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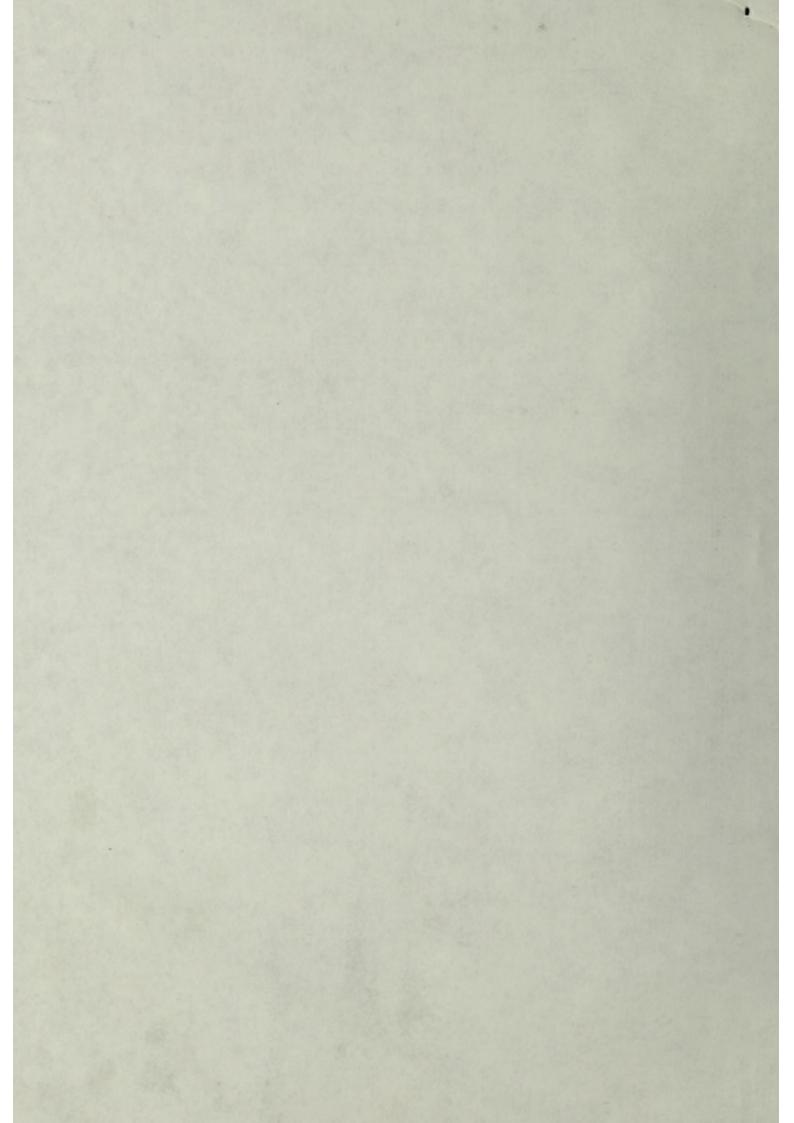
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BOROUGH OF HYTHE

Annual Reports of the Medical Officer of Health and Chief Public Health Inspector for the Year 1973

Mr. Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors,

I have the honour to present to you my Annual Report for the year 1973.

Population

The Registrar General's estimate of the mid-year Home Population was 12,210 which represents an increase of 210 over that of the previous year.

Live Births and Rate

The number of live-births was 109 (55M. 54F.) which was a decrease of 23 from that of the previous year, and the crude birth-rate was accordingly 8.9; after adjustment by the Registrar General's Comparability Factor which is computed from a population standardised for age and sex distribution, the rate becomes 12.5 and was slightly lower than that of 13.7 for England and Wales.

Stillbirths and Rate

The number of stillbirths was 3(2M. 1F.) and the stillbirth rate was 27.0 compared with a rate of 12.0 for England and Wales.

Infantile Mortality Rate

There were two infant deaths registered during the year.

The infant mortality rate was accordingly 18.0 compared with that of 17.0 for England and Wales.

The hardcore of Perinatal Mortality (i.e. stillbirths and infant deaths under one week of age) is prematurity, asphyxia and atelectasis, birth injuries and congenital malformations and the chief maternal factor is toxaemia of pregnancy. (Regard however, should be given to the fact that these statistics are too small for valid comparisons).

Maternal Deaths and Mortality Rate

This rate was again nil as there were no deaths from Pregnancy, Childbirth and Abortion and is a reflection of the high standard of modern obstetric practice.

Deaths and Death Rate

The total number of deaths from all causes was 207 (104M. 103F.) and the crude death rate was accordingly 17.0 which is an index of the higher proportion of elderly people resident in the Borough; after adjustment by the Registrar General's Comparability Factor as for births the rate becomes 9.8 and was lower than that of 12.0 for England and Wales.

The chief group cause of deaths, as naturally would be expected, was Heart and Circulatory Disease and Vascular Lesions of the Nervous System, as these are the most common cause of death amongst the aged; of those there were 107.

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Ischaemic Heart Disease (i.e. Coronary Thrombosis and Coronary Atheroma) was the cause of 48 deaths in the following age-groups:-8 between 55 - 64; 16 between 65 - 74 and 24 over 75 years of age. Forty of those deaths were over 65 years of age. These figures, although too small for any valid inference, indicate that Ischaemic Heart disease is primarily a degenerative or senile disease.

Coronary Atheroma of the Heart is not an uncommon cause of death, often unsuspected in life, as revealed by post-mortem examinations.

Cancer, as invariably in previous years, was the second highest cause of deaths of which there were 28 in the following age-groups:-1 between 35 - 44; 6 between 55 - 64; 11 between 65 - 74 and 10 over 75 years.

Cancer of the Lung/Bronchus was the cause of 9 deaths (7M. 2F.) in the following age-groups: - 1 between 55 - 64; 4 between 65 - 74 and 4 over 75 years of age.

Cancer of the Breast was the cause of 3(F) deaths in the following agegroups:- 1 between 35 - 44; 1 between 55 - 64 and 1 between 65 - 74.

Cancer of the Stomach was the cause of 5 (4M. 1F.) death in the following age-group: - 2 between 55 - 64; 2 between 65 - 74 and 1 over 75 years.

The other causes of death were miscellaneous and there was no exceptional mortality; there was no death due to Infectious Disease.

Infectious Diseases

The following cases of Infectious Diseases were notified during the year :-

Scarlet Fever			 	 	 5
Measles			 	 	 84
Acute Meningit	is		 	 	 1
Whooping Cough			 	 	 5
Food Poisoning			 	 	 1
Tuberculosis (Pulm	onary)	 	 	 1

Measles

Measles is still endemic and prevalent although vaccination is an inhibiting factor in the prevention of larger outbreaks; the serious complications of former years are now relatively infrequent and when they do occur are usually treated successfully by specific anti-biotics.

Scarlet Fever

This illness is now mild and its formerly serious complications are becoming infrequent; if any do occur, treatment by a specific anti-biotic is invariably successful.

Acute Meningitis

Only one case was notified during the year.

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Whooping Cough

In former years outbreaks of this distressful children's disease were common and there was a large number of deaths chiefly due to Bronchopneumonia amongst infants.

Food Poisoning

There was one sporadic case of Food Poisoning - the patient being 20 yrs. of age. This fact is an excellent tribute to the invaluable routine preventive work carried through by the Public Health Inspectorate.

Tuberculosis

There was one new case (1M.) of Respiratory Tuberculosis - the patient being 49 years of age. New cases amongst youth are uncommon to-day compared with the relatively larger number of previous decades and is a reflection of the valuable work of the Tuberculosis and Mass Radiography Services, including B.C.G. vaccination. The pasteurization of milk has been the principal preventive factor.

Influenza

There was no outbreak of this dangerous infection throughout the winter. Influenza, which is still epidemic in the winter months is by and large the most dangerous infection and it is still equivocal whether vaccination is is preventive, unless a vaccine specific to the strain which is likely to become epidemic is prepared in time before the epidemic occurs.

A new era in the history of the prevalence of serious Infectious disease has been reached, in prevention and treatment. For example, the remarkable advance in this Century of medical science, with emphasis on the last 40 years, has prevented by vaccination and immunisation lethal and disabling infections such as Poliomyelitis, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and recently Measles and German Measles and by treatment with specific Anti-biotics and Sulpha drugs, diseases caused by bacteria such as Acute Meningitis, the Pneumonias, Puerperal Sepsis, Scarlet Fever, Erysipelas, Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers and Food Poisoning etc.

All virus infections per se do not respond to treatment by the Anti-biotics or Sulpha drugs, but fortunately serious complications caused by bacteria usually respond successfully to treatment.

Vaccination against the virus of Measles has recently been introduced, and it is expected that the biennial outbreaks which occur will be eventually controlled. Vaccination is available at the Child Welfare Clinics and from the Family Doctor.

Vaccination against German Measles has been recently introduced for girls aged about 11 - 14 years who might in later years suffer from the infection during pregnancy and give birth to a baby with congenital defects.

Vaccination against Smallpox was discontinued at Child Welfare Centres on the 30th July, 1971 as the Department of Health and Social Security consider mass vaccination of the child population to be unnecessary.

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In conclusion, I would take this opportunity of thanking you for your support and interest in the Public Health Department and also the staff for their co-operation and very efficient service.

I am,

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Your obedient Servant,

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SECTION A.

STATISTICAL AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS OF THE DISTRICT

FOR 1973

AREA			••		••				. 3,013	acres
REGISTRAR-GE	NERAL'	S ESI	IMAT	E OF						
The Res	ident	Popul	atio	n					. 12,210	
NUMBER OF IN	HABITE	D HOU	SES /	ACCOR	DING 7	TO THE	RATE	BOOKS	4,878	
RATEABLE VAL	UE								£594,117	

SOCIAL CONDITIONS

The Borough of Hythe is largely a residential district, by the sea, and during the holiday months, attracts many visitors. There are a few light industries, including a light Engineering Works, two laundries, a Joinery Works, a Plastics Firm and various domestic trades.

The standard of housing in the borough has been maintained by the Council at a very high level due to long term pre-war planning and as a consequence there are no slum clearance areas. All pre-war Council houses lacking bathrooms etc. have now been modernized with the aid of government grant.

There is negligible unemployment and social conditions are generally satisfactory.

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EXTRACTS FROM VITAL STATISTICS

						<u>Hythe</u> Borough	England and
		Total	М.	<u>F.</u>			Wales
1.	Live Births	109	55	54	Birth Rate	8.9	13.7
	(a) Legitimate	101	52	49	per 1,000 estimated	(Adjusted Rate)	
	(b) Illegitimate	8	3	5	resident population	12.5	
2.	Stillbirths	3	2	1	.Rate per	27.0	12.0
	(a) Legitimate	2	1	1	1,000 total (live and		
	(b) Illegitimate	1	1	-	still) births		
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3.	Total live and stillbirths	112	57	55			
4.	Deaths	207	104	103	Death Rate	17.0	12.0
	Lankangela				per 1,000 resident	(Adjusted Rate)	
					population	9.8	
5.	Deaths from Pregnancy, Child- birth, Abortion	-	-	-	Rate pe r 1,000 live births	Nil	Not Available
6.	Deaths of Infants Under One Year of Age	2	2	-	Rate pe r 1,000 li v e births	18.0	17.0
	(a) Legitimate	2	2	-	Rate per 1,000 li ve births (legitimate)	20.0	16.0
	(b) Illegitimate	-	-	-	Rate pe r 1,000 li ve births (Illegitimate	N/A)	22.0
7.	Perinatal Mortality	2	2	-	Rate per	18.0	10.0
	(Stillbirths and deaths of infants				1,000 total births		
	under 1 week of age)						
	(a) Legitimate	2	2	-			
	(b) Illegitimate		-105	-			
8.	Illegitimate live birth	ns perce	nt of	tota	l live births	7%	

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CAUSES OF DEATH IN HYTHE BOROUGH

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DURING 1973

All Causes	Males 104	Females
Malignant Neoplasm Buccal Cavity etc.	1	-
Malignant Neoplasm Oesophagus	2	1
Malignant Neoplasm Stomach	4	1
Malignant Neoplasm Intestine	2	2
Malignant Neoplasm Lung, Vronchus	7	2
Malignant Neoplasm Breast	-	3
Malignant Neoplasm Uterus	-	1
Malignant Neoplasm Prostate	2	-
Leukaemia	1	-
Other Malignant Neoplasms, etc.	6	8
Diabetes Mellitus	1	1
Other Endocrine etc. Diseases	2	-
Other Diseases of Nervous System etc.	-	1
Chronic Rheumatic Heart Disease	_	3
Hypertensive Heart Disease	-	1
Ischaemic Heart Disease	23	25
Other Forms of Heart Disease	9	15
Cerebrovascular Disease	14	21
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	8	- 3
Pneumonia	11	7
Bronchitis and Enphysema	3	2
Peptic Ulcer	-	1
Appendicitis	1	-
Intestinal Obstruction and Hernia	-	1
Cirrhosis of Liver	1	-
Hyperplasia of Prostate	1	-
Other Diseases, Genito-Urinary System	_	i
Diseases of Musculo-Skeletal System	1	-
Difficult Delivery and/or Anoxic Condition	2	-
Symptoms and Ill-Defined Conditions		1
All Other Accidents	1	1

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DURING 1973

TUBERCULOSIS

New Cases and Mortality, 1973

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Age Periods		0	1	5	15	25	35	45	55 '	65 plus	Total

There were no deaths from Tuberculosis of patients who had not been notified as suffering from that disease.

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IMMUNISATION AND VACCINATION

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The following table shows figures for 1973 based on the return sent to the Department of Health & Social Security.

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SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES

Year Ending 31st December 1973 Treatment Centre - Ashford Hospital

	Other	Conditions		•
rear	Other	Genital Infections	ß	
Number of new cases in the year		Gonorrhoea	m	
r of new	is	Other	r zi	
Numbe	Number o Syphilis Primary & O Secondary		1	
	Totals	all Conditions	 13	
Local Health Authority	area of residence of	patient	HYTHE BOROUGH	

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MASS RADIOGRAPHY SERVICE

HYTHE - JAN - JUNE 1973

DNNT	Total	1		1	!	1		1	1	1	1	1	
CANCER OF LUNG	Female	1		1	1	1		1	1	1	1	I	
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ACTIVE TUBERCULOSIS	Female	1		1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	
	Male			1	1	1		1	1	1	I	1	1803
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CENTRE AND DATE OF SURVEY			Park				HYTHE - JULY - DECEMBER 1973	ect Road Car	Park.				

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SECTION B.

SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE AREA

WATER SUPPLY

The quality of water supplied to the area is adequate and none of the supplies is plumbo solvent.

(A) Examination of Water Supplies during the Year

	Bacterio	logical H	Examination	Chem	ical Exam	ination				
Segurar C. Const.	No. of Samples	Satis- factory	Not Satis- factory	No. of Samples	Satis- factory	Not Satis- factory				
Statutory Supply Undertakings	21	21	-	36	36	-				
Private sources piped to dwellings	ped to									
Other private										
 (B) Number of dwelling not supplied by public water mains or other adequate piped supplies Nil Number of dwellings in the area 5,006 (C) Action taken in respect of any form of contamination - None necessary. FOOD (INCLUDING ICE CREAM AND MILK) AND FOOD PREPARING PREMISES 										
(a) The number of	food pre	mises in	the area			125				
(b) The number of of the Food a				r Section	16	66				
(i) Retaile	ers of Ice	cream				52				
	ation and ved Foods		re of Sausage	es and 		13				
(c) The number of	.) The number of inspections of registered food premises 54									
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(d) The method of disposal of condemned food - all food condemned as unfit for human consumption is diposed of under adequate safeguards. Unsound meat, including that from the Slaughterhouse, is disposed of to By-product Companies in accordance with the statutory Regulations.

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1955

Number of inspections of :-

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FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1955 (continued)

Catering Establishments	and Cl	ubs							40
Dairies (None) Milk & Da									18
Fish (including fried)									6
Licensed Premises									11
Slaughterhouses									550
Stalls, Itinerant Vendor	s and	deli	very	vans					10
All other food premises						•••			89
Number of Informal (includi	ng ver	bal)	Not	ices &	Served	(Fo	od and	Drug	gs
Act - Food Hygiene Regulati	ons, 1	970)		•••					4
Number of Food Premises notices served	improv	ed a	.s a :	result	t of				4

Inspection of Food and Food-Preparing Premises

No formal action was necessary.

Number of samples of Ice Cream taken for bacteriological examination during the year and results obtained

	Samples		Gra	ades	
		1	2	3	4
Sold loose	5	3	2	-	-
Wrapped or part wrapped	14	8	6	_	-

MILK AND DAIRIES

Milk and Dairies (General) Regulations, 1959

No. of registered distributors	23
No. of registered dairies	None
Milk Supplies - Brucella Abortus	
Number of samples of raw milk examined	None
Number of positive samples (by culture or guinea pig inoculation)	None
Action taken in respect of positive samples	None
Action taken under Regulation 20 of the Milk & Dairies	

Milk (Special Designation) Regulations, 1963

(General) Regulations, 1959

Samples taken in course of distribution:-

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Samples taken in course of distribution :-

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Pasteurised	44	Phosphatase Test: Nil			
Sterilised Milk	Nil	M.B. Test Nil Turbidity Test Nil			
Ultra Heat Treated Milk	Nil '	Colony Count Test: Nil			
Untreated Milk	Nil	M.B. Test: Nil			

MEAT INSPECTION

Carcases and Offal inspected and condemned in whole or in part

Persentary of a leash seed	Cattle Exclud- ing Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep & Lambs	Pigs	Horses
Number killed (if known)	610	26	30	1,789	13,902	-
Number inspected	610	26	30	1,789	13,902	-
All diseases except tubercu- losis & Cysticerci			Cortan 10	24	124	2
Whole carcases condemned	-	1	-	2	6	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	26	1	-	25	1,240	-
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than T.B. & cysticerci.	4.26%	3.85%	-	1.51%	8.95%	-
<u>Tuberculosis only</u> Whole carcases condemned		edina ren		-	1	
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	-	1	-
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis	-	-	-	-	0.040%	-
<u>Cysticercosis</u> Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	4	-	-	-	-	-

MIN (Special Postsonian) Regulations, 1963.

Carcases and Offal inspected and condemned in whole or in part (continued)

	Cattle Exclud- ing Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep & Lambs	Pigs	Horses
Cysticercosis			a part	-		
Carcases submitted to treatment by refrigeration	-	-	-	-	-	-
Generalised and totally condemned	0-10-1	-		-	-	-

Number of Slaughterhouses in use

Slaughterhouses/Abattoirs in operation owned or leased by Local Authority		vate erhouses	Bacon	Knackers'
LOCAL Authority	Licensed	Operating	Factories	Yards
One	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND OTHER FOODS

Unsound Food Surrendered

	Cwts.	Qrs.	Lbs.	Ozs.
Meat at Slaughterhouse	40	7	13	8
Other Meat	3	-	10	-
Cooked bacon		1	12	_
Tinned Meat (8)		2	23	-
Pigs Livers (Frozen)			21	-
Fish	1	1	14	-
Cheese	2	-	11	-
Butter			5	-
Ice Cream and Water Ices			24	6
Frozen Foods (910 pkts.)	3	2	22	-
Total weight condemned	52	1	15	14

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PUBLIC HEALTH AND HOUSING ACTS

Houses in clearance areas and unfit houses elsewhere

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A. HOUSES DEMOLISHED	IN OR ADJOINING CLEARANCE AREAS	Unfit for human habitation	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
P.	declared under Section 42 of the Hsg. Act, 1957	Included by reason of bad arrangement	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
	Contraction and Contraction area	On land acquired under Sec. 43(2) Housing Act 1957	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
E. ANTEIT DICASIS MARK	NOT IN OR ADJOINING CLEARANCE AREAS	As a result of formal or informal procedure under Sec. 16 or 17(1) Housing Act 1957	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
	Cherr Carrest	Local Authority owned houses certified unfit by the M.O.H.	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
		Houses unfit for human habitation where action has been taken under local Acts	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Ni). Nil
		Houses included in unfitness orders made under para 2 of the Second Schedule to the Land Compensation Act, 1961.	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
Theresis'	included abo previously re	parate dwellings ve which were eported as closed in closing orders or	Reported as closed up to 31st Dec. 64 Reported as closed since 31st Dec. 64	Nil Nil
B. UNFIT HOUSES CLOSED in pur-		ns 16(4), 17(1) & ct, 1957 & Section 1961	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
suance of Closing Orders or Under-	Under Section Hsg. Act 1957	ns 17(3) and 26 7	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil Nil
takings		LDINGS CLOSED under ousing Act 1957	Number of dwellings	Nil

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NUMBER	Number of h		ished in or adjoining	Nil
PERSONS	From houses	to be demolished	not in or adjoining	
DIS- PLACED	clearance a			Nil
	From houses	to be closed		Nil
	From parts	of buildings to be	e closed	Nil
D. NUMBER of	From houses clearance a	to be demolished reas	in or adjoining	Nil
FAMILIES DISPLACED	From houses clearance a		not in or adjoining	Nil
		to be closed	2	Nil
		of buildings to be	e closed	Nil
E. UNFIT	After infor	mal action by loca	al authority By owner	54
HOUSES		l notice under Sec		
MADE FIT	16 Housing		(a) By owner	Nil
Improved 2	1 1 1270		(b) By local	
ISPECTIONS	Summer of		authority	
Bille Health		1 notice under Pub		Nil
miner of ind	has been or	included in a clea will be modified Housing Act, 1961	arance order which or revoked under	Nil
			olition order which has • Section 24 Housing	Nil
aber of ins			sing order which has been Section 27 Housing Act 1957	Nil
) (Other than unfit houses Public Health Acts.	Nil
G. UNFIT	Retained	Under Sec. 48	Number of houses	Nil
HOUSES	for	ender bee, 40	Number of separate	MII
IN TEMPORARY	temporary accommo-	the post and the	dwellings contained therein	Nil
USE	dation	Under Sec. 17(2)	Number of houses	Nil
(Housing Act, 1957)		onder bec, 17(2)	Number of separate	MIL
	ALC: NO		dwellings contained therein	Nil
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		Under Sec. 46	Number of houses Number of separate dwellings contained therein	Nil

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I. PURCHASE OF HOUSES BY AGREEMENT	Houses in clearance areas other than those in confirmed orders or compulsory purchase orders.	No. of houses No. of occupants	N: N:
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	Discretionary	Standard
Number of schemes submitted & approved during 1973	9	14
Total grants approved by Council (Max 50%)	£6268.30	+£4065.00
Total payments made on completed works 1973	≠ £1043/1.45	*£4498.72
Total number of houses improved by grants 1973	≠ 16	*19

- + Based on number of amenities installed and subject to a maximum payment of half of the statutory allowance.
- Includes £8592.15 in respect of 13 grants approved before 1973 but houses improved in 1973.
- Includes £1498.72 in respect of 9 grants approved before 1973 but houses improved in 1973.

INSPECTIONS - Summary of inspections made:-

Public Health Act, 1936 and Housing Act, 1957

Number	of	inspections of dwellings re. repairs	••	•••	•••	•••	••	72
Number	of	dwellings made fit		••••				54
Number	of	inspections for purposes of Sections	16/17 H	ousin	ng Ac	t		
		(Demolition and Closing (Orders)			• •		-
Number	of	inspections of clearance areas						-
Number	of	inspections for general survey & asses	ssment					-

Housing (Financial Provisions) Act, 1958 Housing Subsidies and Standard Grant

Number of inspections in connection with Improvement Grants	 15
Number of inspections in connection with Standard Grants	 39
Housing Repairs and Rents Act, 1954 and Rents Act, 1957	
Number of inspections re. Certificatrs of Disrepair	 -
Number of inspections re. Certificates as to Remedying of Defects	-
Housing (general)	
House ng (general)	
Number of inspections re housing applications	 39
Public Health Act	
Number of inspections re:-	
Tents, Vans and Sheds	 -
Aged and Infirm Persons	 11
Vermin	 7
Dirty houses	
Offensive accumulations	 5

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Public	Health Act (continued)		
Offensi	ve odours	•• ••	9
Nuisano	e from Keeping of Animals		3
NOTICES	SERVED		
1. Y	millation of dephilines	Informal	Formal
	Health Acts	36	Nil
	nearth nood it it it	20	Nil
Housing			
ANALYS	IS OF DEFECTS REMEDIED UNDER PUBLIC HEALTH ACT AND HO	USING ACTS	
i.	House Structure		
	(a) External		
	Chimney Stacks		3
	Roof		11
	Gutters and fall pipes		3
	Brickwork, pointing and rendering		10
	Windows (including cords)		. 7
	Doors		2
	Decorations		-
	Outbuildings		2
	Yard Surfacing		-
	(b) Internal		
	Plasterwork (walls and ceilings)		6
			-
	Fireplaces and Stoves		-
	Staircases		2
	Floors (including under floor ventilation)		2
	Miscellaneous repairs		2
	and the second s		
ii.	Dampness to dwellings		
	Walls		16
	Floors		-
iii.	Foodstore to dwellings		
	Made satisfactory		-
	Provided		-
1.000			
iv.	Water Supply to Dwellings Well supplies made adequate and safe		-
	Wells discontinued and main water provided		-
	Service piping renewed		2
	Sinks renewed		8
	Drainers renewed or provided		8
	planers renered of provided in the		

v.	Sanitary Conveniences to Dwell:	ings (includ	ling c	ompai	tment	<u>(s)</u>	
	Repaired							1
	New Provided							10
	Conversions to W.C.'s from pair	l close	ets					-
vi.	Ventilation of dwellings							
	Improved		•••			•••		-
vii.	Drainage - general							
	Drains renewed or repaired							8
	Drains cleared			'				13
viii.	Natural lighting of dwellings							
	Improved							-
xi.	Stability of Buildings Remedied	<u>d</u>						-
x.	Dustbins Renewed							5
HOUSI	NG							
	(i) No. of families on Council	l's wai	iting	list	at 31	st De	cember	6
	(ii) No. of Council houses buil	lt duri	ing th	ie yea	r			Nil
(iii) No. of Private houses bui	lt dur:	ing th	ne yea	r			5
CUDER	VISION OF HOP-PICKERS CAMPS							
	Number of Camps usually occupie	ed	-	N	ot aj	oplica	able	
CARAV	AN SITES							
Names	and Addresses of Licensed Sites	3				No. c	of	Estimated
						Carav	and the second se	permanent
						on ea	ich	population

Beach Bank, Dymchurch Rd., Hythe 21 Nil Bluewater Caravan Site, Dymchurch Rd., Hythe 65 Nil Garden Caravan Site, Burmarsh Rd., Hythe 37 Nil Prince of Wales Caravan Sites, Burmarsh Rd., Hythe 30 35 Sandy Bay Caravan Site, Grand Redoubt, Hythe Nil 50 Fort Lodge Extension Site, Grand Redoubt, Hythe 20 Nil Oakfield Caravan Site, Burmarsh Rd., Hythe Nil 30 Willow Tree Farm Caravan Site, Burmarsh Rd., Hythe 32 110

site

CESSPOOL EMPTYING

The number of cesspool cleansings during the year was:- 250

DRAINAGE

Total number of inhabited houses (including flats)	is	 	 4,878
Total number of houses connected to the sewers		 	 4,857
Number of houses not connected to the sewers		 	 131
Number of houses connected to cesspools		 	 131
Number of houses with pail closets		 	 Nil

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REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL

Collection of household refuse is made weekly and disposal is by Controlled Tipping.

SALVAGE

Total value of salvage collected amounted to £41,87.

DISINFECTION

Dix disinfections were carried out during the year.

DISINFESTATIONS

The number of houses found to be infested with vermin was as follows:-

	Bugs	Fleas	Cockroaches
Council houses	-	-	-
Other Houses	-	6	-

In addition, 24 wasps nests were destroyed during the year.

FACTORIES ACT, 1937 to 1959

i. Inspections for purposes of provision as to health (including inspection made by Public Health Inspectors).

	Number of					
Premises (1)	Number on Reg- ister (2)	Inspec- tions (3)	Written Notices (4)	Occupiers Prosecuted (5)		
 Factories in which Sec. 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6, are to be enforced by Local Authorities 	21	7	-	-		
 Factories not included in (1) which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority 	49	21	-	-		
3. Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers premises)	-	-	-	-		
TOTAL	70	28	-	-		

ii. Cases in which defects were found - See next page

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2. Cases in which defects were found.

	Number of cases in which defects were found				No. of cases in
Particulars	Found	Insp tor			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
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 outwork)	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	-	-	-	-	-

OUTWORK

Part VIII of the Act - Sections 110 and 111

There are three Outworkers in the area, one making wearing apparel, two making brass articles and seven making boxes and other receptacles.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD

Prevention of Damage by Pests Act, 1949

	TYPE OF	PROPERTY
PROPERTIES OTHER THAN SEWERS	NON- AGRICULTURAL	AGRICULTURAL
i. Number of properties in district	5,964	2
<pre>ii. (a) Total number of properties (incl. nearby premises) inspected following notification.</pre>	222	-
(b) Number infested by:-		
(1) Rats	172	
(2) Mice	10	
iii. (a) Total number of properties inspected for rats and/ or mice for reasons other than notification	191	2
(b) Number infested by:-		
(1) Rats	26	-
(2) Mice	2	-

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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FIRMERICS AND PACE

Prevention of Damage by Lasts Act, 1919

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