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BOROUGH OF TAMWORTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF

The Medical Officer of Health,
and Sanitary Inspector, for
the year 1943.



To the Mayor Aldermen and Councillors.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

We beg to present Annual Report on the health of the Borough of Tamworth for the year ending December 31st 1943.

Certain information normally given has been omitted in accordance with instructions received from the Ministry of Health.

VITAL STATISTICS

Birth Rate	19.0
Still Birth Rate	20.6
Death Rate	9.8

Deaths of Infants under one year

(a) All infants per 1,000 live births	51.0
(b) Legitimate infants, per 1,000 legitimate live births	54.3
(c) Illegitimate infants, per 1,000 illegitimate live births	0

Maternal Mortality per 1,000 live plus
still births

(a) Deaths from Puerperal Sepsis	0
(b) Other Puerperal Causes	0

Deaths from Cancer 17

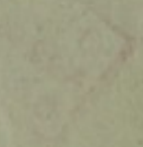
Deaths from Measles 0

Deaths from Whooping Cough 1

Deaths from Diarrhoea (under 2 years) 0

NURSING IN THE HOMELABORATORY WORKLEGISLATION IN FORCEHOSPITALSAMBULANCE FACILITIESCLINICS AND TREATMENT CENTRES

)
) Arrangements and conditions
) remain the same as in last
) report.



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WATER SUPPLY

The supply is constant, ample and of good quality. Samples sent for chemical and bacteriological examination have in all cases been satisfactory.

Only one small house is without a piped water supply.

HOUSING

No houses were erected during the year either by the Local Authority, other Local Authorities or other Bodies or persons.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES (other than Tuberculosis)

Disease	Total Cases notified	Cases admitted to Hospital	Total Deaths	Under 1 year													
					1 - 2	2 - 3	3 - 4	4 - 5	5 - 10	10 - 15	15 - 20	20 - 35	35 - 45	45 - 60	60 & over		
Smallpox	0	0	0	0													
Scarlet Fever	25	25	0	0	1	1	1	2	7	9	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enteric Fever (incl. Paratyphoid)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Puerperal Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pneumonia	23	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	3	5	1	4	0	0
Erysipelas	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Encephalitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lethargica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Acute Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whooping Cough	31	0	1	6	3	3	5	6	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	16	0	0	0	2	5	2	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

TUBERCULOSIS. New Cases and mortality during the year:-

		Age Periods								TOTALS		
		0 - 1	1 - 5	5 - 15	15 - 25	25 - 35	35 - 45	45 - 55	55 - 65		65 & over	
<u>NEW CASES</u>												
Pulmonary	Male	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	4)	7
	Female	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	3)	
Non-pulmonary	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0)	0
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0)	
<u>DEATHS</u>												
Pulmonary	Male	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	3)	3
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0)	
Non-pulmonary	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0)	0
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0)	

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNISATION

During the year 1943, the undermentioned children were immunised against Diphtheria, and the material used as stated below:-

BOROUGH RESIDENTS

Under 5 years of age 143

From 5 to 15 years 164

RESIDENTS IN RURAL DISTRICTS

Under 5 years of age 21

From 5 to 15 years 51

TOTAL CHILDREN IMMUNISED 379

Material used:- APT

The above children resident in Rural Districts who were immunised attended Schools or Welfare Centres in the Borough.

RESEARCH RESULTS

During the year 1941, an experimental program was conducted against insects, and the results are as follows:

HOUSE FLIES

1941 - 1000
1942 - 1000

CRICKETS

1941 - 1000
1942 - 1000

GRASSHOPPERS

1941 - 1000
1942 - 1000

The above results indicate that the insects were present in the area during the year 1941.

It is noted that the insects were present in the area during the year 1941.

1941

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT

The number of types of closet accommodation existing at the end of the year 1943 is set out below:—

No. of houses	3,377		
No. of privies	6		
No. of pails	36		
No. of water closets	3,630		
per cent - dry) 1.2)	
" " - water closets) 98.8)	100%

SLAUGHTERHOUSES

Public Health Meat Regulations, 1924, and 1935.

Slaughter of Animals Act, 1933.

Animals slaughtered and inspected, and amount of Food condemned and destroyed as unfit for food during the year 1943

Animals slaughtered and inspected

Cattle	1,856
Calves	54
Sheep	7,659
Pigs	455

Whole carcasses condemned

No.	lbs.
Cattle	34,901
Calves	259
Sheep	265
Pigs	585

Part carcasses and organs

Cattle	9,761
Calves	30
Sheep	228
Pigs	226

Other food

2,796

Total amount condemned

49,051-lbs

REGISTERED PREMISES

Premises in respect of which Byelaws and Regulations are in force to regulate the trades or businesses carried thereon, remain the same as in 1942 report.

ANNUAL REPORT

The number of specimens of plants and animals collected during the year 1922 is as follows:

Plants	1,234
Animals	567
Plants	890
Animals	321
Plants	654
Animals	987
Plants	432
Animals	765

PLANTS

Plants collected in the field, 1922, and 1923.

Plants of America, 1922

Animals which were not inspected, but which are contained and deposited as gifts for food during the year 1922.

Plants	1,234	567	890
Animals	567	321	987
Plants	890	654	432
Animals	321	765	1098
Plants	654	432	210
Animals	987	765	543
Plants	432	210	876
Animals	765	543	321

Other lists
Total plants contained

REGISTERED SPECIMENS

Further in regard to the plants and animals are to be found in the report for the year 1922, which is published in the form of a separate report, and which is also available.