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SPILSBY
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MEDICAL OFFICER
OF HEALTH
AND THE
CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH
INSPECTOR

FOR THE YEAR

1973

SPILSBY RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

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Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present my last report on the health and environment of the district for the year 1973.

The estimated mid-year population as supplied by the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys was 22,500.

There were 355 deaths from all causes giving a death rate of 15.8 per 1,000 population, higher than the national rate of 12.0. There were 2 deaths in infants of under 1 year of age, giving an infant mortality rate of 9 per 1,000 live births, lower than the national rate of 16. The greater number of deaths occurred in persons over 65 years of age 84.6%. Ischaemic heart disease and Cerebrovascular Disease again being the greatest killer, whilst malignant neoplasm of the lung bronchus caused 12 deaths, 6 less than the previous year. There were 248 births, 23 of which were illegitimate, giving a birth rate of 15.7 per 1,000 population, national rate was 13.7. The illegitimate live births as percentage of all live births was 9, the previous year 9, the national rate was 9. There were 82 cases of infectious diseases notified, 72 measles and 9 scarlet fever and 1 Infective Jaundice.

During the year the water supply to the district was satisfactory in quantity and quality, bacteriologically and **chemically**, the supply comes from bores at Driby, Twentylands and Mumby. The population supplied was 22,500. The number of houses who had a mains supply direct to the house were 8,636 and the number with standpipes 40 the figures in respect of individual parishes who have a direct supply to the house and supplied by means of standpipe are not available. The fluoride content of Driby supply is 0.09 p.p.m., Twentylands 0.02 and Mumby 0.75 p.p.m.

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VITAL

Area in Acres 145,660

Local Authority Area
Males Females TotalEngland & Wales
(Total)

| | Males | Females | Total | England & Wales (Total) |
|-------------------------------|-------|---------|--------|-------------------------|
| Estimated mid-year population | - | - | 22,500 | 49,174,600 |

Live Births

| | | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| Total | 121 | 127 | 248 | 675,963 |
| Legitimate | 107 | 118 | 225 | 617,863 |
| Illegitimate | 14 | 9 | 23 | 58,100 |

| | | | | | |
|-------------|--------------|---|---|---|-------|
| Stillbirths | Total | 2 | 1 | 3 | 7,948 |
| | Legitimate | 1 | 1 | 2 | 7,069 |
| | Illegitimate | 1 | 0 | 1 | 879 |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| Total live and Stillbirths | Total | 123 | 128 | 251 | 683,911 |
| | Legitimate | 108 | 119 | 227 | 624,932 |
| | Illegitimate | 15 | 9 | 24 | 58,979 |

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|---|---|--------|
| Deaths of Infants under 1 year of age | Total | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11,418 |
| | Legitimate | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10,133 |
| | Illegitimate | - | - | - | 1,285 |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|---|---|---|-------|
| Under 4 weeks of age | Total | 1 | 1 | 2 | 7,537 |
| | Legitimate | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6,758 |
| | Illegitimate | - | - | - | 779 |

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------------|---|---|---|-------|
| Under 1 week of age | Total | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6,447 |
| | Legitimate | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5,764 |
| | Illegitimate | - | - | - | 683 |

| | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| Deaths - all ages | 181 | 174 | 355 | 587,696 |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|---------|

STATISTICS

Local Authority Area England & Wales

| | | |
|---|------|------|
| Live birth rate, etc. | | |
| Live births per 1,000 home population (crude rate) | 11.0 | 13.7 |
| Area comparability factor | 1.42 | 1.00 |
| Local adjusted rate | 15.7 | 13.7 |
| Ratio of local adjusted rate to national rate | 1.14 | 1.00 |
| Illegitimate live births as percentage of all live births | 9 | 9 |

| | | |
|--|----|----|
| Stillbirth rate | | |
| Stillbirths per 1,000 total live and stillbirths | 12 | 12 |

| | | |
|--|---|----|
| Infant mortality rates | | |
| Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 live births | 8 | 17 |
| Deaths of legitimate infants under 1 year per 1,000 legitimate live births | 9 | 16 |
| Deaths of illegitimate infants under 1 year per 1,000 illegitimate live births | - | 22 |

| | | |
|--|---|----|
| Neonatal mortality rate | | |
| Deaths under 4 weeks per 1,000 live births | 8 | 11 |

| | | |
|--|----|----|
| Early neonatal mortality rate | | |
| Deaths under 1 week per 1,000 total live births | 8 | 10 |
| Perinatal mortality rate | | |
| Stillbirths and deaths under 1 week combined per 1,000 total live and still births | 20 | 21 |

| | | |
|---|------|------|
| Death rates etc. - all ages | | |
| Deaths per 1,000 home population (crude rate) | 15.8 | 12.0 |
| Area comparability factor | .68 | 1.00 |
| Local adjusted rate | 10.7 | 12.0 |
| Ratio of local adjusted rate to national rate | .90 | 1.00 |

CAUSES OF DEATH ACCORDING TO REGISTRAR GENERAL'S RETURN

| Disease | Male | Female | Total |
|--|------|--------|-------|
| Diabetes Mellitus | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Tuberculosis of respiratory system | 1 | - | 1 |
| Malignant neoplasm, buccal cavity etc. | 2 | - | 2 |
| Malignant neoplasm, oesophagus | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Malignant neoplasm, stomach | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| Malignant neoplasm, intestine | 4 | 6 | 10 |
| Malignant neoplasm, larynx | 1 | - | 1 |
| Malignant neoplasm, lung, bronchus | 8 | 4 | 12 |
| Malignant neoplasm, breast | - | 8 | 8 |
| Malignant neoplasm, uterus | - | 2 | 2 |
| Malignant neoplasm, prostate | 2 | - | 2 |
| Other malignant neoplasms | 6 | 10 | 16 |
| Anaemias | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Other diseases of nervous system | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Chronic rheumatic heart disease | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Hypertensive disease | 1 | - | 1 |
| Ischaemic heart disease | 63 | 43 | 106 |
| Other forms of heart disease | 7 | 16 | 23 |
| Cerebrovascular disease | 33 | 35 | 68 |
| Other diseases of circulatory system | 9 | 10 | 19 |
| Influenza | - | 1 | 1 |
| Pneumonia | 8 | 6 | 14 |
| Bronchitis and emphysema | 6 | 2 | 8 |
| Other diseases of respiratory system | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Peptic ulcer | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Cirrhosis of liver | - | 1 | 1 |
| Other diseases of digestive system | 4 | 1 | 5 |
| Appendicitis | - | 1 | 1 |
| Intestinal obstruction and hernia | 1 | - | 1 |
| Diseases of skin subcutaneous tissue | - | 1 | 1 |
| Birth injury, difficult labour, etc. | - | 1 | 1 |
| Symptoms and ill defined conditions | - | 4 | 4 |
| Motor vehicle accidents | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| All other accidents | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| Suicide and self-inflicted injuries | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Leukaemia | 2 | - | 2 |
| Diseases of musculo-skeletal system | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Other causes of perinatal mortality | 1 | - | 1 |
| All other external causes | 1 | - | 1 |
| Total all causes | 181 | 174 | 355 |

DEATHS - AGE DISTRIBUTION

| Under 4 Weeks | 4 Weeks & Under 1 Year | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75 & over | Total |
|---------------|------------------------|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 2 | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 43 | 94 | 198 | 345 |

84.6% of deaths occurred to persons over 65. 15.4% of deaths occurred to persons under 65

HOME HELP SERVICE

Details regarding the Domestic Help Service in Spilsby during 1973 are as follows:

Number of Helpers enrolled at the end of 1973: 67

Number of cases given help during 1973:

| Aged | Chronic sick | M.D. | Maternity | Others | Total |
|------|--------------|------|-----------|--------|-------|
| 194 | 11 | - | 1 | 17 | 223 |

Number of cases receiving help at the end of 1973:

| Aged | Chronic sick | M.D. | Maternity | Others | Total |
|------|--------------|------|-----------|--------|-------|
| | | | | | |

HOSPITAL SERVICES

GENERAL AND MATERNITY

Grace Swan Hospital provides for some medical, surgical cases. Other medical, surgical and maternity cases are admitted to Louth and Boston Hospital. Paediatric cases are admitted to Boston, Louth and Lincoln Hospitals.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Patients suffering from these diseases are admitted to the Isolation Hospitals at Boston and Lincoln.

X-RAY FACILITIES

X-Ray facilities are provided by the Grace Swan, Spilsby, Boston and Louth Hospitals.

SOCIAL SERVICES

Under the provisions of the National Assistance Act, 1948, it is the responsibility of the Social Services Department to provide accommodation for aged and infirm persons who are in need of care and attention. This accommodation is provided in the form of Hostels in the district.

AMBULANCE SERVICE

There is a sub-station in Spilsby, this is staffed with 2 men and 1 ambulance and 5 Auxiliaries which will be increased to 10 for standby and weekend duties.

THE CHILDRENS' ACT 1948

By the provision of this Act certain classes of children come under the care of the Social Services Department of the County Council. This Department is responsible for children who are for various reasons deprived of normal care of their parents and problem families. The Rural district as a housing authority can give a lot of help towards the re-housing of problem families under this Act. There is one Children's Home in the district situated at Burgh-le-Marsh.

GENERAL HEALTH SERVICES

MATERNITY SERVICE - MIDWIFERY

Full-time 2 Nurse Midwives serve the district. 1 State Enrolled Nurse.

Part-time 2 Nurse Midwives, 1 State Enrolled Nurse.

1 Bathing Attendant.

ANTE-NATAL AND POST-NATAL

Ante-Natal and Post-Natal work is undertaken by the general practitioners in the district.

INFANT WELFARE

An Infant Welfare Clinic is held at Friskney on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the Month at Wainfleet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the Month, Spilsby on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month at the Doctors Surgery, Queen Street, Spilsby and Sibsey on Wednesday afternoon every 2 weeks. A bus is laid on to bring Mothers and their babies from the surrounding parishes to this Clinic. Immunisation against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Tetanus, vaccination against Smallpox, Poliomyelitis and Measles is done at these Clinics.

OPHTHALMIC CLINIC

A Clinic is held on the 3rd Thursday of each Month at 9.00 to 12.00 a.m., West End Villas, Spilsby.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED (PART I)

| | Scarlet Fever | Whooping Cough | Acute Poliomyelitis | | Measles (excluding rubella) | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Meningococcal Infection |
|---------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| | | | Paralytic | Non-Paralytic | | | | |
| Under 1 Year | - | - | - | - | 5 | - | - | - |
| 1 Year | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | - | - |
| 2 Years | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | - | - |
| 3 Years | - | - | - | - | 8 | - | - | - |
| 4 Years | 1 | - | - | - | 9 | - | - | - |
| 5 - 9 Years | 3 | - | - | - | 33 | - | - | - |
| 10 - 14 Years | 5 | - | - | - | 9 | - | - | - |
| 15 - 24 Years | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| 25 and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Age Unknown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 9 | - | - | - | 72 | - | - | - |

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED (PART II)

| | Acute Pneumonia | Smallpox | Acute Encephalitis | | Typhoid Fever | Lepto- spiroses | Paratyphoid Fever | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Puerperal Pyrexia | Infect- ive Jaundice |
|---------------------|--------------------|----------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | Infective | Post Infectious | | | | | | | |
| Under 5 years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 5 - 14 Yrs. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| 15 - 44 Yrs. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 45 - 64 Yrs. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 65 Yrs. and over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Age Unknown | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |

TUBERCULOSISNEW CASESDEATHS IN 1973

| | Respiratory | | Non | | Respiratory | | Non | |
|-------------------|-------------|--------|------|--------|-------------|--------|------|--------|
| | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female |
| Under 1 Year | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1 Year | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2 - 4 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 5 - 9 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 10 - 14 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 15 - 19 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 20 - 24 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 25 - 34 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 35 - 44 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 45 - 54 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 55 - 64 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 65 - 74 Years | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 75 Years and Over | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total: | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION OF THE AREAANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR FOR 1973REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSALRefuse Vehicles at present in use

1-S/D Pakamatic 60 cubic yard capacity
 1-S/D Pakamatic 35 cubic yard capacity
 3-Dennis "Paxit's" 35/50 cubic yard capacity
 1-Standby vehicle S/D 25 cubic yard capacity

Disposal of Refuse and Method

Candlesby Tip, Chalk Pit, Candlesby Hill - Controlled Tipping.
 The extension has now been completed and finally covered over. At the end of the year tipping commenced in the old pit at Dalby.

Parishes served by the Scavenging SchemeOnce weekly

Spilsby, Wainfleet-A11-Saints, Burgh, Chapel, Hogsthorpe, Ingoldmells and Hundleby.

The remaining 62 Parishes - once fortnightly.

CESSPOOL EMPTYING

All cesspools at domestic premises receive a free cleansing service once every year. Additional emptyings are charged at the rate of £1.00 per time. Business premises are charged £3.00 per emptying.

A 2000 gallon Dennis/Molex Cesspool Emptyer was brought into use this year and proved to be of great value to the Council. The vehicle is capable of emptying three cesspools per load and, therefore, a great deal of travelling is eliminated. This has resulted in a much improved service.

During the year the work carried out was as follows:-

FREE SERVICE:

| | |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Private dwellings | 1,089 |
| Council Houses | 158 |
| Sewage Disposal Works | 115 |

PAID SERVICE:

| | |
|-------------------|--------------|
| Private dwellings | 156 |
| Schools | 19 |
| Business premises | 86 |
| | <u>1,623</u> |

Cesspool Emptying Vehicles in use

- 1-Dennis 1000 gallons capacity vehicle
- 1-Dennis/Molex 2000 gallon capacity vehicle

HOUSING

Total number of dwelling houses and flats in the district 9,476

Total number of dwelling houses erected during the year

- (1) By the Local Authority 5
- (2) By other Bodies or Persons 162

Inspection of Dwelling Houses during the Year

- (i) Total number of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts). 129
- (ii) Number of inspections made for the purpose 250

Remedy of Defects during the year without service of formal notices

Number of defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of Informal action by the Local Authority or their Officers

Action under Statutory Powers during the year

(1) Proceedings under Public Health Act

- (a) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied Nil
- (b) Number of dwelling houses in which defects were remedied after service of Formal Notices
 - (i) by owners Nil
 - (ii) by Local Authority in default of owners Nil

(2) Proceedings under Housing Acts

- (a) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs Nil
- (b) Number of dwelling houses which were rendered fit after service of Formal Notice
 - (i) by owners Nil
 - (ii) by Local Authority in default of owners Nil
 - (iii) number of unfit houses purchased by Local Authority in accordance with Housing Acts Nil
- (c) Number of certificates of disrepair issued Nil

(3) Slum Clearance - Proceedings under the Housing Acts

- (a) Number of dwelling houses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made (individual unfit houses only) 21
- (b) Number of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of Demolition Orders (individual unfit houses only) 6
- (c) Number of dwelling houses or parts, subject to Closing Orders Nil
- (d) Number of dwelling houses or parts, rendered fit by undertakings 11
- (e) Number of dwelling houses included in confirmed Clearance Orders Nil
- (f) Number of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance thereof Nil
- (g) Total number of dwelling houses on which Demolition Orders are operative and which are still occupied except under the provisions of Section 34, 35 and 46 of the Housing Act, 1957 27
- (h) Total number of dwelling houses occupied under Section 34, 35 and 46 of the Housing Act, 1957 Nil
- (i) Houses demolished or closed voluntarily by owners which would otherwise have been the subject of statutory action to secure demolition or closure Nil

Housing Act, 1969

Number of dwellings for which application for grants have been made

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| (a) Standard Grant (Section 8) | 4 |
| (b) Improvement Grant (Section 2) | 174 |
| (c) Special Grants (Section 13) | Nil |

Number of dwellings subject to Grant

| | |
|--|-----|
| (a) Standard Grant | 3 |
| (b) Improvement Grant | 187 |
| (c) Special Grant (include dwellings in Improvement areas) | Nil |

Section 45, Qualification Certificates

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| Applications received | 9 |
| Granted | 7 |
| Refused | 2 |

Section 46, Certificate of Provisional Approval

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| Applications received | 2 |
| Granted | 2 |

Moveable Dwellings, Tents, Vans etc.

Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960

| | |
|---|--------|
| Number of Site Licences | 173 |
| Total number of caravans permitted under such Licence | 10,323 |
| Number of inspections during the year - | |
| Sites | 64 |
| Caravans | 30 |
| Number of Contraventions remedied | 23 |
| Number of Sites exempt from Licence | 18 |
| Number of Caravans thereon | 25 |
| Number of holiday chalets | 3,580 |

SLAUGHTERHOUSES

Private (individual)

5

Unsound Food

Carcases and Offal Inspected and Condemned in Whole or in Part

| | Cattle Excluding Cows | Cows | Calves | Sheep and Lambs | Pigs | Horses |
|---|-----------------------------|------|--------|-----------------------|-------|--------|
| Number killed (if known) | 633 | 1 | 4 | 1,075 | 1,451 | - |
| Number inspected | 633 | 1 | 4 | 1,075 | 1,451 | - |
| All diseases except Tuberculosis and Cysticerci Whole carcases condemned | 1 | - | - | 1 | 3 | - |
| Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned | 27 | 1 | - | 5 | 31 | - |
| Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than Tuberculosis and Cysticerci | 4.4% | 100% | - | 0.5% | 2.3% | - |
| Tuberculosis only Whole carcases condemned | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned | - | - | - | - | 4 | - |
| Percentage of the number inspected affected with Tuberculosis | - | - | - | - | 0.2% | - |
| Cysticercosis Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Carcases submitted to treatment by refrigeration | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Generalised and totally condemned | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Other Foods Condemned

17 tons Fresh Vegetables

1 ton Frozen Food

Method of disposal of condemned food - Buried on Tip

ICE CREAM

| | | | |
|---|----|---------|-----|
| Number of Manufactures on register | | | 2 |
| Number of premises licensed for sale of Ice Cream | | | 160 |
| Number of inspections of premises made | | | 75 |
| Number of contraventions found - Remedied | | | - |
| Number of samples taken | 51 | Grade 1 | 25 |
| | | Grade 2 | 6 |
| | | Grade 3 | 4 |
| | | Grade 4 | 5 |

MEAT PRODUCTS

| | | |
|--|--|----|
| Number of premises registered for manufacture of meat products | | 14 |
| Number of inspections made | | 48 |
| Number of contraventions found - Remedied | | - |

BAKEHOUSES

| | | |
|--------------------------|--|-----|
| Number in District | | 6 |
| Number of inspections | | 7 |
| Number of contraventions | | 1 |
| Defects remedied | | Nil |

OTHER FOOD PREMISES

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--|-----|
| Number of other food premises | | 376 |
| Number of inspections | | 250 |
| Number of contraventions found | | 30 |
| Remedied | | 28 |

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE

CLOSETS

| | | |
|---|--|-----|
| Number of houses with privy vaults in District | | Nil |
| Number of houses with pail closets in the District | | Nil |
| Number of houses with water closets in District | | |
| Number of water-closets substituted for pail closets and privy vaults | | |
| Do Council operate pail closet emptying service? | | No |

CESSPOOLS AND SEPTIC TANKS

| | |
|---|-------|
| Number of cesspools and septic tanks emptied, cleansed etc. | 1,570 |
| Number of cesspools and septic tanks abolished | - |
| Do Council operate cesspool/septic tank emptying service? | Yes |
| Number of vehicles in use for emptying pail closets and cesspools | 2 |

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Details of areas and villages where provision has been made of new sewers or where existing sewerage arrangements improved

PARTNEY - Sausthorpe Corner

CROFT - Lomaxs Corner

WATER SUPPLIES

DOMESTIC

| | |
|---|-------|
| Number of houses supplied from public mains in houses | 8,636 |
| Standpipe/outside tap | 40 |
| Number of houses with unsatisfactory supplies | Nil |
| Number of houses supplied therefrom | Nil |
| Number of houses supplied from private sources - in house | 25 |
| - not in house | 75 |

Number of samples taken for bacteriological examination:

| | |
|-----------------------|-----|
| From public supplies | |
| Satisfactory | 6 |
| Unsatisfactory | Nil |
| From private supplies | |
| Satisfactory | 12 |
| Unsatisfactory | 2 |

Number of samples for chemical examination:

| | |
|-----------------------|-----|
| From public supplies | |
| Satisfactory | Nil |
| Unsatisfactory | Nil |
| From private supplies | |
| Satisfactory | Nil |
| Unsatisfactory | Nil |

| | | |
|---|-----|-----|
| Number in operation | 17 | 1 |
| Number fitted with continuous filtration and chlorination | 17 | Nil |
| Number of samples of water taken for chemical examination | | |
| (a) Satisfactory | Nil | Nil |
| (b) Unsatisfactory | Nil | Nil |
| Number of samples taken for bacteriological examination | | |
| (a) Satisfactory | Nil | Nil |
| (b) Unsatisfactory | Nil | Nil |

SEA WATER

No samples taken

For bacteriological examination

6

FACTORIES ACT, 1961 - Part 1 of the Act

| Premises (1) | Number on Register (2) | Number of | | |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | Inspections (3) | Written Notices (4) | Occupiers Prosecuted (5) |
| (i) Factories in which Sections 1,2,3,4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities | 2 | 1 | - | - |
| (ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority | 100 | 40 | 5 | - |
| (iii) Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers premises) | 5 | 5 | - | - |
| Total: | 107 | 46 | 5 | - |

2. Cases in which Defects were found

| Particulars (1) | Number of cases in which defects were found | | | | Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (6) |
|--------------------------------|--|-----------------|---|-----------------------------|---|
| | Found (2) | Remedied (3) | Referred to H.M. Inspector (4) | by H.M. Inspector (5) | |
| Sanitary Conveniences (s.7) | | | | | |
| (a) Insufficient | 3 | 2 | - | - | - |
| (b) Defective | 2 | 2 | - | - | - |
| Total: | 5 | 4 | - | - | - |

PART VIII OF THE ACT
OUTWORK
(Sections 133 and 134)

| Nature of work (1) | Number of out-workers in August list required by Section 133 (1) (c) (2) | Section 133 | | Section 134 | | |
|--|--|---|---|---|-----------------------|----------------------|
| | | Number of cases of default in sending lists to the Council (3) | Number of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (4) | Number of instances of work in unwhole-some premises (5) | Notices served (6) | Prosecu-tions (7) |
| Wearing Apparel - Making etc. Cleaning and washing Stuffed toys | 5 31 | - - | - - | - - | - - | - - |
| TOTAL | 36 | - | - | - | - | - |

REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL

| | |
|---|----------------------------------|
| No. of premises from which refuse is collected | - |
| Frequency of collection | Weekly and fortnightly |
| Type of receptacle (e.g. bin or sack) | Bins and sacks |
| Method of disposal - Controlled tipping. Is this satisfactory? | Yes |
| No. of tips | 1 |
| No. of refuse collection vehicles | 6 |
| Estimated amount of refuse disposed of during year on | |
| Local Authority tips | Trade and Domestic - 12,000 tons |
| No. of sites established under the Civic Amenities Act 1967, section 18 | 1 |
| Do Council make special collection of bulky refuse which is too large for normal collection - free No. on payment | |

ATMOSPHERIC POLLUTION

| | |
|--|-----|
| No. of visits | Nil |
| No. of nuisances found | Nil |
| No. of nuisances abated | Nil |
| No. of smokeless zones | Nil |
| No. of proposed smokeless zones | Nil |
| Total No. of houses in smokeless zones | Nil |

NOISE ABATEMENT ACT 1960

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| No. of complaints | 5 |
| No. of nuisances found | 5 |
| No. of nuisances abated | 5 |

GENERAL

Offensive Trades

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----|
| No. of premises in District | Nil |
| No. of inspections | Nil |
| Contraventions remedied | Nil |

Knackers Yard

| | |
|-------------------------|-----|
| No. licensed | Nil |
| No. of inspections | Nil |
| Contraventions remedied | Nil |

Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| Total No. of premises licensed | 223 |
| No. of inspections | 119 |
| No. of defects | 6 |
| No. remedied | 6 |

Disinfection and Disinfestation

Rooms or premises disinfected -

(a) infectious diseases other than Tuberculosis Nil

(b) Tuberculosis Nil

No. of premises subject to disinfestation 6

Details of nuisance abated

| | After Informal Intimation | After Statutory Notice | | After Informal Intimation | After Statutory Notice |
|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Refuse | 15 | - | | | |
| Foul ditches, Ponds and Stagnant water | 4 | - | Dangerous Premises | 4 | 1 |
| Drainage | 15 | - | Miscellan- eous nuisances | 4 | - |
| Poultry and Animals | 2 | - | | | |
| | <u>36</u> | <u>-</u> | | <u>8</u> | <u>1</u> |

RATS AND MICE DESTRUCTION

Rat Free Area

As reported last year the Rat Free Area in the south of the District was enlarged. The total area now covers approximately 4,500 acres, and has justified the time and effort put in by the Ministry Officials and those of this Council.

Following the re-organisation of Local Government these types of rat free areas need to be increased and maintained.

No. of rodent operatives employed: 1 full time and 1 part time

No. of premises treated (a) dwelling houses 671
(b) other premises 925

Does service cover (a) domestic and business premises only or no
(b) domestic, business and agricultural premises yes

House or premises disinfected
 (a) Disinfection of premises other than tuberculous
 (b) Disinfection of premises - tuberculous
 No. of premises disinfected

Details of nuisance abated
 No. of nuisances abated
 (a) Nuisances abated
 (b) Nuisances abated

Refuse and
 Potable water

| | |
|---------------|-----|
| Refuse and | 100 |
| Potable water | 100 |
| Refuse and | 100 |
| Potable water | 100 |
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| Potable water | 100 |

RATE AND NICE DISINFECTION
 Rat Free Area

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Following the re-organization of local government the Rat Free Area was enlarged. The total area now covered approximately 1,500 acres, and the

No. of premises treated (a) dwelling houses (b) other premises

Boys service center (a) domestic and commercial (b) other premises

Boys service center (a) domestic and commercial (b) other premises



