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BOROUGH OF GLASTONBURY



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

(Including the Report of the Public Health Inspector)

FOR THE YEAR

1968



GLASTONBURY BOROUGH COUNCIL.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
for 1968.

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1912

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ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1968

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11th November, 1969.

To The Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of
the Glastonbury Borough Council.

Mr. Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors,

I beg to present the Annual Report on the Health of the Borough for 1968, compiled in accordance with the instructions of the Department of Health and Social Security which came into being in November of last year.

1968 also saw the move of the Area Health Department from Shepton Mallet to more suitable premises in Wells with a correspondingly greater ease of access to the citizens of Glastonbury.

The vital statistics show a drop in the Live Birth Rate to a figure lower than County or National averages but on the other hand the Still Birth Rate was similarly lower and live births exceeded deaths. There was an increase in mortality, particularly amongst infants but the Corrected Death Rate did not exceed the National figure and there was no maternal mortality.

Notifiable diseases were again few in number and there were no outbreaks of major infectious diseases. Outbreaks of disease in cattle transmissible to humans took up a certain amount of the time of your Public Health Department and in one case it was necessary to apply a Heat Treatment Order to a dairy herd. Visits to the elderly were again very necessary and a Removal Order was required in one case on the request of a general practitioner.

My thanks are due to the Public Health Inspector and his staff for the report on the environmental health of the Borough and co-operation at all times, also to the Town Clerk, fellow Officers and Members of the Council for their continued support.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

D. E. CLARE.

Medical Officer of Health.

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GENERAL STATISTICS. 1968.

| | |
|--|----------|
| Area of Borough (in acres)..... | 5,019 |
| Population (mid year 1968)..... | 6,280 |
| Number of inhabited houses..... | 2,097 |
| Rateable Value at 1/4/69..... | £265,591 |
| Product of a Penny Rate at 1/4/69..... | £1,040 |

MAIN VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1968.

(With comparative figures for Somerset and England & Wales where available)

BIRTHS.

| <u>Live Births.</u> | <u>M.</u> | <u>F.</u> | <u>Total.</u> | <u>Glastonbury M.B.</u> | <u>Somerset.</u> | <u>England</u> |
|--|-----------|-----------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| | | | | <u>Recorded</u> | <u>Corrected</u> | <u>& Wales.</u> |
| Legitimate. | 38 | 45 | 83 | | 8,305 | (Provis- |
| Illegitimate. | 4 | 2 | 6 | | 561 | ional) |
| Totals. | <u>42</u> | <u>47</u> | <u>89</u> | | <u>8,866</u> | 819,275 |
| Rate per 1,000 population | | | 14.2 | 15.5 | 16.9 | 16.9 |
| (Area Births Comparability Factor 1.09) | | | | (Corrected) | | |
| Ratio of local corrected birth rate to national rate is 0.92 | | | | | | |

ILLEGITIMATE LIVE BIRTHS.

(per cent of total live births) 6.73% 6.3%

STILL BIRTHS.

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|------|--|-------|--------|
| Legitimate | - | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Illegitimate | - | - | - | | | |
| Totals. | - | 1 | 1 | | 126 | 11,847 |
| Rate per 1,000 Live and Still Births. | | | 11.2 | | 13.83 | 14.0 |

TOTAL LIVE & STILL BIRTHS.

42 48 90 8,992 831,122

DEATHS.

TOTAL DEATHS.

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|------|-------------|-------|---------|
| (all ages) | 29 | 47 | 76 | | 7,531 | 576,601 |
| Rate per 1,000 population | | | 12.1 | 11.8 | 10.9 | 11.9 |
| | | | | (Corrected) | | |

(Area Deaths Comparability Factor 0.98)

Ratio of local corrected death rate to national rate is 1.00

INFANT DEATHS

(under 1 year)

| | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|--|-----|--------|
| Legitimate | 1 | 4 | 5 | | 127 | |
| Illegitimate | - | 1 | 1 | | 12 | |
| Totals. | 1 | 5 | 6 | | 139 | 14,952 |
| (Under 4 weeks) | | | | | | |
| Legitimate | 1 | 4 | 5 | | | |
| Illegitimate | - | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Totals | 1 | 5 | 6 | | 99 | 10,100 |
| (Under 1 week) | | | | | | |
| Legitimate. | 1 | 4 | 5 | | | |
| Illegitimate. | - | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Totals. | 1 | 5 | 6 | | 83 | 8,600 |

| | <u>Glastonbury M.B.</u> | <u>Somerset.</u> | <u>England & Wales.</u> |
|---|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| | <u>Recorded</u> | <u>Corrected</u> | <u>(Provis- ional)</u> |
| <u>INFANT MORTALITY RATES.</u> | | | |
| Total Infant deaths per 1,000. Total Live Births. | 67.4 | 15.6 | 18.0 |
| Legitimate Infant Deaths per 1,000 Legitimate live births... .. | 60.3 | 15.29 | |
| Illegitimate Infant Deaths per 1,000 illegitimate live births. | 166.6 | 21.39 | |
| <u>NEO-NATAL MORTALITY RATES</u> (deaths under 4 weeks per 1,000 total live births.) | | | |
| | 67.4 | 11.02 | 12.3 |
| <u>EARLY NEO-NATAL MORTALITY RATE.</u> (deaths under 1 week per 1,000 total live births) | | | |
| | 67.4 | 9.3 | 10.5 |
| <u>PERINATAL MORTALITY RATE.</u> (Still births and deaths under 1 week combined per 1,000 live and still births). | | | |
| | 77.7 | 23.24 | 25.0 |
| <u>MATERNAL MORTALITY (Including abortion).</u> | | | |
| Number of deaths... .. | Nil | 1 | |
| Rate per 1,000 total live and still births. | Nil | 0.11 | |
| <u>CERTAIN VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE FIVE-YEAR PERIOD 1964-1968</u> <u>WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR SOMERSET AND ENGLAND AND WALES.</u> | | | |

| | 1964 | 1965 | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <u>1. Corrected Birth Rate.</u> | | | | | |
| Glastonbury M.B. | 18.9 | 16.7 | 18.37 | 18.2 | 15.5 |
| Somerset. | 16.86 | 16.76 | 17.86 | 17.7 | 16.9 |
| England & Wales. | 18.4 | 18.00 | 17.7 | 17.2 | 16.9 |
| <u>2. Corrected Death Rate.</u> | | | | | |
| Glastonbury M.B. | 11.65 | 9.18 | 8.82 | 11.2 | 11.8 |
| Somerset. | 10.62 | 10.18 | 10.37 | 10.1 | 10.9 |
| England & Wales. | 11.30 | 11.50 | 11.7 | 11.2 | 11.9 |
| <u>3. Infant Mortality Rate.</u> | | | | | |
| Glastonbury M.B. | 9.44 | NIL | 9.61 | NIL | 67.4 |
| Somerset. | 13.00 | 10.75 | 15.12 | 14.0 | 15.6 |
| England & Wales. | 20.00 | 19.00 | 19.0 | 18.3 | 18.0 |

| GENERAL VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE FIVE-YEAR PERIOD 1965-1969 | | 1965 | | 1966 | | 1967 | | 1968 | | 1969 | |
|---|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|
| 1. Crude Birth Rate | | 18.9 | | 18.7 | | 18.7 | | 18.2 | | 18.2 | |
| 2. Crude Death Rate | | 11.62 | | 11.18 | | 10.37 | | 11.2 | | 11.9 | |
| 3. Infant Mortality Rate | | 2.44 | | 2.41 | | 2.41 | | 2.41 | | 2.41 | |
| 4. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 12.00 | | 12.00 | | 12.00 | | 12.00 | | 12.00 | |
| 5. Stillbirth Rate | | 18.4 | | 18.00 | | 17.7 | | 17.2 | | 16.9 | |
| 6. Fetal Mortality Rate | | 18.84 | | 18.76 | | 17.86 | | 17.7 | | 16.9 | |
| 7. Perinatal Mortality Rate | | 18.9 | | 18.7 | | 18.7 | | 18.2 | | 18.2 | |
| 8. Early Feto-Matal Mortality Rate | | 67.4 | | 67.4 | | 67.4 | | 67.4 | | 67.4 | |
| 9. Late Feto-Matal Mortality Rate | | 11.02 | | 11.02 | | 11.02 | | 11.02 | | 11.02 | |
| 10. Infant Mortality Rate | | 13.2 | | 13.2 | | 13.2 | | 13.2 | | 13.2 | |
| 11. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 12. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 13. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 14. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 15. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 16. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 17. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 18. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 19. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 20. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 21. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 22. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 23. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 24. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 25. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 26. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 27. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 28. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 29. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 30. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 31. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 32. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 33. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 34. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 35. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 36. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 37. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 38. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 39. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 40. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 41. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 42. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 43. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 44. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 45. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 46. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 47. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 48. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 49. Neonatal Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |
| 50. Infant Mortality Rate | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | | 10.3 | |

CAUSES OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1968.

(As given by the Registrar-General)

| CAUSE OF DEATH | Sex | Total all Ages | Un- der 4 wks. | 4 wks & un- der 1 year | Age in Years. | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------|---|
| | | | | | 1-5 | 5-15 | 15-25 | 25-35 | 35-45 | 45-55 | 55-65 | 65-75 | 75 & up- wards | |
| Malignant Neo- plasm - Stomach | M | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Malignant Neo- plasm - Lung, Bronchus. | F | 1 | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Malignant Neo- plasm - Breast | M | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | |
| Other Malignant Neoplasms. | F | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | |
| Berign and Un- specified Neo plasms. | F | 2 | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 1 | |
| Other Endocrine) etc. Diseases.) | M | 1 | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 1 | |
| Anaemias | F | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Other Disease of the Nervous System. | M | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Chronic Rheumat- ic Heart Disease | F | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Hypertensive) Disease.) | F | 3 | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 2 |
| Ischaemic Heart Disease. | M | 10 | | | | | | | | 2 | 5 | 3 | | |
| Other Forms of Heart Disease. | F | 12 | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 10 | | |
| Cerebrovascular Disease. | M | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | |
| Other Disease of the Circulatory System.) | F | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Pneumonia. | M | 2 | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Bronchitis and Emphysema | F | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Peptic Ulcer | M | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Intestinal Ob- struction & Hernia | F | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Congenital Anomalies. | M | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Birth Injury, Difficult Labour etc.) | M | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Other Causes of Perinatal Mortal- ity | F | 4 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Motor Vehicle Accidents. | F | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | | |
| All Accidents. | M | 1 | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | F | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total all Causes. | M | 29 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 4 | 9 | 12 | | |
| | F | 47 | 5 | | | | | 1 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 28 | | |

CAUSE OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1908.

CAUSE OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1908.

YOUTH.

| Period | Infant | Child | Adult | Total | Sex | Disease |
|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-------------------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 10 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 16 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 19 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 22 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 25 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 29 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 30 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 31 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 32 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 33 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 34 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 35 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 36 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 37 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 38 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 39 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 40 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 41 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 42 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 43 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 44 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 45 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 46 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 47 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 48 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 49 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 50 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 51 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
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| 93 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 94 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 95 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 96 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 97 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 98 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |
| 99 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | M | Malignant disease |
| 100 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | F | Malignant disease |

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NOTIFIABLE DISEASES (5 YEAR PERIOD 1964 - 1968)

| <u>DISEASE</u> | <u>TOTAL CASES NOTIFIED</u> | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | <u>1964</u> | <u>1965</u> | <u>1966</u> | <u>1967</u> | <u>1968</u> |
| Measles | 2 | 19 | 9 | 135 | 23 |
| Puerperal Pyrexia | - | - | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Tuberculosis - Respiratory | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Tuberculosis - Non Respiratory | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Whooping Cough. | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| TOTAL | 3 | 19 | 13 | 136 | 26 |

NOTES ON VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1968.

(Although as a general rule the figures are too small for much significance to be attached to them, nevertheless certain broad statements can be made).

Population

An increase of 60 over the population for the previous year was estimated by the Registrar-General, and births exceeded deaths by 13.

Births.

Live Births - showed a decrease of 14 compared with the previous year, but the total of Illegitimate births (6) was the same. The Corrected Birth Rate fell to a figure lower than the County and National averages, but the percentage of illegitimate births closely approximated the County figure.

Still Births - it will be seen that 1 occurred in the Borough and the Still Birth Rate was appreciably lower than County or National Rates.

Deaths.

All Ages totalled 4 more than in 1967, giving once again a Corrected Death Rate Higher than the County average but approximating the National one.

Infant Deaths - rose to 6, all within the first week of life, and high Infant, Neonatal, Early Neonatal and Perinatal Mortality Rates therefore result.

Maternal Mortality - it is a pleasure to record that there was none again during the year.

Causes of Death

Cardio-Vascular and Cerebro-Vascular Diseases with 44 deaths took leading place again as the cause of mortality in the Borough 3 more than in 1967. 30 of these deaths were caused by Ischaemic and Other Heart Diseases whilst Cerebrovascular and Other Diseases of the Circulatory System accounted for 14, 11 in women.

Cancer Deaths fell by 4 to 9 deaths and as regards site, lung cancer led with 4 deaths, followed by breast cancer with 2 deaths and stomach with 1.

Respiratory Diseases - totalled 5, with a decrease of 4 compared with the previous year. Of these, pneumonia accounted for 4, all above 55 years of age.

Accidents - deaths from these (3) totalled 2 less than in 1967. Two of these deaths involved a motor vehicle.

Birth Injury and Difficult Labour caused 5 out of the 6 Infant deaths.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES.

It will be seen from the 5-year Table that there is little on which to comment.

ANNUAL RETURN OF FOOD POISONING AND SALMONELLA INFECTION.

No cases of food poisoning or human salmonella infection were notified during the year in the Borough.

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948 (Sec.47) AND AMENDMENT ACT, 1951.

In August a message was received from a Glastonbury General practitioner, that an elderly widow patient of his, suffering from advanced cancer and living on her own in a state of neglect, was urgently in need of hospital treatment which she refused to accept.

An immediate visit to the home confirmed the deplorable living conditions and lack of care reported. Accordingly, in conjunction with the family doctor, an Order under the 1951 Amendment Act was applied for from a local Justice of the Peace and two days later the patient was removed by ambulance to Trinity Hospital, Taunton, for care and attention. This action was followed up by a successful application to the Magistrates Court on 17th September for a further three months extension of the Order.

The Patient was well looked after in hospital but on 20th October died there of her original condition

MILK AND DAIRIES (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1959, Sec.20.

Notice was received from the County Health Department in August, 1968, that brucellosis had been isolated on culture from the milk of a dairy herd in the district. The farm was visited by the Public Health Inspector and myself, and as it was the source of a sizeable retail business in raw milk in the Glastonbury and Street area, it was necessary to serve a formal Heat Treatment Notice. As no effort had been made to clear the herd of this infection, the Notice was still in operation at the end of the year.

MASS RADIOGRAPHY SERVICE

Visits were paid by the Mass Radiography Unit to the St. Dunstan's Car Park at fortnightly intervals throughout the year for the benefit of General Practitioner Cases and the number of these cases was 147. Results were as follows:-

| | Male | Female | Total |
|------------------------|------|--------|-------|
| Numbers examined. | 206 | 163 | 369 |
| Abnormalities detected | 7 | 9 | 16 |

Birth Injury and Prolapsed Labor, 2 out of the 6 infants deaths.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES

It will be seen from the 5-year Table that there is little on which to comment.

ANNUAL RETURN OF FOOD POISONING AND SALMONELLA INFECTION

No cases of food poisoning or human salmonella infection were notified during the year in the Borough.

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948 (24 & 49) AND AMENDMENT ACT, 1951

In August a message was received from a District Nursing Officer, stating that an elderly widow patient of his, suffering from advanced cancer and living on her own in a state of neglect was urgently in need of hospital treatment which she refused to accept.

An immediate visit was made and confirmed the deteriorating living conditions and lack of care reported. Accordingly, in consultation with the Family Doctor, a letter was sent the 1951 Amendment Act was applied for from a Local Officer of the Police and two days later the patient was removed by ambulance to Trinity Hospital, Tipton, for care and attention. This action was followed up by a successful application to the Magistrates Court of 1951 for a further three months extension of the Order. The patient was well looked after in hospital but on 20th October died there of her original condition.

MILK AND DAIRIES (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1953, 1954, 1955

Notice was received from the County Health Department in August, 1955, that brucellosis had been isolated on culture from the milk of a dairy herd in the district. The farm was visited by the Public Health Inspector and myself, and as it was the source of a considerable retail business in raw milk in the County, and at that time, it was necessary to serve a formal Notice of Control. As no effort had been made to clear the herd of this infection, the Notice was still in operation at the end of the year.

1955 LABORATORY SERVICE

Visits were paid by the Home Radiography Unit to the St. Margaret's X-ray Unit at intervals throughout the year for the benefit of General Practitioner Cases and the number of these cases was 147. Results were as follows:-

| | Male | Female | Total |
|------------------------|------|--------|-------|
| X-rays examined | 206 | 163 | 369 |
| Abnormalities detected | 7 | 2 | 9 |

DETAILS OF ABNORMALITIES DETECTED

| | Male | Female | Total |
|----------------------------|------|--------|-------|
| Healed T.B. | - | 2 | 2 |
| Bronchial Carcinoma | 1 | - | 1 |
| Fibrosis & Pleural Changes | 1 | - | 1 |
| Enlarged Heart | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Cardiac Lesion Acquired. | - | 1 | 1 |
| Hypertensive Heart | - | 2 | 2 |
| Bronchiectosis | 1 | - | 1 |
| Emphysematous Bullae | 1 | - | 1 |
| Bronchitis & Emphysema | 2 | - | 2 |
| Inflammatory | - | 1 | 1 |
| Hiatus Hernia | - | 1 | 1 |

PLUMBING CONTINUED

The following statement of the quantity of water for the Stantonbury Borough is as follows:-

Average 214,000 g.p.d. at 7.

| | |
|---------------------------|------|
| Water Consumption Supply. | 0.12 |
| Wellhead Supply. | 0.20 |

(a) Number of dwellings on mains supply. 2,263

(b) Number of dwellings not on mains supply. Two

(c) Number of houses in which piped supply was substituted for Well Water. Nil

(d) Number of Wells Closed. Nil

(e) Number of Wells (including isolated farms) relying on a private well supply. One

SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE

Extensions and Improvements during the year.

A new sewage pumping station constructed and Pumping Main laid off from the station to take drainage of housing development being carried out by the Council North of Benedict Street and West of Northall Street for approximately 350 houses.

DETAILS OF ABNORMALITIES DETECTED

Total

Female

Male

Healed T.B.

Bronchial Carcinoma

Pneumonia & Fibrotic Changes

Enlarged Heart

Cardiac Distention

Hypertensive Heart

Bronchiectasis

Emphysematous Bullae

Bronchitis & Emphysema

Influenza

Stomach Lesions

PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

W A T E R S U P P L Y.

Quality The supply is hard. Galvanised iron, polythene and copper service pipes are used and no difficulty is experienced due to plumbo-solvent action.

Permanent Chlorination Plans (Chloramine Process) are in continuous operation.

Quantity. No shortage was experienced in 1968.

Piped supplies - results of samples taken for analyses:-

| RAW WATER | | | | TREATED AFTER GOING INTO SUPPLY | | | |
|-----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| BACTERIOLOGICAL | | CHEMICAL | | BACTERIOLOGICAL | | CHEMICAL | |
| Satisfactory | Unsatisfactory | Satisfactory | Unsatisfactory | Satisfactory | Unsatisfactory | Satisfactory | Unsatisfactory |
| - | - | - | - | 31 | - | 2 | - |

FLUORIDE CONTENT.

The fluoride content of the sources of water for the Glastonbury Borough is as follows:-

Average Fluoride p.p.m. as F.

West Compton Supply. 0.12

Wellhouse Supply. 0.20

- | | |
|---|-------|
| (a) Number of dwellings on mains supply. | 2,265 |
| (b) Number of dwellings <u>not</u> on mains supply. | Two |
| (c) Number of cases in which piped supply was substituted for Well Water. | Nil |
| (d) Number of Wells Closed. | Nil |
| (e) Number of Houses (including isolated farms) relying on a private well supply. | One |

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE

Extensions and Improvements during the year.

A new Sewage Pumping Station constructed and Pumping Main laid adjoining Paradise Allotments to take drainage of housing development scheme being carried out by the Council North of Benedict Street and West of Northload Street for approximately 250 houses.

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

Sewage and Trade Waste Disposal Scheme.

The Sewage and Trade Waste Disposal Works continue to be hydrostatically overloaded by excessive flows from the two Traders discharging into the Works and also due to the Dry Weather flow of Sewage being higher than for which the Works were designed and the Council and their Consulting Engineers are still considering the question of enlarging the Works in order to provide a satisfactory effluent.

REGISTERED COMMON LODGING HOUSES.

No registered common lodging houses within the Borough, therefore no action necessary during the year.

H O U S I N G .

Action taken during year:-

- | | |
|--|--------------|
| (1) Number of houses included in Clearance Area for which Orders are still to be made. | Nil |
| (2) Number of houses in Clearance Areas which have been patched for temporary accommodation under Section 48 of the Housing Act, 1957. | Nil |
| (3) Number of houses closed or demolished under Section 42 of the Housing Act, 1957 (Clearance Areas) | Nil |
| (4) Housing Act 1957 (Section 17 - Individual Unfits) | |
| Number of houses lost:- | |
| (i) (a) Houses demolished. | 12 |
| (b) Houses closed. | Nil |
| (ii) For other purposes (road improvements etc.) | Nil |
| (5) Number of temporary dwellings (huts, etc.) demolished. | Nil |
| (6) Number of houses declared unfit under Section 9 of the Housing Act, 1957 (capable of repair) | Nil |
| (7) Number of houses made fit during year. | Nil |
| (8) Number of unfit houses occupied under licence. | Nil |
| (9) Houses in Multiple occupation (Housing Act, 1961) | Nil |
| (10) Reconditioning of condemned houses - Exclusion from Clearance/Demolition Orders (Housing Act, 1961) | Nil |

SEWERAGE AND WASTE DISPOSAL

Sanitary and Trade Waste Disposal Schemes

The Sewage and Trade Waste Disposal Works continue to be hydraulically overloaded by excessive flows from the two Trade Effluent Discharge into the Works and also due to the high water level of the River which has caused the Works to be designed and the Council and their Engineering Department are still considering the question of enlarging the Works in order to provide a satisfactory effluent.

REGISTERED COMMON LODGING HOUSES

No registered common lodging houses within the Borough, therefore no action necessary during the year.

HOUSING ACT, 1937

Action taken during year:-

(1) Number of houses licensed for clearance areas for which Orders are still to be made.

(2) Number of houses in clearance areas which have been pitched for temporary accommodation under Section 48 of the Housing Act, 1937.

(3) Number of houses closed or demolished under Section 48 of the Housing Act, 1937 (Clearance Areas)

(4) Housing Act 1937 (Section 17 - Individual Units)

Number of houses for:-
(a) Houses demolished.
(b) Houses closed.

(5) For other purposes (road improvements etc.)

(6) Number of temporary dwellings (huts etc.) demolished.

(7) Number of houses declared unfit under Section 9 of the Housing Act, 1937 (fit for repair)

(8) Number of houses made fit during year.

(9) Number of unfit houses occupied under licence.

(10) Houses in Multiple Occupation (Housing Act 1961)

(11) Recommendation of condemned houses - Exclusion from Clearance/Demolition Orders (Housing Act, 1961)

- (11) Substitution of Closing Order for Demolition Order (Housing Act, 1961)
Action taken. Nil
- (12) Housing Act, 1964. Any action taken during year. Nil
- (13) RENT ACTS
- (1) Certificates of Disrepair:-
- (a) Number of applications received. Nil
- (b) Certificates issued. Nil
- (2) Certificates of Fair Rent:-
- (a) Certificates issued (if known) Nil

| Houses erected during year | | Houses in course of erection | | Gained from conversion of large houses or buildings into flats or dwellings | Lost from conversion of two or more houses into one |
|----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|---|---|
| For Slum Clearance | For other purposes | For Slum Clearance | For other purposes | | |
| L.A. - | 29 | - | - | 1 | - |
| P.E. - | 29 | - | 25 | - | - |

Number of Post-War Houses erected from
1st April, 1945 to 31st December, 1968.

| By Local Authority | By Private Enterprise |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 473 | 428 |

Housing Programme (As requested by Ministry of Housing and Local Government Circular 21/65.

Programme forecast 69-70-71-72. Fifteen to Twenty Houses each year.

- (a) Number of temporary housing units occupied -(i) Prefabs... Nil
(ii) Huts etc. Nil
- (b) Number of houses found overcrowded... Nil
- Houses required.
- (i) To replace houses scheduled for demolition... Nil
- (ii) To abat overcrowding... Nil
- (iii) For other purposes... 121. (Taken from Council Housing List)...
- (iv) Applications for Council Houses at end of year:-
- (a) Urgent Bona fide cases... 34
- (b) Applications for old people's dwellings... 87
- (c) Others... 87
- Total applications 121

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| No. of permanent dwellings in District as at 31/12/67 (a) | a) Gained from conversions b) Erected c) Council houses sold during 1968 | | | Total (a) + (b) | Less houses a) Demolished b) Closed c) Sold during 1968 | | | Number of Permanent Dwellings in District as at 31/12/68. |
|---|--|----|---|-----------------|--|---|---|---|
| | A | B | C | | A | B | C | |
| L.A. 659 | 1 | 29 | - | 689 | - | - | - | 689 |
| P.E. 1,549 | - | 29 | - | 1578 | - | - | - | 1,578 |
| Tot- 2,208 als | 1 | 58 | - | 2267 | - | - | - | 2,267 |

OLD PEOPLE'S DWELLINGS.

| Total Number Erected to 31.12.68. | | Number in Course of Erection | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| With County Council Aid | Without County Council Aid. | With County Council Aid | Without County Council Aid. |
| 33 | 4 | - | - |

Since the War, up to the end of 1968 a total of 473 new dwellings have been completed by the Local Authority, 428 by Private Enterprise and 70 units of accommodation have been provided by conversion, adaptation, or reconstruction, and three units of accommodation have been lost, one conversion into business premises and two by conversion of two houses into one to accommodate large families, making provision for 971 families in all.

Up to the end of 1968 action has been taken under Section 16 of the Housing Act, 1957, in respect of 129 houses, and in all Cases the Owners gave written undertakings in accordance with the Act not to relet them for human habitation when they became vacant. At the end of the year two of these dwellings remained occupied. Five have been reconstructed and brought back into use as dwellings. Eighty-seven houses have been demolished and fifteen houses have been purchased by Agreement and demolished in connection with the Redevelopment of Hill Head Area. Three houses in Old Wells Road have been acquired and demolished, where action had been taken under the Housing Acts.

| No. of Dwellings in District as at 31.12.57 | a) Gained from conversions | b) Existing Council houses sold during 1958 | Total (a) + (b) | Losses during 1958 | | |
|--|-------------------------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | | | | a) Demolished | b) Sold during 1958 | c) Sold during 1958 |
| L.A. 633 | 1 | 20 | 21 | - | - | - |
| P.E. 1,360 | - | 20 | 20 | - | - | - |
| Total 2,208 | 1 | 20 | 21 | - | - | - |

OLD HOUSES'S DWELLINGS

| Total Number Erected to 31.12.58 | | Number in Course of Erection | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| With Council Aid | Without Council Aid | With Council Aid | Without Council Aid |
| 1,360 | 848 | 1,360 | 848 |

Since the war, up to the end of 1958 a total of 473 new
 dwellings have been completed by the local authority, 428 by
 Private Enterprise and 45 units of accommodation have been
 provided by conversion, adaptation, or reconstruction, and
 three units of accommodation have been lost, one conversion
 into business premises and two by conversion of two houses into
 one to accommodate large families, making provision for 971
 families in all.
 Up to the end of 1958 action has been taken under Section 46
 of the Housing Act, 1937, in respect of 129 houses, and in all
 cases the Council have written undertakings in accordance with
 the Act to the effect that the houses shall be kept in a state
 of repair and that the Council shall be responsible for the
 maintenance of the houses. At the end of the year two of these dwellings
 remained occupied, five have been reconstructed and brought
 back into use as dwellings, eight-seven houses have been
 demolished and fifteen houses have been purchased by agreement
 and demolished in connection with the Redevelopment of Hill
 Road Area. Three houses in Old Wells Road have been acquired
 and demolished, where action had been taken under the Housing
 Act.

IMPROVEMENT GRANTS.

(a) Discretionary

Number of applications and houses dealt with by Local Authority during year:-

| (1) Received. | | (2) Approved. | |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| Applications | Number of Dwellings. | Applications | Number of Dwellings. |
| Two | Three | Two | Three |

NOTE - Number of applications approved in respect of owner/occupiers during year. One
Average cost per dwelling approved during year. £400
Amount of grant payable by Local Authority. 50%
subject to
maximum of £500 per
dwelling.

(b) Standard

1. Number of applications (a) Received..... Eight
(b) Approved..... Eight
2. Number of houses where standard amenities have been provided. One and Seven in hand.....

NOTE - Number of applications approved in respect of owner/occupiers during year..... Eight.....

Since the 31st July, 1949, up to the end of 1968, 92 applications had been received and approved in respect of Discretionary Improvement Grants, two applications received and rejected and 71 applications in respect of Standard Grants had been received and approved and one application received and rejected. Thirty-one dwellings had been gained as a result of the conversion of large houses or buildings into flats.

(A) Dictionary

F O O D.

MILK

| | |
|---|----|
| (a) Number of Registered Distributors..... | 20 |
| (b) Number of Registered Dairy Premises (other than dairy farms)..... | - |

DESIGNATED MILK SAMPLING.

| | <u>Samples Taken.</u> | <u>Satis- factory</u> | <u>Unsatis- factory.</u> |
|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Raw Tuberculin Tested. | 22 | 16 | 6 |
| Sterilised. | - | - | - |
| Pasteurised. | 59 | 58 | 1 |

SALMONELLA INVESTIGATIONS.

Three cases of Salmonella Dublin infections on Farms reported during year and Farmers given advice where necessary.

ICE CREAM.

Number of premises registered for:-

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| (a) Manufacture and Retail..... | Nil |
| (b) Manufacture only..... | Nil |
| (c) Retail only..... | 36 |

Number of Samples Taken.

| | |
|----------|----|
| Grade 1. | 61 |
| Grade 2. | 5 |
| Grade 3. | - |
| Grade 4. | - |

PREMISES FOR PREPARATION OF FOOD.

Premises registered under Section 16 of Food and Drugs Act, 1955, for the preparation of food.....16

FOOD HYGIENE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS.

Food Premises subject to the above Regulations:-

| | |
|---|----|
| (i) Number of Premises..... | 51 |
| (ii) Number of Premises fitted to comply with Reg.16..... | 39 |
| (iii) Number of Premises to which Reg.19 applies..... | 45 |
| (iv) Number of Premises fitted to comply with Reg.19..... | 41 |

A number of inspections were carried out during the year under the Food Hygiene (General) Regulations, and informal action taken where necessary.

CONDEMNED FOOD.

Meat unfit for human consumption is disposed of to firms connected with manufacture of glue fertilisers etc., as referred to in Circular M/F. 10/54, or sterilised prior to being sold for Animal Food. Other condemned food is disposed of to local processors of waste food or by burying on the Corporation's Refuse Tip.

DESIGNATED MILK ANALYSIS

Number of Samples Taken Date- Time- Location

Raw Tuberculin Tested

Registered

SALMONELLA INVESTIGATION

Three cases of salmonella infection on farms reported during year and farmers killed animals and destroyed products.

Number of premises registered for:

- (a) Manufacturers and Retailers
- (b) Manufacturers only
- (c) Retail only

Number of samples taken

Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grade 4

FOOD HYGIENE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS

FOOD PREMISES SUBJECT TO THE ABOVE REGULATIONS

- (i) Number of premises listed to comply with Reg. 10
- (ii) Number of premises listed to comply with Reg. 11
- (iii) Number of premises listed to comply with Reg. 12
- (iv) Number of premises listed to comply with Reg. 13

Under the Food Hygiene (General) Regulations, 1955, it is necessary to ensure that food is safe and sound for human consumption. This is achieved by ensuring that food is properly handled, stored, and served. The regulations also require that food premises be kept clean and that food handlers be properly trained and supervised. The regulations also require that food be properly labeled and that food handlers be properly informed of the regulations. The regulations also require that food be properly stored and that food handlers be properly supervised. The regulations also require that food be properly labeled and that food handlers be properly informed of the regulations. The regulations also require that food be properly stored and that food handlers be properly supervised. The regulations also require that food be properly labeled and that food handlers be properly informed of the regulations.

THE SLAUGHTER OF ANIMALS (PREVENTION OF CRUELTY) REGULATIONS:-

No action Necessary.

THE SLAUGHTERHOUSES (HYGIENE) REGULATIONS:-

No action Necessary.

SLAUGHTERHOUSES ACT.

| | <u>Number</u> <u>Licensed.</u> | <u>Operating.</u> |
|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| (a) Slaughterhouses owned or leased by L.A. | Nil | Nil |
| (b) Private Slaughterhouses. | Nil | Nil |
| (c) Number of private slaughterhouses brought up to standard required. | Nil | Nil |
| (d) Bacon Factories. | Nil | Nil |

THE MEAT INSPECTION REGULATIONS, 1963.

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|-----|
| Qualified Staff Employed: | (a) Whole-time..... | Nil |
| | (b) Part-time..... | One |

THE LIQUID EGG (PASTEURISATION) REGULATIONS, 1963.

| | |
|--|-----|
| Number of egg pasteurisation plants..... | One |
|--|-----|

Number of Samples of Liquid Egg Taken for Submission to the Alpha-Amylase Test:

99 Samples Taken.

94 Passed.

5 Failed.

Only one Liquid Egg Pasteurisation Plant operating in the Borough and the result of the year's work has been generally satisfactory and no serious problems have arisen. Each batch of pasteurised liquid egg is held until the result of the Alpha-Amylase Test is known.

POULTRY PACKING ESTABLISHMENTS.

| | |
|---------------------|-----|
| Number in District. | Nil |
|---------------------|-----|

CLEAN AIR ACT.

No action necessary.

AGRICULTURAL (SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE PROVISIONS) ACT, 1956.

No action necessary.

OFFICES, SHOPS AND RAILWAY PREMISES ACT, 1963.

| | |
|--|------|
| (a) Number of premises registered under Act. | 61 |
| (b) Additional staff employed. | None |

A number of inspections were carried out under the above Act during the year and attention of proprietors drawn to any action required.

ANIMAL BOARDING ESTABLISHMENTS.

| | |
|------------------|-----|
| Number Licensed. | Nil |
|------------------|-----|

THE SLAUGHTER OF ANIMALS (PREVENTION OF CRUELTY) REGULATIONS:-

THE SLAUGHTERHOUSES (HYGIENE) REGULATIONS:-

No action necessary.

| Slab | Number | Slab | Number |
|------|--------|------|--------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |

THE MEAT INSPECTION REGULATIONS, 1957.

Number of meat inspection stations in the country.

THE LIONTS AND (PASTEURISATION) REGULATIONS, 1957.

Number of lions and (pasteurisation) stations in the country.

Number of lions and (pasteurisation) stations in the country.

99 Lions taken.

99 Lions taken.

99 Lions taken.

Only one lion was taken in the country. The result of the lion's work was generally satisfactory and no serious problems were observed. Each lion was of a different breed and the result of the lion's work was known.

FOURTY PACKING ESTABLISHMENTS.

Number of packing establishments in the country.

FOURTY PACKING ESTABLISHMENTS.

No action necessary.

AGRICULTURAL SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE PROVISIONS) ACT, 1957.

Number of agricultural safety, health and welfare provisions in the country.

OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES AND RAILWAY PROVISIONS ACT, 1957.

Number of officers, employees and railway provisions in the country.

A number of inspections were carried out under the provisions of the act and the results of the inspections were satisfactory.

ANIMAL BOARDING ESTABLISHMENTS.

FACTORIES ACT, 1961.

(1) Inspections for purposes of provisions as to health
(including inspections made by the Public Health Inspector)

| Premises | Number on Register | Number of | | |
|---|--------------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| | | Inspections | Written Notices | Occupiers Prosecuted |
| Factories in which sections 1,2,3,4, & 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities | - | - | - | - |
| Factories not included in (1) in which Sect.7 is enforced by Local Authority | 52 | 12 | - | - |
| Other premises in which Sect.7 is enforced by the Local Authority (Excluding Outworkers Premises) | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL | 52 | 12 | - | - |

FACTORIES ACT, 1961.

(1) Inspections for purposes of provisions as to health
(including inspections made by the Public Health Inspector)

| Premises | Number on Register | Number of | |
|---|--------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| | | Inspections | Written Notices |
| Factories in which sections 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5 are to be enforced by Local Authorities | - | - | - |
| Factories not included in (1) in which Sect. 7 is enforced by Local Authorities | 22 | 12 | - |
| Other premises in which Sect. 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding Outworkers' Premises) | - | - | - |
| Total | 22 | 12 | - |

- (2) Cases in which defects were found (If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three, or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two three, or more cases).

| Particulars | Number of cases in which defects were found. | | | | Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted |
|---|--|----------|------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| | Found | Remedied | Referred | | |
| | | | to H.M. Inspect- or | by H.M. Inspect or | |
| 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 Outwork) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - |

Number of Out-workers in August list required by
Section 133 1C.....71 Workers.

Nature of work - Wearing Apparel, Making etc.

RECORD OF INSPECTIONS AND MATTERS DEALT WITH

Visits and Inspections.

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| Housing and Sanitary defects (including Council Houses) | 450 |
| Drainwork and Alterations to Premises. | 81 |
| Factories Act. | 12 |
| Food and Drugs. (including Ice Cream Premises) | 82 |
| Rodent Control. | 163 |
| Infectious Diseases. | - |
| Refuse Removal and Disposal Works. | 114 |
| Sewers, Sewage Works, Pumping Stations and River Pollution. | 323 |
| Public Conveniences. | 11 |
| Water Supplies, Reservoirs and Pumping Stations. | 47 |
| New Houses. (Private Enterprise and Council) | 39 |
| Improvement Grants. (Private Enterprise and Council) | 85 |
| Slaughterhouses. | - |
| Diseases of Animals. (Waste Foods Order), 1957. | 2 |
| Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963. | 2 |
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| | 1,411 |
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Matters Dealt With.

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| Water Closets installed. | 70 |
| Lavatory Basins installed. | 72 |
| Baths installed. | 72 |
| Sinks installed. | 73 |
| Existing W.C.'s fitted with flushing cisterns. | - |
| Premises Disinfected. | - |
| Unfit Houses Closed or Undertakings not to Relet. | 1 |
| Rats and Mice Infestations. | |
| Private Premises. | 65 |
| Refuse Tip. | 2 |
| Sewage Works and Pumping Stations. | 1 |
| Sewers. | 2 |
| Condemnation of Unsound Foodstuffs. - Certificates Issued. | 45 |
| Factories Act - Defects Remedied. | - |
| Samples of Water taken for Chemical Analysis. | 2 |
| Samples of Water taken for Bacteriological Analysis. | 31 |
| Samples of Ice Cream taken for Bacteriological Analysis. | 66 |
| Samples of Sewage taken for Chemical Analysis. | 33 |
| Samples of Pasteurised Liquid Egg taken for Alpha-Amylase Test. | 99 |
| Number of Written Informal Requests Issued. | 6 |
| Number of Statutory Notices Served. | 1 |
| Houses provided with entirely new drainage systems. | 59 |
| New Premises registered for the sale of Ice Cream. | - |

We are,

Your Obedient servants,

DERYCK E. CLARE.

Medical Officer of Health,

S. W. KING.

Public Health Inspector.

RECORD OF INSPECTIONS AND MATTERS DEALT WITH

| | |
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| 450 | Housing and Sanitary Districts (including Council Houses) |
| 81 | Drainage and Waterworks to Premises |
| 12 | Factories Act |
| 82 | Food and Drugs (including Ice Cream Premises) |
| 103 | Robert Control |
| - | Infectious Diseases |
| 114 | Refuse Removal and Disposal Works |
| 353 | Sewers, Sewage Works, Pumping Stations and Rivers |
| 11 | Pollution |
| 47 | Public Conveniences |
| 39 | Water Supplies, Reservoirs and Pumping Stations |
| 85 | New Houses (Private Enterprises and Council) |
| - | Improvement Grants (Private Enterprises and Council) |
| 2 | Sloughing Houses |
| 2 | Diseases of Animals (Waste Food Order), 1957 |
| 2 | Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1953 |
| 1,412 | |

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| 70 | Matters Dealt With |
| 72 | Water Closets Installed |
| 72 | Lavatory Basins Installed |
| 72 | Urinals Installed |
| 72 | Sinks Installed |
| - | Existing W.C.'s fitted with flushing cisterns |
| - | Premises Disinfected |
| 1 | Unit Houses Closed on Undertakings not to Relet |
| 63 | Rats and Mice Infestations |
| 2 | Private Premises |
| 1 | Release Tip |
| 1 | Sewage Works and Pumping Stations |
| 45 | Sewers |
| 45 | Condensation of Unsound Foodstuffs - Certificates Issued |
| 2 | Factories Act - Defects Remedied |
| 31 | Samples of Water taken for Chemical Analysis |
| 66 | Samples of Water taken for Bacteriological Analysis |
| 33 | Samples of Ice Cream taken for Bacteriological Analysis |
| 99 | Samples of Sewage taken for Chemical Analysis |
| 99 | Samples of Pasteurised Liquid Egg taken for Alpha-amylase Test |
| 6 | Number of Written Informal Requests Issued |
| 1 | Number of Statutory Notices Served |
| 22 | Houses provided with entirely new drainage systems |
| - | New Premises registered for the sale of Ice Cream |

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Your obedient servants,
HENRY E. CLARK,
Medical Officer of Health,
S. W. KING,
Public Health Inspector.

