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BOROUGH OF RYDE, I.W.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1941.
of the
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
including the report
of the
BOROUGH SANITARY INSPECTOR.

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Health Department,
Municipal Offices,
5 Lind Street,
RYDE, I.W.

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors,

Mr. Mayor, Lady and Gentlemen,

The following Report constitutes a record of Sanitary and Vital statistics for the year 1941 and is of the same brief nature as for the previous year and complies with the requirements of the Ministry of Health as laid down in Circular 2604.

Your obedient Servants,

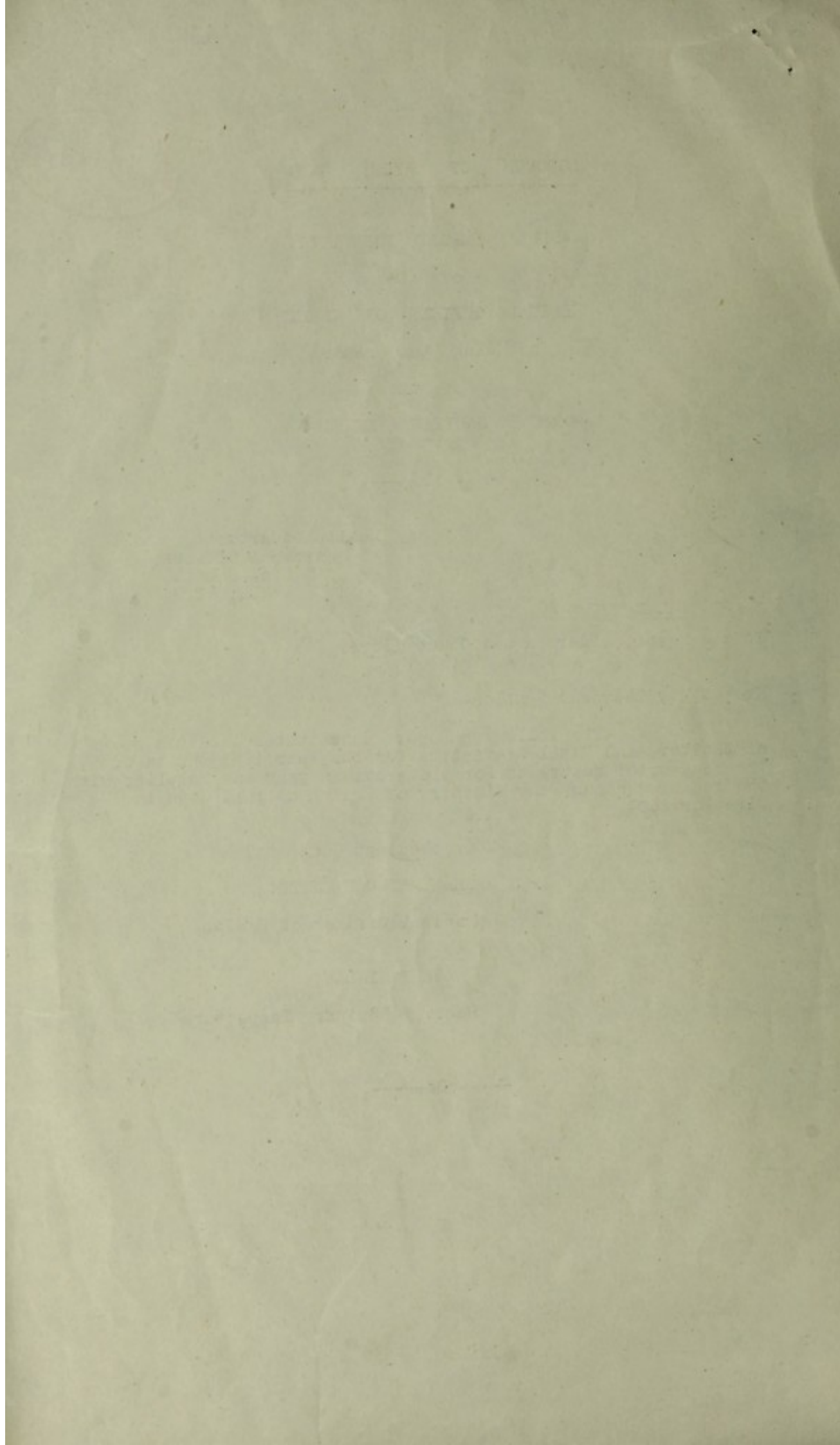
HAYWARD CARPENTER,

Medical Officer of Health.

ALBERT AINLEY,

Borough Sanitary Inspector.

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PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICERS, 1941.

Medical Officer of Health: Hayward Carpenter.* M.B.
B.S. (Lond.) M.R.C.S. (Eng.),
L.R.C.P. (Lond.), D.P.H.

Borough Sanitary Inspector: Albert Ainley,* Sanitary
Inspector's and Meat Inspector's
Certificates, Royal Sanitary Institute;
Certificate and Diploma, Sanitary
Inspector's Association Examination Board.

Assistant Sanitary Inspector: C.F. Jackson.

Clerk: W. H. Turner.

Health and Infant Protection Visitor: Miss E. H. Moss,^e
S.R.N., S.C.M.

^e Part time Officer

* Salary Contribution by Exchequer Grants.

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A - STATISTICS (1) General.

Area, in acres	7,876
Number of inhabited houses (end of 1941) according to rate books	5,600
Rateable Value	£148,390
Sum represented by a ld. rate	£569.5.6d

(2) Vital

Live Birth Rate per 1,000 of estimated
resident population - 13.6
Live Birth Rate England and Wales - 14.2

Still-birth Rate per 1,000
(Still and Live Births) 37.7

Death Rate per 1,000 of estimated
resident population - 16.9
Death Rate England and Wales - 12.9

Deaths from Puerperal causes -

From sepsis	Nil
From other causes	Nil

Rate per 1,000 total
(live & still births)

-

-

Death Rate -

All infants per 1,000 live births 64.4
Legitimate infants per 1,000 legitimate live births 58.6
Illegitimate infants per 1,000 illegitimate live births -
181.8

<u>Deaths from Measles (all ages)</u>	Nil
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<u>Deaths from Whooping Cough</u>	1
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<u>Deaths from Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age)</u>	Nil
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<u>Deaths from Cancer (all ages)</u>	38
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Medical Officer of Health, District of Columbia
D.C. (Local) (D.C. 1000)
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Director, District of Columbia
Inspector and Health Officer
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Assistant Secretary, District of Columbia

Chief, V. E. Bureau

Health and Human Resources Division, District of Columbia
D.C. (Local) (D.C. 1000)

Health and Human Resources Division, District of Columbia
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Health and Human Resources Division, District of Columbia

1 - STATISTICS (1) Summary

Area, as shown
Number of inhabited houses (end of 1947)
According to race
Raceable value
Sum represented by a 100 rate

(2) Detail

Five white race per 1,000 of estimated
population - 1947
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population - 1947

Health and Human Resources Division, District of Columbia

Note per 1,000 estimated
population - 1947

From separate
From other sources

Health and Human Resources Division, District of Columbia

All persons per 1,000 live during 1947
Estimated persons per 1,000 live during 1947
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B - GENERAL PROVISIONS OF HEALTH SERVICES.

Information regarding such services was fully set out in previous reports. There are no changes to record.

Child Life Protection.

- (a) Number of persons on register receiving children for reward at the end of the year 6
- (b) Number of children on the register
 - (1) At the end of the year 7
 - (2) Who died during the year -
 - (3) On whom inquests were held during the year -

C - SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES.

Water.

A pure constant supply of water has been maintained during the year.

Samples of water are submitted for regular bacteriological analysis and the reports during the year under review have been very satisfactory, and indicate a high degree of purity.

Chlorination of all sources of water continues according to the Ministry of Health requirements, but minimum dosage is required in view of the clarity and purity of these virginal sources.

PREVALENCE OF INFECTIOUS AND OTHER DISEASES.

<u>Disease</u>	<u>Total Cases Notified</u>	<u>Cases Admitted to Hospital</u>	<u>Total Deaths.</u>
Scarlet Fever	10	9	-
Diphtheria	1	1	-
Meningitis (Cerebro- Spinal Fever)	3**	3	-
Puerperal Pyrexia	2	1	-
Pneumonia	3	3	-
Erysipelas	4	-	-
Encephalitis Lethargica	1	1	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum *	1	1	-
Measles	164	1	-
Whooping Cough	57	-	1 "
TOTALS	246	20	1

* There was no impairment of vision resulting from this infection

** Two of these cases were notified in Ryde Borough, but the home addresses are Ventnor & Brading.

" This case was unnotified.

AGE AT DATE OF NOTIFICATION.

<u>Age</u>		Smallpox	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria	Enteric Fever inc. Paratyphoid	Encephalitis Lethargica	Puerperal Pyrexia	Pneumonia	Erysipelas	Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	Ophthalmia Neonatorum	Measles	Whooping Cough
Under	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
1 & under	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	7
2 "	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	3
3 "	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	9
4 "	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	15	5
5 "	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	27
10 "	15	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	3
15 "	20	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
20 "	35	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	1	1	-	2	1
35 "	45	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
45 "	65	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
65 & over		-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS		-	10	1	-	1	2	3	4	3	1	164	57

Non-notifiable infectious diseases.

(From weekly return of Head Teachers).

Mumps	1
Chicken Pox	113
German Measles	6
Influenza	2
Scabies	4
Ringworm	2
Impetigo	2

130

Tuberculosis, 1941.

		<u>NEW CASES</u>						<u>DEATHS</u>					
<u>Age Periods</u>		<u>Total</u>	<u>Pulmonary</u>			<u>Non-pulmonary</u>			<u>Total</u>	<u>Pulmonary</u>		<u>Non-pulmonary</u>	
Under	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 & under	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	" 10	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	" 15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	" 20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	" 25	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	" 35	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
35	" 45	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
45	" 55	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
55	" 65	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 & over		2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
TOTALS		14	7	6	1	-	-	4	3	1	-	-	-

* This total includes 3 transfers from the mainland, and 1 case "lost sight of" and returned, and 1 case "recovered" but re-admitted.

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD

MEAT INSPECTION

Animal Carcasses examined and found to shew
evidence of disease and unsoundness.

Tuberculosis

	<u>Whole Carcase</u> <u>Destroyed</u>			<u>Part Carcase</u> <u>or organs</u> <u>destroyed</u>	<u>% of Carcase</u> <u>affected</u> <u>with</u> <u>disease</u>	<u>Whole Carcase</u> <u>Destroyed</u>			<u>Part Carcase</u> <u>or organs</u> <u>destroyed</u>	<u>% of Carcase</u> <u>affected</u> <u>with</u> <u>disease</u>
Cattle (excl. cows)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Calves	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep & Lambs	7253	-	-	-	-	4	129	2.7		
Pigs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	7253	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FOOD DESTROYED

Meat	Tons	Cwts.	qtrs.	lbs.
	-	4	1	14
Meat		7	tins	
Fruit		26	"	
Milk		31	"	
Vegetable		7	"	

MILK SUPPLY

Milk is produced 54 Dairy Farms in the area; 59 persons are registered as producer-retailers or wholesalers and 20 as retailers only.

No milk samples were examined for bacterial content or tubercle bacilli.

FOOD ANALYSIS

The following samples of food were purchased by the County Officials, for analysis:-

Milk	19
Butter	3

All were certified by the County Analyst to be of genuine quality.

SUMMARY OF INSPECTIONS.

Air Raid Shelters	305
Bakehouses	68
Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops	261
Foodshops	155
Ice Cream Shops	30
Restaurant Kitchens	25
Slaughterhouses	91
Dwellinghouses (P.H. Acts)	166
" Re-inspections	504
Drainage and other Sanitary works in progress	201
Factories with mechanical power) including	33
" without " ") bakehouses	72
Offices	14
Schools	15
Shops Act	251
Hackney Carriages	149
Miscellaneous	305
Owners, Agents and Builders interviewed	201
Cinemas	15
Drain Tests	19
Complaints	155

REMEDIAL WORKS.

Number of Dwellinghouses

Copper repaired	2
Ceiling repaired	3
Cooking range cleansed	4
Drains unstopped	45
Drains repaired or reconstructed	49
Doors repaired	5
Dustbins provided	2
Damp and defective walls remedied	14
Eaves gutters or downspouts repaired or renewed	7
Floor repaired	7
Firegrate repaired or renewed	6
Roof made watertight	21
Disinfested (Council Houses)	-
" (Other Houses)	1
Water supply tap moved from outside to inside	2
Windows repaired or renewed	7
Wall plaster repaired	14
Walls and ceilings cleansed	14
Water closet (new) provided	11
Water closet flushing cistern provided or existing flushing cistern repaired	13
Yard paving repaired or renewed	12
Fumigated	3
Chimney stack repaired or reconstructed	2

Number of Cowsheds

Limewashed on request	41
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Number of Dairies

Limewashed on request	38
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Number of Factories

Limewashed on request (Bakehouse)	24
Sanitary convenience repaired	-

Number of Disinfections

Air Raid Shelters
Bedding etc.

110
62

Formal Notices served
Informal Notices served

-
230

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