>New North Road</i> , portion of west side, between Murray & Wimbourne Streets)—relaid	31	8	6
<i>Acton Street</i> —channels paved with old granites	11	18	0
<i>Hoxton Street</i> , Old Street to Fanshaw Street—repaved with new 7 × 3 granites, and from Fanshaw Street to Essex street, relaid	1659	12	0
<i>Holt Place</i> —channels paved with old granites ...	14	13	7
<i>Nile Street</i> —relaid	86	16	10
<i>Old Street</i> —between tram rails and curb, relaid ...	441	14	1
<i>Motley Avenue</i> —relaid	19	4	1
<i>Regents Row</i> —channels paved with old granites ...	17	19	9
<i>Haggerstone Road</i> —relaid	295	18	4
<i>Harwar Street</i> —paved with new 7 × 3 granites ...	1527	9	1
<i>Goldsmiths Row</i> —(narrow-way)—relaid	44	7	5
<i>Nuttall Street</i> , Hoxton Street to Louisa Street—paved with dressed granites	101	8	9
<i>Newton Street</i> —channels paved with old granites...	11	13	4
<i>Mintern Street</i> and <i>New North Road</i> —Improvement at corner	26	9	4
<i>New Inn Yard</i> , Curtain Road to Railway—relaid	56	17	8
<i>Curtain Road</i> —Improvement at No. 7.....	17	8	11
<i>Curtain Road</i> (crossing).....	13	3	7
<i>Cross Street</i> , Leonard Street—paved with dressed granites	51	0	6
<i>Garden Place</i> —paved with old granites.....	128	2	2
<i>Laburnum Street</i> —(crossing)	1	12	11

<i>Bowling Green Walk</i> —portion paved with old granites	£3 1 11
<i>Acton Street</i> (crossing)	2 12 4

Two paviors and five laborers have been employed in the repair of the paved roads, and in repairing gas and water trenches, and their wages came to £404 2s. 6d. for the year of which the Companies contributed £254 19s. 11d. for repairs to trenches.

There are about fifty-one miles of roads in the parish, of which about twelve are paved, the remainder being McAdam and Ballast.

FOOTWAY PAVING.

The following works have been executed during the year at a cost of £3182 6s. 1d.

<i>Saint Johns Terrace</i> —portion relaid	£2 8 5
<i>Rutland Street</i> -portion relaid.....	10 13 6
<i>Buckland Street</i> —one side repaved with new Victoria stone, and one side relaid	225 3 3
<i>Rose Street</i> —paved with old stone	8 13 7
<i>Commercial Street</i> , by railway wall — portion repaved with new 3-in. York, and portion relaid	32 3 3
<i>Church Street</i> (late Bethnal Green Road)—repaved with new 3-in. York and new 7-in. curb	94 6 7
<i>Harwar Street</i> —repaved with new Victoria stone	388 17 4
<i>Union Street, Nile Street</i> —repaved with old York and new 6-in. curb	136 18 9
<i>Plumbers Court</i> —relaid	5 10 7
<i>New Inn Yard</i> —portion relaid	1 15 0
<i>Moneyer Street</i> —repaved with old York and new 6-in. curb	137 15 2

<i>New North Road</i> , by Mintern Street—(Improvement).....	51	3	9
<i>Newton Street</i> — one side repaved with new Victoria stone, and one side relaid	340	5	1
<i>Shoreditch and New Inn Yard</i> —portion new and portion relay	18	17	6
<i>Gifford Street</i> —portion paved with old stone	9	6	7
<i>Drysdale Street</i> —repaved, portions new Victoria stone and portions relaid	140	13	6
<i>Shoreditch (Refuges)</i>	67	16	0
<i>French Alley</i> —relaid.....	2	18	5
<i>Red Lion Passage</i> —relaid	2	13	0
<i>Margaret Row</i> —portion relaid.....	4	0	4
<i>Queens Road</i> , east side from Bridge to Brownlow Road—relaid	14	6	2
<i>Northport Street</i> , in front of Parsonage—paved with new Victoria stone	14	11	7
<i>Bookham Street</i> — one side repaved with new Victoria stone, and one side relaid	207	10	7
<i>Little Leonard Street</i> —portion paved with old stone	8	14	11
<i>Nile Street</i> —repaved with new Victoria stone.....	104	0	3
<i>East Road</i> —portion repaved with new Victoria stone	26	8	9
<i>Luke Street</i> —portion relaid.....	6	12	7
<i>Curtain Road by Worship Street (Improvement)</i>	34	6	5
<i>Goldsmiths Row</i> —repaved with new Victoria stone.	648	18	7
<i>Edith Street</i> —portion relaid.....	2	5	6
<i>Ivy Lane</i> —portions relaid.....	17	2	8

<i>Hoxton Street by Old Street</i> —repaved with new 3-in. York	46	8	7
<i>Flemming Street</i> —south side repaved with new Victoria stone and new 7-in. curb	122	15	7
<i>Saint Johns Road</i> —portions repaved with new Victoria stone and portions relaid	246	4	4

Three masons and their laborers have been employed in the repair of the footways and in repairing trenches for the Gas and Water Companies, and their wages for the year amounted to £393 6s. 11d.; and £419 4s. 2d. was contributed by the Companies for repairs to trenches.

The following quantities of old stone in the Vestry Stoneyards were dressed during the year at a cost of £222 13s. 9d., viz. :—

28 yards super York edging
1845 „ „ Granites
310 feet run Channel stones
2136 „ „ Curb

SEWERS WORK.

The following new works were executed during the year at a cost of £104 5s. 7d. :—

<i>Norris Street and Hutley Place</i> —292 feet 12-in. pipe	77	5	2
<i>Hare Walk, by Preedy's Buildings</i> —150 feet 12-inch pipe	23	5	7
<i>Kingsland Road, by Dunston Street</i> —Gulley reconstructed.....	3	14	10

Four flushers and several laborers have been employed in the cleansing and repairing the sewers and gullies in the Parish, and their wages for the year amounted to the large sum of £432 18s. 6d.

I am sorry to have to say that the condition of the sewers is not so satisfactory as I could wish, as since the constant water supply came into operation in this parish the amount of water that is allowed to pass through the drains into the sewers is so little that some of the smaller and pipe sewers get stopped up in consequence, as the large amount spent in labor, in opening on to and cleansing will show, being nearly double that of last year.

One man has been constantly employed in cleansing the urinals in the parish, and on Sundays and holidays two men are employed in the early morning for the same purpose; the amount paid in wages for the year, for this purpose, was £64 4s. 4d.

The sum of £22 18s. 8d. was expended in wages for labor in removing and setting up Lamp Columns under the direction of the Lamp Inspector.

The sum of £42 12s. 9d. was paid the Inspector for supervision of the water carts during the watering season.

As regards the general condition of the parish, I may state that as a very large amount of money has been expended in carriage-way paving during the year, the paved carriageways are in very fair order, with the following exceptions:—

Sun Street (since ordered to be done)
Clifton Street
Holywell Lane
Pitfield Street
and Bevenden Street.

The unpaved roadways, in consequence of the use of the steam roller, are getting in a very good state, and I think and hope

that I shall be able in my next report to say that the whole of the McAdam and ballast roads in the parish are in good order.

The footway paving, excepting a few instances, is in good order. Reports and estimates for new work will be laid before the Vestry in due course.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

GEORGE CHARLES PERRETT,

Surveyor.

TOWN HALL, OLD STREET,

June, 1880.

VESTRY OF

DEATHS REGISTERED FROM ALL CAUSES DURING
YEAR ENDING 25TH MARCH, 1880.

AGES.

800 deaths occurred in public institutions of the parish; 317 in Shoreditch Infirmary; 212 in Holborn Infirmary; 12 in Hoxton New Town; 67 in the North Eastern Hospital; and 12 in Hoxton House.

Diseases acknowledged to be caused by cold and damp were very destructive. There were 645 deaths from bronchitis, 300 from phthisis, and 230 from pneumonia. All lung affections are much influenced by cold.

REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING 25TH MARCH, 1880.

To the Vestry of St. Leonard, Shoreditch.

GENTLEMEN,

5,125 births—2,501 males and 2,624 females—and 3,138 deaths were registered in the twelve months ending 25th March, 1880. Deducting the deaths (242) which occurred in Holborn Infirmary, the mortality was 22.71 per 1,000 living, above the average of the last five years, which was 22.50 per 1,000. The largest number of deaths was registered in Haggerstone West District, in which is situated Shoreditch Infirmary.

	Population.	Deaths.	Average per 1000.
Hoxton New Town	27,835	559	20.30
Hoxton Old Town	26,933	560	20.50
Haggerstone West	24,162	826	33.30
Haggerstone East	19,259	445	23.10
St. Leonard	16,545	333	20.30
Holywell	12,430	172	13.60

608 deaths occurred in public institutions of the parish ; 317 in Shoreditch Infirmary ; 242 in Holborn Infirmary, situate in Hoxton New Town ; 37 in the North Eastern Hospital ; and 12 in Hoxton House.

Diseases acknowledged to be caused by cold and damp were very destructive. There were 545 deaths from bronchitis, 300 from phthisis, and 239 from pneumonia. All lung affections are much influenced by cold and wet.

The number of deaths registered under one year has slightly diminished, there being 919, against 963 the year before ; and under five years of age, 1,432, against 1,481 in the previous year. 535 deaths occurred in persons at and over 65 years of age ; 192 persons died from 75 to 85 ; 46 from 85 to 95 ; and 6 deaths were registered at 95 and upwards ;—whilst in the previous year, the weather then also being severe—very cold, 576 died at 65 to 75 ; 184 from 75 to 85 ; 53 from 85 to 95 ; and 6 from 95 and upwards.

In infancy, the largest number of deaths was caused by lung disease (289), comprising 125 from bronchitis, 74 from pneumonia, and 90 from other pulmonary affections. The diseases which came next in order of fatality were—atrophy and debility, 100 deaths ; convulsions, 94 ; whooping cough, 76 ; premature birth, 58 ; and diarrhœa, 50.

In old age, 130 deaths were caused by bronchitis, 36 by heart disease, and 35 by paralysis ; but the largest number, 235, was registered under the term of “ old age.”

During the winter and spring months (December, January, February and March) of the year ending 25th March, 1880, there were 1,275 deaths registered, whilst in the corresponding months of the previous year there were 1,168 deaths.

ZYMOTIC DISEASES caused 508 deaths—153 by whooping cough, 78 by diarrhœa, 57 by scarlet fever, 132 by measles,

13 by diphtheria, and 69 by other zymotic diseases. 76 of the 153 deaths from whooping cough occurred to infants under one year of age; 50 of the 78 deaths from diarrhœa occurred under one year. The influence of age is much more manifest;—128 of the 153 deaths from whooping cough were in infants under two years; and 61 of the 78 deaths from diarrhœa occurred under two years of age. There were 6 deaths from small-pox, and the reports made to the Sanitary Department show that the disease lingers in the parish, but the cases are mostly of a very mild kind.

IMPROVEMENT OF DWELLINGS.—It is an old saying, and physiological observation at the present day confirms it, that human beings are as the surroundings affect them.

The matter and forces reflected from the structures standing by evidently alter and color living beings accordingly, like producing like. If the materials are enduring, stability results; if decomposing and unreliable, the transmitted influence and effect is similar. Therefore the welfare of cities must largely depend on the dwellings of the inhabitants.

The Sanitary Authority in the past year have directed much attention to the dwellings, and labored to make them more helpful; and after inspecting much of the work done, I have to report that the character of the improvements is much more calculated to protect the health of the inhabitants.

Inspector Alexander's report enumerates the improvements; it shews that the purpose has been to secure greater cleanliness, more light and air, more protection from cold and damp, and from other injurious agents. The walls and ceilings of 419 dwellings have been cleansed, repaired and white-washed. Yards and areas were cleansed and limewhited in 180 dwellings. Dust bins provided in 233 premises. Water

closets cleansed and repaired in 605. Water laid on to closets or restored in 617. Water for drinking and other domestic purposes supplied direct from the main (without cisterns or butts) in 526. In 249 premises, old leaky brick drains were removed and glazed pipes properly constructed were substituted. 295 drains were re-trapped. 28 cesspools emptied and ground saturated with sewage removed, and replaced with lime rubbish and earth. Stack pipes communicating with drains, and their heads dangerously close to bed room windows, leading sewer gases into the houses, were removed from 243 dwellings. 140 waste pipes of sinks were properly trapped or ended in the open air; the direct communication with the sewer having conveyed sewer gases into the dwellings. Ventilators were provided under the floors of 65 dwellings. Eaves gutters provided to prevent water from the roof saturating the walls in 69 premises. Roofs repaired in 90. Leaking water pipes, causing dampness, repaired in 10. The yards of 496 dwellings were paved with impervious material; cement, concrete, or York stone, to keep the surface soil dry, and allow air to circulate freely through it, so to oxidize and otherwise render harmless poisonous gases collected in the ground. Pavement repaired and rendered impervious in 111 yards; and areas paved and rendered impervious in 25. Sculleries paved in 78. Areas constructed to remove dampness in 6 premises; 88 stairs and 125 floors were repaired to prevent persons being thrown down and injured.

20 dwellings unfit for human habitation were ordered to be closed, owing to their dirty dilapidated condition.

In many small premises, having small yards, the accumulation of dust and other decomposing matter spreads much dirt through the dwellings; to prevent this the Sanitary Officer has during the last few years induced many owners to remove the dust bins from the yards of the houses and provide public dust bins in much more

airy places. This has been done in 195 premises; and another advantage is the newly erected dust bins are much more serviceable because much better constructed.

Day by day inspections to ascertain the dangerous conditions, to secure their removal, and to ensure the work being well done, required much care and energy. This is evidenced from the fact that 5311 separate nuisances, dangerous to health, were removed during the year.

WATER SUPPLY.—The constant supply from the New River Company has worked well. The inhabitants draw the water direct from the main in a large number of premises, but in a number of others cisterns are retained, and whilst the practice may be excused it exposes the water to dirt in the air, and in the cisterns, &c. Cisterns are retained from the apprehension that the Water Company may fail to continue the constant supply; and the supply has been discontinued for a few hours on more than one occasion during the year, but the inhabitants have stated that the inconvenience therefrom has been small, and little complaint of it has been made to the Sanitary Department. Water butts doubtless are retained in some of the smaller dwellings, but the Sanitary Authorities have lost no opportunity of inducing or compelling the owners to remove them and supply the premises with water for drinking purposes direct from the main.

The East London Water Company's district in Shoreditch, has also the Constant Service, and on the whole has worked well.

The inhabitants from a part of the district (High street, Shoreditch) attended before the Vestry and Sanitary Committee and complained that the second and higher stories of their houses were unsupplied with water, and they were in consequence put to great inconvenience. The Medical Officer reported to the Vestry, as follows—“That from the representation recently

made to the Sanitary Committee of the parish, it was evident that many of the inhabitants were suffering, not only inconvenience but probably injury to their health in consequence of not having sufficient water supplied to their dwellings by the "East London Water Company."

And in order that there might be no doubt of the facts, I instructed Inspector Alexander to visit a number of the dwellings and ascertain the condition of their water supply. He has inspected 122 premises and found that in most of the dwellings the inhabitants could obtain sufficient water for ordinary purposes; so long as they required a comparatively small quantity, but if they required a large continued supply they could not obtain it.

In nine premises the supply was totally inadequate, the water did not reach the upper part of the houses, and in some it did not extend sufficiently to the first floors.

These premises contained 427 persons, and the closets used by them had no water supply or only an intermittent supply.

It is evident that the health of the inhabitants of these premises is prejudicially affected by the neglect of the "Water Company;" and I venture to urge the Vestry to represent the facts to the Government Authorities, requesting them to take measures to bring the Company to supply the premises properly with water according to their undertaking."

Representations were made to the Local Government Board and to the Company with a view to obtain an increased pressure. This was attended with benefit to the consumers at that time, but it has been found to be a benefit of an intermittent character. The pressure failing often to force the water to the prescribed level, and occasioning in consequence great inconvenience.

DISINFECTION. — Inspector Fletcher shews in his report appended that 215 houses in which small pox, scarlet and other fevers had occurred, were disinfected, by fumigating the infected rooms with sulphur, and by exposing the rooms, keeping the windows open much to the open air, therewith diluting and destroying the poison, and by cleansing the walls, floors and ceilings with carbolic acid and water.

The Disinfecting Oven has worked well, 123 infected beds, 158 pillows, 112 bolsters, 87 mattresses, and 713 other articles were disinfected at the Disinfecting Oven.

Much of the Inspector's time has been occupied in securing the isolation of infected persons; for this purpose 41 of the 50 persons suffering from small pox were removed to the small pox hospital.

TRADE NUISANCES. — Several minor complaints have been made to the Sanitary Department, of trades such as Skin Dryers, of dust and offensive effluvia escaping into the surrounding premises.

Gas Works, Great Cambridge Street. Noxious gases escape from the purifiers. This nuisance has been much lessened during the past year, but occasional nuisances are caused in the course of cleansing the purifiers.

COW HOUSES AND SLAUGHTER HOUSES are now supervised by the Inspectors of the Metropolitan Board, but should nuisances dangerous to health occur in these premises the Vestry could, under the Nuisance Removal Act, at any time take action.

REMOVAL OF DUST.—Inspector Fletcher reports that it has been in the last year better attended to, about 18,000 loads were removed from the parish; but it is needless to say that

much more energy and attention on the part of all concerned is needed to prevent large accumulations of dust.

WATERING THE STREETS.—The Inspector reports that this has been more effectually done since the Vestry had the watering arrangement more directly under its own control.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

H. G. SUTTON.

INSPECTOR ALEXANDER'S REPORT.

ST. LEONARD, SHOREDITCH,

SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

To the Medical Officer of Health.

SIR,

I beg to present the following report on the Sanitary work done under my superintendence during the year ending 25th March, 1880, shewing the number of premises inspected, the nature of nuisances under notice, and the orders made for their abatement.

A special report was made with reference to complaints of insufficient water supply to houses in High Street, showing the state of supply in 122 premises

House to house visitation, and special inspections with reference to complaints made in 1028 premises

Notices served requiring the abatement of nuisances injurious to health in 972 premises

WORKS DONE TO SECURE ABATEMENT
OF NUISANCES.

Glazed pipe drains provided in lieu of dilapidated brick drains	... ..	in 249	premises
Defectively constructed pipe drains repaired or relaid	... ..	in 289	„
Drains provided where there were none before	... ..	in 19	„
Drains (untrapped), traps provided	... ..	in 295	„
Cesspools emptied and filled up	... ..	in 28	„
Stack pipes (having their heads dangerously close to bedroom windows, permitting sewer gas to pass into the dwellings) disconnected from drains	... ..	in 243	„
Stack pipes provided	... ..	in 45	„
Eaves gutters provided	... ..	in 69	„
Waste pipes, of sinks within doors (untrapped and permitting sewer gas to impregnate the dwellings) have been securely trapped, or otherwise disconnected from drains, and have now their ends in the open air, and immediately over the yard sinks	... ..	in 140	„
Roofs repaired	... ..	in 90	„
Flooring repaired	... ..	in 125	„
Stairs repaired	... ..	in 88	„
Walls and ceilings cleansed, whitened and repaired throughout	... ..	in 220	„
Ditto ditto in part	... ..	in 199	„
Sashes provided to improve light and ventilation	... ..	in 10	„
Window Cills provided	... ..	in 10	„
Ventilation provided under ground floor	... ..	in 65	„
Water closets (foul and dilapidated) cleansed and repaired	... ..	in 605	„
Water restored or newly laid on to water closets	... ..	in 617	„
Obstructions in water closets removed	... ..	in 59	„
Water closets in close dark situations removed into light and air	... ..	in 12	„

Water closets in close dark places lighted and ventilated... ..	in	7	premises
Water closets, in close dark places, abolished ...	in	1	„
Water supplied direct from the main in lieu of cisterns	in	359	„
Water supplied direct from the main in lieu of butts	in	167	„
Leaking water pipes, causing dampness, repaired...	in	10	„
Water laid on or restored	in	25	„
Yards and areas limewhitened	in	180	„
Dust bins provided	in	233	„
„ repaired	in	58	„
Yards paved imperviously with stone or cement concrete	in	496	„
Yard paving repaired, and rendered impervious ...	in	111	„
Areas paved imperviously with stone or cement concrete	in	25	„
Sculleries ditto ditto	in	78	„
Dry areas, constructed to obviate dampness ...	in	6	
Premises unfit for habitation, closed		20	

MISCELLANEOUS.

Overcrowding abated	in	2	premises
Public urinal constructed in passage of the “Jolly Butchers’” Tavern, Old Street	}	2	
Public urinal attached to the “Marquis of Landsdowne” Tavern, Maria Street, reconstructed			
Horses and donkeys (improperly stabled), removed from	from	6	
Accumulations of dung and rubbish, removed ...	from	18	

Making a total of 5,311 separate nuisances, dangerous to health abated.

To ensure the work done being as far as possible of a durable character, many re-inspections had to be made, and 285 letters were written, which took up much time, resulting, however, in the

owners having their work generally well done. A few instances are again mentioned in detail, to show the manner of procedure, and the nature of the work accomplished.

GLADSTONE BUILDINGS, WILLOW STREET.—In these model dwellings there are 168 suites of apartments, each suite having a separate water supply, and closet accommodation, situate in the scullery. None of the closets were properly supplied with water, so as to flush the pans effectually. The cisterns in which drinking water was stored were all uncovered, placed over the closets close to the ceilings, and immediately under the closet of the apartments above. Several of the tenants complained that their drinking water was polluted with foul liquids dripping from the ceilings, by reason of defective closet arrangements, and many of the ceilings bore evidence as to the fact.

Notices were served on the owners requiring the abatement of these nuisances, in compliance with which the whole of the cisterns have been removed. Water is now supplied from tanks placed on the roofs, and the closets are now efficiently flushed by waste preventor cisterns distinct from the household supply in each case.

PREEDY'S BUILDINGS, HARE WALK, 9 houses.—These houses were generally dirty and dilapidated. Water for drinking purposes was stored in small and foul butts. The closets and back yards were in the foulest condition. The drains, formed partly of pipes and partly of brickwork, were only a few inches below the surface of the yards. They were periodically blocked, causing thereby great nuisances.

It was represented to the Vestry that these houses could not be properly drained, except by the provision of a new sewer in Hare Walk. The Vestry thereupon directed a 12" pipe sewer to be so provided, which has been done. The owner has drained the houses in connection therewith in

a proper manner. The yards have been paved with cement concrete. The water closets have been cleansed and repaired, cement floors provided, and water laid on. The sculleries have likewise been paved with cement. The water butts removed, a constant supply of water given to the inhabitants by a "draw-off" direct from the main, and the interiors cleansed and repaired.

MARK'S PLACE, HAGGERSTONE, 12 houses.—These houses were generally in an extreme state of dilapidation. Notices were therefore served, resulting in the transfer of the property under covenants, by which the houses have been very largely renovated, and fitted with improved sanitary appliances.

WARE STREET, 6 houses.—These houses were defectively drained. The yards were unpaved. There were no dust bins. The water closets were foul and dilapidated, and without water supply; and water for drinking purposes was stored in foul uncovered cisterns placed on the roofs of the closets.

The owner being called upon to abate these nuisances, did after much delay begin the work, but carried it on in such a slow and desultory manner as to largely aggravate the original nuisance. This being reported to the Vestry an order was made by resolution to enter the premises under the power given by the "Metropolis Local Management Acts," and do all necessary works, charging the owner with all costs thereon.

The works have been successfully carried out by the Vestry's builder; drains laid, yards paved, water closets repaired and cleansed, and water laid on, dust bins built, and water for drinking purposes laid on direct from the main.

No. 5, CUSTANCE STREET.—This house having been found to be largely impregnated with sewer gas, and infested with rats,

an order was made upon the owner, requiring the ground under the floor to be opened up, which resulted in the discovery of a large, old, and partially disused sewer at a depth of about 18'' below the floor. In this sewer there was a deposit of semi-solid sewage 1-ft. 10-in. deep. This sewer extended from the back of the houses on the other side of Custance Street, and in the opposite direction, behind the houses in Plumber's Place, to its junction with the sewer in Provost Street. Its condition throughout was most defective and caused a large number of premises to be largely infested with rats. This being reported to the Vestry, a Special Committee, with power to act was appointed, under whose direction the whole of the sewage deposit was removed, the sewer broken up, and filled with lime rubbish, and new drains provided by the owners of the houses which had drained into the old sewer.

The house, No. 5, had a bed of concrete spread over its entire area, and a ventilated space provided under the floor. It was also thoroughly cleansed and repaired throughout, water closet cleansed and repaired, water laid on; and water for drinking purposes provided direct from the main.

HOUSES UNFIT FOR HABITATION.—The two roomed houses, Nos. 1 to 10, Norman's Buildings, Haggerstone, are old, damp, and very dilapidated premises. They were closed in accordance with the Vestry's order.

The six-roomed houses, Nos. 5, 7 & 9, Hewett Street, were found in the following state:—The drains (admitted to be defective) blocked and flooding the yards with sewage; the water closets overflowing, and the brickwork dangerously dilapidated. The yards were not paved, there were no dust bins, the roofs leaked badly, the walls, ceilings, floors, stairs, and all internal fittings were very dilapidated. They were closed in accordance with the Vestry's order.

The four-roomed houses, Nos. 1 to 6, Hoxton Market, may be described in the same terms as the houses in Hewett

Street. They also were closed in compliance with the Vestry's order.

The eight-roomed houses, Nos. 8 & 9, Hoxton Market, were also in a dirty and dilapidated state. The Owner being required to render the dwellings fit for habitation, decided to close them (which has been done) with a view to re-construction.

ST. MARY'S LODGE, HAGGERSTON CHURCH.—Several cases of fever having occurred in these premises, and there being reason to believe the ground under and around the premises to be charged with human remains, notice was therefore served requiring the premises to be closed, and kept closed, until satisfactory evidence was given that they might be inhabited without danger to health. In accordance with the Vestry's order the premises were closed, and remain closed at this time.

No Police Court Summonses, for the abatement of Nuisances, have been taken out during the year.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

H. ALEXANDER,

Sanitary Inspector.

INSPECTOR FLETCHER'S REPORT.

ST. LEONARD, SHOREDITCH,

SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

To the Medical Officer of Health.

SIR,

I beg to report to you, that during the year ending March 25th, 1880, the conditions named below have caused nuisances dangerous to health, and were inspected and remedied under my supervision.

Accumulations of dung, &c., removed	...	from	25	premises
Obstructed closet drains, repaired and cleansed	... ..	in	5	„
Water closets cleansed and repaired	...	in	2	„
Water laid on, or reinstated	... ..	in	53	„
Overcrowding abated	... ..	in	7	„

Dirty rooms cleansed	...	...	...	in	4	premises
Smoke nuisances abated	...	...	...	in	2	„
Pigs removed	...	...	...	from	1	„
Corpses, decomposing, removed	...	...	„		9	„
Minor nuisances (not referred to Inspector Alexander) little alteration needed	...	...	...	in	3	„

NUISANCES DANGEROUS TO HEALTH CONSEQUENT ON INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—The following details shew the sanitary measures adopted where cases of contagious disease occurred.

No. of houses inspected and disinfected	..	..	215
Notices served requiring occupiers to disinfect articles liable to retain infection	..	in	215 premises

50 cases of small pox were reported to the sanitary authorities. Much care was taken to prevent the spread of this disease, by isolating the sick and disinfecting the houses, drains, &c. 41 of the above cases were removed to the Small Pox Hospital, 9 were not removed.

No. of infected beds disinfected at the Vestry's disinfecting oven	...	...	...	...	123
„ pillows ditto	ditto	ditto	...	...	158
„ mattrasses ditto	ditto	ditto	...	...	87
„ bolsters ditto	ditto	ditto	...	...	112
„ other articles ditto	ditto	ditto	...	...	713

Making a total of 1,203 articles disinfected.

COW AND SLAUGHTER HOUSES are now under the supervision of the Metropolitan Board's Inspector.

ARTICLES OF FOOD, &c., condemned and destroyed by me as being unfit for human consumption :—

4 barrels of Potatoes

1 box of Apples

2½ bushels of Apples

25 Rabbits

168-lbs. of Veal.

SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACT—*See Analyst's Reports.*

REMOVAL OF DUST.—During the year ending 25th March, 1880, the dust on the whole has been fairly removed from the parish; and there has been about the same number of applications for the removal of dust from private dwellings as last year. The number of applications during the past year, compared with the number of applications during the previous three years, is shewn below :—

	Eastern Division.			Western Division.		
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1879-80 ..	..1163	9	... 0	1105	... 4	... 0

In the three previous years the average number was—

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
	1138	... 8	... 0	1613	.. 12	.. 0

The plan of exposing the letter D in the front window when an inhabitant requires the dust removed has answered satisfactorily.

The removal of dust is better attended to than in years past, but there are large accumulations speaking generally, and this to a great extent is due to the neglect of the inhabitants themselves in not sufficiently recognising the necessity for its removal.

To show how enormous is the quantity of dust and the accumulations of decomposing matter, it is enough to mention

that upwards of 18,000 loads of dust were removed during the year.

SCAVENGING.—The system adopted by the Vestry two years since of accepting the proposals of two contractors, viz.: one for the Eastern and one for the Western Division, has been found to work satisfactorily, and is the means of getting the work done in an efficient manner. Despite the long and severe winter, the complaints were very few.

WATERING THE ROADS.—The system of hiring vans, carts, horses, men, &c., to water the roads and streets, under the immediate supervision of the Vestry's officers, has worked well.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

H. R. FLETCHER,

Sanitary Inspector.

Saint Leonard, Shoreditch.

*To the Lighting Committee of the Vestry of
Saint Leonard, Shoreditch.*

APRIL, 1880.

GENTLEMEN,

In presenting the following Tables shewing the operation of the Average Meter System during the second year and a comparison with that under the Old System, I beg to say that the total cost of Gas Lighting and Maintenance to 1389 Lamps for the year is £5693 7s. 3d. The cost under the Old System to 1224 Lamps would have been nearly the same, being 165 Lamps in favor of present system.

The difference between the cost of Gas Lighting and Maintenance for the past two years, and what it would have been under the Old System with the same number of Lamps, and allowing for the reduction in the price of gas in each case, is £1782 4s. 5½d., which is £286 12s. 11d½d. more than covers the first outlay on Meters, etc. in favor of the present system.

There is a further receipt of £52 3s. 1d. for Lamps to be paid for by railways and theatres.

I am, Gentlemen,

Yours obediently,

CHAS. DOUGHTY, *Inspector.*

TABLE I.

Shewing the Cost of adopting the Average Meter System.

First Cost of Plant and Stock, consisting of Meters, Meter Boxes and fixing same, Cocks and Governors, Ladders and Tools, &c.	£1495 11 6
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TABLE II.

Cost of New Works for the Year to March, 1880.

Mr. Perrett, erecting 12 Columns, shifting the positions of 32 and removing 2 discon- tinued, also reinstating footways disturbed (labour)	22 18 8
Mr. Tilley, supplying 37 new Lanterns and 37 new Cradle Irons, fixing and fitting up 5 Brackets and 3 Standards and fitting up 12 new Columns, and removing decayed fittings and providing new	128 4 6
Gas Company, Shifting Services	8 16 11
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	£160 0 1

TABLE III.

*Statement of the Cost of Repairs and Painting, Lighting and
Extinguishing, and Cleaning for the Year to March, 1880.*

Mr. Tilley, Repairs and Painting Lanterns, Columns, Brackets & Standards (Contract)	177 10 5
Mr. Sugg, Sundry Repairs	1 14 9
Lamplighters' Wages	927 14 4
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	£1106 19 6

TABLE IV.
Cost of Maintenance of Meters and Governors, &c., Salaries and Petty Expenses for the Year to March, 1880.

Mr. Sugg, Maintenance of Meters and Governors	64	0	4
Inspector's Salary	150	0	0
Petty Expenses	0	19	10
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	£215	0	2

TABLE V.
Details of the Burning Hours per Lamp, and saving in respect of Twilight for the year.

Quarter ending,	Number of Burning Hours per Quarter.		Average Number of Burning Hours per Night.		Savings in respect of Twilight.	
	Hours.	Minutes.	Hours.	Minutes.	Hours.	Minutes.
1879—June ...	637	33	7	·36	151	15
„ Sept. ...	708	39	7	42·16	173	36
„ Dec.	1263	23	13	43·94	108	14
1880—March...	1176	32	12	55·73	80	48
The Year	3786	7	10	20·54	513	53

TABLE VI.—*Shewing the Comparative Cost of Gas, and the saving under the Old and New System.*

Quarter ending	Number of Hours charged for.	Consumption per Hour.	Consumption per Lamp per Quarter.	Number of Lamps.	Total consumption per Quarter.	Rate per 1000-ft.	£ s. d.			Saving. £ s. d.					
A.. Old System June, 1879	Sunset to Sunrise. } 788·8	5·0	3944·00	1368·59	5,397,718·96	3/6	944	12	0						
B.. New System June, 1879	Actual Number of Burning Hours. } 637·55	4·62	2948·88	1368·59	*4,052,366·13	„	709	3	2		235	8	10		
C.. Old System Sept., 1879	Sunset to Sunrise. } 882·25	5·0	4411·25	1390·71	6,134,769·48	„	1073	11	8						
D.. New System Sept., 1879	Actual Number of Burning Hours. } 708·65	4·78	3387·50	1390·71	*4,728,447·36	„	827	9	6		246	2	2		
E.. Old System Dec. 1879	Sunset to Sunrise. } 1371·61	5·0	6858·05	1395·93	9,573,357·73	„	1675	6	9						
F.. New System Dec. 1879	Actual Number of Burning Hours. } 1263·38	4·55	5750·88	1395·93	*8,063,872·47	„	1411	3	4		264	3	5		
G.. Old System Mar., 1880	Sunset to Sunrise. } 1257·34	5·0	6286·70	1401·14	8,808,546·83	3/4	1468	1	10						
H.. New System Mar., 1880	Actual Number of Burning Hours. } 1176·53	4·61	5425·22	1401·14	*7,644,144·68	„	1274	0	5		194	1	5		
Total Saving in the Cost of Gas for the Year													£939	15	10

* This includes Eight Lamps burning 8-ft. per hour each, and four 6·9 per hour each.

TABLE VII.

*Comparative Cost of Lighting, Extinguishing and Repairs, and
the Saving under the Old and New Systems.*

OLD SYSTEM.

Cost of Lighting, Extinguishing and Repairs to Lamps.

	Lamps.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Qtr. ending June, 1879...	1368·59	at 5	0·00	=	364	2 0
„ Sept. „ ...	1390·71	at 3	8·23	=	256	6 11
„ Dec. „ ...	1395·93	at 3	5·96	=	244	1 1
„ Mar. 1880...	1401·14	at 5	5·96	=	385	1 7
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					£1249	11 7

NEW SYSTEM.

Cost of Lighting, Extinguishing and Repairs to Lamps.

As per Table 3	1106	19	6
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Total saving for the year.....	£142	12	1
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TABLE VIII.

Showing the Total Saving by the Meter System.

In the cost of Gas shewn by			
Table 6	£939	15	10
In the cost of Lighting and Extinguishing and in Re- pairs to Lamps, shewn by			
Table 7	142	12	1
	—————	1082	7 11
Ditto for the year 1878—79	1129	12	6½
		—————	
		2212	0 5½
Deduct total cost of Meters and Governors, Tools, &c., by			
Table 1	1495	11	6
Cost of Maintenance of Meters and Governors, Salaries, &c. shewn in Table 4.....	215	0	2
Ditto for the year 1878—79	214	15	10
	—————	1925	7 6
		—————	
Total saving	£286	12	11½

APPENDIX A.

SITUATION OF THE URINALS IN THE PARISH.

1. King Johns Court, Holywell-lane (Brick and Slate)
2. Hudsons-court, Kingsland-road (Iron)
3. Tabernacle-square (Iron and Slate)
4. Mills-court, Curtain-road (Slate)
5. Pitfield-street (Iron)
6. Hoxton-street, opposite "Britannia" (Brick and Slate)
7. Ditto back of Workhouse (Iron)
8. Hyde-road (North-end) (Iron)
9. Kingsland-road Bridge..... (Slate)
10. Grove-walk, Georges-square..... (Slate)
11. Cavendish-street (Iron)
12. Wenlock-street, opposite Church street ... (Iron)
13. Hows-street (Iron)
14. Great Chart-street..... (Iron)
15. Great Eastern-street (Iron and Slate)
17. Shoreditch High street..... (Iron and Slate)
18. Plumbers place (Slate)
19. Acton Mews (North-end) (Slate)

CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO BY THE VESTRY FOR GENERAL WORKS
AND SUPPLY OF MATERIALS.

For One Year, from the 25th day of March, 1880.

DATE OF CONTRACT.	NAME OF CONTRACTOR.	WORKS TO BE PERFORMED OR MATERIALS SUPPLIED.
14th of March, 1880.	GAS LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY.....	The Public Lighting is now carried out under the Average Meter System (See Inspector's Report).
	Mr. HENRY CRANE, London Fields	Eastern Division, £3125 } Dusting and Scavenging.
	Mr. HENRY DODD, Eagle Wharf Road	Western Division, £3050 }
	Mr. J. J. GRIFFITHS, Kingsland Road	Mason's Work.
	Messrs. P. ASPINALL & SON, Poole Street	Pavior's Work.
	THE PATENT VICTORIA STONE COMPANY, 305, Kingsland road	Manufactured Stone or other Footway Paving Material
	Mr. HENRY DODD, Eagle Wharf road.....	Ballast, Sand or Hoggin.
	Ditto do.	Flints.
	Mr. J. J. GRIFFITHS, Kingsland Road	Granite.
	MESSRS. A. T. ROBERTS. SON & CO., 5, Hackney-rd.	Printing.
	Mr. HENMAN, 169 & 170, Shoreditch	Stationery.
	Mr. J. A. CLARK, 161, Goldsmith's Row	Painter's and Writer's Work.
	Ditto do.	Plumber's Work.
	Mr. BOOTMAN, East Road	Smith's Work.
	Mr. HENRY CRANE, Hackney.....	General Cartage.
	Messrs. JUKES, COULSON & Co., 13, Clements Lane	Street Lanterns.
	Mr. MASON, Leicester	Lamp Posts, Columns, &c.
	Messrs. YOUNG & SON, Canal Road	Lime.
	Mr. TYRIE, 36, Hoxton Street	Street Broom Heads.
	Messrs. E. & H. BAYLEY	Water Vans for the ensuing and following seasons.
Messrs. STEVENS & SON, Homerton.....	Horses, Harness, Drivers, &c., for Water Vans.	
Messrs. FOULGER, BUTLER & BEDELLS, 133, St. George Street, E.	Disinfectants.	

APPENDIX B.

APPENDIX C.

A LIST OF THE
VESTRYMEN, AUDITORS AND OVERSEERS,
 FOR THE
PARISH OF ST. LEONARD, SHOREDITCH,

IN THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

FOR THE YEAR 1880.

Appointed under the Metropolis Local Management Acts, 1855.

THE REV. HENRY FOOTMAN, M.A., VICAR.

MESSRS. CHARLES GREEN, }
 CHARLES STEEL, } *Churchwardens.*

MESSRS. WILLIAM HALFORD FELL, }
 THOMAS TURNER, } *Representatives at the
 Metropolitan Board of Works.*

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No. 1, or Moorfields Ward.

1883..	Messrs. ALABASTER, ROBERT GEORGE,	8, Finsbury Market
1883..	BARR, GEORGE THOMAS	55, Curtain road
1882..	CHENHALL, WILLIAM SNELL..	107, Clifton street
1881..	CLARKE, RICHARD MASON	34, Scrutton street
1883..	CROUCH, JAMES WILLIAM	90, Clifton street
1881..	CUTTING, WILLIAM	1, Curtain road
1882..	CUTTING, WILLIAM MORRIN ..	1, Curtain road
1881..	DENNIS, SAMUEL FRANCIS	18, Paul street
1881..	HEALE, JOHN NEWTON	50, Clifton street
1883..	HIRSCH, ADOLPHUS	234, Shoreditch High street
1883..	LEWIS, RICHARD	35, Curtain road
1881..	MEDCALF, CHARLES ALBERT ..	13, Holywell row
1882..	MULLIS, WILLIAM HENRY	38, Scrutton street
1883..	PETTET, JAMES	45, Scrutton street
1882..	STEVENS, CHARLES	40, Holywell lane
1882..	SUTTON, HENRY	32, Sun street
1881..	TIDBALL, JOHN	231, Shoreditch High street
1882..	TUCK, CHARLES	81, Clifton street

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CRANSTON, THOMAS..... 10, Clifton street

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No. 2 or Church Ward.

1881..	Messrs.	BIGGS, ROBERT WILLIAM	59, Tabernacle walk
1883..		BRAND, WILLIAM HENRY	3, Hoxton square
1882..		CAIN, FRANCIS	.....	45, Great James street
1881..		COX, JOSEPH	.....	299, Old street
1883..		GALE, HENRY J. FENWICK	....	12, Wilson street
1882..		GILL, HERBERT	.....	99, Hackney road
1883..		GREEN, JONATHAN ALLISON	..	20, Henson street
1883..		HUGHES, WILLIAM PARBERY,		151, Hoxton street
1882..		JONES, JAMES ALFRED	.....	319, Old street
1882..		KING, DANIEL	.....	70, Queens road
1882..		LATHAM, JAMES	.....	124, Curtain road
1882..		LUCRAFT, WILLIAM	.....	12, Hoxton street
1882..		MOSS, NATHAN	.....	139, Curtain road
1883..		NOEL, DANIEL	.....	140, Hoxton street
1881..		OWEN, JOHN	.....	320, Old street
1883..		PERRIN, RICHARD	.....	174, Hoxton street
1881..		SADGROVE, ALFRED WILLIAM,		105, Curtain road
1883..		SMITHER, SAMUEL	.....	4, Cross street, Leonard street
1881..		SNELLGROVE, WILLIAM	.....	115, Curtain road
1881..		WAYNFORTH, HENRY	42, Pitfield street
1881..		WELLS, HENRY	344, Old street

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WINKLER, HERMAN 6, Tabernacle square

No. 3, or Hoxton Ward.

1882..	Messrs.	BERRY, JOHN	114, Pitfield street
1883..		CATON, ALFRED	.....	37, New North road
1881..		DENT, JOSEPH	.....	124, East road
1883..		DYER, HENRY JAMES	.....	60, Sheperdess walk
1882..		EDWARDS, EDWARD	.....	Mount-row yard East road
1883..		FUNSTON, JAMES	.....	57, New North road
1883..		GRIEVE, ROBERT ALEXANDER,		84, East road
1883..		ISAACS, EDWIN	117, East road
1882..		KENSIT, JOHN	114, East road
1882..		LEWIS, DAVID	11, Catherine street

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No. 3, OR HOXTON WARD—*contd.*

1883..	MARSHALL, RICHARD.....	43, Pitfield street
1882..	MOFFATT, EBENEZER :.....	53, New North road
1881..	MOORE, JAMES GEORGE.....	54, Pitfield street
1881..	MOYE, JEREMIAH BLOMFIELD,	1, St. John's road
1881..	PONTIN, HENRY.....	23, East road
1881..	SARSON, HENRY.....	71, New North road
1881..	SMITH, EDWARD	9, Buckland street
1881..	STEAN, LEWIS.....	16, East road
1883..	STONEHAM, GEORGE CARTER..	48, Bookham street
1882..	TURNER, THOMAS.....	50, Crondall street
1882..	WENBORN, FREDERICK MOORE,	81, New North road

No. 4, or Wenlock Ward.

1882..	Messrs. ADAMS, EDWARD MOULTON ..	113, New North road
1883..	BARHAM, CHAS. FREDERICK ..	88, Shepherdess walk
1882..	BELSTEAD, HENRY	80, Bridport place
1881..	BENJAMIN, ELIAS	133, New North road
1882..	BRAZIL, WILLIAM.....	100, Shepherdess wlk
1881..	CLEMENT, ALFRED AARON	133, East road
1883..	DAMON, JOHN	58, Herbert street
1881..	DOUGLASS, THOMAS.....	137, New North road
1881..	FELL, WILLIAM HALFORD	99, New North road
1882..	GENGE, FREDERICK J... ..	146, Shepherdess wlk
1883..	HALLOWAY, THOS. WILLIAM ..	89, Bridport place
1883..	IVES, JOHN	48, Shepherdess walk
1883..	KELLY, HENRY PLIMLEY	112, New North road
1881..	MIZEN, GEORGE	183, New North road
1883..	OWEN, JOHN	98, Shepherdess walk
1882..	ROBERTS, JOHN	5, Wenlock wharf, Wenlock road
1882..	TAVENER, LUCKING CAPPER ..	113, Shepherdess wlk
1882..	TURNER, WILLIAM	78, Herbert street

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WOODIN, WM. WATERMAN 211, New North road

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No. 5, or Whitmore Ward.

1882..	Messrs.	BUNKER, JOHN WILLIAM	64, Hyde road
1881..		COLE, ALFRED.....		66, Bridport place
1882..		DEACON, CHARLES		34, Myrtle street
1881..		EDWARDS, GEORGE ..	.....	30, Mintern street
1882..		FREEMAN, JAMES REYKERS ..		174, St. John's road
1883..		KEENE, WILLIAM JOHN ..	...	111, St. John's road
1882..		LONG, WILLIAM ROBERT		53, Newton street
1883..		MORRIS, CHARLES		65, Newton street
1883..		MUNRO, ALEXANDER		58, Bridport place
1883..		NORTH, WILLIAM.....		22, Ivy street
1881..		SCOTT, HENRY JOHN		297, Hoxton street
1881..		WARD, WILLIAM HENRY.....		138, St. John's road

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LAMING JOHN

51, Whitmore road

No. 6, or Kingsland Ward.

1881..	Messrs.	CRABB, WILLIAM JAMES		210, Kingsland road
1883..		DICKASON, JAMES.....		42, Mansfield street
1881..		FROWDE, THOMAS		50, Shap street
1882..		GREEN, CHARLES		149, Hackney road
1882..		HAYES, WILLIAM GEORGE		121, Hackney road
1882..		HIGGINSON, CHARLES		1, Hackney road
1883..		PANTER, ALBERT ROBERT		44, Pearson street
1882..		PERFECT, ALFRED		59, Weymouth terrace
1883..		PORTER, JOSEPH		215, Hackney road
1883..		PREVOST, WILLIAM.....		178, Hoxton street
1881..		ROGERS, ANDREW		90, Mansfield street
1881..		THOMAS, JAMES EDWARD		212, Kingsland road

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No. 7, or Haggerstone Ward.

1883.. Messrs.	BEASLEY, WILLIAM.....	30, Goldsmiths row
1881..	CARR FREDERICK.....	1, Alfred terrace
1882..	COOK, THOMAS	105, Scawfell street
1882..	HOWELI, JAMES	82, Boston street
1881..	LITTLE, JOSEPH	146, Brunswick street
1882..	MOLLOY, ALFRED.....	39, Anns place
1883..	SACKETT, JOHN RICHARD	21 & 23, Holms street
1881..	SIMON, JULIUS	145, Great Cambridge street
1883..	WILLIAMS, HENRY	33, Tuilerie street

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JUCHAU, HENRY	4, Brunswick street
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No. 8, or Acton Ward.

1883.. Messrs.	CRANSTON, WILLIAM.....	74 & 76, Clarissa street
1881..	CRITCHFIELD, ALFRED CHAS..	1, Pownall road
1883..	DEATH, JEREMIAH	286, Kingsland road
1881..	DEFRIEZ, GEORGE FREDERICK,	26, Great Cambridge street
1882..	HODGES, THOMAS WILLIAM ..	79, Queens road
1883..	LANE, JOHN.....	4 & 5, Regents row
1882..	LOWE, JAMES.....	27, Haggerstone road
1882..	SHOREY, JOHN	36, Shrubland road
1881..	STEEL, CHARLES	114, Queens road,

Overseers of the Poor.

Holywell Liberty—

Mr. GEORGE WILLIAM JAMES..	233, Shoreditch High street
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Moorfields Liberty—

Mr. CHARLES TUCK	81, Clifton street
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Church End Liberty—

Mr. GEORGE EDWARDS.....	182, Kingsland road
Mr. ALFRED MOLLOY.....	39, Anns place

Hoxton Liberty—

Mr. JOHN ROBERTS.....	12, Sturt street
Mr. EDWIN ISAACS	117, East road

APPENDIX D.

OFFICERS OF THE VESTRY.

ENOCH WALKER, Vestry Clerk.

CHARLES DAVIS, Assistant Clerk

GEORGE CHARLES PERRETT, Surveyor.

WILLIAM DAVIS, Assistant Surveyor and Clerk.

HENRY GAWEN SUTTON, M.D., Medical Officer.

HUGH ALEXANDER, House Inspector.

HENRY R. FLETCHER, Inspector of Nuisances.

CHARLES H. DOUGHTY, Inspector of Public Lighting.

WILLIAM E. COLE

HENRY FRANCIS JONES

ARTHUR BENNETT

} Rate Clerks.

EDWARD HENRY RUSSELL, Messenger.

EDWARD FREDERICK RUSSELL, Clerk Sanitary Department
and Assistant Messenger.

WILLIAM B. FILMER, Hall Keeper.

THE BOARD OF ADVISORS

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AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

Held at Berkeley, California, on

June 15, 1954

and adjourned to

June 16, 1954

at 10:00 A. M.

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June 17, 1954

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June 18, 1954

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