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BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to the Cleansing of Earth Closets, Privies, Ashpits and Cesspools, in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

THE CLEANSING OF EARTH CLOSETS, PRIVIES, ASHPITS, AND CESSPOOLS BELONGING TO ANY PREMISES.

three months, cleanse every Earth Closet belonging to such premises and furnished with a fixed receptacle for fœcal matter, and with suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of dry earth to such matter.

2. The occupier of any premises shall, once at least in every week, cleanse every Earth Closet belonging to such premises, and furnished with a movable receptacle for fœcal matter, and with suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of dry earth to such matter.

3. The occupier of any premises shall, once at least in every week, cleanse every Privy belonging to such premises, and furnished with a fixed receptacle for fœcal matter.

4. The occupier of any premises shall, once at least in every week, cleanse every Privy belonging to such premises and furnished with a movable receptacle for forcal matter.

5. The occupier of any premises shall, once at least in every three months, cleanse every Cesspool belonging to such premises.

PENALTIES.

6. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-Laws shall be liable for every such offence to a Penalty of Five Pounds. Provided nevertheless, that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made or any proceedings may be taken in respect of any such offence, may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a Penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the Penalty imposed by this Bye-Law.

REPEAL OF BYE-LAWS.

7. From and after the date of the confirmation of these Bye-Laws, the Bye-Laws relating to Cleansing of Footways and Pavements, removal of refuse from any premises, which were confirmed by the Local Government Board on the twenty-first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, shall be repealed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health, pursuant to a resolution of the said Board passed the 24th day of April, 1883, in the presence of H. SPENCER A. FOY, 6 and 7, Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board this 14th day of May, 1884. Charles W. Dilke,

HUGH OWEN, Secretary.

President.

Seal of the Local Govern ment Board.

BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to Nuisances in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

INTERPRETATION OF TERMS.

Throughout these Bye-Laws the expression "The Sanitary Authority "means the Local Board for the District of Edmonton, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority; and the expression "The District" mea is the Local Government District of Edmonton.

FOR THE PREVENTION OF NUISANCES ARISING FROM SNOW, FILTH, DUST, ASHES AND RUBBISH, AND FOR THE PREVENTION OF THE KEEPING OF Animals on any Premises so as to be injurious to Health.

1. The occupier of any premises fronting, adjoining or abutting on any street shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the cessation of any fall of snow, remove or cause to be removed from the footways and pavements adjoining such premises, all snow fallen or accumulated on such footways and pavements, in such a manner and with such precautions as will prevent any undue accumulation in any channel or carriage way, or upon any paved crossing.

2. Every person who shall remove any snow from any premises shall deposit the same in such a manner and with such precautions as to prevent any undue accumulation thereof in any channel or carriage

way, or upon any paved crossing.

If in the process of such removal, any snow be deposited upon any footway or pavement, he shall forthwith remove such snow from

such footway or pavement.

3. Every person who, for the purpose of facilitating the removal of any snow from any footway or pavement, shall throw salt upon such snow, shall forthwith effectually remove from such footway or pavement the whole of the deposit resulting from the mixture of the salt with the snow.

4. The occupier of any premises who shall remove or cause to be removed any filth, dust, ashes, or rubbish, produced upon his premises shall not, in the process of removal, deposit such filth, dust, ashes or rubbish, or cause or allow such filth, dust, ashes, or rubbish, to be

deposited upon any footway, pavement, or carriage way.

5. Every person who, for the purpose of depositing any filth dust, ashes, or rubbish, upon any lands or premises, or for the purpose of depositing any dust, ashes, or rubbish, in any receptacle provided by the Sanitary Authority for the temporary deposit and collection of dust, ashes, and rubbish, shall remove such filth, dust,

ashes, or rubbish, from any premises, or from any cart, carriage, or other means of conveyance, across or along any footway, pavement, or carriage way, shall use a suitable vessel or receptacle, properly constructed and furnished with a sufficient covering, so as to prevent the escape of the contents thereof, and shall adopt such other precautions as may be necessary to prevent any such filth, dust, ashes or rubbish, from being slopped or spilled, or from falling in the process of removal upon such footway, pavement, or carriage way.

- 6. The owner or consignee of any cargo, load, or collection of filth, which may have been conveyed, by water or by land, to any place within the District to await removal from such place by such owner or consignee, and may have been deposited to await such removal upon any premises whereon such filth may lawfully be deposited, but in such a situation and in such a manner that such filth may be exposed without adequate means of preventing the emmission of stench therefrom at a distance of not more than one hundred and fifty yards from any street or from any building or premises used wholly or partly for human habitation or as a school, or as a place of public worship, or of public resort, or public assembly or from any building or premises in or on which any person may be employed in any manufacture, trade or business, shall not, without reasonable excuse, cause or suffer such filth to remain after the deposit, and before the removal thereof for a longer period than twenty-four hours.
- 7. Every person who may have undertaken to deliver to the owner or consignee thereof any cargo, load, or collection of filth, which may have been conveyed, by water or by land, to any place within the District for the purpose of being delivered by such person to such owner or consignee, and may have been deposited to await such delivery upon any premises whereon such filth may lawfully be deposited, but in such a situation and in such a manner that such filth may be exposed without adequate means of preventing the emission of stench therefrom at a distance of not more than one hundred and fifty yards from any street, or from any building or premises used wholly or partly for human habitation, or as a school, or as a place of public worship, or of public resort, or public assembly, or from any building or premises in or on which any person may be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business, shall not, without reasonable excuse, cause or suffer such filth to remain after the deposit, and before the removal thereof for a period of more than twenty-four hours.

8. Every person who, for any purpose of agriculture, shall deposit or cause to be deposited upon any lands or premises within the distance of one hundred and fifty yards from any street, or from any building or premises used, wholly or partly for human habitation, or as a school, or as a place of public worship, or of public resort, or public assembly, or from any building or premises in or on which any person may be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business, any filth which may have been removed from any cesspool or any filth which

may have been removed from any privy, or from any receptacle used in connection with any privy, and which may not have been effectually deodorized, shall, with all reasonable dispatch, cause such filth to be ploughed or dug into the ground or to be covered with a sufficient layer of ashes, or other suitable substance, or shall adopt such other precautions as may be reasonably necessary to prevent the emission of noxious or offensive effluvia from such filth.

9. The occupier of any premises shall not keep any swine, or deposit any swine's dung within the distance of one hundred feet from any dwelling-house or in such a situation, or in such a manner as to pollute any water supplied for use, or used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or any water used or likely to be used in any dairy.

deposit the dung of any cattle in such a situation, or in such a manner as to pollute any water supplied for use, or used, or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or any water used or likely to be used in any dairy.

any horse, or other beast of draught or burden, or any cattle or swine, may be kept, shall provide, in connection with such building or formula offensive, a suitable receptacle for dung, manure, soil, filth, or other offensive premises or noxious matter, which may from time to time, be produced in the keeping of any such animal in such building or upon such premises.

He shall cause such receptacle to be constructed so that the bottom or floor thereof shall not in any case be lower than the

surface of the ground adjoining such receptacle.

He shall also cause such receptacle to be constructed in such a manner and of such materials, and to be maintained at all times in such a condition as to prevent any escape of the contents thereof, or any soakage therefrom into the ground, or into the wall of any building.

He shall cause such receptacle to be furnished with a suitable cover, and when not required to be open, to be kept properly covered.

He shall likewise provide in connection with such building or premises, a sufficient drain, constructed in such a manner, and of such materials, and maintained at all times in such a condition, as effectually to convey all urine or liquid filth, or retuse therefrom into a sewer, cesspool, or other proper receptacle.

He shall, once at least in every week remove or cause to be removed from the receptacle provided in accordance with the requirements of this Bye-law all dung, manure, soil, filth, or other offensive or noxious matter produced in or upon such building or premises, and

deposited in such receptacle.

The occupier of any premises within the District, used as a stable or cowshed, shall limewash or otherwise cleanse and keep free from filth the interior of such premises.

12. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing

Bye-laws, shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of Five Pounds, and in the case of a continuing offence, to a further penalty of Forty shillings for each day after written notice of the offence from

the Sanitary Authority.

Provided nevertheless, that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made, or any proceedings may be taken in respect of any such offence may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty imposed by this Bye-law.

13. From and after the date of the confirmation of these Byelaws, the Byelaws relating to the Prevention of Nuisances, which were confirmed by the Local Government Board on the 21st day of

October, in the year 1875, shall be repealed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health, pursuant to a resolution of the said Board passed the 24th day of April, 1883, in the presence of H. Spencer A. Fox.

H. Spencer A. Foy, 6 and 7 Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board, this 14th day of May, 1884.

CHARLES W. DILKE.

President.

Hugh Owen, Secretary. Seal of the Local Government Board. BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to Common Lodging Houses in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

INTERPRETATION OF TERMS.

1. Throughout these Bye-Laws the expression "The Sanitary Authority" means the Local Board for the District of Edmonton, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the expression "The District" means the Local Government District of Edmonton.

For fixing and from time to time varying the number of lodgers who may be received into a common lodging house, and for the separation of the sexes therein; and

For promoting cleanliness and ventilation in such houses; and For the giving of notices and the taking precautions in the case of any infectious disease; and

Generally for the well ordering of such houses.

2. A keeper of a common lodging house shall not at any one time, receive, or cause or suffer to be received into such house, or into any room therein, a greater number of lodgers than shall be fixed by the Sanitary Authority as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received into such house, or into such room, and shall be specified in a notice in writing, according to the form hereinafter prescribed, which shall be duly served upon or delivered to such keeper, and shall continue in force until, in pursuance of the provisions of the Bye-Law in that behalf, the number so fixed and specified shall be varied by the Sanitary Authority.

FORM OF NOTICE.

To

Whereas in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf, you have been duly registered by the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton, as the keeper of a common lodging house, situate at in the said District

Now, I

, Clerk to the said Sanitary Authority, do hereby give you notice that, in the exercise of the powers conferred upon them in that behalf, the said Sanitary Authority have fixed, as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into such house, and into the several rooms therein, the number specified in respect of such house, and of each of such rooms in the Schedule hereunto appended.

SCHEDULE.

District of Edmonton.

Common Lodging House situate at

Name of Keeper

The maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into this house is

The maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into each of the several rooms in this house, is the number specified in respect of such room in the appropriate column of the following table:—

*	Description or Number of Room.	Dimensions or cubical Contents of Room.	Maximum Number of Lodgers.
Ground Storey.			
First Storey.			
Second Storey.			
Topmost Storey.			

For the purposes of this notice every two children under the age of ten years, may be counted as one lodger.

Witness my hand this

day of

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Clerk to the Sanitary Authority.

3. A keeper of a common lodging house, in any case where the Sanitary Authority may from time to time determine that it is expedient to vary the number fixed by them as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received into such house, or into any room therein, and may from time to time, for the purpose of such variation, cause to be duly served upon or delivered to such keeper a notice in writing, according to the form hereinafter prescribed, shall not at any one time after any such notice shall have been duly served upon or delivered to him, and after the date specified in such notice, and until in pursuance of the provisions of this Bye-Law, the number specified in such notice shall be further varied, receive, or cause or suffer to be received into such house, or into any room therein, a greater number of lodgers than shall be specified in such notice as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received into such house or into such room.

FORM OF NOTICE.

To of

Whereas in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf, you have been duly registered by the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton, as the keeper of a common lodging house, situated at in the said District

And whereas the said Sanitary Authority have determined that it is expedient to vary the number heretofore fixed by them, as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into such house, and into the several rooms therein:

Now, I , Clerk to the said Sanitary Authority, do hereby give you notice that, from and after the day of , the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into such house, and into the several rooms therein, shall be the number specified in respect of such house, and of each of such rooms in the Schedule hereunto appended.

SCHEDULE.

District of Edmonton.

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Name of Keeper

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First Storey.			
Second Storey.		*	
Topmost Storey.			

For the purposes of this notice every two children under the age of ten years may be counted as one lodger.

Witness ray hand this

day of

18

Clerk to the Sanitary Authority.

4. A keeper of a common lodging house shall not, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause or suffer any person of the male sex above the age of ten years to use or occupy any room which may be used or occupied as a sleeping apartment by persons of the female sex.

Such keeper shall not, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause or suffer any person of the female sex to use or occupy any room which may be used or occupied as a sleeping apartment by persons of the male sex above the age of ten years

Provided that this Bye-Law shall not be taken to prohibit the use and occupation by a husband and wife of any room which may

not be used or occupied by any other person of either sex above the age of ten years, or which may be used in accordance with the provisions of the Bye-Law in that behalf as a sleeping apartment for two or more married couples.

5. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause every room therein which may be appointed for use and occupation as a sleeping apartment by two or more married couples to be so furnished or fitted that every bed when in use and occupation shall be effectually screened from the view of any occupant of any other bed by means of a partition of wood or other solid material, which shall be constructed and fixed or placed so as to allow adequate means of access to the bed which such partition is intended to screen, and so as to extend upwards throughout the whole length and breadth of such bed to a sufficient height above such bed, and downwards to a distance of not more than six inches above the level of the floor.

6. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause every yard, area, forecourt or other open space within the curtilage of the premises, to be maintained at all times in good order and to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time as often as may be reasonably necessary, for the purpose of keeping such yard, area, forecourt, or other open space in a clean and wholesome condition.

7. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause the floor of every room, or passage, and every stair in such house to be thoroughly swept, once at least in every day, before the hour of ten in the forenoon, and to be thoroughly washed, once at least in every

week.

8. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause every window, every fixture, or fitting of wood, stone, or metal, and every painted surface in such house to be thoroughly cleansed from time to

time as often as shall be requisite.

9. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause all bed clothes and bedding, and every bedstead used in such house, to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as shall be requisite for the purpose of keeping such bed clothes, bedding and bedstead in a clean and wholesome condition.

of the lodgers received into such house, cause to be provided a sufficient number of basins or other receptacles for water, of adequate capacity and suitably placed and a sufficient supply of water, and a sufficient number of towels, for use in connection with such basins or other receptacles. He shall cause such basins or receptacles to be kept clean and in good order, and the supply of towels to be renewed from time to time, as often as may be requisite.

solid or liquid filth, or refuse, to be removed, once at least in every day, before the hour of ten in the forenoon, from every room in such house, and shall, once at least in every day cause every vessel, utensil, or other receptacle for such filth or refuse, to be thoroughly cleansed.

12. Every keeper of a common lodging house, shall cause the seat, floor and walls of every water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time as often as may be necessary for the purpose of keeping such seat, floor and walls in a clean and wholesome condition.

part of the structure of every water closet belonging to such house, to be maintained at all times in good order, and every part of the apparatus of such water closet, and every drain or means of drainage with which such water closet may communicate, to be maintained at

all times in good order and efficient action.

14. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause every earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, and every receptacle for filth provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy, to be maintained at all times in good order and in a wholesome condition.

He shall cause all such means or apparatus as may be provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy, and such receptacle for the frequent and effectual application of dry earth, or other deodorizing substance to any filth deposited in such receptacle to be maintained at all times in good order and efficient action.

He shall cause a sufficient supply of such dry earth, or other deodorizing substance, to be from time to time provided for use in such earth closet, privy, or receptacle for filth, and shall cause such dry earth or other deodorizing substance to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth, or he shall cause such dry earth or other deodorizing substance as may from time to time be applied to such house, in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf by the Sanitary Authority, or by any person with whom they may contract for the purpose, to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth.

ash pit belonging to such house to be maintained at all times in good

order and in a wholsome condition.

He shall not cause or suffer any filth or wet refuse to be thrown into any ash pit constructed and adapted for use only as a receptacle

for ashes, dust and dry refuse.

such means of ventilation as may be provided in or in connection with any room or passage in such house, and in or in connection with any water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, to be

maintained at all times in good order and efficient action.

17. Ever keeper of a common lodging house shall, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause every window in every room in such house which may be appointed for use and occupation as a sleeping apartment, to be opened, and to be kept fully open for one hour at least in the forenoon, and for one hour at least in the afternoon of every day.

Provided that such keeper shall not be required in pursuance of

this Bye-Law to cause any such window to be opened or to be kept open at any time when the state of the weather is such as to render it necessary that the window should be closed, or when any bed in such room may be occupied by any lodger in consequence of sickness or of other sufficient cause.

18. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause the bed clothes of every bed in such house to be removed from such bed, as soon as conveniently may be after such bed shall have been vacated by any lodger, and shall cause all such bed clothes and the bed from which such bed clothes may have been removed to be freely exposed to the air for one hour at least in the forenoon, or for one hour at least in the afternoon of every day.

19. Every keeper of a common lodging house, immediately after he shall have been informed, or shall have ascertained that any lodger in such house is ill of any infectious disease, shall adopt all such precautions as may be necessary to prevent the spread of such

infectious disease.

Such keeper shall not, at any time while such lodger is suffering from such infectious disease, cause or allow any other person except the wife or any other relative of such lodger, or except a person voluntarily in attendance on such lodger, to use or occupy the same

room as such lodger.

Where, in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf, the Sanitary Authority may order the removal of such lodger to a hospital or other place for the reception of the sick, such keeper, on being informed of such order, shall forthwith take all such steps as may be requisite on his part to secure the safe and prompt removal of such lodger in compliance with the order of the Sanitary Authority, and shall in and about such removal adopt all such precautions as in accordance with any instructions which he may receive from the Medical Officer of Health, may be most suitable for the circumstances of the case.

Where, in consequence of the illness of such lodger, there may be reasonable grounds for apprehending the spread of infection through the admission of lodgers to any room or rooms in such house, or through the admission to such room or rooms of the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received therein, such keeper, after being furnished with the necessary instructions from the Medical Officer of Health, and until the grounds for apprehending the spread of infection shall have been removed, shall cease to receive any lodger in such room or rooms, or shall receive therein such number of lodgers being less than the maximum number, as the exigencies of the case may require.

Such keeper shall, immediately after the death, removal, or recovery of any lodger who may have been ill of any infectious disease, give written notice thereof to the Medical Officer of Health, and shall, as soon as conveniently may be, cause every part of the room which may have been occupied by such lodger to be thoroughly cleansed and disinfected, and shall also cause every article in such room which may be liable to retain infection, to be in like manner cleansed and disinfected, unless the Sanitary Authority shall have ordered the same to be destroyed.

He shall comply with all instructions of the Medical Officer of Health as to the proper cleansing and disinfection of the room and articles.

When the same shall have been thoroughly cleansed and disinfected in accordance with such instructions, he shall give written notice thereof to the Medical Officer of Health, and until two days from the beginning of such notice shall have elapsed, and unless and until, by such cleansing and disinfection, the necessary precautions for preventing the spread of disease shall have been duly taken, such keeper shall not cause or suffer any lodger to be received into the room which in the case hereinbefore specified may have been exposed to infection.

20. A keeper of a common lodging house shall not at any time cause or suffer any room the ceiling of which is on a level with or below the level of the footpath or roadway immediately adjoining such house, or any room used as a kitchen or scullery, or any room not lighted and ventilated directly from the exterior, or any room in the roof of such house not furnished with an open fire place or flue to be

occupied as a sleeping room.

21. A keeper of a common lodging house shall not cause or suffer any bed in any room which may be used as a sleeping apartment by persons of the male sex above the age of ten years to be occupied at

any one time by more than one such person.

22. A keeper of a common lodging house shall not cause or suffer any lodger to occupy any bed in such house at any time within the period of eight hours after such bed shall have been vacated by the

lat preceding occupant thereof.

"23. Every keeper of a common lodging house shall cause every room in such house which may be appointed for use and occupation as a sleeping apartment, to be furnished with such number of beds and bedsteads, and with such a supply of bed clothes and of necessary utensils as may be sufficient for the requirements of the number of

lodgers received into such room.

24. Everykeeper of a common lodging house, on receiving from the Sanitary Authority a notice or placard wherein shall be stated the description or number of the room to which such notice or placard may apply, and the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time in such room, shall put up or affix and continue such notice or placard in a suitable and conspicuous position in such room and in such a manner that the words and figures in such notice or placard may be clearly and distinctly visible and legible.

He shall not at any time wilfully conceal, deface, alter, or obliterate any letter or figure in such notice or placard, or wilfully or carelessly

injure or destroy such notice or placard.

25. Every keeper of a common lodging house, on receiving from the Sanitary Authority for the purpose of exhibition in such house or

in any room therein, a copy or copies of any Bye-Law or Bye-laws for the time being in force with respect to common lodging houses, shall put up or affix and continue such copy or copies in a suitable and conspicuous position in such house or in such room and in such a manner that the contents of such copy or copies may be clearly and distinctly visible and legible.

He shall not at any time wilfully conceal, deface, alter, or obliterate any part of the contents of such copy or copies or wilfully or carelessly

injure or destroy such copy or copies.

26. Every keeper of a common lodging house who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-Laws shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of Five Pounds and in the case of a continuing offence to a further penalty of Two Pounds for each day after written notice of the offence from the Sanitary Authority.

Provided nevertheless, that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made or any proceeding may be taken in respect of any such offence, may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty imposed

by this Bye-Law.

27. From and after the date of the confirmation of these Bye-Laws the Bye-Laws relating to common lodging houses which were confirmed by the Local Government Board, on the 21st day of October in the year 1875, shall be repealed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health pursuant to a resolution of the said Board passed the 24th day of April, 1883,

In the presence of H. Spencer A. Foy, 6 & 7 Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board, this fourteenth day of May, 1884.

CHARLES W. DILKE,

Hugh Owen, Pr

Seal of the Local Government Board.

BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to New Streets and Buildings in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

INTERPRETATION OF TERMS.

r. In the construction of the Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them, unless such meanings be repugnant to or inconsistent with the context or subject matter in which such words or expressions occur, that is to say:—

"The Sanitary Authority" means the Local Board for the District of Edmonton, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority.

"The District" means the Local Government District of Edmonton.

"Base" applied to a wall means the under side of the course

immediately above the footings.

"Topmost Storey" means the uppermost storey in a building, whether constructed wholly or partly in the roof or not, and whether used or constructed or adapted for human habitation or not.

" Party Wall " means :--

(a) A wall forming part of a building, and being used or constructed to be used in any part of the height or length of such wall for separation of adjoining buildings belonging to different owners, or occupied, or constructed, or adapted to be occupied by different persons; or

(b) A wall forming part of a building and standing, in any part of the length of such wall, to a greater extent than the projection of the footings on one side on

grounds of different owners.

"External wall" means an outer wall of a building not being a party wall, even though adjoining to a wall of another

building.

"Public building" means a building used or constructed or adapted to be used, either ordinarily or occasionally, as a church, chapel, or other place of public worship, or as a hospital, workhouse, college, school (not being merely a dwelling-house so used), theatre, public hall, public concert room, public ball room, public lecture room, or public exhibition room, or as a public place of assembly for persons admitted thereto, by tickets or otherwise, or used or con-

structed or adapted to be used either ordinarily or occasionally for any other public purpose.

"Building of the warehouse class" means a warehouse, factory,

manufactory, brewery, or distillery.

"Domestic building" means a dwelling-house, or an officebuilding, or other out-building appurtenant to a dwellinghouse, whether attached thereto or not, or a shop, or any other building not being a public building or of the warehouse class.

"Dwelling-house" means a building used or constructed, or adapted to be used, wholly or principally for human habi-

tation.

"Width" applied to a new street means the whole extent of space intended to be used, or laid out, so as to admit of being used as a public way, exclusive of any steps or projections therein, and measured at right angles to the course or direction, or intended course or direction, of such street.

EXEMPTED BUILDINGS.

2. The following buildings shall be exempt from the operation of the Bye-laws relating to new streets and buildings:—

(a.) Any building in her Majesty's possession, or employed, or

intended to be employed for her Majesty's use or service.

(b.) Any county lunatic asylum, any sessions house, or any other public building, belonging to, or wholly and permanently occupied by the Justices of the Peace of the County in which such asylum, sessions house, or other public building may be situated, or may be erected.

(c.) Any gaol, house of correction, bridewell, penitentiary, or other prison, and any building occupied or intended to be occupied by any prison officer, for the use of such prison, and contiguous

thereto.

(d.) Any building (not being a dwelling-house) belonging to any person or body of persons, authorised by virtue of any Act of Parliament, to navigate on, or use any river, canal, dock, harbour, or basin, or to demand any tolls or dues in respect of the navigation of such river or canal, or the use of such dock, harbour, or basin, and used, or intended to be used, exclusively under the provisions of such Act of Parliament, for the purposes of such river, canal, dock, harbour, or basin.

(e.) Any building (not being a dwelling house) erected or intended to be erected in connection with any mine, and used or

intended to be used exclusively for the working of such mine.

(f.) Any building erected or intended to be erected under the Improvement of Land Act, 1864, or other Acts for the improvement of land administered by the Enclosure Commissioners for England and Wales.

(g.) Any building which may not be exempt by the operation

of any of the preceding clauses of this Bye-Law, and which may be erected or may be intended to be erected in accordance with such plan and in such manner as may be approved or directed, in pursuance of any statutory provision in that behalf by one of

Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

(h.) Any building erected and used, or intended to be erected and used exclusively for the purpose of a plant house, orchard house, summer house, poultry house, or aviary, which shall be wholly detached and at a distance of ten feet at the least from any other building, and which shall not be heated otherwise than by hot water, and in which the fireplaces (if any) shall be detached with no flues of any kind within such plant house, orchard house, summer house, poultry house, or aviary.

(i.) Any building which shall not exceed in height thirty feet as measured from the footings of the walls, and shall not exceed in extent one hundred and twenty-five thousand cubic feet, and shall not be a public building, and shall not be constructed or adapted to be used, either wholly or partly for human habitation, or as a place of habitual employment for any person, in any manufacture, trade, or business, and shall be distant at least eight feet from the nearest street, and at least thirty feet from the nearest building, and from the boundary of any adjoining lands or premises.

(j.) Any building which shall exceed in height thirty feet as measured from the footings of the walls, and shall exceed in extent one hundred and twenty-five thousand cubic feet, and shall not be a public building, and shall not be constructed or adapted to be used either wholly or partly for human habitation, or as a place of habitual employment for any person in any manufacture, trade, or business, and shall be distant at least thirty feet from the nearest street, and at least sixty feet from the nearest building, and from the boundary of any adjoining lands or premises

(k.) Any building erected or intended to be erected, for use solely as a temporary hospital, for the reception and treatment of

persons suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder.

WITH RESPECT TO THE LEVEL OF NEW STREETS.

3. Every person who shall lay out a new street shall lay out such street at such level as will afford the easiest practicable gradients throughout the entire length of such street, for the purpose of securing easy and convenient means of communication with any other street or intended street, with which such new street may be connected, or may be intended to be connected, and as will allow of compliance with the provisions of any statute or Bye-Law in force within the district for the regulation of new streets and buildings.

WITH RESPECT TO THE WIDTH AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW STREETS.

4. Every person who shall lay out a new street, which shall be intended for use as a carriage road, shall so lay out such street that the width thereof shall be forty feet at the least.

- 5. Every person who shall construct a new street, which shall exceed one hundred feet in length, shall construct such street for use as a carriage road, and shall, as regards such street, comply with the requirements of every Bye-Law relating to a new street, intended for use as a carriage road.
- 6. Every person who shall lay out a new street, which shall be intended for use otherwise than as a carriage road, and shall not exceed in length one hundred feet, shall so lay out such street that the width thereof shall be twenty-four feet at the least.

Provided always, that this Bye-Law shall not apply in any case where a new street shall not be intended to form the principal approach or means of access to any building, but shall be intended for use solely as a separate means of access to any premises, for the purpose of removing therefrom the contents of the receptacle of any privy, or of any ashpit, or of any cesspool, without carrying such contents through any dwelling-house, or public building, or any building in which any person may be, or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

- 7. Every person who shall construct a new street for use as a carriage road, shall comply with the following requirements:—
- (a) He shall construct the carriage way of such street so that the width thereof shall be twenty-four feet at the least.
- (b) He shall construct the surface of the carriage way of such street so as to curve or fall from the centre or crown of such carriage way, to the channels at the sides thereof, the height of the crown of such carriage way above the level of the side channels being calculated at the rate of not less than three-eighths of an inch, and not more than three-fourths of an inch for every foot of the width of such carriage way.
- (c) He shall construct on each side of such street a footway, of a width not less than six feet.
- (d) He shall construct each footway in such street so as to slope or fall towards the kerb or outer edge at the rate of one-half of an inch in every foot of width, if the footway be not paved, flagged, or asphalted, and at the rate of not less than a quarter of an inch, and not more than one-half of an inch in every foot of width if the footway be paved, flagged, or asphalted.
- (e) He shall construct each footway in such street so that the height of the kerb or outer edge of such footway above the channel of the carriage way (except in the case of crossings, paved or otherwise, formed for the use of foot passengers), shall be not less than three inches at the highest part of such channel, and not more than seven inches at the lowest part of such channel.

8. Every person who shall construct a new street shall provide at one end at least of such street, an entrance of a width equal to the width of such street, and open from the ground upwards.

WITH RESPECT TO THE STRUCTURE OF WALLS, FOUNDATIONS, ROOFS, AND CHIMNEYS OF NEW BUILDINGS, FOR SECURING STABILITY AND THE PREVENTION OF FIRES, AND FOR PURPOSES OF HEALTH.

9. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct any foundation of such building upon any site which shall have been filled up with any material impregnated with fœcal matter, or impregnated with any animal or vegetable matter, or upon which any such matter may have been deposited, unless and until such matter shall have been properly removed, by excavation or otherwise, from such site.

10. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall cause the whole ground surface or site of such building to be properly asphalted, or covered with a layer of good cement concrete

rammed solid, at least six inches thick.

such building to be enclosed with walls constructed of good bricks, stone, or other hard and incombustible materials, properly bonded and solidly put together:—

(a) With good mortar compounded of good lime and clean sharp

sand, or other suitable material; or

(b) With good cement; or

(c) With good cement, mixed with clean sharp sand.

every cross wall, which in pursuance of the Bye-law in that behalf, may as a return wall, be deemed a means of determining the length of any external wall or party wall of such building, of good bricks, stone, or other hard and incombustible materials, properly bonded and solidly put together:—

(a) With good mortar compounded of good lime and clean

sharp sand, or other suitable material; or

(b) With good cement; or

(c) With good cement, mixed with clean sharp sand.

13. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct any wall of such building, so that any part of such wall not being a projection intended solely for the purposes of architectural ornament, or a properly constructed corbel, shall overhang any part beneath it

14. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every wall of such building which may be built at an angle with

another wall to be properly bonded therewith.

15. Every person who shall erect a new building shall construct

every wall of such building, so as to rest upon proper footings.

He shall cause the projection, at the widest part of the footings of every wall on each side of such wall, to be at least equal to one-half of the thickness of such wall at its base, unless an adjoining wall interferes, in which case the projection may be omitted where that wall adjoins.

He shall also cause the diminution of the footings to be in regular offsets, or in one offset at the top of the footings, and he shall cause the height from the bottom of the footings, to the base of the wall to be at least equal to two thirds of the thickness of the wall at its base.

16. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the footings of every wall of such building to rest on the solid ground or upon a sufficient thickness of good concrete, or upon some solid and sufficient sub-structure as a foundation.

17. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every wall of such building to have a proper damp course of sheet lead, asphalte, or slates laid in cement, or of other durable material impervious to moisture, beneath the level of the lowest timbers, and at a height of not less than six inches above the surface of the ground adjoining such wall.

18. For the purposes of the Bye-Laws with respect to the structure of walls of new buildings, the measurement of height of storeys and of height and length of walls shall be determined by the follow-

ing rules :-

(i.) The heightfof storeys shall be measured as follows:-

(a.) The height of a topmost storey shall be measured from the level of the upper surface of the floor up to the level of the under side of the tie of the roof or other covering, or if there is no tie, then up to the level of half the vertical height of the rafters or other support of the roof.

(b.) The height of every storey other than a topmost storey shall be measured from the level of the upper surface of the floor of the storey up to the level of the upper surface of the floor of the storey next above it.

(ii.) The height of a wall shall be measured from the top of the footings to the highest part of the wall, or in the case of a gable to

half the height of the gable.

(iii.) Walls shall be deemed to be divided into distinct lengths by return walls. The length of a wall shall be measured from the centre of one return wall to the centre of another, provided that the return walls are external walls, party walls or cross walls, of the thickness prescribed by the Bye-Laws, and are bonded into the walls so deemed to be divided.

A wall shall not, for the purpose of this rule, be deemed a cross wall unless it is carried up to the top of the topmost storey, and unless in each storey the aggregate extent of the vertical faces or elevations of all the recesses, and that of all the openings therein, taken together, shall not exceed one-half of the whole extent of the vertical face or

elevation of the wall in such storey.

19. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall construct every external wall and every party wall of such building in accordance with the following rules, and in every case the thickness prescribed shall be the minimum thickness of which any such wall may be constructed, and the several rules shall apply only to walls built of good bricks not less than nine inches long, or of suitable stone or other blocks of hard and incombustible substance, the beds or courses being horizontal.

(a.) Where the wall does not exceed twenty-five feet Height up

in height its thickness shall be as follows:-

If the wall does not exceed thirty feet in length, and does not comprise more than two storeys, it shall be nine

inches thick for its whole height.

If the wall exceeds thirty feet in length, or comprises more than two storeys, it shall be thirteen and a half inches thick below the topmost storey, and nine inches thick for the rest of its height.

(b) Where the wall exceeds twenty-five feet, but does Height up not exceed thirty feet in height, it shall be thirteen and a to 30 feet. half inches thick below the topmost storey and nine inches

thick for the rest of its height.

(c) Where the wall exceeds thirty feet, but does not Height up exceed forty feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows :- to 40 feet.

If the wall does not exceed thirty-five feet in length, it shall be thirteen and a half inches thick below the topmost storey, and nine inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds thirty-five feet in length, it shall be eighteen inches thick for the height of one story, then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height below the topmost storey, and nine inches thick for the rest of its height.

(d). Where the wall exceeds forty feet, but does not Height up exceed fifty feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows:- to 50 feet.

If the wall does not exceed thirty feet in length, it shall be eighteen inches thick for the height of one storey, then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height below the topmost storey, and nine inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds thirty feet, but does not exceed fortyfive feet in length, it shall be eighteen inches thick for the height of two storeys, than thirteen and a half inches thick

for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-two inches thick for the height of one storey, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next storey, and then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

(e) Where the wall exceeds fifty feet, but does not Height up exceed sixty feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows:

If the wall does not exceed forty five feet in length, it shall be eighteen inches thick for the height of two storeys, and thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-two inches thick for the height of one storey, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next two storeys, and then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

Height up to 70 feet. (f.) Where the wall exceeds sixty feet, but does not exceed seventy feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows:—

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-two inches thick for the height of one storey, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next two storeys, and then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness in each of the storeys below the uppermost two storeys by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribution in

piers).

Height up to 80 feet. (g.) Where the wall exceeds seventy feet, but does not exceed eighty feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows:

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-two inches thick for the height of one storey, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next three storeys, and thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness in each of the storeys below the uppermost two storeys by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribution in

piers).

Height up to 90 feet.

(h.) Where the wall exceeds eighty feet, but does not exceed ninety feet in height, its thickness shall be as follows:

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-six inches thick for the height of one storey, then twenty-two inches thick for the height of the next storey, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next three storeys, and then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness in each of the storeys below the uppermost two storeys by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribu-

tion in piers).

Height up to 100 feet. (i.) Where the wall exceeds ninety feet, but does not exceed one hundred feet in height, its thickness shall be as tollows:—

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-six inches thick for the height of one storey, then twenty-two inches thick for the height of the next two storeys, then eighteen inches thick for the height of the next three storeys, and then thirteen and a half inches thick for the rest of its height.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness in each of the storeys, below the

uppermost two storeys, by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribu-

tion in piers).

(i.) If any storey exceeds in height sixteen times the thickness prescribed for its walls, the thickness of each external wall and of each party wall throughout that storey, shall be increased to one-sixteenth part of the height of the storey, and the thickness of each external wall, and of each party wall below that storey, shall be proportionately increased (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribution in piers.)

(k.) Every external wall and every party wall of any storey which exceeds ten feet in height, shall be not less

than thirteen and a half inches in thickness.

(1.) Where by any of the foregoing rules relating to the thickness of external walls and party walls of domestic buildings, an increase of thickness is required in the case of a wall exceeding sixty feet in height, and forty-five feet in length, or in the case of a storey exceeding in height sixteen times the thickness prescribed for its walls or in the case of a wall below that story the increased thickness may be confined to piers properly distributed, of which the collective widths amount to one-fourth part of the length of the wall.

The width of the piers may nevertheless be reduced if the projection is proportionately increased, the horizontal sectional area not being diminished; but the projection of any such pier shall in no case exceed one-third of its width.

20. Every person who shall erect a new public building, or a new building of the warehouse class, shall construct every external wall and every party wall of such building in accordance with the following rules; and in every case the thickness prescribed shall be the minimum thickness of which any such wall may be constructed. and the several rules shall apply only to walls built of good bricks, not less than nine inches long, or of suitable stone, or other blocks of hard and incombustible substance, the beds or courses being horizontal.

(a.) Where the wall does not exceed twenty-five feet in Height up height (whatever is its length), it shall be thirteen and a half

inches thick at its base.

(b.) Where the wall exceeds twenty-five feet, but does Height up not exceed thirty feet in height, it shall be at its base of the thickness following:-

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it

shall be thirteen and a half inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be

eighteen inches thick at its base.

(c.) Where the wall exceeds thirty feet, but does not Height up exceed forty feet in height, it shall be at its base of the thickness following:-

If the wall does not exceed thirty-five feet in length, it

shall be thirteen and a half inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds thirty-five feet, but does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be eighteen inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be

twenty-two inches thick at its base.

Height up to 50 feet. (d) Where the wall exceeds forty feet, but does not exceed fifty feet in height, it shall be at its base of the thickness following:—

If the wall does not exceed thirty feet in length, it shall

be eighteen inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds thirty feet, but does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-two inches thick at its base

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be

twenty-six inches thick at its base.

Height up to 60 feet.

(e.) Where the wall exceeds fifty feet, but does not exceed sixty feet in height, it shall be at its base of the thickness following:—

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it

shall be twenty-two inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be

twenty-six inches thick at its base.

Height up to 70 feet.

(1) Where the wall exceeds sixty feet, but does not exceed seventy feet in height, it shall be at its base of the thickness following:—

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it

shall be twenty-two inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness from the base up to within sixteen feet from the top of the wall by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting thickness in piers).

(g) Where the wall exceeds seventy feet, but does not exceed eighty feet in height, it shall be at its base of the

thickness following :-

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it

shall be twenty-two inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness from the base up to within sixteen feet from the top of the wall by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribution in piers).

(h) Where the wall exceeds eighty feet, but does not exceed ninety feet in height, it shall be at its base of the

thickness following :-

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it shall be twenty-six inches thick at its base.

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be

Height up to 80 feet.

Height up

to 90 feet.

increased in thickness from the base up to within sixteen feet from the top of the wall by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting distribution in piers).

(i.) Where the wall exceeds ninety feet, but does not Height up exceed one hundred feet in height, it shall be at its base

of the thickness following :-

If the wall does not exceed forty-five feet in length, it

shall be twenty-six inches thick at its base :-

If the wall exceeds forty-five feet in length, it shall be increased in thickness from the base up to within sixteen feet from the top of the wall by four and a half inches (subject to the provision hereinafter contained respecting

distribution in piers).

(i). The thickness of the wall at the top, and for sixteen feet below the top, shall be thirteen and a half inches, and the intermediate parts of the wall between the base and sixteen feet below the top, shall be built solid throughout the space between straight lines drawn on each side of the wall and joining the thickness at the base to the thickness at sixteen feet below the top. Nevertheless, in walls not exceeding thirty feet in height, the wall of the topmost storey may be nine inches thick, provided the height of that storey does not exceed ten feet.

(k) If any storey exceeds in height fourteen times the thickness prescribed for its walls, the thickness of each external wall and of each party wall throughout that storey shall be increased to one-fourteenth part of the height of the storey, and the thickness of each external wall and of each party wall below that storey shall be proportionately increased (subject to the provision hereinafter contained

respecting distribution in piers).

(1) Every external wall and every party wall of any storey which exceeds ten feet in height shall be not less than

thirteen and a half inches in thickness.

(m.) Where by any of the foregoing rules relating to the thickness of external walls and party walls of public buildings or buildings of the warehouse class, an increase of thickness is required in the case of a wall exceeding sixty feet in height and forty-five feet in length, or in the case of a storey exceeding in height fourteen times the thickness prescribed for its walls, or in the case of a wall below that storey, the increased thickness may be confined to piers properly distributed, of which the collective widths amount to onefourth part of the length of the wall. The width of the piers may, nevertheless, be reduced if the projection is proportionately increased, the horizontal sectional area not being diminished; but the projection of any such pier shall in no case exceed one-third of its width.

21. Every person who shall erect a new building shall construct, in accordance with the following rules, every cross wall which in pursuance of the Bye-Law in that behalf, may as a return wall be deemed a means of determining the length of any external wall or party wall of such building; and in every case the thickness prescribed shall be the minimum thickness of which any such wall may be constructed, and the several rules shall apply only to walls built of good bricks not less than nine inches long, or of suitable stone or other blocks of hard and incombustible substance, the beds or courses being horizontal.

The thickness of every such cross wall shall be at least twothirds of the thickness prescribed by the Bye-Law in that behalf for an external wall or party wall of the same height and length, and belonging to the same class of building as that to which such cross

wall belongs, but shall in no case be less than nine inches.

But if such cross wall supports a superincumbent external wall, the whole of such cross wall shall be of the thickness prescribed by the Bye-Law in that behalf for an external wall or a party wall of the same height and length, and belonging to the same class of building

as that to which such cross wall belongs.

22. Every person who shall erect a new building and shall construct any external wall, party wall, or cross wall of such building of any material other than good bricks, not less than nine inches long, or suitable stone, or other blocks of hard and incombustible substance, the beds or courses being horizontal, shall comply with the following rules with respect to the thickness of such wall:—

(a) Where a wall is built of stone, or of clunches of bricks, or other burnt or vitrified material, the beds or courses not being horizontal, its thickness shall be one-third greater than that prescribed by the Bye-Law in that behalf for a wall built of bricks, but in other respects of the same description, height and length, and

belonging to the same class of building.

(b) A wall built of other suitable material shall be deemed to be of sufficient thickness if constructed of the thickness prescribed by the Bye-Law in that behalf, for a wall built of bricks, but in other respects of the same description, height and length, and belonging to the same class of building.

23. Every person who shall erect a new building and shall leave in any storey or storeys of such building an extent of opening in any external wall which shall be greater than one half of the whole extent of the vertical face, or elevation of the wall or walls, of the storey or storeys in which the opening is left shall construct:—

(a) Sufficient piers of brickwork, or other sufficient supports of incombustible material so disposed as to carry the superstructure; and

(b.) A sufficient pier or piers or other sufficient supports of that description at the corner or angle of any street on which the building abuts; or

(c.) Such a pier or other support in each wall within three feet of the corner or angle of the street.

24. Every person who shall erect a new building of the ware-house class shall cause every loophole frame of wood, that is to say, every framework of wood surrounding any door or window opening in any storey of such building, for the reception or delivery of goods, to be fixed at a distance of not less than one inch and a half from the face of any external wall.

Subject to the foregoing provision, every person who shall erect a new building shall cause all woodwork in any external wall of such building (except any bressummer, or any storey post under a bressummer, and any frame of a door or window of a shop) to be set back in reveals four inches at least from the outer face of such wall.

25. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause such part of any external wall of such building as is within a distance of fifteen feet from any other building to be carried up so as to form a parapet, one foot at least above the highest part of any roof or gutter which adjoins such part of such external wall, and he shall cause the thickness of the parapet so carried up to be at least nine inches throughout.

26. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every party wall of such building to be carried up nine inches at

the least in thickness:

(i) Above the roof, flat, or gutter of the highest building adjoining thereto to such height as will give, in the case of a building of the warehouse class, or of a public building, a distance of at least three feet, and in the case of any other building, a distance of at least fifteen inches, measured at right angles, to the slope of the roof, or above the highest part of any flat or gutter, as the case may be.

(ii) Above any turret, dormer, lantern light, or other erection of combustible materials fixed on the roof or flat of any building within four feet from the party wall, and so as to extend at least twelve

inches higher and wider on each side than such erection.

(iii.) To a height of twelve inches at the least above such part of any roof as is opposite to and within four feet from the party wall.

In every case where the eaves of the roof project beyond the face of the building, he shall cause every party wall of such building to be properly corbelled out in brickwork or stonework, to the full extent of such projection, and to be carried up above the projecting eaves nine inches at the least in thickness, to such height as will give in the case of a building of the warehouse class or of a public building, a distance of at least three feet, and in the case of any other building, a distance of at least fifteen inches measured at right angles to the slope of the roof.

27. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every wall of such building, when carried up above any roof, flat or gutter, so as to form a parapet to be properly coped or otherwise protected, in order to prevent water from running down the sides of

such parapet, or soaking into any wall.

28. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct any party wall of such building so that any opening shall be made or left in such wall.

29. A person who shall erect a new building shall not make any recess in any external wall or party wall of such building.

(a.) Unless the back of such recess be at the least nine inches

thick.

- (b.) Unless a sufficient arch be turned in every storey over every such recess.
- (c.) Unless in each storey the aggregate extent of recesses having backs of less thickness than the thickness prescribed by any Bye-Law in that behalf for the wall in which such recesses are made, do not exceed one half of the extent of the vertical superficies of such wall.
- (d.) Unless the side of any such recess nearest to the inner face of any return external wall is distant at the least thirteen and a half inches therefrom.
- 30 A person who shall erect a new building shall not make in any wall of such building any chase which shall be wider than four-teen inches or more than four and a half inches deep from the face of such wall, or shall leave less than nine inches in thickness at the back or opposite side thereof, or which shall be within thirteen and a half inches from any other chase, or within seven feet from any other chase on the same side of such wall or within thirteen and a half inches from any return wall.

31. A person who shall erect a new building shall not place in any party wall of such building any bond timber, or any plate, block,

brick, or plug of wood.

32. A person who shall erect a new building shall not place the end of any bressummer, beam or joist in any party wall of such building, unless the end of such bressummer, beam, or joist be at least four and a half inches distant from the centre line of such party wall.

33. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every girder to be borne by a sufficient template of stone, iron, terra-

cotta, or vitrified stoneware of the full breadth of the girder.

34. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every bressummer to have a bearing in the direction of its length of four inches at least at each end on a sufficient pier of brick or stone, or on a storey post of timber or iron fixed on a solid foundation, in addition to its bearing on any party wall; and

He shall also, if necessary, cause such bressummer to have such other storey posts, iron columns, stanchions, or piers of brick or stone on a solid foundation under the same as may be sufficient to carry

the superstructure.

35. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the open space inside any partition wall of such building, or between the joists in any wall of such building to be stopped with brickwork, concrete, pugging, or other incombustible material at every floor and ceiling.

36. Every person who shall erect a new building shall, except in such case as is hereinafter provided, cause every chimney of such building to be built on solid foundations and with footings similar to

the footings of the wall against which such chimney is built, and to

be properly bonded into such wall.

Provided, nevertheless, that such person may cause any chimney of such building to be built on sufficient corbels of brick, stone, or other hard and incombustible materials, if the work so corbelled out does not project from the wall more than the thickness of the wall measured immediately below the corbel.

37. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the inside of every flue of such building to be properly rendered or pargeted as such flue is carried up, unless the whole flue shall be lined with fireproof piping of stoneware at least one inch thick, and unless the spandril angles shall be filled in with solid brickwork or other incombustible material.

Such person shall also cause the back or outside of such flue, which shall not be constructed so as to form part of the outer face of an external wall, to be properly rendered in every case where the brickwork of which such back or outside may be constructed in less than

nine inches thick.

38 Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every flue in such building which may be intended for use in connection with any furnace, cockle, steam boiler, or close fire constructed for any purpose of trade, business, or manufacture, or which may be intended for use in connection with any cooking range or cooking apparatus of such building when occupied as a hotel, tavern, or eating house, to be surrounded with brickwork at least nine inches thick for a distance of ten feet at the least in height from the floor on which such turnace, cockle, steam boiler, close fire, cooking range, or cooking apparatus may be constructed or placed.

39. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause a sufficient arch of brick or stone or a sufficient bar of wrought iron to be built over the opening of every chimney of such building to support the breast of such chimney, and if the breast projects more than four and a half inches from the face of the wall, and the jamb on either side is of less width than thirteen and a half inches, he shall cause the abutments to be tied in by a bar or bars of wrought-iron of sufficient strength eighteen inches longer than the opening turned up

and down at the ends, and built into the jambs on each side.

40. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the jambs of every chimney of such building to be at least nine inches

wide on each side of the opening of such chimney.

41. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the breast of every chimney of such building and the brickwork or stonework surrouding every smoke flue, and every copper flue of such

building, to be at least four and a half inches in thickness.

42. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the back of any chimney opening in a party wall of any room which may be constructed for occupation as a kitchen, to be at least nine inches thick to the height of at least six feet above such chimney opening, and he shall cause such thickness to be continued at the back of the flue.

Such person shall cause the back of every other chimney opening in such building, from the hearth up to the height of twelve inches above such opening, to be at least four and a half inches thick, if such opening be in an external wall, and nine inches thick if such opening be elsewhere than in an external wall.

43. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the upper side of every flue of such building, when the course of such flue makes with the horizon an angle of less than forty-five degrees,

to be at least nine inches in thickness.

44. Every person who shall erect a new building shall construct every arch upon which any flue may be carried, so that such arch shall be effectually supported by means of a bar or bars of wroughtiron of adequate strength.

He shall cause every such bar, to the extent of four and a half inches, to be securely built or pinned into the wall at each end thereof.

He shall provide, for every nine inches of the width of the soffit of such arch, one at the least of such bars as a means of support for such arch.

45. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause every chimney shaft, or smoke flue of such building, to be carried up in brickwork, or stonework, all round at least four and a half inches thick to a height of not less than three feet above the roof, flat, or gutter adjoining thereto, measured at the highest point in the line of

junction with such roof, flat, or gutter.

- 46. A person who shall erect a new building shall not cause the brickwork or stonework of any chimney shaft of such building, other than a chimney shaft of the furnace of any steam engine, brewery, distillery, or manufactory, to be built higher above the roof, flat or gutter adjoining such chimney shaft, measured from the highest point in the line of junction with such roof, flat, or gutter, than a height equal to six times the least width of such chimney shaft at the level of such highest point, unless such chimney shaft shall be built with and bonded to another chimney shaft not in the same line with such first mentioned chimney shaft, or shall be otherwise made secure.
- 47. A person who shall erect a new building shall not place any iron holdfast or other metal fastening nearer than two inches to the inside of any flue or chimney opening in such building.

48. A person who shall erect a new building shall not place any

timber or woodwork-

(a) In any wall or chimney breast of such building nearer than nine inches to the inside of any flue or chimney opening.

(b) Under any chimney opening of such building within fifteen

inches from the upper surface of the hearth thereof.

48a. A person who shall erect a new building shall not drive any wooden plug into any wall or chimney breast of such building nearer than six inches to the inside of any flue or chimney opening.

49. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the face of the brickwork or stonework about any flue or chimney opening of such building, where such face is at a distance of less than two

inches from any timber or woodwork, and where the substance of such brickwork or stonework is less than nine inches thick, to be

properly rendered.

50. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct any chimney or flue of such building so as to make or leave in such chimney or flue any opening for the insertion of any ventilating valve, or for any other purpose, unless such opening be at least nine inches distant from any timber or other combustible substance.

51. A person who shall erect a new building shall not fix in such building any pipe for the purpose of conveying smoke or other products of combustion, unless such pipe be so fixed at the distance of

nine inches at the least from any combustible substance.

52. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the flat and roof of such building and every turret, dormer, lantern light, skylight, or other erection placed on the flat or roof of such building, to be externally covered with slates, tiles, metal, or other incombustible materials, except as regards any door, door frame, window or window frame of any such turret, dormer, lantern light, skylight, or other erection.

He shall also cause every gutter, shoot, or trough in connection with the roof of such building to be constructed of incombustible materials.

WITH RESPECT TO THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE SPACE ABOUT BUILDINGS TO SECURE A FREE CIRCULATION OF AIR, AND WITH RESPECT TO THE VENTILATION OF BUILDINGS.

53. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall provide in front of such building an open space which shall be free from any erection thereon above the level of the ground, except any portico, porch, step, or other like projection from such building, or any gate, fence or wall, not exceeding seven feet in height, and which measured to the boundary of any lands or premises immediately opposite, or to the opposite side of any street which such building may front, shall, throughout the whole line of frontage of such building extend to a distance of twenty-four feet at the least, such distance being measured in every case at right angles to the external face of any wall of such building which shall front or abut on such open space.

A person who shall make any alteration in or addition to such building shall not, by such alteration or addition, diminish the extent of open space provided in pursuance of this Bye-Law in connection

with such building.

54. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall provide in the rear of such building, an open space exclusively belonging to such building, and of an aggregate extent of not less than one hundred and fifty square feet, and free from any erection thereon above the level of the ground, except a water closet, earth closet or privy, and an ash pit.

He shall cause such open space to extend laterally throughout the entire width of such building, and he shall cause the distance across such open space from every part of such building to the boundary of any lands or premises immediately opposite or adjoining the site of such building, to be not less in any case than ten feet.

If the height of such building be fifteen feet, he shall cause such

distance to be thirteen feet at the least.

If the height of such building be twenty-five feet, he shall cause such distance to be twenty feet at the least; if the height of such building be thirty-five feet or exceed thirty-five feet, he shall cause

such distance to be twenty-five feet at the least.

A person who shall make any alteration in or addition to such building shall not by such alteration or addition, diminish the aggregate extent of open space provided in pursuance of this Bye-Law in connection with such building, or in any other respect fail to comply with any provision of this Bye-Law.

For the purposes of this Bye-Law, the height of such building shall be measured upwards from the level of the ground over which such open space shall extend to the level of half the vertical height of the roof, or to the top of the parapet, whichever may be the higher.

55. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall construct in the wall of each storey of such building, which shall immediately front or abut on such open spaces as in pursuance of the Bye-Laws in that behalf, shall be provided in connection with such buildings a sufficient number of suitable windows, in such a manner and in such a position that each of such windows shall afford effectual means of ventilation by direct communication with the external air.

56. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall so construct every room which shall be situated in the lowest storey of such building, and shall be provided with a boarded floor, that there shall be, for the purpose of ventilation between the under side of every joist on which such floor may be laid, and the upper surface of the asphalte or concrete with which, in pursuance of the Bye Law in that behalf, the ground surface or site of such building may be covered, a clear space of three inches at the least in every part, and he shall cause such space to be thoroughly ventilated by means of suitable and sufficient air bricks, or by some other effectual method.

57. Every person who shall erect a new building shall construct in every habitable room of such building one window at the least, opening directly in the external air, and he shall cause the total area of such window, or if there be more than one of the several windows, clear of the sash frames, to be equal at the least to one-

tenth of the floor area of such room.

Such person shall also construct every such window so that one half at the least may be opened, and so that the opening may extend

in every case to the top of the window.

58. Every person who shall erect a new domestic building shall cause every habitable room of such building which is without a fire-place and a flue properly constructed, and properly connected with such fire-place to be provided with special and adequate means of ventilation by a sufficient aperture or air shaft, which shall provide

an unobstructed sectional area of one hundred square inches at the least.

59. Every person who shall erect a new public building shall cause such building to be provided with adequate means of ventilation.

WITH RESPECT TO THE DRAINAGE OF BUILDINGS.

60. Every person who shall erect a new building shall cause the subsoil of the site of such building to be effectually drained by means of suitable earthenware field pipes, properly laid to a suitable outfall whenever the dampness of the site renders such a precaution necessary.

He shall not lay any such pipe in such a manner or in such a position as to communicate directly with any sewer or cesspool, or with any drain constructed or adapted to be used for conveying sewage, but shall provide a suitable trap, with a ventilating opening at a point in the line of the subsoil drain as near as may be practicable to such

trap.

61. Every person who shall erect a new building shall construct the lowest storey of such building at such level as will allow of the construction of a drain sufficient for the effectual drainage of such building, and of the provision of the requisite communication with any sewer into which such drain may lawfully empty, at a point in the upper half diameter of such sewer, or with any other means of drainage with which such drain may lawfully communicate.

62. Every person who shall erect a new building shall in the construction of every drain of such building, other than a drain constructed in pursuance of the Bye-Law in that behalf for the drainage of the subsoil of the site of such building, use good sound pipes formed of glazed stoneware, or of other equally suitable

material.

He shall cause every such drain to be of adequate size, and if constructed or adapted to be used for conveying sewage, to have an internal diameter not less than four inches, and to be laid in a bed of good concrete, with a proper fall, and with water tight, socketed, or

other suitable joints.

He shall not construct any such drain so as to pass under any building, except in any case where any other mode of construction may be impracticable, and in that case he shall cause such drain to be so laid in the ground that there shall be a distance equal at the least to the full diameter thereof, between the top of such drain at its highest point, and the surface of the ground under such building.

He shall also cause such drain to be laid in a direct line for the whole distance beneath such building, and to be completely embedded in and covered with good and solid concrete, at least six inches thick

all round.

He shall likewise cause adequate means of ventilation to be provided in connection with such drain at each end of such portion thereof as is beneath such building. He shall cause every inlet to any drain, not being an inlet provided in pursuance of the Bye-law in that behalf as an opening for

the ventilation of such drain, to be properly trapped.

63. Every person who shall erect a new building shall provide, within the curtilage thereof, in every main drain or other drain of such building which may directly communicate with any sewer, or other means of drainage into which such drain may lawfully empty, a suitable trap at a point as distant as may be practicable from such building, and as near as may be practicable to the point at which such drain may be connected with such sewer or other means of drainage.

64. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct the several drains of such buildings in such a manner as to form in such drains any right angled junction, either vertical or horizontal. He shall cause every branch drain, or tributary drain to join another

drain, obliquely in the direction of the flow of such drain.

65. Every person who shall erect a new building shall, for the purpose of securing efficient ventilation of the drains of such

building, comply with the following requirements:-

(1.) He shall provide at least two untrapped openings to the drains, and in the provision of such openings, he shall adopt such of the two arrangements hereinafter specified as the circumstances of

the case may render the more suitable and effectual.

(a.) One opening, being at or near the level of the surface of the ground adjoining such opening, shall communicate with the drains by means of a suitable pipe, shaft, or disconnecting chamber, and shall be situated as near as may be practicable to the trap which in pursuance of the Bye-law in that behalf, shall be provided between the main drain or other drain of the building, and the sewer or other means of drainage with which such drain may lawfully communicate. Such opening shall also in every case be situated on that side of the trap which is nearer to the building.

The second opening shall be obtained by carrying up from a point in the drains as far distant as may be practicable from the point at which the first mentioned opening shall be situated a pipe or shaft vertically, to such a height and in such a manner as effectually to prevent any escape of foul air from such pipe or shaft into any building in the vicinity thereof and in no case to a less

height than ten feet.

(b.) In every case where the foregoing arrangement of the openings to the drains may be impracticable, there shall be substituted

the arrangement hereinafter prescribed.

One opening shall be obtained by carrying up from a point as near as may be practicable to the trap, which, in pursuance of the Bye-law in that behalf, shall be provided between the main drain or other drain of the building and the sewer or other means of drainage with which such drain may lawfully communicate, a pipe or shaft vertically to such a height and in such a manner as effectually to prevent any escape of foul air from such pipe or shaft into any

building in the vicinity thereof, and in no case to a less height than ten feet. Such opening shall also in every case be situated on that

side of the trap which is the nearer to the building.

The second opening, being at a point in the drains as far distant as may be practicable from the point at which such last mentioned pipe or shaft shall be carried up, shall be at or near the level of the surface of the ground adjoining such opening, and shall communicate

with the drains by means of a suitable pipe or shaft.

(ii.) He shall cause every opening provided in accordance with either of the arrangements hereinbefore specified to be furnished with a suitable grating or other suitable cover for the purpose of preventing any obstruction in or injury to any pipe or drain by the introduction of any substance through any such opening. He shall in every case cause such grating or cover to be so constructed and fitted as to secure the free passage of air through such grating or cover by means of a sufficient number of apertures, of which the aggregate extent shall be not less than the sectional area of the pipe or drain to which such grating or cover may be fitted.

(iii.) Every pipe or shaft which may be used in connection with either of the arrangements hereinbefore specified shall be of a sectional area not less than that of the drain with which such pipe or shaft may communicate, and not less in any case than the sec-

tional area of a pipe or shaft of the diameter of four inches.

(iv.) No bend or angle shall (except where unavoidable) be formed in any pipe or shaft used in connection with either of the

arrangements hereinbefore specified.

(v.) Provided always, that for the purpose of either of the arrangements hereinbefore specified, the soil pipe of any water closet, in every case where the situation, sectional area, height, and mode of construction of such soil pipe shall be in accordance with the requirements applicable to the pipe or shaft, to be carried up from the drains, may be deemed to provide the necessary opening for ventilation which would otherwise be obtained by means of such last mentioned pipe or shaft.

66. A person who shall erect a new building shall not construct any drain of such building in such a manner as to allow any inlet to such drain (except such inlet as may be necessary from the apparatus

of any water closet) to be made within such building.

He shall cause the soil pipe from every water closet in such building to be at least four inches in diameter, and to be fixed outside such building, and to be continued upwards without diminution of its diameter, and (except where unavoidable) without any bend or angle being formed in such soil pipe to such a height and in such a position as to afford by means of the open end of such soil pipe, a safe outlet for sewer air.

He shall so construct such soil pipe that there shall not be any trap between such soil pipe and the drains, or any trap (other than such as may necessarily form part of the apparatus of any water closet) in any part of such soil pipe. He shall also cause the waste pipe from every bath, sink (not being a slop sink constructed or adapted to be used for receiving any solid or liquid filth), or lavatory, the overflow pipe from any cistern and from every safe under any bath or water closet, and every pipe in such building for carrying off waste water to be taken through an external wall of such building, and to discharge in the open air over a channel leading to a trapped gully grating at least eighteen inches distant.

He shall, as regards the mode of construction of the waste pipe from any slop sink constructed or adapted to be used for receiving within such building any solid or liquid filth, comply in all respects with such of the provisions of this Bye-Law as are applicable to the soil pipe from a water closet.

WITH RESPECT TO WATER CLOSETS, EARTH CLOSETS, PRIVIES, ASHPITS, AND CESSPOOLS, IN CONNECTION WITH BUILDINGS.

67. Every person who shall construct a water closet or earth closet in a building shall construct such water closet or earth closet in such a position that one of its sides at the least shall be an external wall.

68. Every person who shall construct a water closet or earth closet in connection with a building, whether the situation of such water closet or earth closet be or be not within such building, shall construct in one of the walls of such water closet or earth closet a window of not less dimensions than two feet by one foot, exclusive of the frame, and opening directly into the external air.

He shall, in addition to such window, cause such water closet or earth closet to be provided with adequate means of constant ventilation by at least one air brick built in an external wall of such water closet or earth closet, or by an air shaft, or by some other effectual

method or appliance.

69. Every person who shall construct a water closet in connection with a building shall furnish such water closet with a separate cistern or flushing box of adequate capacity, which shall be so constructed, fitted, and placed as to admit of the supply of water for use in such water closet without any direct connection between any service pipe upon the premises and any part of the apparatus of such water closet, other than such cistern or flushing box.

He shall furnish such water closet with a suitable apparatus for the effectual application of water to any pan, basin, or other receptacle with which such apparatus may be connected and used, and for the effectual flushing and cleansing of such pan, basin, or other receptacle, and for the prompt and effectual removal therefrom of any solid or liquid filth which may from time to time be deposited

therein.

He shall furnish such water closet with a pan, basin, or other suitable receptacle of non-absorbent material, and of such shape, of such capacity, and of such mode of construction as to receive and contain a sufficient quantity of water, and to allow all filth which

may from time to time be deposited in such pan, basin, or receptacle to fall free of the sides thereof, and directly into the water received and contained in such pan, basin, or receptacle.

He shall not construct or fix under such pan, basin, or receptacle

any "container," or other similar fitting.

He shall not construct or fix in or in connection with the water

closet apparatus any trap of the kind known as a "D trap."

70. Every person who shall construct an earth closet in connection with a building shall furnish such earth closet with a reservoir or receptacle of suitable construction, and of adequate capacity, for dry earth or other deodorizing substance, and he shall construct and fix such reservoir or receptacle in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of ready access to such reservoir or receptacle for the purpose of depositing therein the necessary supply of dry earth or other deodorising substance.

He shall construct or fix in connection with such reservoir or receptacle suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth or other deodorizing substance to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in any pan, pit, or other receptacle for filth constructed, fitted, or used

in or in connection with such earth closet.

71. Every person who shall construct an earth closet in connection with a building, and shall provide in or in connection with such earth closet a fixed receptacle for filth, shall construct or fix such receptacle in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of the frequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth or other deodorizing substance to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in such receptacle, and in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of ready access to such receptacle for the purpose of removing the contents thereof.

He shall not construct such receptacle of a capacity greater than may be sufficient to contain such filth and dry earth, or other deodorising substance as may be deposited therein during a period not exceeding three months, or in any case of a capacity exceeding

forty cubic feet.

He shall construct such receptacle of such material or materials, and in such a manner, as to prevent any absorption by any part of such receptacle of any filth deposited therein, or any escape by leakage, or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle.

He shall construct or fix such receptacle so that the bottom or floor thereof shall be at least three inches above the level of the surface of the ground immediately adjoining the earth closet, and so that the contents of such receptacle may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall, or to the drainage of any waste water, or liquid refuse from any adjoining premises.

72. Every person who shall construct an earth closet in connection with a building, and shall provide in or in connection with such earth closet a moveable receptacle for filth, shall construct such earth closet so that the position and mode of fitting such receptacle may admit of the frequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth, or other deodorizing substance to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in such receptacle, and may also admit of ready access to that part of the earth closet in which such receptacle may be placed or fitted, and of the convenient removal of such receptacle, or of the contents thereof.

He shall also construct such earth closet so that the contents of such receptacle may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall or to the drainage of any waste water, or liquid refuse from any

adjoining premises.

73. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building, shall construct such privy at a distance of six feet, at the least, from a dwelling house or public building, or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

74. A person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building, shall not construct such privy within the distance of thirty feet from any well, spring, or stream of water, used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or otherwise in such a position as to

render any such water liable to pollution.

75. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such privy, for the purpose of cleansing such privy, and of removing filth therefrom, and in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of all filth being removed from such privy, and from the premises to which such privy may belong, without being carried through any dwelling-house or public building or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

76. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building shall provide such privy with a sufficient opening for ventilating, as near to the top as practicable, and communicating

directly with the external air.

He shall cause the floor of such privy to be flagged or paved with hard tiles or other non-absorbent material, and he shall construct such floor so that it shall be in every part thereof at a height of not less than six inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining such privy, and so that such floor shall have a fall or inclination towards the door of such privy of half an inch to the foot.

77. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building, and shall construct such privy for use in combination with a moveable receptacle for filth, shall construct over the whole area of the space immediately beneath the seat of such privy a flagged or asphalted floor, at a height of not less than three inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining such privy, and he shall cause the whole extent of each side of such space between the floor and the seat to be constructed of flagging slate, or good brickwork, at least nine inches thick, and rendered in good cement or asphalted.

He shall construct the seat of such privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat, of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for filth of a capacity not exceeding two cubic feet being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and in such a position, as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat or elsewhere than in such receptacle of any filth which may from time to time fall or be cast through the aperture in such seat.

He shall construct the seat of such privy so that the whole of such seat, or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space, or of removing therefrom, or placing and fitting therein the appropriate

receptacle for filth.

78. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building and shall construct such privy for use in combination with a fixed receptacle for filth, shall construct or fix in or in connection with such privy suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of ashes, dust, or dry refuse to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in such receptacle.

He shall construct such receptacle so that the contents thereof may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall or the drainage of

any waste water or liquid refuse from any adjoining premises.

He shall construct such receptacle of such material or materials and in such a manner as to prevent any absorption, by any part of such receptacle, of any filth deposited therein, or any escape, by leakage or otherwise, of any part of the contents of such receptacle.

He shall construct such receptacle so that the bottom or floor thereof shall be in every part at least three inches above the level

of the surface of the ground adjoining such receptacle.

He shall not in any case construct such receptacle of a capacity

exceeding eight cubic feet.

He shall construct the seat of such privy so that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to such receptacle for the purpose of removing the contents thereof, and of cleansing such receptacle or shall, otherwise provide in or in connection with such privy adequate means of access to such receptacle for the purpose aforesaid.

79. A person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building shall not cause or suffer any part of the space under the seat of such privy or any part of any receptacle for filth in or in

connection with such privy to communicate with any drain.

80. Every person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a building shall construct such ashpit at a distance of six feet at the least from a dwelling house or public building, or any building in which any person may be, or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

81. A person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a

building shall not construct such ashpit within the distance of thirty feet from any well, spring, or stream of water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man or otherwise in such a position as to render

any such water liable to pollution.

82. Every person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a building shall construct such ashpit in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such ashpit for the purpose of cleansing such ashpit, and of removing the contents thereof, and so far as may be practicable in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of the contents of such ashpit being removed therefrom, and from the premises to which such ashpit may belong, without being carried through any dwelling house or public building or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

83. Every person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a building shall construct such ashpit of a capacity not exceeding in any case six cubic feet, or of such less capacity as may be sufficient to contain all dust, ashes, rubbish, and dry refuse which may accumulate during a period not exceeding one week upon the

premises to which such ashpit may belong.

84. Every person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a building shall construct such ashpit of flagging, or of slate, or of good brickwork, at least nine inches thick, and rendered inside

with good cement or properly asphalted.

He shall construct such ashpit so that the floor thereof shall be at a height of not less than three inches above the surface of the ground adjoining such ashpit, and he shall cause such floor to be

properly flagged or asphalted.

He shall cause such ashpit to be properly roofed over and ventilated, and to be furnished with a suitable door in such a position and so constructed and fitted as to admit of the convenient removal of the contents of such ashpit, and to admit of being securely closed and fastened for the effectual prevention of the escape of any of the contents of such ashpit.

85. A person who shall construct an ashpit in connection with a building shall not cause or suffer any part of such ashpit to communi-

cate with any drain.

86. Every person who shall construct a cesspool in connection with a building shall construct such cesspool at a distance of fifty feet at the least from a dwelling-house or public building, or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be

employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

87. A person who shall construct a cesspool in connection with a building shall not construct such cesspool within the distance of sixty feet from any well, spring, or stream of water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or otherwise in such a position as to render any such water liable to pollution.

88. Every person who shall construct a cesspool in connection with a building shall construct such cesspool in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such cesspool for the purpose of cleansing such cesspool and of removing the contents thereof, and in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of the contents of such cesspool being removed therefrom and from the premises to which such cesspool may belong, without being carried through any dwelling house or public building, or any building which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

He shall not in any case construct such cesspool so that it shall have, by drain or otherwise, any outlet into or means of communi-

cation with any sewer.

89. Every person who shall construct a cesspool in connection with a building shall construct such cesspool of good brickwork in cement properly rendered inside with cement, and with a backing of at least nine inches of well puddled clay around and beneath such brickwork.

He shall also cause such cesspool to be arched or otherwise properly covered over, and to be provided with adequate means of ventilation.

WITH RESPECT TO THE CLOSING OF BUILDINGS OR PARTS OF BUILDINGS UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION, AND TO PROHIBITION OF THEIR USE FOR SUCH HABITATION.

go. In every case :-

Where, by a notice in writing in the form hereunto appended, or to the like effect, and signed by the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority, and duly served upon or delivered to the owner of a building or part of a building erected after the date of the confirmation of these Bye-laws, the Sanitary Authority, shall certify that it has been represented to them that such building or part of a building is unfit for human habitation, and that, unless on or before such day as shall be specified in such notice, such owner by a statement in writing under his hand or under the hand of his agent duly authorized in that behalf, and addressed to and duly served upon or delivered to the Sanitary Authority, shall show sufficient cause why such building or part of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation, or unless, on such day and at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, such owner personally or by his agent duly authorized in that behalf, shall attend before the Sanitary Authority, and show sufficient cause why such building or part of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation, the Sanitary Authority will declare such building or part of a building unfit for human habitation, and direct that such building or part of a building shall be closed, and prohibit the use for human habitation of such building or part of a building until the same shall have been rendered fit for human habitation.

And where such owner shall fail to show sufficient cause why

such building or part of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation, and where in consequence of such failure, the Sanitary Authority, by their order which shall be in writing under their seal in the form hereunto appended, or to the like effect, and shall be duly signed by their Clerk, and which or a copy of which shall be affixed in some conspicuous position in or upon such building or part of a building, may declare that such building or part of a building is unfit for human habitation, and may direct that, unless and until such building or part of a building shall have been rendered fit for human habitation, the same shall be closed, and the use thereof for human habitation shall be prohibited.

A person shall not, after the date specified in such order and before such building or part of a building shall have been rendered fit for human habitation, knowingly inhabit or continue to inhabit or knowingly cause or suffer to be inhabited such building or part of

a building.

FORM OF NOTICE.

District of Edmonton.

Whereas by a statement in writing under the hand of Medical Officer of Health (or Surveyor) of the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton, of which statement a copy is contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed, it has been certified to the said sanitary Authority, that a certain building or part of a building situate at

in the said District, is unfit for human habitation. And whereas it has been shown to the said Sanitary Authority that you are the owner of such building or part of a building-

, Clerk to the said Sanitary Authority, do Now, I hereby give you notice that, unless on or before the , by a statement in writing under your 18 hand or under the hand of an agent duly authorized by you in that behalf, and addressed to and duly served upon or delivered to the said Sanitary Authority, you shall show to the said Sanitary Authority sufficient cause why such building or part

of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation. Or, unless you shall attend either personally or by an agent duly authorized in that

behalf, before the said Sanitary Authority, at their office in

day of day, the noon, and shall then and there show to the o'clock in the , at 18 said Sanitary Authority sufficient cause why such building or part of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation.

The said Sanitary Authority, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them in that behalf, will, by an order in writing under their seal, declare that such building or part of a building is unfit for human habitation, and direct that, unless and until such building or part of a building shall have been rendered fit for human habitation, the same shall be closed, and the use thereof for human habitation shall be prohibited.

Witness my hand this

day of

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SCHEDULE.

COPY OF CERTIFICATE

FORM OF ORDER.

District of Edmonton.

, and

to all others whom it may concern: Whereas it has been certified to us, the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton, that a certain building or part of a building situate at

in the said District, is unfit for human habitation.

And whereas due notice of such certificate has been given to , the owner of such building or part of a building.

has failed to show sufficient cause and the said why such building or part of a building shall not be declared unfit for human habitation.

Now we, the said Sanitary Authority, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us in that behalf, do hereby declare that such building or part of a building is unfit for human habitation, and we do hereby direct that unless and until such building or part of a building shall have been rendered fit for human habitation, the same shall be closed, and the use thereof for human habitation shall be prohibited.

Given under the common seal of the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton, this day of in the year 18

(L.S.)

Clerk to the Sanitary Authority.

AS TO THE GIVING OF NOTICES, DEPOSIT OF PLANS AND SECTIONS BY PERSONS INTENDING TO LAY OUT STREETS OR TO CONSTRUCT BUILDINGS; AS TO INSPECTION BY THE SANITARY AUTHORITY; AND AS TO THE POWER OF SUCH AUTHORITY TO REMOVE, ALTER, OR PULL DOWN ANY WORK BEGUN OR DONE IN CONTRAVENTION OF THE BYE-LAWS.

or. Every person who shall intend to lay out a street shall give to the Sanitary Authority notice in writing of such intention, which shall be delivered or sent to their Clerk at his or their office, or to their Surveyor at his or their office, and shall at the same time deliver or send, or caused to be delivered or sent to their Clerk at his or their office, or to their Surveyor at his or their office a plan and sections of such intended street, drawn to a scale of not less than one inch to every forty-four feet.

Such person shall show on every such plan the names of the owners of the land through or under which such street shall be intended to pass, the intended level and width, the points of the compass, the intended mode of construction, the intended name of such street and its intended position in relation to the streets nearest thereto, the size and number of the intended building lots and the intended sites, height, class, and nature of the buildings to be erected therein, and the intended height of the division and fence walls thereon, and the name and address of the person intending to lay out such street.

Such person shall sign such plan, or cause the same to be signed

by his duly authorized agent.

Such person shall show on every such section the levels of the present surface of the ground above some known datum, the intended level and rate or rates of inclination of the intended street, the level and inclinations of the streets with which it is intended that such street shall be connected, and the intended level of the lowest floors

of the intended buildings.

of Every person who shall intend to erect a building shall give to the Sanitary Authority notice in writing of such intention, which shall be delivered or sent to their clerk at his or their office, or to the surveyor at his or their office, and shall at the same time deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to their clerk at his or their office, or to their surveyor at his or their office, complete plans and sections of every floor of such intended building, which shall be drawn to a scale of not less than one inch to every eight feet, and shall show the position, form, and dimensions of the several parts of such building, and of every water closet, earth closet, privy ashpit, cesspool, well, and all other appurtenances.

Such person shall at the same time deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority, at his or their office, or to their Surveyor at his or their office, a description in writing of the materials of which it is intended that such building shall be constructed, and of the intended mode of drainage and means

of water supply,

Such person shall at the same time deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority. at his or their office, or to their Surveyor at his or their office, a block plan of such building, which shall be drawn to a scale of not less than one inch to every forty-four feet, and shall show the position of the buildings and appurtenances of the properties immediately adjoining the width and level of the street in front, and of the street (if any) at the rear of such building the level of the lowest floor of such building, and of any yard or ground belonging thereto.

Such person shall likewise show on such plan the intended lines of drainage of such building, and the intended size, depth, and inclination of each drain, and the details of the arrangement proposed

to be adopted for the ventilation of the drains.

great street, or to erect a building or otherwise to execute any work to which any of the Bye-Laws relatingto new streets and buildings may apply, shall, before beginning to lay out or construct such street, or to erect such building, or to execute such work, deliver, or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, at his or their office, notice in writing, in which shall be specified the date on which such person will begin to lay out or construct such street, or to erect such building, or to execute such work.

Such person shall also, before proceeding to cover up any sewer or drain, or any foundation of a building, deliver or send or cause to be delivered or sent to the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority at his or their office, notice in writing in which shall be specified the date on which such person will proceed to cover up such sewer, drain, or foundation.

If such person neglect or refuse to deliver or send any such notice, or to cause any such notice to be delivered or sent to such Surveyor, and if such Surveyor, on inspecting any work in connection with such street or building, or such other work as aforesaid, finds that such work is so far advanced that he cannot ascertain whether anything required by any Bye-Law relating to new streets or buildings has been done contrary to such Bye-Law, or whether anything required by such Bye-Law to be done has been omitted to be done, and if, within a reasonable time after such survey or inspection, such person shall, by notice in writing under the hand of such Surveyor, be required, within a reasonable time which shall be specified in such notice, to cause so much of such work as prevents such Surveyor from ascertaining whether anything has been done or omitted to be done as aforesaid to be cut into, laid open, or pulled down to a sufficient extent to enable such Surveyor to ascertain whether anything has been done or omitted to be done as aforesaid, such person shall within the time specified in such notice cause such work to be so cut into, laid open, or pulled down.

94. In every case :-

Where a person who shall lay out or construct a street, or shall erect a building or shall execute any other work to which the Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings may apply, shall at any reasonable time during the progress or after the completion of the laying out or construction of such street or the erection of such building, or the execution of such work, receive from the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority notice in writing specifying any matters in respect of which the laying out or construction of such street, the erection of such building, or the execution of such work may be in contravention of any Bye-Law relating to new streets or buildings, and requiring such person within a reasonable time, which shall be specified in such notice, to cause anything done contrary to any such Bye-Law to be amended or to do anything which by any such Bye-Law may be required to be done, but which has been omitted to be done.

Such person shall, within the time specified in such notice comply with the several requirements thereof so far as such requirements relate to matters in respect of which the laying out or construction of such street, the erection of such building, or the execution of such work may be in contravention of any such Bye-Law.

Such person within a reasonable time after the completion of any work which may have been executed in accordance with any such requirement shall deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority at his or their office notice in writing of the completion of such work and shall at all reasonable times within a period of seven days after such notice shall have been so delivered or sent, afford such Surveyor free access to such work for the purpose of inspection. 95. Every person who shall lay out or construct a street, or shall erect a building, or shall execute any other work to which any of the Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings shall apply, shall at all reasonable times during the laying out or construction of such street or the erection of such building, or the execution of such work, afford the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority free access to such street, building, or work for the purpose of inspection.

of. Every person who shall lay out or construct a street shall, within a reasonable time after the completion of the laying out or construction of such street deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority at his or their office, notice in writing of the completion of the laying out or construction of such street, and shall, at all reasonable times within a period of four-teen days after such notice shall have been so delivered or sent, afford such surveyor free access to such street for the purpose of inspection.

97. Every person who shall erect a building shall, within a reasonable time after the completion of the erection of such building. deliver or send, or cause to be delivered or sent to the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, at his or their office, notice in writing of the completion of the erection of such building, and shall, at all reasonable times, within a period of seven days after such notice shall have been so delivered or sent, and before such building shall be occupied, afford such Surveyor free access to every part of such building for the purpose of inspection.

98. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-Laws shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of five pounds, and in the case of a continuing offence to a further penalty of forty shillings for each day after written notice of the offence from the

Sanitary Authority.

Provided, nevertheless, that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made or any proceedings may be taken in respect of any such offence may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty

imposed by this Bye-Law.

99. If any work to which any of the Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings may apply, be begun or done in contravention of any such Bye-Law, the person by whom such work shall be so begun or done by a notice in writing, which shall be signed by the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority, and shall be duly served upon or delivered to such person, shall be required on or before such day as shall be specified in such notice, by a statement in writing under his hand, or under the hand of an agent duly authorized in that behalf, and addressed to and duly served upon the Sanitary Authority to show sufficient cause why such work shall not be removed, altered, or pulled down, or shall be required on such day, and at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice to attend personally, or by an agent duly authorized in that behalf, before the Sanitary Authority, and show sufficient cause why such work shall not be removed, altered or pulled down.

If such person shall fail to show sufficient cause why such work shall not be removed, altered, or pulled down, the Sanitary Authority shall be empowered, subject to any statutory provision in that behalf, to remove, alter, or pull down such work.

100. From and after the date of the confirmation of these Bye-Laws, the Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings which were confirmed by the Local Government Board on the 21st day of

October in the year 1875, shall be repealed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health, pursuant to a resolution of the said Board passed the 12th day of February, 1884, in the pres-H. SPENCER A. FOY, ence of 6 and 7, Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board this 14th day of May, 1884. Charles W. Dilke,

HUGH OWEN, Secretary.

President.

Seal of the Local Government Board.



BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to Slaughter Houses in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

INTERPRETATION OF TERMS.

1. Throughout these Bye-Laws the expression "the Sanitary Authority" means the Local Board for the District of Edmonton, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the expression "the District "means the Local Government District of Edmonton.

For the licensing, registering, and inspection of slaughter houses, for preventing cruelty therein, for keeping the same in a cleanly and proper state, for removing filth at least once in every twenty-four hours, and requiring such slaughter houses to be provided with a

sufficient supply of water.

2. Every person who shall apply to the Sanitary Authority for a license for the erection of any premises to be used and occupied as a slaughter house shall furnish in the form hereunto appended a true statement of the particulars therein required to be specified.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR A LICENSE TO ERECT PREMISES FOR USE AND OCCUPATION AS A SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

To the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton.

do hereby apply to you for a License in pursuance of the statutory provisions in that behalf, for the erection of certain premises to be used and occupied as a slaughter house, and I do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the Schedule hereunto annexed contains a true statement of the several particulars therein set forth with respect to the said premises.

 Boundaries, area, and description of the proposed site of the premises to be erected for use and occupation as a Slaughter House.

2. Description of the premises to be erected on

such site :-

(a.) Nature, position, form, superficial area, and cubical contents of the several buildings therein comprised.

(b.) Extent of paved area in such buildings, and materials to be employed in the paving of such area.

(c.) Mode of construction of the internal surface of the walls of such buildings and materials to be

employed in such construction.

(d.) Means of water supply, position, form, materials, mode of construction, and capacity of the several cisterns, tanks or other receptacles for water to be constructed for permanent use in or upon the premises.

(e.) Means of drainage, position, size, materials, and mode of construction of the several drains.

(f.) Means of lighting and ventilation.

(g.) Means of access for cattle from the nearest street or public thoroughfare.

(h.) Number, position, and dimensions of the several stalls, pens, or lairs to be provided on the premises.

- (i.) Number of animals for which accomodation will be provided in such stalls, pens or lairs, distinguishing—
 - 1. Oxen.
 - 2. Calves.
 - 3. Sheep or Lambs.
 - 4. Swine.

Witness my hand this

day of

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(Signature of Applicant.)
(Address of Applicant.)

3. Every person who shall apply to the Sanitary Authority for a license for the use and occupation of any premises as a slaughter house, shall furnish in the form hereunto appended, a true statement of the particulars therein required to be specified.

Form of Application for a License for the Use and Occupation of Premises as a Slaughter House.

To the Sanitary Authority for the District of Edmonton.

do hereby apply to you for a License in pursuance of the statutory provisions in that behalf, for the use and occupation as a slaughter house of the premises hereinafter described, and I do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the Schedule hereunto annexed contains a true statement of the several particulars therein set forth with respect to the said premises.

SCHEDULE.

- Situation and boundaries of the premises to be used and occupied as a Slaughter House.
- 2. Christian name, surname, and address of the owner of the premises.
- Nature and conditions of applicant's tenure of the premises.
- (a.) For what term; and whether by lease or otherwise.
- (b.) Whether applicant is sole owner, lessee, or tenant, or whether applicant is jointly interested with any other person or persons, and if so, with whom.

4. Description of the premises.

(a.) Nature, position, form, superficial area, and cubical contents of the several buildings therein comprised.

(b.) Extent of paved area in such buildings, and materials employed in the paving of such area.

(c.) Mode of construction of the internal surface of the walls of such buildings, and materials employed in such construction.

(d.) Means of water supply, position, form, materials, mode of construction, and capacity of the several cisterns, tanks or receptacles for water, constructed for permanent use, in or upon the premises.

(e.) Means of drainage, position, size, materials, and mode of construction of the several drains.

(f.) Means of lighting and ventilation.

(g.) Means of access for cattle from the nearest street or public thoroughfare.

(h.) Number, position, and dimensions of the several stalls, pens, or lairs, provided on the premises.

- (i.) Number of animals for which accomodation will be provided in such stalls, pens, or lairs, distinguishing—
 - 1. Oxen.
 - 2. Calves.
 - 3. Sheep or Lambs.
 - 4. Swine.

Witness my hand this

day of

18

(Signature of Applicant.)
(Address of Applicant.)

4. Every person to whom the Sanitary Authority may have resolved that a license be granted to erect premises for use and occupation as a slaughter house shall be entitled to receive from the Sanitary Authority a license in the form hereunto appended, or to the like effect.

FORM OF LICENSE TO ERECT PREMISES FOR USE AND OCCUPATION AS A SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

No. of License. Reference to Folio in Register.

District of Edmonton.

Whereas application has been made to us, the Sanitary Authority for the District of

for a License to erect on a site within the said District, certain premises for use and occupation as a Slaughter House.

Now we, the said Sanitary Authority, in pursuauce of the powers conferred upon us by the statutory provisions in that behalf, do hereby license the said

of to erect for use and occupation as a Slaughter House upon the site defined or described in the Schedule hereunto annexed, the premises whereof the description is set forth in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Boundaries, area, and description of the proposed site of the premises to be erected for use and occupation as a Slaughter House.

Description of the premises to be erected for use and and occupation as a Slaughter House,

(L.s.) Given under the common seal of the Sanitary Authority for the District of this day of in the year 18

Clerk to the Sanitary Authority.

5. Every person to whom the Sanitary Authority may have resolved that a license be granted for the use and occupation of any premises as a slaughter house, shall be entitled to receive from the Sanitary Authority a license in the form hereunto appended, or to the like effect.

FORM OF LICENSE FOR THE USE AND OCCUPATION OF PREMISES AS A SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

No. of License.

Reference to Folio in Register.

District of Edmonton.

Whereas application has been made to us, the Sanitary Authority for the District of by

for a license for the use and occupation of certain premises as a Slaughter House.

Now we, the said Sanitary Authority, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us by the statutory provisions in that behalf, do hereby license the said

a Slaughter House the premises whereof the situation and description are set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed,

SCHEDULE.

Situation of the	premises to be used and occupied a Slaughter House	Description of the premises to be used and oocu- pied as a Slaughter House		
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(L.S.)	Given under the common District of the year 18	this	Authority for the day of	

6. Every person who may have obtained from the Schedule Authority, in accordance with the provisions of the Bye-Law in that behalf, a license to erect any premises for use and occupation as a slaughter house, or a license for the use and occupation of any premises as a slaughter house shall register such premises at the office of the Sanitary Authority.

Clerk to the Sanitary Authority.

He shall for such purpose apply, by notice in writing, addressed to the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority, to register such premises and thereupon it shall be the duty of the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority within a reasonable time after the receipt of such notice in writing to enter in a book to be provided by the Sanitary Authority in the form hereunto appended, the particulars therein required to be specified.

FORM OF REGISTER OF SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

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Date	Date	No.	Christian name and Owner or of Slaugh	Christian name, and Occupier o	Situati			
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7. Every occupier of a slaughter house shall at all reasonable times afford free access to every part of the premises to the Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, or the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, or to any committee specially appointed by the

Sanitary Authority in that behalf for the purpose of inspecting such premises.

- 8. Every occupier of a slaughter house shall cause every animal brought to such slaughter house for the purpose of being slaughtered, and confined in any pound, stall, pen, or lair upon the premises previously to being slaughtered, to be provided during such confinement with a sufficient quantity of wholesome water.
- 9. Every occupier of a slaughter house and every servant of such occupier and every other person employed upon the premises in the slaughtering of cattle, shall, before proceeding to slaughter any bull, ox, cow, heifer, or steer, cause the head of such animal to be securely fastened so as to enable such animal to be felled with as little pain or suffering as practicable, and shall, in the process of slaughtaring any animal, use such instruments and appliances, and adopt such method of slaughtering, and otherwise take such precautions as may be requisite to secure the infliction of as little pain or suffering as practicable
- of ventilation provided in or in connection with such slaughter house to be kept at all times in proper order and efficient action, and so that the ventilation shall be by direct communication with the external air.

11. Every occupier of a slaughter house shall cause the drainage provided in or in connection with such slaughter house to be kept at

all times in proper order and efficient action.

of the internal surface of the walls and every part of the floor or pavement of such slaughter house to be kept at all times in good order and repair, so as to prevent the absorption therein of any blood, or liquid refuse, or filth, which may be spilled or splashed thereon, or any offensive or noxious matter which may be deposited thereon, or brought in contact therewith.

He shall cause every part of the internal surface above the floor or pavement of such slaughter house to be thoroughly washed with hot lime wash at least four times in every year, that is to say, at least once during the periods between the 1st and 10th of March, the 1st and 10th of June, the 1st and 10th of September, and the 1st and

10th of December respectively.

He shall cause every part of the floor or pavement of such slaughter house, and every part of the internal surface of every wall on which any blood or liquid refuse, or filth, may have been spilled or splashed, or with which any offensive or noxious matter may have been brought in contact during the process of slaughtering or dressing in such slaughter house, to be thoroughly washed and cleansed within three hours after the completion of such slaughtering or dressing.

13. An occupier of a slaughter house shall not at any time keep any dog, or cause or suffer any dog to be kept in such slaughter house.

He shall not at any time keep, or cause or suffer to be kept in such slaughter house, any animal of which the flesh may be used for the food of man, unless such animal be so kept in preparation for the

slaughtering thereof upon the premises.

He shall not at any time keep any cattle, or cause or suffer any cattle to be kept in such slaughter house for a longer period than may be necessary for the purpose of preparing such cattle, whether by fasting or otherwise, for the process of slaughtering.

If at any time he keep or suffer to be kept in such slaughter house any cattle for the purpose of preparation, whether by fasting or otherwise, for the process of slaughtering, he shall not cause or suffer such cattle to be confined elsewhere than in the pounds, stalls, pens, or

lairs provided on the premises.

14. Every occupier of a slaughter house shall cause the hide or skin, fat, and offal of every animal slaughtered on the premises to be removed therefrom within twenty-four hours after the completion of

the slaughtering of such animal.

of water supply provided in or in connection with such slaughter house to be kept at all times in proper order and efficient action, and shall provide for use on the premises a sufficient supply of water for the purpose of thoroughly washing and cleansing the floor or pavement, every part of the internal surface of every wall of such slaughter house. and every vessel or receptacle which may be used for the collection and removal from such slaughter house of any blood, manure, garbage, filth, or other refuse products of the slaughtering of any cattle or the dressing of any carcase on the premises.

16. Every occupier of as laughter house shall provide a sufficient number of vessels or receptacles properly constructed of galvanized iron or other non-absorbent material, and furnished with closely fitting covers, for the purpose of receiving and conveying from such slaughter house all blood, manure, garbage, filth, or other refuse products of the slaughtering of any cattle or the dressing of any carcase on the

premises.

He shall forthwith upon the completion of the slaughtering of any cattle, or the dressing of any carcase in such slaughter house, cause such blood, manure, garbage, filth, or other refuse products to be collected and deposited in such vessels or receptacles, and shall cause all the contents of such vessels or receptacles to be removed from the premises at least once in every twenty-four hours.

He shall cause every such vessel or receptacle to be thoroughly cleansed immediately after such vessel or receptacle shall have been used for such collection and removal, and shall cause every such vessel or receptacle when not in actual use to be kept thoroughly

clean.

17. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-Laws for the registering and inspection of slaughter houses, for preventing cruelty therein, for keeping the same in a cleanly and proper state, for removing filth at least once in every twenty-four hours, and for requiring such slaughter houses to be provided with a sufficient supply of water, shall be liable for every such offence to a

penalty of five pounds, and in the case of a continuing nuisance to a penalty of ten shillings for every day during which such nuisance

shall be continued after the conviction for the first offence.

Provided, nevertheless, that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made, or any proceedings may be taken in respect of any such offence, may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty imposed by this Bye-Law.

18. From and after the date of the confirmation of these Bye-Laws, the Bye-Laws relating to slaughter houses which were confirmed by the Local Government Board on the 21st day of October, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, shall be repealed.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health pursuant to a resolution of the said Board, passed the 24th day of April, 1883, in the presence of H. SPENCER A. FOY,

6 and 7, Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board this 14th day of May, 1884.

> CHARLES W. DILKE. President.

HUGH OWEN. Secre'ary.

Seal of the Local Govern ment Board

BYE-LAWS made by the Local Board for the District of EDMONTON, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority with respect to Houses let in Lodgings or Occupied by Members of more than one Family in the Urban Sanitary District of EDMONTON.

INTERPRETATION OF TERMS.

I, In these Bye-Laws, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them; that is to say:—

"The Sanitary Authority" means the Local Board for the District of Edmonton, acting as the Urban Sanitary Authority.

"The District" means the Local Government District of Edmonton.

"Lodging House" means a house or part of a house which is let in lodgings or occupied by members of more than one family.

"Landlord" in relation to a house or part of a house which is let in lodgings or occupied by members of more than one family, means the person (whatever may be the nature or extent of his interest in the premises) by whom or on whose behalf such house or part of a house is let in lodgings or for occupation by members of more than one family, or who for the time being receives, or is entitled to receive the profits arising from such letting.

"Lodger" in relation to a house or part of a house which is let in lodgings or occupied by members of more than one family means a person to whom any room or room in such house or part of a house may have been let as a lodging or for his use

and occupation.

EXEMPTED Houses.

 In any one of the several cases hereinafter specified, a lodging house shall be exempt from the operation of these Bye-Laws; that is

to say :--

(a.) Where, for the purposes of any rate for the relief of the poor the rateable value of the house exceeds Thirty-two Pounds, and the rent or charge payable by each lodger, and exclusive of any charge for the use by such lodger of any furniture, shall be such that the amount accruing due in any term shall be at the rate or in the proportion of not less than eight shillings per week.

(b.) Where, for the purpose of any rate for the relief of the poorthe rateable value of the house exceeds Thirty-two Pounds, and the rent or charge payable by each lodger, and inclusive of any charge for the use by such lodger of any furniture, shall be such that the amount accruing due in any term shall be at the rate or in the proportion of not less than ten shillings per week.

For fixing the number of persons who may occupy a house or part of a house which is let in lodgings or occupied by members of

more than one family.

For the registration of houses so let or occupied.

For the inspection of such houses.

For enforcing the provision of privy accommodation for such houses, and for promoting cleanliness and ventilation in such houses.

For the cleansing and lime-washing at stated times of the pre-

mises, and for the paving of the courts and courtyards thereof.

For the giving of notices and taking of precautions in case of

any infectious disease.

3. The landlord of a lodging house shall not knowingly cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of three hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age exceeding ten years, and of one hundred and fifty cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age not exceeding ten years to occupy, at any one time, as a sleeping apartment, a room which is used exclusively for that purpose.

4. The landlord of a lodging house shall not knowingly cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of four hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age exceeding ten years, and of two hundred cebic feet of free air space for each person of an age not exceeding ten years to occupy, at any one time, as a sleeping apartment, a room which is not used exclu-

sively for that purpose.

5. A lodger in a lodging house shall not knowingly cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of three hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age exceeding ten years, and of one hundred and fifty cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age not exceeding ten years, to occupy, at any one time, as a sleeping apartment, a room which is used exclusively for that purpose, and which has been let to such lodger.

6. A lodger in a lodging house shall not knowingly cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of four hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age exceeding ten years, and of two hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person of an age not exceeding ten years, to occupy at any one time, as a sleeping apartment, a room which is not used exclu-

sively for that purpose, and which has been let to such lodger.

7. The landlord of a lodging house, within a period of seven days after he shall have been required by a notice in writing, signed by the Clerk to the Sanitary Authority, and duly served upon or delivered to such landlord, to supply the information necessary for the registration of such house by the Sanitary Authority, shall personally or by his agent, duly authorized in that behalt, attend at the office of the Sanitary Authority during office hours and then and there furnish

and sign a true statement of the following particulars with respect to such house; that is to say:—

(a.) The total number of rooms in the house.

(b.) The total number of rooms let in lodgings or occupied by members of more than one family.

(c.) The manner of use of each room.

(d.) The number, age, and sex of the occupants of each room used for sleeping.

(e.) The Christian name and surname of the lessee of each

room; and

(f.) The amount of rent or charge payable by each lessee.

8. In every case where the landlord of a lodging house occupies or resides in any part of the premises or retains a general possession or control of the premises, such landlord shall at all times when required by the Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, or the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, afford any such officer free access to the interior of the premises for the purpose of inspect ion.

9. In every case where the landlord of a lodging house does not occupy or reside in any part of the premises or retain a general possession or control of the premises, every lodger who is entitled to have or to exercise the control of the outer door of the premises shall at all times when required by the Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, or the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, afford any such officer free access to the interior of the premises for the purpose of inspection.

quired by the Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, or the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority, afford any such officer free access for the purpose of inspection to the interior of any room or

rooms which may have been let to such lodger.

II. In every case where the Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, or the Surveyor of the Sanitary Authority has for the purpose of inspection obtained access to the interior of a lodging house, or to the interior of any room or rooms in such house, a person shall not wilfully obstruct any such officer in the inspection of any part of the premises, or without reasonable excuse, neglect or refuse, when required by any such officer, to render him such assistance as may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of such inspection.

 The landlord of a lodging house shall provide privy accommodation for such house by means of a water closet or water closets,

an earth closet or earth closets, or a privy or privies.

He shall provide such accommodation so that the number of water closets, earth closets, or privies in relation to the greatest number of persons who, subject to the restrictions imposed by any Bye-Law in that behalf, may at any one time occupy rooms in the house as sleeping apartments, shall be in the proportion of not less than one water closet, earth closet, or privy to every twelve persons.

13. In every case where for the purpose of providing privy accommodation for a lodging house in pursuance of the requirements of any

Bye-Law in that behalf the construction of a new water closet is necessary, and where such construction so far as regards the several details hereinafter specified, is not already the subject of regulation by any statute or Bye-Law in force within the district, the landlord shall construct such water closet in accordance with the following rules:—

(i.) If the water closet is intended to be within the house, he shall construct such water closet in such a position that one of its

sides, at the least, shall be an external wall.

(ii.) He shall construct in one of the walls of the water closet, whether the situation of such water closet is or is not within the house, a window of not less dimensions than two feet by one foot, exclusive of the frame and opening directly into the external air.

He shall, in addition to such window, cause the water closet to be provided with adequate means of constant ventilation by at least one air brick, built in an external wall of such water closet, or by an air

shaft, or by some other effectual method or appliance.

(iii.) He shall furnish the water closet with a separate cistern or flushing box of adequate capacity, which shall be so constructed, fitted and placed, as to admit of the supply of water for use in such water closet without any direct connection between any service pipe upon the premises, and any part of the apparatus of such water closet, other than such cistern or flushing box.

He shall furnish the water closet with a suitable apparatus for the effectual application of water to any pan, basin, or other receptacle with which such apparatus may be connected and used, and for the effectual flushing and cleansing of such pan, basin, or other receptacle and for the prompt and effectual removal therefrom of any solid or

liquid filth, which may from time to time be deposited therein.

He shall furnish the water closet with a pan, basin, or other suitable receptacle of non-absorbent material, and of such shape, of such capacity, and of such mode of construction, as to receive and contain a sufficient quantity of water, and to allow all filth which may from time to time be deposited in such pan, basin, or receptacle, to fall free of the sides thereof, and directly into the water received and contained in such pan, basin, or receptacle.

He shall not construct or fix under such pan, basin, or receptacle,

any "container," or other similar fitting.

He shall not construct or fix in or in connection with the water

closet apparatus any trap of the kind known as a "D trap."

- 14. In every case where for the purpose of providing privy accommodation for a lodging house in pursuance of the requirements of any Bye-Law in that behalf, the construction of a new earth closet is necessary, and where such construction, so far as regards the several details hereinafter specified, is not already the subject of regulation by any statute or Bye-Law in force within the district, the landlord shall construct such earth closet in accordance with the following rules:—
 - (i.) If the earth closet is intended to be within the house, he shall

construct such earth closet in such a position that one of its sides at the least shall be an external wall.

(ii.) He shall construct in one of the wall not the earth closet, whether the situation of such earth closet is or is not within the house, a window of not less dimensions than two feet by one foot, exclusive of the frame, and opening directly into the external air.

He shall, in addition to such window, cause the earth closet to be provided with adequate means of constant ventilation by at least one air brick built in an external wall of such earth closet, or by an air

shaft, or by some other effectual method or appliance.

(iii.) He shall furnish the earth closet with a reservoir or receptacle of suitable construction and of adequate capacity, for dry earth, or some other deodorising substance, and he shall construct and fix such reservoir or receptacle in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of ready access to such reservoir or receptacle for the purpose of depositing therein the necessary supply of dry earth or other deodorising substance.

He shall construct or fix, in connection with such reservoir or receptacle, suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth or other deodorising substance, to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in any pan, pit or other receptacle for filth, constructed, fitted, or used

in or in connection with such earth closet.

(iv.) If he provides in or in connection with the earth closet a fixed receptacle for filth, he shall construct or fix such receptacle in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of the frequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth or other deodorising substance to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in such receptacle, and in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of ready access to such receptacle for the purpose of removing the contents thereof. He shall not construct such receptacle of a capacity greater than may be sufficient to contain such filth and dry earth or other deodorising substance as may be deposited therein, during a period not exceeding three months, or in any case of a capacity exceeding forty cubic feet. He shall construct such receptacle of such material or materials, and in such a manner as to prevent any absorption by any part of such receptacle of any filth deposited therein, or any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. He shall construct or fix such receptacle so that the bottom or floor thereof shall be at least three inches above the level of the surface of the ground, immediately adjoining the earth closer, and so that the contents of such receptacle may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall, or to the drainage of any waste water, or liquid refuse from any adjoining premises.

(v.) If he provides in or in connection with the earth closet a movable receptacle for filth, he shall construct such earth closet so that the position and mode of fitting of such receptacle may admit of the trequent and effectual application of a sufficient quantity of dry earth or other deodorising substance to any filth which may from time

to time be deposited in such receptacle, and may also admit of ready access to that part of the earth closet in which such receptacle may be placed or fitted, and of the convenient removal of such receptacle, or of the contents thereof. He shall also construct such earth closet so that the contents of such receptacle may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall, or to the drainage of any waste water or liquid refuse from any adjoining premises.

15. In every case where for the purpose of providing privy accommodation for a lodging house in pursuauce of the requirements of any Bye-Law in that behalf, the construction of a new privy is necessary, and where such construction, so far as regards the several details hereinafter specified, is not already the subject of regulation by any statute or Bye-Law in force within the district, the landlord shall con-

struct such privy in accordance with the following rules:-

(i.) He shall construct the privy at a distance of six feet at the least from a dwelling house or public building, or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any

manufacture, trade or business.

(ii.) He shall not construct the privy within the distance of thirty feet from any well, spring or stream of water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or otherwise in such a position as to render any

such water liable to pollution.

(iii.) He shall construct the privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such privy for the purpose of cleansing such privy, and of removing filth therefrom, and in such a manner and in such a position as to admit of all filth being removed from such privy, and from the premises to which such privy may belong, without being carried through any dwelling-house or public building, or any building in which any person may be or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business.

(iv.) He shall provide the privy with a sufficient opening for ventilation, as near to the top as practicable, and communicating

directly with the external air.

He shall cause the floor of the privy to be flagged or paved with hard tiles or other non-absorbent material, and he shall construct such floor so that it shall be in every part thereof at a height of not less than six inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining such privy, and so that such floor shall have a fall or inclination

towards the door of such privy of half an inch to the foot.

(v.) If the privy is constructed for use in combination with a fixed receptacle for filth, he shall construct or fix in or in connection with the privy suitable means or apparatus for the frequent and effectual application of ashes, dust or dry refuse to any filth which may from time to time be deposited in such receptacle. He shall construct such receptacle so that the contents thereof may not at any time be exposed to any rainfall, or the drainage of any waste water or liquid refuse from any adjoining premises. He shall construct such receptacle of such material or materials, and in such a manner as to prevent any

absorption by any part of such receptacle of any filth deposited therein, or any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. He shall construct such receptacle so that the bottom or floor thereof shall be in every part at least three inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the privy. He shall not in any case construct such receptacle of a capacity exceeding eight cubic feet. He shall construct the seat of the privy so that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to such receptacle for the purpose of removing the contents thereof, and of cleansing such receptacle, or shall otherwise provide in or in connection with the privy adequate means of access to such receptacle for

the purpose aforesaid.

(vi.) If the privy is constructed for use in combination with a movable receptacle for filth he shall construct over the whole area of the space immediately beneath the seat of the privy, a flagged or asphalted floor, at a height of not less than three inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the privy; and he shall cause the whole extent of each side of such space between the floor and the seat to be constructed of flagging, slate, or good brickwork at least nine inches thick and rendered in good cement or asphalted. He shall construct the seat of the privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat, of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for filth, of a capacity not exceeding two cubic feet being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and in such a position as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat or elsewhere than in such receptacle of any filth which may from to time fall or be cast through the aperture in such seat. He shall construct the seat of the privy so that the whole of such seat, or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space or of removing therefrom or placing and fitting therein the appropriate receptacle for filth.

(vii.) He shall not cause or suffer any part of the space under the seat of the privy or any part of any receptacle for filth in or in

connection with the privy to communicate with any drain.

16. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any court, courtyard, area, or other open space within the curtilage of the premises, such lodger shall cause such court, courtyard. area, or other open space to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be requisite for the purpose of keeping the same in a clean and wholesome condition.

17. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any court, courtyard, area or other open space within the curtilage of the premises, the landlord shall cause such court, courtyard, area, or other open space to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be requisite for the purpose of keeping the same in a clean and wholesome condition.

18. The landlord of a lodging house shall cause every part of the structure of every water closet belonging to such house to be main tained at all times in good order, and every part of the apparatus of such water closet, and every drain or means of drainage with which such water closet may communicate, to be maintained at all times in good order and efficient action.

19. The landlord of a lodging house shall cause every part of the structure of every earth closet or privy belonging to such house, and every receptacle for filth provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy to be maintained at all times in good order.

He shall cause all such means or apparatus as may be provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy, and such receptacle for the frequent and effectual application of dry earth or of any other deodorising substance to any filth deposited in such recep-

tacle, to be maintained at all times in good order.

20. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, such lodger shall cause the pan, seat, floor, and walls of such water closet, and the seat, floor, and walls of such earth closet or privy, to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be necessary for the purpose of keeping such pan, seat floor, and walls in a clean and wholesome condition.

21. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, the landlord shall cause the pan, seat, floor, and walls of such water closet, and the seat floor and walls of such earth closet or privy, to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be necessary for the purpose of keeping such pan, seat, floor, and walls in a clean and wholesome condition.

22. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any earth closet or privy belonging to such house, such lodger shall cause every receptacle for filth provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy to be main-

tained at all times in a wholesome condition.

He shall cause Sufficient supply of dry earth or of some other deodorising substance to be from time to time provided for use in such earth closet, privy, or receptacle for filth, and shall cause such dry earth or other deodorising substance to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth, or he shall cause such dry earth or other deodorising substance as may from time to time be supplied to such house in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf by the Sanitary Authority, or by any person with whom they may contract for the purpose, to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth.

23. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any earth closet or privy belonging to such house, the landlord shall cause every receptacle for filth provided or used in or in connection with such earth closet or privy to

be maintained at all times in a wholesome condition.

He shall cause a sufficient supply of dry earth or of some other

deodorising substance, to be from time to time provided for use in such earth closet, privy, or receptacle for filth, and shall cause such dry earth, or other deodorising substance to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth, or he shall cause such dry earth or other deodorising substance as may from time to time be supplied to such house in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf by the Sanitary Authority, or by any person with whom they may contract for the purpose, to be frequently and effectually applied to such filth.

- 24. The Landlord of the lodging house shall cause every part of the structure of every ash pit belonging to such house to be maintained at all times in good order.
- 25. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any ash pit belonging to such house, such lodger shall cause such ash pit to be kept at all times in a wholesome condition.
- 26. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any ash pit belonging to such house, the landlord shall cause such ash pit to be kept at all times in a wholesome condition.
- 27. A lodger in a lodging house, or an occupant of any room therein, shall not throw any filth or wet refuse into any ash pit belonging to such house, and constructed and adapted for use only as a receptacle for ashes, dust, and dry refuse.

28. Every lodger in a lodging house shall cause the floor of every room which has been let to him to be thoroughly swept once at least in every day, and to be thoroughly washed once at least in every

29. Every lodger in a lodging house shall cause every window, every fixture or fitting of wood, stone, or metal, and every painted surface in every room which has been let to him, to be thoroughly

cleansed from time to time, as often as may be requisite.

30. Every lodger in a lodging house shall cause all solid or liquid filth or refuse to be removed once at least in every day from every room which has been let to him, and shall once at least in every day cause every vessel, utensil, or other receptacle for such filth or refuse, to be thoroughly cleansed.

31. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any staircase, landing, or passage in such house, such lodger shall cause every part of such staircase, landing, or passage to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may

be requisite.

32. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any staircase, landing, or passage in such house the landlord shall cause every part of such staircase, landing, or passage to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be requisite,

33. A lodger in a lodging house shall not cause or suffer any animal to be kept in any room which has been let to such lodger, or

elsewhere upon the premises, in such a manner as to render the con-

dition of such room or premises filthy or unwholesome.

34. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house is entitled to the exclusive use of any cistern or other receptacle for the storage of water supplied to the premises, such lodger shall cause every part of the interior of such cistern or receptacle to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time, as often as may be requisite for the purpose of keeping the same in a clean and wholesome condition.

35. In every case where two or more lodgers in a lodging house are entitled to the use in common of any cistern or other receptacle for the storage of water supplied to the premises, the landlord shall cause every part of the interior of such cistern or receptacle to be thoroughly cleansed from time to time as often as may be requisite, for the pur-

pose of keeping the same in a clean and wholesome condition.

36. The landlord of a lodging house shall cause all such means of ventilation as may be provided in or in connection with any room or passage in such house and in or in connection with any water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to such house, to be maintained at all times in good order.

37. The lanford of a lodging house shall, in the first week of the month of March in every year, cause every part of the premises to be

cleansed.

He shall at the same time, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause every area, the interior surface of ceiling and wall of water closet, earth closet, or privy belonging to the premises, and the interior surface of every ceiling and wall of every room, staircase, and passage in the house, to be thoroughly washed with hot limewash.

Provided that the foregoing requirement with respect to the lime washing of the internal surface of the walls of the rooms, staircases, and passages, shall not apply in any case where the internal surface of any such wall is painted, or where the material of or with which such surface is constructed or covered, is such as to render the lime washing thereof unsuitable or inexpedient, and where such service is thoroughly cleansed, and the p_int or other covering is renewed if the renewal thereof be necessary, for the purpose of keeping the premises in a cleanly and wholesome condition.

38. The landlord of a lodging house shall cause every court and courtyard thereof to be properly paved with a hard durable and impervious pavement, evenly and closely laid upon a sufficient bed of good concrete and sloped to a properly constructed channel leading to a trapped gully grating, which shall be so constructed and placed as effectually to carry off all rain or waste water from such court or

courtyard.

He shall cause such payement, channel and grating to be kept at

all times in good order and in proper repair.

39. Every lodger in a lodging house shall, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause every window of every room which has been let to him, and which is used as a sleeping apartment, to be

opened and to be kept fully open for one hour at least in the forenoon

and for one hour at least in the afternoon of every day.

Provided that such lodger shall not be required in pursuance of this Bye-Law, to cause any such window to be opened or to be kept open at any time when the state of the weather is such as to render it necessary that the window should be closed, or when any bed in any such room may be occupied by any person in consequence of sickness or some other sufficient cause.

- 40 The landlord of a lodging house, immediately after he shall have been informed or shall have ascertained that any person in such house is ill of an infectious disease, shall give written notice thereof to the Medical Officer of Health of the Sanitary Authority.
- 41. In every case where a lodger in a lodging house has been informed or has ascertained, or has reasonable grounds for believing that an occupant of any room which has been let to such lodger is ill of an infectious disease, such lodger shall forthwith give written notice thereof to the landlord and to the Medical Officer of Health of the Sanitary Authority, and verbal or written notice thereof to every other lodger in such house.
- 42. In every case where, in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf, an order of a Justice has been obtained for the removal from a lodging house to a hospital or other place for the reception of the sick, of a person who is suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder, and is without proper lodging or accommodation, or lodged in a room occupied by more than one family, the landlord of such house and the lodger to whom any room whereof such person may be an occupant has been let, shall on being informed of such order, forthwith take all such steps as may be requisite on the part of such landlord and of such lodger respectively to secure the safe and prompt removal of such person in compliance with such order, and shall in and about such removal adopt all such precautions as in accordance with any instructions which such landlord and such lodger respectively may receive from the Medical Officer of Health of the Sanitary Authority, may be most suitable for the circumstances of the case.

PENALTIES.

43. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing Bye-Laws shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of Five Pounds, and in the case of a continuing offence to a further penalty of Forty Shillings for each day after written notice of the offence from the Sanitary Authority.

Provided nevertheless that the Justices or Court before whom any complaint may be made or any procedings may be taken in respect of any such offence may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment as a penalty of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty imposed by this Bye-Law.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health pursuant to a resolution of the said Board, passed the 24th day of April, 1883, in the presence of H. Spencer A. Foy,

6 and 7, Barbican, E.C.

Seal of the Edmonton Local Board of Health.

Allowed by the Local Government Board this 14th day of May, 1884.

CHARLES W. DILKE, President.

Hugh Owen. Secretary.

Seal of the Local Government Board.



