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 ALTON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL 

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Medical Officer of Health

and

Chief Public Health Inspector
and Housing Manager

for the year

1971





ALTON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

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Councillor J. R. Ambrose

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Councillor J. R. Ambrose

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I. H. C. Morton, M.B., Ch.B.,
D.P.H., D.Obst.

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and Housing Manager:*

D. M. Ling, C.S.I.B., M.R.S.H.,
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Inspector:*

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Rodent Officer:

J. B. Potts

Warden:

Mrs. L. Ham

Warden:

Mrs. V. Gardner

**REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
FOR THE YEAR 1971**

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present my Annual Report for 1971, prepared as directed by the Minister of Health and Social Security.

The health of the town remained good with only minor occurrences of infectious disease.

Eight cases of sexually transmitted disease were recorded and it cannot be said too often that national rates are still rising. This is the price which has to be paid for 'permissiveness' in sexual conduct.

The estimated population at mid year was 12,540. This of course is linked to the 1971 census figure of 12,260, whereas last years estimate was linked ultimately to the census of 1961.

The increase is 1320 by far the biggest ever recorded. The natural increase is 127. So most of the extra population are the occupants of the new housing estates.

Plans for the new Health Centre are now well advanced.

Vaccinations against smallpox has now been dropped from the routine for immunising infants. Eradication techniques by the World Health Organisation plus international controls on importation have produced a situation in which the chance of a severe reaction to vaccination is greater than the chance of an infant catching smallpox.

Vaccination is still necessary of course for travel to many places overseas.

Legislation during the year included the Chronically Sick & Disabled Persons Act 1970 which was applied immediately in the provision of facilities for disabled people in two public conveniences then under construction; also the Order actuating Sec 45 of the Public Health Act 1968, which gives wide powers to County Councils in connection with old peoples welfare.

The Family Planning Clinic has introduced a domiciliary service in the Bordon area where there were transport and other difficulties in the way of attendance at the clinic but considerable need for the service.

Reorganisation, both of local Government and of the Health Service is in the air. So far as local government goes, it is accepted that the Alton Urban and Rural and Petersfield Urban and Rural Districts will combine and preliminary moves to this end have been made.

The Health Service structure is not yet clear. It seems certain that there will be an Area Health Authority corresponding to the new County of Hampshire, and it is the Health Service policy that its boundaries should wherever possible be the same as Local Government boundaries. Beyond that it is not possible to predict the arrangement for the new Alton/Petersfield District.

In conclusion I must thank the Chairman and members of the Public Health Committee for their support during the year, and Mr. Ling and the staff of the Health Department for their unfailing energy and co-operation.

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant

I. H. C. MORTON,
Medical Officer of Health.

Part 1

General Statistics

Area in Acres	...	...	...	4085
Rateable Value	...	...	...	£557912
Sum represented by a 1p rate	...	...	...	£5412
Population (mid 1971)	...	...	...	12540

Medical Statistics

Rate for
England
& Wales

Live Births

Total Number (17 illegitimate)	...	...	243	
Rate per 1,000 population	...	...	19.4	
" (adjusted by Comp. factor, 0.97)	...	...	18.8	16
Illegitimate as percentage of Total	...	...	7	8

Still Births

Number (all legitimate)	1	
Rate per 1,000 all births	4	12

Total Births

Live and still	244
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Deaths

Total Number	116	
Rate per 1,000 population	9.3	
" (adjusted by Comp. factor, 0.92)	8.6	11.6
Infants under 1 year (2 illegitimate)					4	
Infants under 4 weeks (included in above)					3	
Infants under 1 week (included in above)					2	

Infant Mortality Rates (Per 1,000 live births)

Total (under 1 year)	...	...	...	...	16	18
Neonatal (under 4 weeks)				...	12	12
Early neonatal (under 1 week)				...	8	10
Perinatal (stillbirths and deaths under 1 week per 1,000 all births)				...	12	22

Maternal Mortality (including abortion)

Total Number		nil
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Cause of Death	Male	Female	Total
B 19 (3) Malignant Neoplasm, Stomach	1	-	1
B 19 (4) Malignant Neoplasm, Intestine	-	1	1
B 19 (6) Malignant Neoplasm, Lung, Bronchus . .	1	1	2
B 19 (7) Malignant Neoplasm, Breast	-	2	2
B 19 (8) Malignant Neoplasm, Uterus	-	1	1
B 19 (9) Malignant Neoplasm, Prostate	3	-	3
B 19 (10) Leukaemia	1	-	1
B 19 (11) Other Malignant Neoplasms	3	4	7
B 21 Diabetes Mellitus	1	3	4
B 46 (1) Other Endocrine etc. Diseases	1	-	1
B 26 Chronic Rheumatic Heart Disease	1	1	2
B 27 Hypertensive Disease	1	1	2
B 28 Ischaemic Heart Disease	18	10	28
B 29 Other Forms of Heart Disease	3	4	7
B 30 Cerebrovascular Disease	5	11	16
B 46 (6) Other Diseases of Circulatory System . .	5	3	8
B 32 Pneumonia	6	1	7
B 33 (1) Bronchitis and Emphysema	7	3	10
B 33 (2) Asthma	-	1	1
B 46 (7) Other Diseases of Respiratory System . .	-	1	1
B 34 Peptic Ulcer	1	-	1
B 37 Cirrhosis of the Liver	1	-	1
B 46 (9) Other Diseases, Genito-urinary System . .	-	1	1
B 46 (11) Diseases of Musculo-Skeletal System . .	-	2	2
B 42 Congenital Anomalies	1	1	2
B 43 Birth Injury, Difficult Labour, etc.	-	1	1
B 44 Other Causes of Perinatal Mortality	1	-	1
BE 48 All Other Accidents	1	-	1
BE 50 All Other External Causes	1	-	1
Total All Causes	63	53	116

Infectious Diseases

The following table shows the number of cases of infectious disease notified during the past five years.

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Scarlet Fever	2	6	1	-	5
Whooping Cough	3	2	1	-	-
Measles	155	5	101	9	12
Dysentery	384	-	-	-	15
Food Poisoning	-	-	10	1	6
Infectious Hepatitis	-	-	9	3	-
Encephalitis	-	-	-	1	-
Poliomyelitis (non-paralytic)	-	-	-	-	1

Poliomyelitis

This was probably not a true case. The virus was found in the patients stools during investigation of diarrhoea. An infant in the household had recently had oral poliomyelitis immunisation.

Measles

The incidence remained low although this was a potential epidemic year. One hopes that population immunity is being established.

Dysentery

The cases occurred from February to April, eight isolated family attacks, and the remainder sporadically.

Food Poisoning

There were two family incidents and one isolated case. No connection was apparent.

Tuberculosis

There were two new cases - one pulmonary and one non-pulmonary.

Sexually Transmitted Diseases

No case of Syphilis was reported. There was one of gonorrhoea and seven of urethritis All the patients were over 19 years old.

Immunisation

The following table shows the number of children recorded as immunised during the year.

Primary							
Born in	1971	1970	1969	1968	1967-64	Others under 16	Total
Triple	-	176*	53*	7*	1		237*
Polio	4	170	51	11	3	-	239
Smallpox	1	49	←	105	→	4	159
Measles	1	117	75	47	47	4	291
Rubella						126	126
Boosts * 11 of these received Diph-Tet. only							
Triple		4	1	4	18	5	32
Diph-Tet.		-	1	-	230*	19	250*
Polio		2		3	236	21	262
Smallpox		-	←	3	→	20	23

* 6 of these received Diphtheria only

B.C.G.

Number of children Heaf tested	527
Number of children positive	38
Number of children vaccinated	474

Health Education

The main Theme was Anti-smoking,,with the support of the leaflets of the Health Education Council.

The 'Casanova' pamphlet on contraception was circulated to doctors and handed out at the Health Dept.

Measles and Rubella vaccines were advertised.

The Venereal Diseases posters were again displayed and small versions were issued to industrial concerns.

Health Education in schools is coming to be regarded as a continuing process, to be done by the teachers as part of ordinary social training rather than an affair of isolated lectures by outside experts.

Meals on Wheels

The number of meals served was 2,525. The cost of providing the meal has risen to 17p. of which the recipient is charged 10p.

In addition 7,277 lunches were served at the Old Peoples Lunch Club at the Red Cross House.

Accidents in the Home

There were 123 accidents requiring hospital attention . This is an improvement on last years 169 but still far too high 59 of them were in children under five - 24 falls, 9 cuts and injuries, 11 object swallowed and 8 more pushed up the nose. One feels that a little more supervision of children would prevent a lot of this trouble.

Falls were easily the commonest accident of all ages. There were 55 in all,10 involving elderly people but fortunately there were only two severe injuries.

National Assistance Act 1948

No action was required.

Home Help

This is now under the Social Service Dept. and I am grateful to the Divisional organisers for the following information. The figures are for the combined Urban & Rural Districts.

159 cases were helped :-

Aged and Infirm	130
Chronic Sick	18
Post Hospital	4
Emergency illness	5
Child Care	1
Maternity	1

29 Home Helpers and 22 Good Neighbours were employed.

ALTON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

Annual Report of the Chief Public Health Inspector Housing Manager for the year ended 31st December, 1971

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentleman,

It has been an uneventful year but nevertheless a successful one inasmuch that there have been little or no incidents other than the usual day-to-day routine. The same old and new legislation applies equally to Alton as it does the larger towns and the problems encountered elsewhere are experienced here, but being a compact community incidents are reported sooner and immediate action prevents prolonged nuisances and consequently they do not reach headlines in the National Press. The personal approach to the owner of a noisy machine or a smoking chimney achieves the desired effect and two cases of infestation which could easily have caused prolonged nuisances, that of a flock of 60/70 feral pigeons and 25/30 semi-wild cats were dealt with efficiently and effectively under the guidance of the R.S.P.C.A. without public acclaim.

The assistance rendered to students of the Diploma Examination of the Public Health Inspectors Examination Board in previous years is now well known and Mr. N. Wood employed by Guildford Borough now avails himself of the local slaughtering facilities to enable him to become experienced in Meat Inspection.

I wish to thank Dr. Morton and the staff of the Public Health Department for their support and ready assistance during the past year.

DUDLEY M. LING

Chief Public Health Inspector and Housing Manager.

SECTION 1

Public Health Acts

Again nuisance complaints under the above Acts were small in comparison to the size of the town. All of the complaints except one were dealt with informally. This complaint was brought under Sec. 92 of the Public Health Act 1936. Repeated requests to the owner of the property to remedy the defects were not acknowledged and this resulted in a statutory notice under Sec. 92 of the Act being issued. On receipt of the notice, the defects were duly attended to.

Last year I reported on a case of a nuisance concerning a septic tank effluent which at the time of going to press was in the hands of

the Council's solicitors. I am pleased to inform you that the case was eventually settled out of court, no further complaints have been received.

Factories

Routine inspections were carried out under the Factories Act 1961. No serious contraventions were found and any minor contraventions were dealt with informally.

The Offices, Shops and Railways Premises Act, 1963

A good standard of working conditions still prevails in the town. Contraventions noted were of a minor nature & few. All were remedied at the request of the Department.

All accidents reported were duly investigated but none warranted legal action.

Pet Shops, Game Dealers, Scrap Metal Dealers

Premises concerned by the provisions of the Acts were inspected before re licensing. No contraventions were noted.

SECTION 11

Housing Circumstances

Housing Acts

Complaints under the above Acts tended to be 'run of the mill' type all of which were dealt with without resorting to statutory action.

Qualification Certificate applications have eased off a little in the last year. All being dealt with efficiently by the Department.

One case of interest brought to light a loophole in the Housing Act 1969.

At the request of the landlord, the property was inspected and was found to be in good repair and possessed all the standard amenities.

Further investigation revealed that one of the standard amenities had been installed by the tenant only some 18 months before unknown to the landlord.

One of the qualifying conditions is that the property must be provided with all the standard amenities before the 25th August 1969, and since this was not the case, we informed the landlord that if an application was received it would have to be refused. Consultation with the Rent Officer revealed that he was not aware of this anomaly, but agreed we were correct.

It now seems that if a controlled tenant of a property not possessing all the amenities, installed after the 20th August 1969 the lacking

amenities with or without the landlords consent, then his action precludes the landlord from decontrolling the tenancy and requesting fair rent.

Details of qualification certificate applications are set out in Appendix Table IV.

Rent Acts

The Register of Fair Rents is kept by the Department for inspection Applications for the registration of Fair Rents are dealt with by the Rent Officer at Basingstoke.

Moveable Dwellings

No licensed site exists in the area but there are several sites which are exempted from the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act 1960.

In December of 1971 the Council had cause to lay information to the magistrates court regarding a contravention of the aforementioned Act, to the effect that the land in question was being used as a caravan site without a site license and that the caravan was used for human habitation on such a site. The maximum penalty for conviction under this section is £100 fine and £250 for subsequent offences.

The magistrates found the case proven, gave the defendant a conditional discharge and costs of £15.

Housing Management

The list of allocation and exchanges are set out in Appendix Table V.

Special Housing for the Elderly

During the last year the Warden of Victoria Road East area, Mrs. Castleman, retired. Great difficulty was experienced, in replacing Mrs. Castleman, but eventually an appointment was made. The new Warden is now Mrs. Ham. Mrs. Gardner still continues as Warden in Carlings, Queens Road.

SECTION III

Supervision of Food and Food Premises

Milk Supplies

All milk retailers in the district sell only specially designated milk i.e. Pasteurised, Sterilised, Ultra Heat Treated and Untreated. The Hampshire County Council has designated the Council with the power to issue relevant licenses.

Since the milk supplies originate from outside the district, no bacteriological sampling is done.

Brucella Abortus

No untreated milk is sold in the area and consequently no sampling is done for Brucella Abortus.

Ice Cream

All ice cream retailed in the district originates from national concerns outside the area 56 premises are registered for the sale of ice cream.

Meat Inspection

The slaughterhouse at Kent Lane, continues to operate under Alton Meats Limited, a subsidiary of E. Brown & Son, Southampton.

Tables showing incidences of disease and condemnations are set out in Appendix Tables VI VII VIII IX and X.

Revenues from the slaughterhouse in respect of meat inspections amounted to £933.42.

In September of last year an amendment to the Meat Inspection Regulations 1966 came into operation which raised the charges a local authority may levy for inspections. They are as follows:

	OLD	NEW
Cattle	2/6	18p
Calves	9d	5p
Sheep	6d	4p
Pigs	9d	5p

Poultry Inspection

No poultry packing establishments exist in the district.

Alton Market

The market is held every Tuesday in the Market Square and Messrs. Martin & Stratfords Market. It provides for a varied choice of articles with good service. No statutory action was found necessary.

Food and Drugs

During the year ended 31st March, 1972, 54 samples were procured under the Food and Drugs Act, 1955, within the area of the Alton Urban District Council.

Milk Samples

15 samples of milk, including 6 of "Channel Islands", were obtained. All 15 samples were found to be satisfactory.

Miscellaneous Samples

39 samples of articles other than milk were obtained, three of these being the subject of adverse reports, as follows:-

A sample of marmalade was found to contain only 63.2% of soluble solids, the appropriate minimum standard being 68.5%. The attention of the manufacturer was drawn to the result by warning.

Somewhat unusual, a sample of gin proved to contain 83.4% Proof spirit instead of the 70% Proof marked on the bottle from which the gin was served. It appeared that the discrepancy was due to a higher proof content spirit from a bottle obtained in one of the airport duty free shops having been put into the bottle on sale. In the circumstances proceedings were taken. The licensee was given a conditional discharge and ordered to pay £16 costs.

A long standing code of practice has required sugar confectionery bearing the description "butter" to contain at least 4% of butter fat. A sample of buttermints was found to contain only 0.25% butterfat. Legal proceedings were instituted and resulted in fines and costs of £25.

General

In addition to the samples taken under the Food and Drugs Act, the usual attention was given to the labels and descriptions of food and drugs under the provisions of the Labelling of Food Order and the Pharmacy and Medicines Act. There were no serious complaints concerning these matters.

SECTION IV

Pest Control

The increase in properties in the Urban area continued in 1971 with a corresponding increase in pests. In the rodent side, rats showed a small increase but mice became a difficult problem. This accounted for the increasing number of visits made.

Other pests showed an increase during the year were wasps, feral pigeons and fleas. The fleas were of the animal variety and infested houses with fitted carpeting and rubber underlay made treatment very difficult.

APPENDIX
TABLE I
Factories Act, 1961

Registered Premises and Inspections

Premises (1)	Number on Register (2)	Inspections (3)	Number of Notices (4)	Occupiers Prosecuted (5)
(i) Factories in which Section 1,2,3,4 & 6 are to be enforced by the Local Authorities	2	6	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authorities	60	33	-	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding outworkers' premises)	-	-	-	-
Total	62	39	-	-

Cases in which Defects were found

Particulars (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (6)
	Found (2)	Remedied (3)	Referred To H.M. Inspection (4)	By H.M. Inspection (5)	
Want of cleanliness (S.1)....	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature(S.3)	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S.4)	-	-	-	-	-
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6)	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective	-	-	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Out-work)	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-

Outwork

Nature of Work	Section 133			Section 134		
	No. of out-workers in August list required by Section 133(1)(c) (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to Council (3)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (4)	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises (5)	Notices served (6)	Prosecutions (7)
Making Wearing Apparel (1)						
Total	20	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE II
Offices, Shops and Railways Premises Act

Class of Premises	No. of prem. regd. during the year	Total no. of regd. prem. at end of year	No. of persons employed	No. of regd. prem. receiving a general inspection during year	No. of visits of all kinds to regd. premises
Offices		47	279	30	110
Retail Shops		91	486	40	
Wholesale Shops					
Warehouses		4	35	2	
Catering Establishments open to the public					
Canteens		15	113	5	
Fuel Storage Depots		2	8	1	
Totals		159	921	78	

TABLE III
Pet Animals Act, 1951

Licence Holders

Mr. E. Deller	Alton Market
M. A. Rose & Son(Farnham) Ltd	23 Market Street
Messrs. Martin & Stratford	Alton Market
Mr. H. J. Smith	124 London Road, Alton
Mr. & Mrs. R. Fielding	1 Normandy Street, Alton
Mr. L. B. Budd	18 Rack Close Road, Alton

Local Government Act, 1894

Game Dealers Licence Holders

Messrs. Martin & Stratford	Alton Market
Messrs. P. L. Mortara	64 High Street
Mr. K. Reed	4 Normandy Street
Mr. G. Ware	29 Market Street
Joyce & Lucas Ltd.	78c High Street
Mr. W. Morgan	18/20 Market Street

Scrap Metal Dealers Act, 1964

Registered Metal Dealers Premises

Mr. F. Lee	Mill Lane
Mr. H. Davis	Mount Pleasant Road
Mr. C. Gale	1 Cut Pound, Tanhouse Lane
Mr. N. King	46 Lipscombe Rise, Alton.

TABLE IV

Housing Acts.

(a) Unfit houses demolished		-
Unfit houses closed		-
(b) Improvement Area No. 1		
Number of houses included in area		87
Number of tenanted houses lacking one or more of the essential amenities		27
Number of Preliminary Improvement Notices served		26
Number of Suspended Notices issued		-
Works Completed		24
(c) Outside Improvement Area		
Improvements completed		-
Number of Preliminary Improvement Notices served		-
(d) Qualification Certificates	Already Improved	Not Improved
Applications Received	174	14
Applications Approved	174	14
Applications Refused	-	

TABLE V

Council Dwellings Allocation

Allocations		Source of Accommodation	
From Waiting List	32		
From Key Workers			
For Staff	4	Vacancies	36
Exchanges and Transfers	44	Tenancy Tranf'rs & Exchanges	44
Total	80	Total	80

TABLE VI

Voluntary Surrender of Unsound Food

	Tons cwt. lbs.			Tons cwt. lbs.		
1 Meat:						
(a) Slaughterhouse						
(i) carcase meat..	3	0	111			
(ii) offal	1	18	111	4	9	110
(b) Wholesale premises						
(i) carcase meat..	-	-	20			
(ii) offal	-	-	-	-	-	20
(c) Retail shops						
(i) carcase meat..	-	-	64	-	-	-
(ii) offal	-	-	-	-	-	64
2 Cooked Meat and						
meat products	-	-	-	-	-	63
3 Canned Meats	-	-	-	-	-	78
4 Other canned foods	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 Fish (fresh)	-	-	-	-	-	28
6 Fruit and vegetables	-	-	-	-	-	-
(fresh)						
7 Frozen Foods	-	-	-	-	13	62
8 Other foods	-	-	-	-	2	2
			Total	5	7	91

TABLE VII

Food Hygiene (General) Regulations, 1960

Type of Business	No. of Premises	Reg. 16	Regulation 19	
		Premises Fitted To Comply	Premises to which Applicable	Premises Fitted to Comply
Caterers	14	14	14	14
Butchers	9	9	9	9
Fishmongers	2	2	2	2
Grocers	28	28	28	28
Greengrocers	11	11	11	11
Bakehouses	3	3	3	3
Breadshops	4	4	4	4
Breweries	3	3	3	3
Hotels	7	7	7	7
Canteens	2	2	2	2
School Canteens	7	7	7	7
Public Houses	12	12	12	12
Off Licences	5	5	5	5
Slaughterhouses	1	1	1	1
Egg Stations	1	1	1	1
Market Stalls	6	6	-	-
Food Auctions	1	1	-	-
Confectioners	7	7	7	7
Chemists	3	3	3	3
Mobile Trader s	3	3	-	-

TABLE VIII

Animal Carcasses Inspected and Condemned

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs
Number Killed and Inspected	2934	584	3760	6185
All diseases except T.B. and Cysticerci:				
Whole carcase condemned	12	4	7	36
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	575	1	207	386
Percentage of the number inspected infected with diseases other than T.B. or Cysticerci	13.25%	2.5%	1.6%	12.3%
Tuberculosis only:				
Whole carcasses condemned	-	-	-	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	6
Percentage of the number inspected infected with T.B.	-	-	-	1.6%
Cysticercosis:				
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	1	-	-	-
Carcases submitted for treatment by refrigeration	1	-	-	-
Generalised and totally condemned	-	-	-	-

TABLE IX

Animal Diseases for which Whole Carcasses and Organs were
Condemned

Disease	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs	Total
Abscesses	-	-	-	11	11
Bruising	1	-	-	1	2
Decomposition	-	-	-	1	1
Emaciation	2	-	3	3	8
Immaturity	-	3	-	-	3
Jaundice	-	-	-	-	-
Moribund	-	-	-	5	5
Oedema	-	-	-	-	-
Oedema Emaciation	4	-	4	-	8
Pyæmia	-	-	-	-	-
Pyelonephritis	-	-	-	-	-
Pyrexia	4	1	-	-	5
Septicaemia	1	-	-	-	1
Septic Mastitis	-	-	-	-	-
Septic Metritis	-	-	-	-	-
Septic Peritonitis	-	-	-	4	4
Septic Pleurisy	-	-	-	4	4
Septic Pneumonia	-	-	-	7	7
	12	4	7	36	59

TABLE X

**Animal Diseases for which Organs and Part Carcasses were
Condemned**

Disease	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Pigs	Total
Heads:					
Abscess	1	-	-	9	10
Actino Bacillosis	2	-	-	1	3
Bruising	-	-	-	-	-
Degenerated Cysts	1	-	-	-	1
Tuberculosis	-	-	-	6	6
Lungs:					
Congestion	3	-	-	26	29
Emphysema	2	-	-	-	2
Parasitic	20	-	30	-	50
Pleurisy	27	-	6	107	140
Pneumonia	17	1	64	118	200
Hearts:					
Degenerated Cysts	1	-	-	-	1
Pericarditis	4	-	-	26	30
Livers:					
Abscess	69	-	3	-	72
Angioma	17	-	-	-	17
Cirrhosis	-	-	-	-	-
Fatty Infiltration	-	-	-	-	-
Necrosis	-	-	-	-	-
Parasitic	320	-	71	70	461
Peritonitis	3	-	-	12	15
Kidneys:					
Hydronephrosis	1	-	-	4	5
Udders:					
Abscess	7	-	-	-	7
Part Carcasses:					
Abnormality	-	-	-	-	-
Abscess	7	-	4	10	21
Arthritis	-	-	-	4	4
Bruising	17	-	12	-	29
Injury	5	-	17	-	22
	524	1	207	393	1225

Pest Control
TABLE XI

	Local Authority	Non- Agricultural	Agricultural		Total
1 No. of premises inspected	25	669	1		695
2 No. of premises found to be infested by rats	10	231	1		242
3 No. of premises found to be infested by mice		73			73
4 No. of inspected premises treated by Council	10	304	1		315



