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REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1942.

Presented to the

SPILSBY RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

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This, the third full year of the present conflict has experienced a considerable tightening up of the war in this Country and with it an accentuation and extension of the Rationing of Foodstuffs and other commodities. We are all now, whether we wish it or not, on a strict diet', and I am very pleased to be able to report that on this diet the health of the people of the Spilsby Rural District, as of the rest of the country has, throughout the year, been uniformly good. The carefully balanced rations may at times be dull, but there is no evidence to suggest that in any way the vitality or physical condition of the community has been impaired by them. On the contrary the general health in the country is higher than in 1939. War has done more than peace for the health of the Nation.

The biggest change in the food rationing in 1942 was the change over in the summer from the white bread we were all used to, to the standard loaf of to-day. Many people, especially those who suffered from Dyspepsia or Gastric troubles, looked with grave suspicion on the new flour, but in few cases have their fears been justified. Undoubtedly, in this District the section of the community which feels the need of a larger meat ration, is the agricultural worker: when working very long hours at hay-time and harvest; to meet this want, the Council started the 'Pie Scheme' during the Autumn. This Scheme, which is run by the enthusiastic and indefatigable effort of the Women's Voluntary Service Organisation is proving very popular, particularly in the villages. The pies are small but excellent in quality and when the Scheme is in full working order will supply a real want and prove a benefit to the agricultural worker.

From the public health point of view we have to be thankful that during the year the people's sleep has been little disturbed by night air-raids.

#### 1. Vital Statistics.

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Area. The area remains the same, namely 143,030 acres in 69 parishes. The population remains at ----. There has been a large and variable number of non-civilians quartered in the District during the year and with them a proportion of women and children.

The Rateable Value is £82,905 and £341.19.5d represents the product of a penny rate.

The number of inhabited houses is 7,155.

The Births were 344 in number, of these 186 were male and 158 female. The number of births represents a rate per thousand of the population of xxx. The rate for the whole of England and Wales is 15.8.

The increasing difficulty in getting domestic help and nursing facilities in the homes, has resulted in more expectant mothers going to Hospitals and Nursing Homes for their confinements than in peace time; the County Infirmary at Louth is increasingly being used for that purpose.

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The increasing difficulty in getting domestic help and nursing facilities in the home, has resulted in many expectant mothers going to hospitals and nursing homes for their confinements than in past times; the County Infirmary at South is increasingly being used for that purpose.

The Deaths numbered 252, of these 125 were male and 127 female; representing a death rate per thousand of the population of xxx, compared with a similar rate for the whole country of 11.6. Of the 252 about half were in people of over 70 years of age.

The deaths of infants under one year numbered 18, giving a rate per thousand of live births of 52. The rate for England and Wales was 49. The steady fall in the death-rate of infants is most satisfactory. There were 42 deaths due to Cancer and 51 to heart diseases. There were two cases of Suicide.

## 2. General Provision of Health Services.

The staff in 1942 underwent no changes. I am glad to be able to state that not so much of Mr. Bailey's time was taken by the surveying and first aid repairs of house property damaged by enemy action as in 1941. During the year Mr. R.B. Bolt was put in charge of the Cleansing Station in the Civil Defence Scheme and made considerable improvements in this somewhat difficult Department.

Laboratory Examinations are carried out by the County Council at the Technical College, Lincoln, and by the Clinical Research Association in London. Water Analyses have been reported upon by Mr. W.W. Taylor of Nottingham. Hospitals, Clinics and Ambulances are unchanged. Cases of infectious diseases are usually sent, when necessary, to the Isolation Hospital, Osgodby, or to the Grimsby Corporation Hospital at Scartho; but during 1942, owing to these Hospitals being full of non-civilian cases, we have had to rely to a considerable extent for accommodation at the Skegness Fever Hospital. I look forward to the time when the District has its own fever Hospital.

A venereal disease clinic is in operation at Skegness.

Midwifery and Maternity cases. The County Council is the local supervising Authority under the Mid-Wivies Act for the whole of Lindsey.

Scabies. There is no evidence that 1942 has seen much increase of this disease and there has been no large influx of evacuee children, as in the first year of the war, to spread it, but there are still more cases in the district than as usual in peace time. The co-operation of the Medical Men practicing in the district and all the Health Services, together with the care taken by School Teachers and the Military Authorities, has kept Scabies well in check. It has not been found necessary in any case to have recourse to the special powers granted to Local Authorities by the 1941 Ministry of Health Order in Council. There are now no facilities in the Spilsby Rural District for the disinfection of infected clothing etc., but these facilities can be obtained in neighbouring towns.

Venereal Disease. I am pleased to be able to report that, unlike a great part of the country, there is very little if any increase in Venereal trouble in the district, very few cases of Gonorrhoea or Syphilis have been brought to my notice. A Clinic for the treatment of such cases is in operation at Skegness and people affected have been generally willing to avail themselves of it.

Diphtheria Immunisation in Children. The progress of the drive to get all children between one year old and school leaving age immunised against diphtheria has not been so satisfactory as I should have liked. During the year 476 children were given protection, 224 under five years and 252 between five and fifteen. The proportion immunised at the end of 1942 being 52.04 per cent. This comparative failure appears to be due to two main causes:- firstly the population over most of the area is very scattered and the more this is so, the greater the difficulty there appears to be in getting hold of the children. In the towns it has been possible to immunise a high proportion of the school children (e.g., Spilsby 96 per cent were done) but in the widely scattered villages, the proportion is not nearly so good. The second reason is that for the children under five years a great many of the mothers are loath to allow the little children to have the tiny pricks of the needle and think it is all right to leave the matter until the child goes to school. In reality these young children are the most vulnerable to the disease.

I have great hopes that with the co-operation of the County Council staff we may overcome the parental scruples during 1943.

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### General Revision of Health Statistics

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Laboratory examinations were carried out by the County Council at the Technical College, Lincoln, and by the District Council's Association in London. Water Analyses have been reported upon by Mr. W. Taylor of Nottingham, Hospitals, Clinics and Asylums are managed. Cases of infectious diseases are usually sent, when necessary, to the Technical College, Lincoln, or to the County Council's Hospital at Boston; but during 1942, owing to the Hospital being full of non-civilian cases, we were led to rely on a considerable extent for the examination of the County Council's Hospital. I look forward to the time when the District has its own laboratory.

A venereal disease clinic is in operation at Boston. The County Council is the local authority under the Ministry of Health for the whole of Lincolnshire.

There is no evidence that 1942 has been a year of increase of this disease and there has been no large influx of venereal cases in the first year of the war, as would be expected. The co-operation of the Medical War Service in the district and the Health Service, together with the care taken by the Teachers and the Military Authorities, has kept venereal cases well in check. It has not been found necessary in any case to have recourse to the special powers granted to local authorities by the 1941 Ministry of Health Order in Council. There are now no facilities in the County Council District for the administration of infected clothing etc., but these facilities can be obtained in neighbouring towns.

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The progress of the drive to get all children between one year old and school leaving age immunised against diphtheria has not been as satisfactory as I should have liked. During the year 1942 children were given protection, 222 under five years and 222 between five and fifteen. The proportion immunised at the end of 1942 being 22.0 per cent. This comparative failure appears to be due to the main reasons - firstly the population over most of the area is very scattered and the more this is so, the greater the difficulty there appears to be in getting high immunisation of the school children. In the town it has been possible to immunise a high proportion of the school children (e.g., 80 per cent) but in the widely scattered villages, the proportion is not nearly so good. The reason is that for the children under five years a great many of the parents are loath to allow their children to have the first prick of the needle and think it is best to leave the matter until the child goes to school. In reality these young children are the most vulnerable to the disease.

I have great hopes that with the co-operation of the County Council staff we may overcome the present position during 1943.

I should like to take this opportunity of expressing my thanks to the school teachers in this as in every other matter affecting the health of the children.

3. Prevalence of Disease. I am pleased to be able to report that 1942 was a very good year in the Spilsby Rural District as regards infectious diseases as also in the rest of the Country. We had no severe epidemic of any sort. There was a small outbreak of Influenza in the Spring of a mild type but there were only four deaths attributable to that disease and only four cases of Pneumonia notified altogether. A remarkably small figure.

Twenty cases of Scarlet Fever were notified compared with 28 in 1941. Some of these were of a severe type but they all recovered.

There were only three cases of Diphtheria all in adults and very mild cases. It is very satisfactory that there were no cases among the children.

There were nineteen cases of Tuberculosis notified during the year and fifteen deaths. Twelve due to the Respiratory type and three to other forms of the disease.

Fifty cases of Whooping Cough were notified but this is no criterion of the total number of cases in the district for the year as large numbers are not reported to the Doctors and so not notified. There were no deaths from this cause.

The only case of Puerperal Pyrexia notified, recovered.

The following table shows the incidence of notifiable diseases among civilians only.

<u>Disease</u>	<u>Cases.</u>	<u>Deaths.</u>
Smallpox	0	0
Scarlet Fever	20	0
Diphtheria	3	0
Enteric Fever	0	0
Puerperal Fever)	1	0
Puerperal Pyrexia)		
Erysipelas	3	0
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	8	3
Measles	14	0
Whooping Cough	50	0
Ophthalmia Neonatorium	0	0
Pneumonia	4	3
Tuberculosis (Respiratory)	17	12
" (other forms)	2	3

There was no outbreak of food poisoning.

#### 4. Sanitary circumstances of the Area.

##### Water Supply - Fen Scheme.

Probably the most important development of the Council's Fen Water Supply during the year has been the addition of the parish of Wainfleet St. Mary to the area.

The sources of the previous supply, the River Steeping, had caused considerable anxiety and concern, over a period of years, to the Council and the Officials of the Public Health Department, and it is pleasing to be able to report that the problem of affording a good and wholesome water supply to that area has now been overcome.

The change over was effected on 5th May, 1942, and I feel sure the Council appreciate the efforts of the Officials and staff of the Water Department when it is realised that during the change over, the whole of the Wainfleet Water Company's distribution system had first to be sterilised, various inter-connections had to be made and a considerable amount of other work incidental to such a project had to be carried out, and it is an interesting feature that the whole process was carried through without once interrupting the supply to the District.

Since taking over the Wainfleet St. Mary district, the Water Engineer has reported to the Committee that complaints have been received regarding the pressure of water, particularly in the Wainfleet district and the question of boosting the supply is under consideration. Meanwhile, arrangements have been made to boost the pressure by means of temporary pumping machinery and the complaint has been removed. The further development of Twentylands, the source of the Fen supply, has proceeded during the year, with a view to



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The only case of Pseudotuberculosis notified, recovered. The following table shows the incidence of notifiable diseases among civilians only.

Disease	Cases	Deaths
Scarlet Fever	20	0
Diphtheria	3	0
Scarlet Fever	0	0
Pseudotuberculosis	1	0
Pseudotuberculosis	3	0
Tuberculosis	2	0
Scarlet Fever	30	0
Whooping Cough	50	0
Optic Neuritis	0	0
Pneumonia	4	3
Tuberculosis (Respiratory)	15	12
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There was no outbreak of food poisoning.

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Water Supply - Sanitary.

Probably the most important development of the Council's Sanitary Water Supply during the year has been the addition of the parish of Waterlool St. Mary to the area.

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supplying water required by the Air Ministry and this very considerable amount of water, will, upon the cessation of hostilities, be most useful in the future development of the Rural District.

In accordance with the Ministry of Health's Order, a Chlorination Plant has been permanently installed and has been in operation since 25th May, 1942.

Periodical analysis proves that the Fen Water continues to be good and wholesome both chemically and bacteriologically and it is noteworthy that an estimated population of 5,500 are now being supplied with it. The increasing number of new consumers is evidence of the general popularity of the Scheme.

There have been two extensions of the Council's distribution system during the year under review, Friskney Fen Bank and Back Lane, Stickford. Sixty eight applications for supplies have been received by the Water Engineer and are comprised as follows:-

Domestic supplies	36
Metered supplies	14
Grass fields.	14
Extensions.	4
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The yield of the source is estimated to be 38,544,000 gallons per year, or 105,600 gallons per day.

Coast Water Supply. It is regrettable that no further progress has been made in the Coastal Water Scheme during 1942 in spite of the effort of the Council. Until the war ends the area covered by this Scheme as well as other large villages in the district, will have to wait for the urgently needed modern water system.

5. Milk. The year 1942 once again brought to the fore the question of our milk supplies and their standard of purity. That the cleanliness of milk required the constant supervision of the Officials was very evident from the number of cases of souring that were reported.

At the end of 1942 there were 786 registered cowsheds in the Spilsby Rural District. In character this District is not a milk producing area, nevertheless, the last few years have seen a remarkable influx of milk producers to the register as follows:-

1937.	666	Registered cowsheds.	1940	750	Registered cowsheds.
1938.	672	"	1941	775	"
1939.	682	"	1942	786	"

The increase in number of producers is satisfactory but unfortunately there has been also an increase in the amount of milk wasted through souring. This means a loss of milk to the consumer and money to the producer.

This loss of milk through souring is a serious problem and though in some cases inefficient cleanliness in the cowsheds and dairies is the cause, the farmers are very often not to blame. The transport collection of milk in the Spilsby Rural District was far from satisfactory in 1942; but it is understood that the matter will improve in 1943.

Many farmers are sorely handicapped during the summer months by their lack of sufficient water supply. It is definitely established that one of the main contributory causes of the souring of milk is inefficient cooling. Farmers should also put their churns, when awaiting collection, in the shade.

It is an incontrovertible fact that clean raw milk free from pathogenic germs is the ideal food; but that ideal is at the present far from being attained. Until Veterinary science can remove the danger of milk acquired Tuberculosis, and until the standard of cleanliness in the collection and distribution of milk is raised to a much higher general level, if the public is to be supplied with clean pure milk, there seems to be no alternative to Pasteurisation.

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## Milk (Special Designations) Regulations, 1936 - 1941.

One licence was granted to a dairy firm authorising the use of 'Pasteurised' milk. The installed plant is on the 'holder method' basis.

It was necessary to report to the Council that a milk retailer had been retailing milk bottled with the caption 'Tuberculin Tested' although the milk was ordinary milk. After enquiries had been made, it was felt that the use of the designated bottle was not done with intent.

6. Housing. Relaxation in the standard of housing inspections with the minimum requirement of the more important works to be done, still continues. Limitations of labour, transport and materials, greatly increases the difficulty in preventing further deterioration of agricultural housing. Yet, when we compare other parts of the country, particularly war damaged built-up areas with limited light and ventilation due to the part windows boarded up and the rural cottages in the open light and space, in general the rural housing is not to be deplored under existing conditions.

### Housing (Rural Workers) Acts.

A limited amount of reconditioning of cottages is still practicable in specially urgent cases, particularly where alterations proposed to be carried out are in the interests of war-time food production.

One application was received during the year. The Specification involved an expenditure of £168.10.0d on improvements and the Council recommended a grant of £75. The owner later communicated with the Council stating that the matter would be held in abeyance until after the war.

### Ministry of Health, Circular 2090.

Two cottages previously condemned under a Clearance Order by the Ministry of Health were re-occupied by agricultural workers after all works had been satisfactorily completed in accordance with specification submitted by the owner and approved by the Council. The cottages are under licence for a period of six months and the rent was fixed by the Council and agreed upon by the owner at 3/- a week.

### Council Houses.

Essential repairs for the upkeep and maintenance of the 317 Council Houses were carried out. Due to the present day conditions the builders were not able always to give the work immediate attention, but they have served the Council most satisfactorily and the householders have had very little inconvenience.

7. Scavenging. Scavenging services by the Council's Contractors at Spilsby, Burgh, Wainfleet All Saints, Hogsthorpe, Chapel St. Leonards and Ingoldmells have been generally satisfactory.

Salvage efforts by the public, reduction of the production of newspapers, less use of quantities of household coal and particularly on the coastal area, reduced numbers of occupied houses have, materially eased the contractors work.

The question of the removal of refuse etc., from houses occupied by the Military, is continually under supervision by our Officers. The attention of the Health Department is frequently being directed to nuisances arising from neglect in emptying cesspools. This is due to the fact that very often ten, twenty or more men are occupying houses where the drainage system was originally constructed for a small family. Contact with the Officers in Charge at the time invariably results in the nuisance being abated. Unfortunately, however, the same procedure has to be gone through again each time one Regiment is replaced by another.

### 8. Slaughter houses.

Animals for human consumption are taken to the Government slaughter houses at Skegness and Horncastle. Only casual slaughtering due to injury takes place in any of the licensed slaughter houses in the Spilsby Rural District.

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Ministry of Health, January 1953

Two cottages previously condemned under a Demolition Order by the Ministry of Health were re-occupied by agricultural workers after all work had been satisfactorily completed in accordance with specifications submitted by the owner and approved by the Council. The cottages are under licence for a period of six months and the rent was fixed by the Council and agreed upon by the owner at 25/- a week.

Council House

Essential repairs for the upkeep and maintenance of the City Council House were carried out. Due to the present day conditions the repairs were not able to give the work immediate attention, but they have saved the Council most satisfactorily and the housekeepers have had very little inconvenience.

Re-occupancy services by the Council's Contractors at 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 493, 495, 497, 499, 501, 503, 505, 507, 509, 511, 513, 515, 517, 519, 521, 523, 525, 527, 529, 531, 533, 535, 537, 539, 541, 543, 545, 547, 549, 551, 553, 555, 557, 559, 561, 563, 565, 567, 569, 571, 573, 575, 577, 579, 581, 583, 585, 587, 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Knackers Yards.

A letter of warning was sent to a licensed owner of one of the knackers yards in the district, directing his attention to the Livestock (Restriction on Slaughtering) No.2 Order, 1940, regarding meat not immersed in a solution or sprayed with a colouring agent. The letter indicated that a report for prosecution would take place if there was any further negligence.

Food Condemned.

Twentyfive tins of various foods were condemned in addition to 160 lbs. of beef unfit for human consumption.

I have the honour to be, Mrs Ward and Gentlemen,  
Your obedient Servant,

*C. E. Wright*

Medical Officer of Health

Sanchez, Maria

A letter of inquiry was sent to the District Attorney in the District of Columbia, Washington, D.C., on August 1, 1935, regarding the case of Sanchez, Maria, who was reported to have been arrested in a restaurant in Washington, D.C., on July 28, 1935. The letter requested that a report be prepared regarding the case and that the District Attorney advise the Bureau of the results of his investigation.

Food Inspection

Twenty-five copies of various books were prepared in addition to the report of the District Attorney.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant,  
Your obedient servant,

*W. H. C. [Signature]*

National Office of Health

Public Health Department.

Spilsby Rural District.

Report of work done by Sanitary Inspector for the Year, 1942.

Total number of new houses erected during the year.	-
(i) By the Local Authority	-
(ii) By other Local Authorities	-
(iii) By other Bodies or persons.	2
<u>1. Inspection of Dwelling Houses during the Year.</u>	
(1a) Total number of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts).	38
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose	76
(2a) Number of dwelling houses (included under Sub-Head (1) above) which were inspected and recorded under the Housing Consolidated Regulations, 1925.	-
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose	-
(3) Number of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation.	-
(4) Number of dwelling houses (exclusive of those referred to under the preceding sub-head) found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation.	38
<u>2. Remedy of Defects during the year without Formal Notices.</u>	
Number of Defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of informal action by the Local Authority or their Officers.	30
<u>3. Action under Statutory Powers during the year.</u>	
(a) Proceedings under Sections 9,10 and 36 of the Housing Act, 1936:-	
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs.	1
(2) Number of dwelling houses which were rendered fit after service of formal notice:	
(a) by owners	-
(b) by Local Authority in default of owner	-
(b) Proceedings under Public Health Acts:	
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied.	13
(2) Number of dwelling houses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notices:-	
(a) by owners	-
(b) by Local Authority in default of owner.	-
(c) Proceedings under Sections 11 and 13 of the Housing Act, 1936:-	
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made.	-
(2) Number of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of Demolition Orders	-
(3) Number of dwelling houses subject to undertakings	2
(d) Proceedings under Section 12 of the Housing Act, 1936:-	
(1) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were made	-
(2) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were determined, the tenement or room having been rendered fit.	-



Public Health Department

Gallego Rural District

Report of work done by Health Inspector for the Year 1945

Total number of new houses erected during the year	-
(i) By the Local Authority	-
(ii) By other local authorities	-
(iii) By other bodies or persons	5

1. Inspection of Dwelling Houses during the Year

(a) Total number of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts)	38
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose	36
(2a) Number of dwelling houses situated under Sub-head (1) above which were inspected and reported under the Housing (Consolidated) Regulations, 1925	-
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose	-
(2) Number of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation	-
(p) Number of dwelling houses (exclusive of those referred to under the preceding sub-head) found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation	38

2. Details of Defects during the Year (under Housing Notices)

Number of defective dwelling houses reported in consequence of informal action by the local authority or their officers	30
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3. Action under Statutory Powers during the Year

(a) Proceedings under Sections 2, 10 and 20 of the Housing Act, 1936	-
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs	1
(2) Number of dwelling houses which were rendered fit after service of formal notices:	-
(a) by owners	-
(b) by Local Authority in default of owner	-

(b) Proceedings under Public Health Acts:	-
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied	13

(2) Number of dwelling houses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notices:	-
(a) by owners	-
(b) by Local Authority in default of owner	-

(c) Proceedings under Sections 23 and 24 of the Housing Act, 1936:	-
(1) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which demolition orders were made	-
(2) Number of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of demolition orders	-

(3) Number of dwelling houses subject to improvement notices	2
(b) Proceedings under Section 12 of the Housing Act, 1936:	-
(1) Number of separate tenements or underpinned rooms in respect of which demolition orders were made	-
(2) Number of separate tenements or underpinned rooms in respect of which demolition orders were not made	-

(3) Number of separate tenements or underpinned rooms in respect of which demolition orders were not made	-
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4. Housing Act, 1936. Part IV - Overcrowding.

(a)(i)	Number of dwellings overcrowded at the end of the year	31
(ii)	Number of families dwelling therein	31
(iii)	Number of persons dwelling therein	157
(b)	Number of new cases of overcrowding reported during the year	-
(c)(1)	Number of cases of overcrowding relieved during the year.	-
(ii)	Number of persons concerned in such cases	-
(d)	Number of houses again overcrowded after being previously relieved.	-
Common Lodging-Houses.	{ No. registered under byelaws	-
	{ N. of inspections made	-
	{ No. of contraventions of byelaws	-
	{ No. of contraventions remedied	-
Canal Boats used as dwelling-houses.	{ No. registered under Acts	-
	{ No. of inspections	-
	{ No. of contraventions of regulations.	-
	{ No. of contraventions remedied	-
Moveable dwellings	{ No. inspected during the year	54
	{ No. of nuisances therefrom abated	10
Tents, Vans etc.	{ No. removed from district	unknown
	{ No. in district	41
Bakehouses	{ No. of underground bakehouses	-
	{ No. of Inspections	33
	{ Contraventions of Factory Acts	2
	{ Defects remedied	2
Slaughter houses	{ No. on register	30
	{ No. of inspections	15
	{ Contraventions of byelaws	-
	{ Defects remedied	-
Cowsheds	{ No. on register	786
	{ No. of inspections	412
	{ Contraventions of regulations	89
	{ Contraventions remedied	71
Dairies and Milk Shops	{ No. of milch cows in district	?
	{ No. on register	796
	{ No. of inspections	424
	{ Contraventions of regulations	27
	{ Contraventions remedied	-
	{ Any instance of disease attributed to milk during the year.	-

Unsound Food.

Food Condemned and Destroyed.

2 - 2½lb tins of Pork Luncheon Meat.	162 lbs. of Fore Quarter Beef.
1 - 6lb " " " " " "	1 large tins of Carnation Milk.
1 " " " Heinz Baked Beans.	2 " " " Duncan Peas.
1 " " " Tomatoes (Royal)	3 " " " Mayfair Tomatoes
1 " " " Haricot Beans.	1 " " " Seaside Belle Tomatoes
2 " " " Cooked Peas	1 " " " Beaulahs Peas
1 " " " Evaporated Milk (Wheat Sheaf)	1 " " " Batchelors Peas
1 " " " Sea Pride Pilchards.	1 " " " Cooked Meat (Weight 3 lb)
2 " " " Eastwell Pilchards	7 " " " Peas.
1 " " " Batchelors Beans	4 tins of Sausage Meat (2/6 size)
1 " " " Bartlet Pears	1 tins of Pilchards (6 points " )
2 - 13 oz. " " Valley Lea Evaporated Milk	6 " " Beans (4 points size)
3 - 11b. " " " Pilchards	4 tins of Irish Stew.
2 " " " Hartleys Carrots. (A. 2. Size)	6 large tins of "Carnation" brand unsweetened milk.
2 - 1 lb. 3oz tins of Wrights Tomatoes	7 tins of Pork Luncheon Meat (2½ lbs each)
1 - 10 oz. tin of Beefex Roll	5 - 14½oz. tins of Borden's Evaporated Milk.
1 tin of Lican Garden Peas (EL Size)	
1 - 1 lb. tin of Gibbs Beans & Tomatoes.	
1 - 1 lb. tin of Carnation Unsweetened Milk.	



1 - 12oz. tin of Swifts Premium Chopped Ham.  
 1 tin of Duncan's Beans in Tomatoes.

Carcases Inspected and Condemned.

	Cattle excluding cows.	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs.
Number killed (if any)					2
Number inspected					2
All diseases except tuberculosis. Whole carcasses condemned					
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	1				
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than tuberculosis.					
Tuberculosis only. Whole carcasses condemned Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned					1
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis.					

Offensive trades.	(No. of premises in district	3
	(No. of inspections.	31
	(Contraventions of byelaws	1
	(Contraventions remedied	1
Shop Act, 1934.	(No. of shops inspected.	-
	(Additional heating or ventilation	-
	(Additional Sanitary conveniences	-
<u>Wells.</u>	(New sunk	-
	(Cleansed, repaired	4
	(Closed as polluted	-

Area Supplies: Wainfleet All Saints, Wainfleet St.  
 Mary, Croft, Friskney, Spilsby,  
 Hundleby, Raithby, Burgh, Orby,  
 Welton, Gunby, Candlesby, Bilsby,  
Public Supply. Markby, Well, Sibsey, Frithville,  
 Carrington, West Fen, Toynton All  
 Saints, Toynton St. Peter, Halton  
 Hologate, Little Steeping, Thorpe St.  
 Peter, East Keal, Stickford,  
 Stickney, New Leake, Eastville,  
 Midville, Old Bolingbroke, Langton,  
 Mavis Enderby.

Water  
Supply.

Percentage of  
houses supplied.

Percentage of houses supplied at Burgh	38 per cent.
" " " " " Orby	23 " "
" " " " " Gunby	20 " "
" " " " " Welton	44 " "
" " " " " Croft	15 " "

(New cisterns provided -  
 (Cisterns cleansed, repaired, covered etc.-



	(Number of samples obtained for analysis	23	
	(a) from wells	3	
<u>Water Supply</u> (Cont'd)	(b) from public supply	20	
	(Any insufficiency and where		
	(No. of houses with privy vaults in district	3128	
	(No. of houses with pail closets in district	2404	
	(No. of pail closets substituted for privy vaults.	1	
<u>Closets.</u>	(No. of pail closets repaired	7	
	(No. of water closets substituted for dry receptacles	2	
	(No. of houses with water closets in the district	1602	
	(No. of water closets repaired	1	
	(Drains examined, tested, exposed, etc.	28	
	(Drains unstopped, repaired, trapped etc.	8	
<u>Drains.</u>	(Waste Pipes, rain water pipes disconnected repaired etc.	-	
	(New soil pipes or ventilating shafts fixed	-	
	(Existing soil pipes or ventilating shafts repaired	1	
	(Drains reconstructed	8	
<u>Sewers.</u>	(New Lengths of sewer laid	-	
	(Alterations to sewage disposal works	-	
<u>Tanks, Filter beds etc.</u>	(Any inadequacy of sewage disposal works or complaints as to smells	-	
	(Cesspools rendered impervious	-	
<u>Cesspools.</u>	(Cesspools emptied, cleansed, etc.	7	
	(Cesspools abolished	-	
	(Rooms disinfected	44	
	(a) ordinary infectious disease	41	
<u>Disinfection.</u>	(b) tuberculosis	2	
	(Rooms stripped and cleansed	-	
	(Articles disinfected or destroyed	-	
	(a) ordinary infectious disease	-	
	(b) tuberculosis	-	
	(No. of covered ashpits	3791	
	(No. of uncovered ashpits	-	
	(No. of bins substituted for ashpits	-	
<u>House Refuse.</u>	(No. of houses using bins	3329	
	(Is refuse removed by householders or by public scavenger? Public Scavenger at Spilsby, Wainfleet All Saints, Burgh, Chapel St. Leonards, Hogsthorpe and Ingoldmells.		
	(How frequently is refuse removed from each house?	weekly	
	(No. of complaints of non-removal	10	
	(Method of final disposal	Tipping.	
	(Are existing arrangements for refuse removal satisfactory?	Yes.	
	(Total number of Nuisances during the year:-		
	(1) Abated as result of informal action by Sanitary Inspector	63	
	(2) Reported to (Statutory Notice issued	-	
	Council. ( " " not issued	-	
<u>Details of Nuisances abated.</u>		After formal Intimation.	After Statutory Notice.
	(Overcrowding	-	-
	(Smoke	-	-
	(Accumulation of refuse	-	-
	(Foul ditches, ponds and stagnant water	4	-
	(Foul pigs or other animals	2	-
	(Dampness	-	-
	(Yards re-paved or repaired	-	-
	(Other nuisances	27	-
<u>Any Assistants?</u>	Yes - Two.		

✓ In Rural Districts the parishes having a public scavenger should be stated.

As in Rural Districts the penalties having a public scavenger should be  
 any Assistant? Yes - Two

37	Other nuisances	
-	Yards paved or repaired	
-	Dampness	
-	Poor pigs or other animals	
-	Stagnant water	
-	Poor drains; gutters and	
-	Accumulation of refuse	
-	Smoke	
-	Overcrowding	

Details of  
 Nuisances abated.

Total number of Nuisances during the year -  
 (1) Abated as result of informal action 63  
 (2) Reported to (Statutory Notice issued by Sanitary Inspector " not issued -  
 Council.

Are existing arrangements for refuse removal satisfactory? Yes.

Method of final disposal Tipping.

No. of complaints of non-removal 10.

How frequently is refuse removed from each house? weekly

Is refuse removed by householders or by public scavenger? Public Scavenger at Spilley, Wainfoot All Saints, Burch, Chapel St. Leonard, Heston and Ingham.

No. of houses using bins 3329

No. of bins uncollected for refuse -

No. of uncovered refuse -

No. of covered refuse 3751

Distraction

(a) ordinary infectious diseases -

(b) tubercularia -

Rooms swept and cleaned -

Articles disinfected or destroyed -

(a) ordinary infectious diseases -

(b) tubercularia -

Rooms disinfected 14

Cesspools emptied, cleaned, etc. 7

Cesspools rendered impervious -

of material as to walls -

any impurity of sewage disposal works -

All works in sewage disposal works -

Basins

Basins examined, tested, exposed, etc. 28

Basins unemptied, repaired, washed etc. 8

Basins repaired, repaired, washed etc. -

Basins repaired etc. -

Basins repaired etc. -

Basins repaired etc. -

Basins repaired etc. -

Basins repaired etc. -

Drains

Drains repaired etc. 1

Drains repaired etc. 8

Drains repaired etc. -

Drains repaired etc. -

Drains repaired etc. -

Drains repaired etc. -

Drains repaired etc. -

Drains repaired etc. -

Cesspits

No. of water closets reported 1

No. of water closets uncollected for dry 2

No. of water closets reported for dry 7

No. of water closets reported for dry 1

No. of houses with water closets in the district 1602

Water Supply (Cont'd)

Any insanitarious and where

(a) from wells 23

(b) from public supply 20

Number of samples obtained for analysis 23

No. of houses with privy vaults in district 2128

No. of houses with privy vaults in district 2128

No. of privy vaults substituted for privy vaults 1

No. of water closets reported 1

No. of water closets uncollected for dry 2

No. of water closets reported for dry 7

No. of water closets reported for dry 1

No. of houses with water closets in the district 1602