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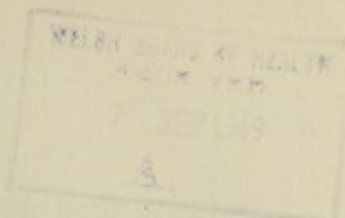
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P E M B R O K E R U R A L D I S T R I C T .

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
FOR THE YEAR 1948.

To the Chairman and Members of the Council,

I beg to submit the Annual Report for the year 1948.

V I T A L S T A T I S T I C S .

Resident Population, (Registrar General's Estimate) 1948
..... 5,530

England & Wales.

Birth Rate	16.9 per 1,000 pop.	17.9
Death Rate	10.3 per 1,000 pop.	10.8
Infantile Mortality Rate	10.6 per 1,000 Births.	34

It will be noted that both the Birth Rate and Death Rate are slightly lower than that for the whole of the Country, and that the Infantile Mortality Rate is considerably lower.

Causes of Death.

	M.	F.
All Causes	27	30
Whooping Cough	1	0
Tuberculosis of Respiratory System	2	0
Other forms of Tuberculosis	0	2
Cancer	6	5
Intracranial Vascular Lesions	2	4
Heart Diseases	5	
Bronchitis	2	2
Pneumonia	1	1
Other diseases of Respiratory Organs	0	1
Nephritis	2	0
Violent Causes other than suicide & road traffic accidents.	0	1
All Other Causes	6	4

Still Births: 2 or 2.1% of Total Births.

Illegitimate Births: 4 or 4.3% of Total Births.

FOR THE YEAR 1923

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NOTIFICATIONS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Pneumonia 3. Scarlet Fever 3. Erysipelas 1.
Measles 11. Whooping Cough 2.

There was one death from Whooping Cough.

TUBERCULOSIS.

Seven cases of Tuberculosis were notified, of which five were pulmonary. There were two deaths from pulmonary Tuberculosis, and two from other forms of Tuberculosis.

The arrangements for hospital treatment, which were made by the Welsh National Memorial Association are now made by the Regional Hospital Board; but there is still the same delay in admission of patients, owing to the lack of nursing staff.

The County Council are no longer responsible for the working of the scheme for allowances to dependents of tuberculous patients, which is now undertaken by the National Assistance Board.

IMMUNISATION AGAINST DIPHTHERIA.

Immunisation is carried out by the local Doctors, and payment is made by the County Council.

The number of children immunised in 1948 was:-

Under 5 years of age:-	66	
Between 5-15 yrs. of age:-	Nil.	Total 66.
Reinforcing Injections:-	5	

WATER SUPPLY.

Supplies to all parts of the area were well maintained, and of satisfactory quality. The mains were extended to Redberth, Cosheston, St. Florence and Manorbier Newton; and approval was obtained for extension to Stackpole.

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

Sewerage schemes have been submitted for approval for Angle, Milton, Carew Cheriton, Carew, Manorbier, Jameston and St. Florence. The provision of piped water supplies in the villages has made adequate sewerage a necessity, and it is to be hoped that approval for the schemes will not be long delayed.

PUBLIC CLEANSING.

The Authority has not yet adopted scavenging powers. Refuse bins are placed in most villages, but it is doubtful whether the needs of the area are being met satisfactorily. There appears to be a growing demand for the regular collection of refuse which neighbouring rural areas provide.

NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

1. Diphtheria 2. Scarlet Fever 3. Typhoid
4. Whooping Cough 5. Measles 6. Mumps
7. Smallpox 8. Cholera 9. Typhus
10. Leprosy 11. Tuberculosis 12. Syphilis
13. Gonorrhoea 14. Venereal Disease
15. Infectious Mononucleosis
16. Infectious Erythema
17. Infectious Endocarditis
18. Infectious Arthritis
19. Infectious Dermatitis
20. Infectious Myelitis
21. Infectious Neuritis
22. Infectious Otitis
23. Infectious Rhinitis
24. Infectious Sinusitis
25. Infectious Scleritis
26. Infectious Uveitis
27. Infectious Conjunctivitis
28. Infectious Keratitis
29. Infectious Glaucoma
30. Infectious Cataract
31. Infectious Strabismus
32. Infectious Amblyopia
33. Infectious Nystagmus
34. Infectious Optic Atrophy
35. Infectious Retinitis
36. Infectious Chorioretinitis
37. Infectious Vitreitis
38. Infectious Maculopathy
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These are the diseases which are notifiable under the Act. The Act also provides for the notification of certain other diseases which are not specifically mentioned in the Act but which are of a serious nature and which are likely to spread to other persons. The Act also provides for the notification of certain other diseases which are not specifically mentioned in the Act but which are of a serious nature and which are likely to spread to other persons.

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HOUSING.

Twenty-two Council Houses were completed and occupied during the year, and a further thirty-eight were under construction.

FOOD.

Small quantities of food unfit for human consumption were surrendered and buried. These included 62 lbs. Cooked Meat, 2 cwt. Potatoes, and 45 lbs. Dried Fruit.

Dorothy M. Rees,
District M.O.H.

HOUSING

Twenty-two Council Houses were completed and occupied during the year, and a further thirty-eight were under construction.

FOOD

Small quantities of food were for human consumption were purchased and stored. These included 62 lbs. Cocoa, 2 lbs. Raisins, and 12 lbs. Dried Fruit.

Dorothy E. Keen,

Director M.C.H.

Particulars of Sanitary Inspector's Work.

INSPECTION OF DWELLING HOUSES DURING THE YEAR 1948.

Total No. of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts).	158
No. of dwelling houses inspected and recorded under the Housing (Consolidated) Regulations 1925 and 1932 included in previous column.	86
No. of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation.	Nil
No. of dwelling houses found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation (exclusive of those in previous column).	61
No. of defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of informal action by the local Authority or their officers.	24

ACTION UNDER STATUTORY POWERS DURING YEAR.

Housing Act, 1936. Sections 9, 10 and 16.

No. of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs.	6
No. of dwelling houses rendered fit after service of formal notices (By Owners).	6

Public Health Acts.

No. of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied.	5
No. of dwelling houses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notices (By Owners).	5

Housing Act, 1936. Sections 11 and 13.

No. of dwelling houses in respect of which demolition orders were made.	Nil
No. of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of demolition orders.	Nil

Housing Act, 1936. Section 12.

No. of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which closing orders were made.	Nil
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HOUSING ACTS, 1936. PART IV - OVERCROWDING.

No. of dwelling houses overcrowded at end of year.	8
No. of families dwelling therein.	8
No. of persons dwelling therein.	43½
No. of new cases of overcrowding reported during year.	2
No. of cases of overcrowding relieved during year.	6
No. of persons concerned in such cases.	35

Particulars of Dwelling Inspector's Work

INSPECTION OF DWELLING HOUSES DURING THE YEAR 1925

158	Total No. of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts).
88	No. of dwelling houses inspected and reported under the Housing (General) Regulations 1925 and 1922 included in previous column.
211	No. of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation.
61	No. of dwelling houses found not to be in all respects satisfactory for human habitation (exclusive of those in previous column).
20	No. of defective dwelling houses reported to the Local Authority by the Local Authority or their officers.

ACTS UNDER STATUTORY POWERS DURING YEAR

5	Housing Act, 1925, Section 2, 10 and 15. No. of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs.
3	No. of dwelling houses reported to the Local Authority of formal notices (by Council).
2	Public Health Act. No. of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied.
2	No. of dwelling houses in which defects were reported to the Local Authority of formal notices (by Council).
211	Housing Act, 1925, Section 11 and 12. No. of dwelling houses in respect of which demolition orders were made.
211	No. of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of demolition orders.
211	Housing Act, 1925, Section 13. No. of requests for consent or orders made in respect of which closing orders were made.

HOUSING ACTS, 1925, PART IV - OVERCROWDING

8	No. of dwelling houses overcrowded at end of year.
6	No. of dwelling houses overcrowded during year.
153	No. of persons dwelling therein.
3	No. of new cases of overcrowding reported during year.
6	No. of cases of overcrowding relieved during year.
2	No. of persons concerned in such cases.

SANITARY INSPECTION.

<u>Particulars of work carried out during year 1948.</u>		
No. of complaints received.		78
No. of defects or nuisances discovered.		51
<u>No. of Premises visited.</u>		
Inspections.		175
Re-visits.		101
<u>No. of Notices Served.</u>		
Preliminary: Housing		41
Other		11
Statutory: Housing		4
Other		3
<u>Summary Action.</u>		
Summonses issued.		Nil
Convictions obtained.		Nil

MILK AND DAIRIES ORDERS.

No. of Registered Cow Keepers.		342
No. of Inspections.		310
No. of Registered Dairymen.		306
No. of Inspections.		358
<u>Milk Samples.</u>		
Satisfactory		22
Unsatisfactory		5
Total:		27

FACTORIES ACT, 1937.

Premises	No. on Register	Inspections	Written Notices	Occupiers Prosecuted
(i) Factories in which sections 1,2,3,4 & 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	3	36	3	Nil
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
(iii) Other premises in which section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers premises).	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TOTAL:-	3	36	3	Nil

H. B. Edwards,

Sanitary Inspector.

