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SELBY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

AND

SENIOR PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

1958



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SELBY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL Chairman: Councillor S. Reed, J.P. Vice-Chairman: Councillor G. W. Burrans.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

Chairman: Councillor C. Coultish. Vice-Chairman: Councillor A. Barker, J.P.

Medical Officer of Health: S. KENNAUGH APPLETON, M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H., D.T.M.

Senior Public Health Inspector:

WILKINSON LITTLE, M.P.H.I.A. Cert. S.I. Board Cert. Meat and Food Inspection R.S.I.

Clerk:

Mrs. BARBARA WISEMAN.

To the

Chairman and Members of the Selby Urban District Council.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present to you my twelfth Annual Report on the health of the Urban District and the work of the Public Health Department for the year 1958.

There were 143 live births registered, a decrease of 13, giving a Birth Rate of 14.0 per thousand population (Adjusted Birth Rate 14.0). The West Riding County Birth Rate for Urban Districts was 16.3 and for England and Wales 16.4.

137 deaths occurred, giving a Crude Death Rate of 13.4 (Adjusted Death Rate 12.7). The aggregate County Rate was 12.8 and the Rate for England and Wales 11.7. Births exceeded deaths by 6.

Four infants died under the age of one year, three of them in the first week of life, giving an Infant Mortality Rate of 28.0. The National Rate was 22.5, a new low record.

The incidence of notifiable infectious disease was again very low, only 36 cases being reported.

Adequate protective measures against infection by certain serious diseases continues to be available free through Welfare Centres and general practitioners. The response is fairly good but could be better, and it requires continuous personal health education and periodic public propaganda to maintain the present level of protection.

Vaccine against poliomyelitis became available in increasing quantities during the year and the vaccination of 1,904 of the 2,017 registered persons was completed.

In conclusion, I take this opportunity to express my thanks for the continued support of the Members and Officers of the Council during 1958, to the Voluntary Committee at the Clinic, and to the W.V.S. for their asssitance in the distribution of welfare foods.

I remain, Your obedient servant,

S. KENNAUGH APPLETON,

July, 1959.

Medical Officer of Health.

GENERAL STATISTICS, 1958

Area of Urban District		3,883	acres
Population (mid 1958)		10,250	
Number of Inhabited Houses		3,358	
Rateable Value			
Product of Penny Rate (estim	nated) £405	(Apr. 1959)

VITAL STATISTICS

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BIRTH RATE (per 1,000 population)	14.0	16.3	16.7	16.4
CRUDE DEATH RATES (per 1,000 population)				
All causes	13.4	12.8	11.9	11.7
Infective & Parasitic Diseases	0.10	0.04	0.05	-
Respiratory Tuberculosis	0	0.09	0.09	0.09
Other Forms of Tuberculosis	0	0.01	0.01	0.01
Respiratory Diseases (excluding Tuberculosis)	0.98	1.40	1.33	_
Cancer,	2.24	2.11	1.97	2.12
Heart and Circulatory Diseases	5.76	5.00	4.59	-
Vascular Lesions of Nervous System	1.95	2.13	1.93	_
INFANT MORTALITY (Deaths under one year per 1,000 live births)	28.0	23.2	24.4	22.5
STILLBIRTHS	46.7	23.0	22.8	21.6
MATERNAL MORTALITY (Deaths of mothers in child- birth per 1,000 total births)	0	0.41	0.43	0.43

Comparability Factors:

For	Births,	1.00	Adjusted	Birth	Rate,	14.0
For	Deaths,	0.95	Adjusted	Death	Rate,	12.7

BIRTH AND DEATH RATES FOR SIX YEARS AND MEAN RATES FOR DICENNIAL PERIODS

BIRTH RATE

(per 1,000 population)

1958	 	14.0	1901-1910	 	27.2
1957	 	15.2	1911-1920	 	23.0
1956	 	13.3	1921-1930	 	19.7
1955	 	14.7	1931-1940	 	15.5
1954	 	13.9	1941-1950	 	17.8
1953	 	16.5	1951-1955	 	15.8

STILLBIRTHS

(per 1,000 total births)

1958	 	46.7	1901-1910	 	
1957	 	25.0	1911-1920	 	
1956	 	35.5	1921-1930	 	38.6
1955	 	26.0	1931-1940	 	28.0
1954	 	20.7	1941-1950	 	37.5
1953	 	45.7	1951-1955	 	32.7

ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS

(per 1,000 total births)

1958	 	6.7	1901-1910	 	-
1957	 	31.2	1911-1920	 	48.4
1956	 	49.6	1921-1930	 	46.5
1955	 	32.5	1931-1940	 	38.4
1954	 	34.5	1941-1950	 	56.9
1953	 	28.6	1951-1955	 	30.2

INFANTILE MORTALITY

(per 1,000 live births)

1958	 	28.0	1901-1910	 	127.7
1957	 	44.9	1911-1920	 	97.4
1956	 	29.4	1921-1930	 	62.9
1955	 	33.3	1931-1940	 	49.1
1954	 	21.1	1941-1950	 	54.0
1953	 	47.9	1951-1955	 	33.3

NEONATAL MORTALITY

(Deaths in first month per 1,000 live births)

1958	 	21.0	1901-1910	 	28.8
1957	 	38.5	1911-1920	 	38.1
1956	 	29.4	1921-1930	 	33.4
1955	 	20.0	1931-1940	 	26.2
1954	 	7.0	1941-1950	 	31.1
1953	 	36.2	1951-1955	 	20.7

MATERNAL MORTALITY

(per 1,000 total births)

1958	 	0	1901-1910	 	5.08
1957		0	1911-1920	 	5.02
1956	 	0	1921-1930	 	3.11
1955	 	0	1931-1940	 	3.69
1954	 	6.90	1941-1950	 	1.59
1953	 	0	1951-1955	 	1.38

TOTAL DEATH RATE

(per 1,000 population)

1958	 	13.4	1901-1910	 	13.7
1957	 	10.8	1911-1920	 	13.0
1956	 	12.1	1921-1930	 	11.8
1955	 	11.0	1931-1940	 	11.7
1954	 	11.1	1941-1950	 	13.0
1953	 	12.2	1951-1955	 	12.5

DISEASES OF HEART AND CIRCULATION

1958	 	5.76	1901-1910	 	1.01
1957	 	3.71	1911-1920	 	1.29
1956	 	4.02	1921-1930	 	1.53
1955	 	3.74	1931-1940	 	2.41
1954	 	3.93	1941-1950	 	2.73
1953	 	5.03	1951-1955	 	4.76

VASCULAR DISEASES OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM

1958	 	1.95	1901-1910	 	
1957	 	1.86	1911-1920	 	
1956	 	1.57	1921-1930	 	1.24
1955	 	1.87	1931-1940	 	1.03
1954	 	1.08	1941-1950	 	1.50
1953	 	0.89	1951-1955	 	1.40

CANCER

1958	 	2.24	1901-1910	 	0.91
1957	 	1.96	1911-1920	 	1.16
1956	 	1.57	1921-1930	 	1.62
1955	 	2.56	1931-1940	 	1.73
1954	 	2.46	1941-1950	 	2.04
1953	 	1.69	1951-1955	 	2.10

RESPIRATORY DISEASES

 	0.98		1901-1910			1.72
 	0.88		1911-1920			1.90
 	2.35		1921-1930			2.56
 	0.69		1931-1940			1.57
 	1.18		1941-1950			1.80
 	1.38		1951-1955			1.52
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INFECTIVE AND PARASITIC DISEASES

1958	 	0.10	1901-1910	 	1.53
1957	 	0	1911-1920	 	0.68
1956	 	0.10	1921-1930		0.43
1955	 	0	1931-1940	 	0.24
1954	 	0	1941-1950	 	0.06
1953	 	0	1951-1955	 	0.04

RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS

1958	 	0	1901-1910	 	0.94	
1957	 	0	1911-1920	 	0.92	
1956	 	0	1921-1930	 	0.72	
1955	 	0.10	1931-1940	 	0.59	
1954	 	0.10	1941-1950	 	0.32	
1953	 	0.10	1951-1955	 	0.12	

NON-RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS

1958	 	0	.1901-1910	 	0.36
1957	 	0	1911-1920	 	0.44
1955	 	0 -	1931-1940	 	0.16
1954	 	0	1941-1950	 	0.08
1953	 	0.10	1951-1955	 	0.06
1956	 	0	1921-1930	 	0.17

BIRTHS, 1958

Live Births.—Legitimate Illegitimate		 Male 70 1	Female 72 0	142 1
Stillbirths	Total	 71 5	72 2	143 7

CAUSES OF DEATH, 1958

		Male	Female	Total
)		0	0	0
		1	0	1
		9	11	20
	stem	11	9	20
		34	19	53
	stem	4	2	6
		5	0	5
		2	2	4
		0	0	0
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		4	1	5
		+ 2	1	2
		4	0	2
		0	0	0
		0	0	0
		0	-	0
		0	1	1
		4	10	14
Total		78	59	137
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INFANTILE MORTALITY

Causes of Death in Age Groups

51.0 1 1 1 1 1	Under 1 week	1 to 2 Weeks	2 to 3 Weeks	3 to 4 Weeks	1 to 3 Months	3 to 6 Months	6 to 9 Months	9 to 12 Months	TOTAL
Prematurity	2								2
Congenital	1								1
Broncho- Pneumonia						1			1
	3					1			4

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE

notified during the year 1958

Notifiai	ALK DI	SPASE.			.8		Ac	cord	ing	to Ap	ge		DEATHS
		At all Ages.	Under 1			15 to 24	25 to 44	45 to 64	Over 65	De			
invall													
Small-pox	* * *	***				***		1.1				***	
1 1 1 1 1 1													
				***	2	***				1	***	1	•
Scarlet Fever					9		3	6		1.0			
Interic Fever									••••		***		
Puerperal Pyrexia				1.1.1									
erebro-spinal Me				***									
cute Poliomyeliti					4		2	2				2	
		paraly	tie	1.2.4	2			2					
cute Encephaliti		Parais											
phthalmia Neona													1
ulmonary Tuber	culosis				6				1	3	1	1	
Other forms of Tu					1					1			
leasles	ocrean				6		1	5					
'rimary Pneumon	ія				3					1	2		
nfluenzal Pneumo													
Vhooping Cough					2		1			.1			
)ysentery					1			1					
Encephalitis Letha	rgica												
							7	16	1	7	3	2	-

Pulmonary Non-Pulmonary					3 0	2 0	5 0
		1	Fotal		3	2	5
	To	tal ca	ses on	Regis	ter		
Pulmonary					40	28	68
Non-Pulmonary					5	9	14
		1	Fotal		45	37	82

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACTS, 1948-51.

No action under these Acts was necessary in 1958.

FACTORIES ACTS, 1937 and 1948.

(Extract from separate report to the Director of Statistics of the Ministry of Labour on Form 572, 1958)

Premises	No. on Register	Inspec- tions	Written Notices	Owners Prosecuted
Factories with Mechanical Power	75	11	0	0
" without Mechanical Power	0	0	0	0
Workplaces	0	0	0	0

Defects.

Particulars	Defects Found	Defects Remedied	Referred by H.M. Inspector	Prosecu- tions instituted
Want of Cleanliness	0	0	0	0
Inadequate Ventilation	0	0	0	0
Sanitary Conveniences unsuitable or defective	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0

WEST RIDING COUNTY DIVISIONAL HEALTH SERVICES IN SELBY URBAN DISTRICT, 1958

The Public Health Nursing Staff in this Division no longer works according to County District boundaries. Most of the figures in the following summaries refer to Selby U.D., but in a few cases the figures are those for the Urban and Rural Districts combined or for Division No. 10 as a whole.

1. BIRTHS.

Live Births	 	 	 	143
Stillbirths	 	 	 	7
Illegitimate	 	 	 	1
Males	 	 	 	71
Females	 	 	 	72

2. PREMATURE BABIES. Babies weighing 51 lbs. or less at birth.

	home hospital	 	Living 2 9	Stillborn 0 2
			11	2

3. HEALTH VISITING (Division No. 10 as a whole).

	First Visits	Other Visits	Total
Expectant Mothers	317	257	574
Children under 1	633	4776	5409
Children between 1 and 5		5084	5084
Other cases		2590	2590
Ineffective visits	208	2542	2750
Total	1158	15249	16407

4. CHILD WELFARE CLINIC.

(a)	Total number of chi first attended the who at the date o under 1 year	Clinic f their	durin first	g the attend	year, lance	and	146
(b)	Total number of ch who attended the who at the end of t	Clinic	durin	ng the			
	(i) under 1 year (ii) over 1 year						118 142

Number of Sessions held:

Selby Methodist School	Room	 	 50
Total Attendance		 	 1884
Average per session		 	 37.7

Of the above, 7 East Riding children made 69 visits and 32 Selby Rural children made 153 visits.

5. SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE.

Attendances at Clinic (S.U.D. and S.R.I			750
Number attending Paediatric Consultant	t (at G	oole) 11
Number attending County Oculist			298
Number prescribed spectacles			298
Number attending Speech Therapy			14
Number inspected in School by School	M.O.		693
Number inspected in School by School			4449
Number of verminous heads			21
Tests for mental defect, primary			3
Re-examinations			1
Reported to M.D. Authority as ineduca	ble		0
Recommended for Residential Schools			1
Attending Residential Schools			1
Reported for Statutory Supervision			1
Recommended for Child Guidance			1

The following defects were found at medical inspections:

			Requiring treatment	For ob- servation
Verminous heads		 	21	0
Skin		 	2	3
Vision		 	15	32
Other eye conditions		 	2	4
Hearing		 	0	1
Other ear defects		 	11	0
Nose and throat		 	3	11
Speech		 	2	8
Cervical 'glands		 	2	5
Heart and circulation	n	 	0	5
Lungs		 	0	5
Developmental		 	0	2
Orthopaedic		 	10	3
Nervous System		 	0	1
Psychological		 	1	1
Other conditions		 	1	1

6. MATERNITY SERVICES.

Ante-Natal Clinics:

Number of patients attending	 	 202
Total number of attendances	 	 820
Number of sessions held	 	 50
Average attendance per session	 	 16.4

Of the above, 12 East Riding mothers made 14 visits and 34 Selby Rural mothers made 128 visits.

A Mothercraft and Relaxation Exercise Class for expectant mothers is held weekly and 504 attendances were made.

Confined in Hospital:

Leeds Hospitals	 		 3
York Maternity Home	 		 81
Other Maternity Homes	 		 4
	Л	otal	 88

County Midwives.

There were 55 domiciliary confinements in Selby Urban District.

The following summary of the work of the County Midwives is for Division 10 as a whole:—

Number	of cases	 	391
Number	of visits	 	13333
Gas and	air analgesia	 	257
Number	of midwives	 	9

7. HOME NURSING (Division 10 as a whole).

Number	of case	es	 459
Number	of visit	s	 14085

8. HOME HELPS.

Home Helps were employed for 50,756 hours attending cases in the Division.

The following cases were attended in Selby U.D.:-

Maternity		 12
Chronic Sick		 33
	(Under 65)	 1
Others		 16
	Total	 62

9. IMMUNISATION AGAINST DIPHTHERIA.

Immunised during 1958. Children under 5 yrs. 96 Children over 5 years 20

Refresher Dose 184

Total 300

Total number of children under 15 years of age who have been immunised up to the 31st December, 1958

Age—Years	0—1	1—4	1-4 5-9		Under 15 Total	
Number	21	409	918	912	2260	
Percentage	59	59.2		100		

10. IMMUNISATION AGAINST WHOOPING COUGH.

		During 1958	Total to Dec., 1958
Under 6 months	 	 	10
6 months to 1 year	 	 36) 15
1 to 2 years	 	 49	240
2 to 3 years	 	 8	248
3 to 4 years	 	 12	,
		105	267

B.C.G. VACCINATION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN (13 years of age).

Number of acceptances in 1958		148 (70.4%)
Pre-vaccination Tuberculin Tests: Positive (not requiring vaccination Negative (requiring vaccination)	ı) 	41 (27.9%) 106 (72.1%)
		147
Number vaccinated with B.C.G.		106
Number re-tested after one year		80

12. VACCINATION AGAINST POLIOMYELITIS.

Total registered, 31st I	December,	1958	 	2017
Vaccinations completed			 	1904
Booster Doses			 	290

13. MENTAL HEALTH.

(a) Mental Deficiency Acts, 1913-1938.

The number of mentally defective persons under supervision at the end of 1958 was as follows:

	Male	Female	Total
Under Guardianship	0	0	0
Under Statutory Supervision	7	7	14
Under Voluntary Supervision	0	2	2

(b) Lunacy and Mental Treatment Acts, 1890-1930.

Admissions to Mental Hospitals by the Duly Authorised Officer during 1958 were as follows :----

Voluntary Patients		 Male 21	Female 23	Total 44
By Temporary Order		 0	0	0
By "Three Day " Order		 9	5	14
By Summary Reception O	rder.	 5	7	12
Section 21		 5	1	6
		40	36	76

14. MASS RADIOGRAPHY SURVEY, 1958 visit.

The unit visited Selby and Cawood.

Number attending.	 	2169
Number repeat tests	 	15
Abnormalities found	 	12

PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION No. 10

The County Districts forming Division No. 10 are:-Goole Borough Selby Urban Selby Rural Goole Rural

76.692 Area of the Division (in acres) Population (estimated mid-1958) 45,580

DIVISIONAL OFFICE AND STAFF 6/7 Belgravia, Goole. (936/7)

Divisional Medical Officer and Divisional School Medical Officer: S. KENNAUGH APPLETON, M.D., D.P.H., D.T.M.

Assistant County Medical Officers and School Medical Officers: EILEEN M. R. BELL-SYER, M.B., B.S. MURIEL J. LOWE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.C.H

School Dental Officers:

P. F. A. ELTOME, L.D.S.

G. O. WOOD, L.D.S. (Divisions 10 and 9).

Health Visitors and School Nurses:

Mrs. B. BEAL, Miss H. BRYANT, Miss D. M. BUTLER, Miss J. DAVIS, Mrs. M. DODSON, Mrs. M. HARGREAVES, Mrs. M. KELLY, Mrs. L. PRATT, Miss A. RIDSDALE.

Home Nurses:

Miss P. K. AGER, Mrs. A. BLACKBURN (resigned 26.8.58), Mrs. S. CLAYBOURN, Mrs. W. E. DUFFIN, Mrs. L. A. POL-LARD, Mrs. J. SAWDON (appointed 16.5.59), Miss M. WHIT-TAKER.

Domiciliary Midwives:

Mrs. E. BALLANCE, Miss I. CAMPBELL, Mrs. M. COLLIER, Miss M. I. GILHOME (retired 26.1.59), Mrs. M. E. HORNSHAW, Mrs. L. KITCHEN, Miss J. STEPHENSON, Miss A. TOLSON, Miss E. WHITLEY.

Mental Health:

Mrs. M. MYERS (Social Worker, Divisions 10 and 12). Mrs. D. H. MILLINGTON (Home Teacher, Division 10).

Mrs. A. ALVEY (Home Teacher, Division 10).

Physiotherapy: Miss E. ALDERSON (Part-time).

Speech Therapy:

Miss K. WADE (Divisions 10, 11 and 12).

Duly Authorised Officer:

Mr. T. G. FOSTER.

Clerical:

Senior Clerk: Mr. R. TOWELL.

Deputy Senior Clerk: Mr. H. DODSON. Miss S. L. BRAMHAM, Mrs. B. BUCKLE, Miss F. A. CAMP-BELL, Mr. G. N. NOWILL, Miss J. E. SMAJE, Miss M. E.

WORMALD.

CLINICS.

The following Child Welfare, Maternity, School Health Services and Specialists' Clinics are held in the Methodist Sunday School, Selby:

Monday 10-12: School Clinic	Dr. E. M. R. Bell-Syer. Miss J. Davis.
Monday 2-3: Ante-Natal Clinic	Dr. E. M. R. Bell-Syer. Miss A. Ridsdale. Miss J. Davis.
Tuesday 2.30-4: Remedial Exercises	Miss E. M. Alderson (Physiotherapeutist).
Wednesday 2-4: Relaxation and Mothercraft	Midwives.
Friday 10-12: Minor Ailments	Miss A. Ridsdale. Miss J. Davis.
Friday 2-4: Child Welfare	Dr. E. M. R. Bell-Syer. Miss J. Davis. Miss A. Ridsdale.

The following sessions are held in the Hawdon Institute, Selby: Thursday 2-4: Speech Therapy.

A Group Occupation Class is held daily at Snaith for the training of ineducable children.

The School Oculist holds eye-testing sessions 3 times a month either at Goole or Selby.

The Children's Specialist has sessions in Goole on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month, which are available to the children of Selby. Sun-ray treatment is also available at Goole.

PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT.

Inspection Work, 1958.

Inspections (including re-in	ispecti	ons of	dwelli	nghou	ses)	845
Visits in connection with t	he lett	ting of	house	S		34
Visits in connection with e	xchang	ges of 1	houses			27
Council houses inspected						27
Visits in connection with i	nfectio	ous dis	eases			7
Tents, vans and sheds						4
Rent Acts						4
Drains inspected						159
Visits re slum clearance						177
Water samples taken						10
Water supply inspections						29
Inspections re rodent infest	tations					756
Shops Act						11
Cinema inspections						13
Inspections of Milk Shops	and D	airies				22
Ice Cream premises						33
Fish and Chip premises						24
Sausage and Pork products						17
Bakehouses						5
Butchers' shops						35
Wet Fish shops						7
Grocers and Provision Me						72
Restaurants, cafes and kite						23
Market inspections						186
Licensed Premises						24
Visits for food inspection						163
Visits for meat inspection						224
Carcases inspected:						
Beasts						392
Pigs						355
Sheep						350
Other visits, no access, inte						607
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				To	tal	4641
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Housing applicants intervie			-	artme	nt	854
Other persons interviewed						611

During the year 75 notices were served under the Public Health and Housing Acts; of these 67 were complied with.

Details of Sanitary Improvements effected as a result of inspections made and notices issued under Public Health and Housing Acts :--

Roofs repaired and made weather	rproof		 79
Rainwater gutters repaired or re-	newed		 63
Rainwater downspouts repaired of	or rene	ewed	 31
External walls repaired			 19
Fireranges and firegrates repaired	l or rei	newed	 5
Wall plaster repaired			 41
Ceiling plaster repaired			 11
Floors repaired			 19
Window frames repaired			 71
Doors repaired or renewed			 17
Defective sinks			 2
Dampness remedied			 7
Miscellaneous (not included above	(51
	0		

Water Closets.

Roofs and walls repaired	 	 	27
Basins renewed	 	 	11
Flushing apparatus repaired	 	 	19
Seats repaired or renewed	 	 	14
Other defects remedied	 	 	31
Drainage.			
Defective drains repaired	 	 	35
Choked drains cleansed	 	 	121

Storage of Refuse.

Defective dustbins	renewed					87
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Cinemas.

No complaints received during the year and they were generally well kept.

Periodical inspections were carried out and any minor defects reported to the respective managers and remedied without the service of formal notices

Meat and Other Foods.

Meat.-Total weight of meat condemned: 12 cwts.

Food.—Total weight of food condemned: 1 ton, 6 cwts, 3 qrs, 9 lbs.

Food condemned is burned in the Baths furnace or disposed of on one of the tips.

Rats and Mice Destruction.

Number of	visits and re-visits	 	 756
Number of	complaints received	 	 51

Rat Infestation of Sewers.

The sewers have been treated on two occasions. The method of treatment is as follows: A 10% baiting test is placed in the inspection chambers, this gives an indication which sections are rat infested. The infested sections are then treated with Zinc Phosphide and from the amount of this poison taken it would seem that a large number of rats were killed.

Water Supply.

All houses are provided with piped water from the Council's deep wells at Brayton. During the year 10 samples were taken for bacteriological examination. All samples were satisfactory.

HOUSING ACTS.

Herewith find particulars of condemned properties :---

The following Tables show the amount of work which has been accomplished under the Housing Acts since 1912.

Clearance Areas.

			Number of	Houses	
			Demolished		No. of Persons
			or to be Demolished	Provided	Displaced
1	Claubann's Vand		7	7	
1.	Clarkson's Yard				41
2.	Cape's Yard	••••	3	3	9
3.	St. James' Place		9	8	36
4.	Ladysmith Yard		18	85	37
5.	Lee's Yard		5		19
6.	Abbey Yard		6	6	19
7.	Addinal's Yard		2 7	1	2
8.	Ouse Court			6	19
9.	Massey Street		5	5	13
10.	Lee's Terrace		7	5	21
11.	Pitt's Yard		8	5	21
12.	Underwood's Yard		8	7	22
13.	Middleton's Yard		5	5	16
14.	Adam's Court		5	5	18
	Ocean Terrace		11	11	37
16.	Swift's Yard		4	4	11
17.	Banks' Yard		5	5	13
18.	Flaxley Road		2	2	7
19.	Dam Bank		4	4	14
20.	Burton's Yard		4	4	15
21.	Chapel Yard		4	4	15
22.	Bulmer's Yard		4	4	13
23.			2	2	9
	Waddington Place Wren Lane		3	2	
			5	3	8
	Water Lane		5	3	8
26.	Ullathorne's Yard		2	3	27
27.	Kay's Terrace		4	3	12
28.	Midge Yard		2	2	5
29.	Malt Kiln Yard		4	4	12
30.	Simpson's Yard		3	3	5
31.	Varley's Yard		3 2 2 7	2	5
32.	Lock Hill		2	2	6
33.	Dobson's Row			7	26
34.	Park Row		10	10	30
35.	Varley's Yard		2	2	4

				Number o Demolished or to be Demolished	f Houses Provided	No. of Persons Displaced		
36.	Adam's Sau	0.00						
	Adam's Squ			3	3	9		
37.	Brickyard C		· · · ·	6	6	17		
38.	Church Lan	e		4	4	14		
39.	Shipyard			2	2	7		
40.	Shipyard			3	3	8		
41.	Simpson's Y			2	2	6		
42.	Flaxley Roa			4	4	10		
43.	3 6			4	4	15		
44.	Otty's Yard			4	4	11		
45.	Turner's Sq			6	6	14		
	East Comm			2	2	5		
	Addinal's Y			4	4			
			••••			16		
48.	State of the second sec			3	3	9		
49.	Millgate			2	2	5		
Since 1939.								
50.	South Para	de		18	18	40		
	East Comm			23	14	16		
	Standerings			6	3	3		
				5	5	5 7		
53.	New Lane			2	2	/		

Individual Unfit Houses.

Situation		Demolished or to be Demolished	Undertaking Accepted		Pop.
Smith's Yard		2	0	2	11
Gowthorpe		2	0	2	7
Brewery Yard		2	0	1	4
Riley's Yard		1	0	1	5
Lees' Yard		0	1	1	2
Leaper's Yard		0	1	1	4
Gowthorpe		0	1	0	0
Hope Yard		1	0	1	7
Prospect Place		0	2	1	1
Hodgson's Yard		0	1	1	4
Church Lane		2	0	2	9
26 Bondgate		1	0	1	9
76 & 78 Flaxley	Roa	d 2	0	2	6
14 Millgate		0	1	1	7
35 New Lane		0	1	0	0
126 Ousegate		0	1	0	0
11 and 12 Park 1	Row	0	2	1	4

	Demolished			
Situation	or to be			D
())	Demolished	Accepted	Provided	Pop.
6 Prospect Place	0	1	1	3
13 Wren Lane	1 .	0	1	6
4 Pitt's Yard	0	1	1	2
16 Abbey Yard	1	0	0	0
14 Abbey Yard	1	0	0	7
15 Abbey Yard	1	0	Ő	0
	0	1		
34 Flaxley Road	0	1	0	2 0
90 Gowthorpe	1	0	0	0 U
2 Hope Yard	0	1	0	5
8 Preston's Yard	1	0	0	1
1 Preston's Yard	1	0	0	6
1 Midge Yard	1	0	0	3
7 Addinal's Yard	1	0	0	6 3 2 3
6 Addinal's Yard	1	0	Ő	3
17 Water Lane	1	0	-	
	1	0	0	4
15 Water Lane	1	0	0	6
3 Beaufort Place	1	0	0	2
Brickyard Cottage	0	1	0	1
*3 Hutchinson Yard	0	1	0	3
*4 Hutchinson Yard	0	1	0	2
*19 Westfield	0	0	0	6 2 1 3 2 7
in the second se	0	v	v	'
	Since	1939.		
85 and 87 Gowthorpe	e 2	0	1	4
2 Church Lane	0	1	1	3
4 Church Lane	0	1	1	4
69a Wide Street	0	- 1	1	12
1 New Lane	0	1	1	7
3 New Lane	Ő	1	1	5
65 Wide Street	0	1	1	1
	0	1	1	4
1 Haigh's Yard	0	1	0	0
2 Haigh's Yard	0	1	1	3 5 7
10 Shipyard	0	1	1	5
8 Market Lane	0	1	1	7
2 Market Lane	0	1	1	4
4 Market Lane	0	1	1	2
6 Market Lane	0	1	1	3
Cottage, Liversidge				0
	0	1	1	2
Sidings	0	1	1	3
8 Wren Lane	1	1	1	10
56a Micklegate	0	1	1	3
18 New Lane	0	1	1	3 3
12 Maltkiln Yard	0	1	1	3

D	emolished			
Situation		Undertaking	Houses	P
	emolished	Accepted	Provided	Pop.
1 Eastman's Flats	0	1	et Pitters	4
2 Eastman's Flats	0	1	Land I	3
Parvin's Yard	0	1	1 bany	4
10, 12, 14 Market Land		3	3	5
3 Haigh's Yard	0	1	1	4
Cottage, Ross Carr Fai	rm 0	1	1	8
56 Ousegate	0	1	1	6
11 Dam Bank	0	1	1	3 3 1
8 Adams' Square	0	1	1	3
5 Midge Yard	0	1	1	
6 Midge Yard	0	1	1	2
64a Ousegate	0	1	1	3
32a Church Hill	0	1	1	2 3 5 4
24 Millgate	0	1	1	4
1 Massey Row	0	1	1	22
43b Micklegate	0	1	1	2
Cottage, George Hotel	Yard			
	0	1	1	0
Cottage, Nags Head Y	'd. 0	1	1	7
49 Shipyard Road	1	1 0	1	5
2 The Nook	Ô	1 00	Ô	ional inter
1 & 2 Southwood's Yar	d 0	2	0	Ô
3 Wren Lane	0	1	1	4
11 New Lane	0	Since	1	5
16 Millgate	0	î	Ô	4
Caravan, Mount Pleasa	ant 1	1	1	4 5
Caravan, Flaxley Road		1	1	3
1, 2 & 3 Canal Side	3	3	3	10
53, 57, 70 & 72 Millgat	e 0	4	4	13
22 Lock Hill	0	1	1	5
Th 1.0 1.11 T.T. 1	0	1	0	~
	0	1		0
34 Ousegate	0	1	1	1
4 New Lane	0	1	0	0
100 Gowthorpe		1		

* Undertakings given to make houses fit for human habitation.

Staff.

I am pleased to say that my assistant carried out her duties in a courteous and efficient manner. I take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Wiseman for her willing service.

I remain, Your obedient servant,

WILKINSON LITTLE,

Senior Public Health Inspector.