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Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
18th May, 1927.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

Your are hereby summoned to attend **AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL** to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on **MONDAY NEXT**, the 23rd day of May, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of Annual Meeting of the Council held on the 20th April, 1927.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 20th April, 1927, and of the 2nd May, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 20th April, 1927, and of the 3rd May, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 20th April, 1927, and of the 4th May, 1927,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 5th May, 1927,

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- (c) **Education** of the 9th May, 1927,
 - (f) **General Purposes** of the 10th May, 1927,
 - (g) **Electricity** of the 20th April, 1927, and of the 11th May, 1927,
 - (h) **Finance** of the 20th April, 1927, and of the 11th May, 1927.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' reports.

6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927.”

7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

8. Tenders for :—

(a) Improvement Works—Woodside Lane ;

(b) Improvement Works—Hampstead Lane, between The Bishop's Avenue and the Hornsey Boundary.

9. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

10. Reports of Committees :—

(a) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 4th May, 1927 ;

(b) **Education** of the 9th May, 1927 ;

(c) **General Purposes** of the 10th May, 1927.

11. Reports of Officers.

12. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. T. Hines". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name of the Clerk of the Council.

Clerk of the Council.

• **QUESTIONS.**

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

4.

Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
WEDNESDAY,
20th APRIL, 1927.

At the ANNUAL MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on WEDNESDAY, the
20th day of APRIL, 1927.

PRESENT :

Councillors

Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
Briant, A. J.	Ryan, C. G.
Broadbent, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
England, J.	Syrett, C. S.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, H. O.
Knowlman, A.	Toyne, E.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wade, N. C.
Pateman, G. H.	Wells, H. V.

1 ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS—DECLARATION ON ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE.—The Clerk reported that the following had been elected Members of the Council :—

North Ward.—

Mr. George Henry Pateman;
Mr. Harold George Sommerfield;

East Ward.—

Mr. Frederick John Grocott;
Mr. Charles Gregory Ryan;

West Ward.—

Mr. Henry Oliver Syrett;
Mr. Edwin Toyne.

The necessary Declarations on Acceptance of Office were then made.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

2 PRELIMINARY CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Merry and seconded by Councillor C. S. Syrett—“ that Councillor F. H. Agar take the Chair *pro tempore*.”

3 CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL.—It was proposed by Councillor Merry, seconded by Councillor Pike, and

RESOLVED (*nemine contradicente*) that Councillor Henry Oliver Syrett be and he is hereby appointed Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Councillor Agar vacated and Councillor H. O. Syrett took the Chair and made the usual Declaration on Acceptance of Office.

4 VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL.—It was proposed by Councillor Pocock and seconded by Councillor C. S. Syrett—“ that Councillor Edwin Toyne be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.”

An amendment was proposed by Councillor Pateman and seconded by Councillor Wells—“ that Councillor John Broadbent be and he is hereby appointed Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.”

On being put the amendment was lost, four voting in favour and eight against.

The original motion was then put and carried, 10 voting for and 2 against.

Councillor Edwin Toyne was thereupon declared to be elected Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

5 MINUTES.—The Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 28th March, 1927, and of an Extraordinary Meeting held on the 6th April, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

6 APPOINTMENT AND CONSTITUTION OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the following Committees be and they are hereby appointed for the ensuing year; that the constitution thereof be as set forth after the name of each Committee, the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Council being, in accordance with the Standing Orders of the Council, ex-officio members of all Committees and Sub-Committees (excepting the Valuation Committee); and that the duties of the several Committees be as set forth in the Standing Orders of the Council with (a) the addition that the Public Health Committee may in the interim between the meetings of the Council

- (1) exercise any of the powers of the Council under Section 41 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Acts amending same with regard to the examination of drains, waterclosets, etc.;
- (2) be empowered to serve statutory notices in respect of nuisances of an urgent character arising from blocked and/or defective drains, waterclosets, urinals, soil pipes and ventilating pipes, and waste-pipes, and nuisances arising from defective roofs, eaves gutters, stack pipes, service water cisterns, and service water pipes;

subject in all cases to report to the Council on matters needing confirmation; and (b) the deletion of item (C) of the duties of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and the substitution therefor of the following:—

- (C) (1) with regard to plans of new streets and buildings submitted to the Council for approval, power to disapprove any plan so submitted where the Committee deems that course necessary and where a period of one calendar month from the deposit of the plan would elapse prior to the meeting of the Council at which the plan would ordinarily be considered;
- (2) the consideration and approval of plans for new buildings and sanitary work;

STANDING COMMITTEES.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council,
Councillors Bowen, Briant, Broadbent, Pateman, Pike and Ryan;

COUNCIL MINUTES *(continued)*.

FINANCE.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Agar, England, Pocock, Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, and Wells;

HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Briant, Grocott, Knowlman, Merry, Wade and Wells;

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, Knowlman, Pike and Wade;

GENERAL PURPOSES.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, and the respective Chairmen of the following Committees, namely:—Public Health, Finance, Highways and Fire and Water, Town Planning and Open Spaces, Electricity and Education;

OTHER COMMITTEES.

ELECTRICITY.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock, Ryan, C. S. Syrett and Wade;
Non-Members of the Council:—Mr. R. A. Marples and Major R. Marx, B.Sc.;

EDUCATION.

- (a) Members of the Council.—The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Grocott, Merry, Pateman, Pocock, Sommerfield and C. S. Syrett;
- (b) Ex-Officio Members.—County Councillors Walter C. Cope and Dr. Hicks, and the Chairman for the time being of the Local Higher Education Committee;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(c) Selected Members.—Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams, M.A. ;

ALLOTMENTS.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, Grocott, Pateman, and Wells ;

Non-Members of the Council :—Messrs. H. Robin, W. J. Rolfe, F. W. Stone, and J. W. Tayler ;

LOCAL OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Pateman, Pocock, Ryan and Wells ;

Non-Member of the Council :—Mr. J. Sheldrake ;

VALUATION.

Councillors H. O. Syrett and E. Toyne ;

Non-Members of the Council :—Messrs. W. Atkinson, P. H. Chambers and J. H. Fry.

SUB-COMMITTEES.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Bowen, Briant, Broadbent, Pateman, Pike and Ryan ;

Non-Members of the Council :—Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing, Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. C. S. Syrett ;

LEGAL AND PARLIAMENTARY.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Agar, Briant, Merry, C. S. Syrett and Wells, and the Chairman of the Committee concerned in the matter under discussion.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

7 VALUATION COMMITTEE.—

(a) Delegation of Powers to—

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Agar, seconded by Councillor England,

- (1) that the powers of the Rating Authority relative to Valuation under the provisions of the Union Assessment Acts, 1862 to 1880, and under the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925, be and they are hereby delegated to the Valuation Committee;
- (2) that the Standing Orders of the Council be amended so as to provide that the Chairman of the Valuation Committee need not necessarily be a Member of the Council.

(b) General.—The Chairman of the Council reported

- (1) that the Staff of the Valuation Department commenced their duties on the 1st April, 1927, and that the necessary office equipment, books, forms, stationery, etc., had been ordered in accordance with the authority given by the Council;
- (2) that a Supplemental Valuation List was to be placed on deposit on the 30th April, 1927;
- (3) that the work in connexion with the preparation and service of the statutory notices under Section 40 of the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925, was to be proceeded with immediately and that the Valuation Committee

RECOMMENDED that the following resolution be passed by the Council :—

That authority be and it is hereby given to the Clerk to the Valuation Committee to sign all notices, Valuation Lists, Supplemental Valuation Lists and other documents required under the provisions of the Union Assessment Acts, 1862 to 1880, and under the valuation provisions of the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that the above recommendation be adopted.

8 ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS, 1927.—The Clerk, as Returning Officer for the Election of Councillors for the several Wards of the District, submitted statement of the expenses in connexion with the above Election amounting to £363 10s. 6d., on account of which a cheque for £275 had already been drawn;

RESOLVED that the account be approved and that a cheque for the balance (£88 10s. 6d.) be drawn.

9 MIDDLESEX DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.—

RESOLVED that the Vice-Chairman of the Council be appointed this Council's representative on the above Association for the ensuing year.

10 URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION—EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Clerk of the Council be appointed this Council's representative hereon for the ensuing year.

11 MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS' JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BOARD.—

RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Public Health Committee be appointed this Council's representative on the above-named Board for the year 1927-28.

12 HORNSEY, FINCHLEY AND WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Pike, H. O. Syrett and Toyne be appointed this Council's representatives on the above Committee for the ensuing year.

13 REPORT OF FINANCE ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—A report of the above Sub-Committee, dated 12th April, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), and Councillor C. S. Syrett.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

- (a) Loan.—The Accountant reported that sanction had been received from the Ministry of Health to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £50,000 for the purpose of further advances under the above-mentioned Acts;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that application be made to the Public Works Loan Board for a loan of £50,000 to be taken up by instalments as and when required;
- (2) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the draft Mortgage;
- (3) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the engrossment thereof;
- (4) that the stamp duty on Mortgage and Declaration and the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

- (b) Advances—£12,620.—

RECOMMENDED—

- Annexed*
- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
 - (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £12,620 (being the amount of such advances) in the following manner:—
 - As to the sum of £6,610 under the Mortgage dated the 4th September, 1926;
 - As to the sum of £6,010 as the first instalment of the new loan of £50,000 referred to in (a) above;
 - (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Orders for certificate;

FLINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
 APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.
 APRIL, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

APRIL, 1927.

Name	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage value
			£	years.	£	£	
Jenkin, A. M.,	23, Woodlands Avenue	L 85 yrs.	720	20	950	900	80%
Cross, F. G.,	14, St. Margaret's Road	F	730	20	925	915	80%
Smith, W. H.,	41, Fortis Green Road	L 97 yrs.	700	20	975	900	77.7
Chapman, G. S.,	20, Westholm	L 92 yrs.	500	20	775	825	60.6
Minter, J. E.,	5, St. Margaret's Avenue	F	370	15	875	870	42.5
Killby, H. R.,	3, Fursby House Estate	F	900	20	1,150	1,125	80%
Davis, H.,	12, Stanhope Avenue	L 99 yrs.	700	15	895	870	80.5
Burch, D.,	18, Stanhope Avenue	L 99 yrs.	700	15	895	870	80.5

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Name	Locality	bt. fwd.	Number of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment. years.	Purchase price.	Valuation	For ag. ve
Milbank, C. V.,	31, Wentworth Avenue		F	5,250 900	20	1,130	1,150	
	unatone Parade		F	480	15	700	600	

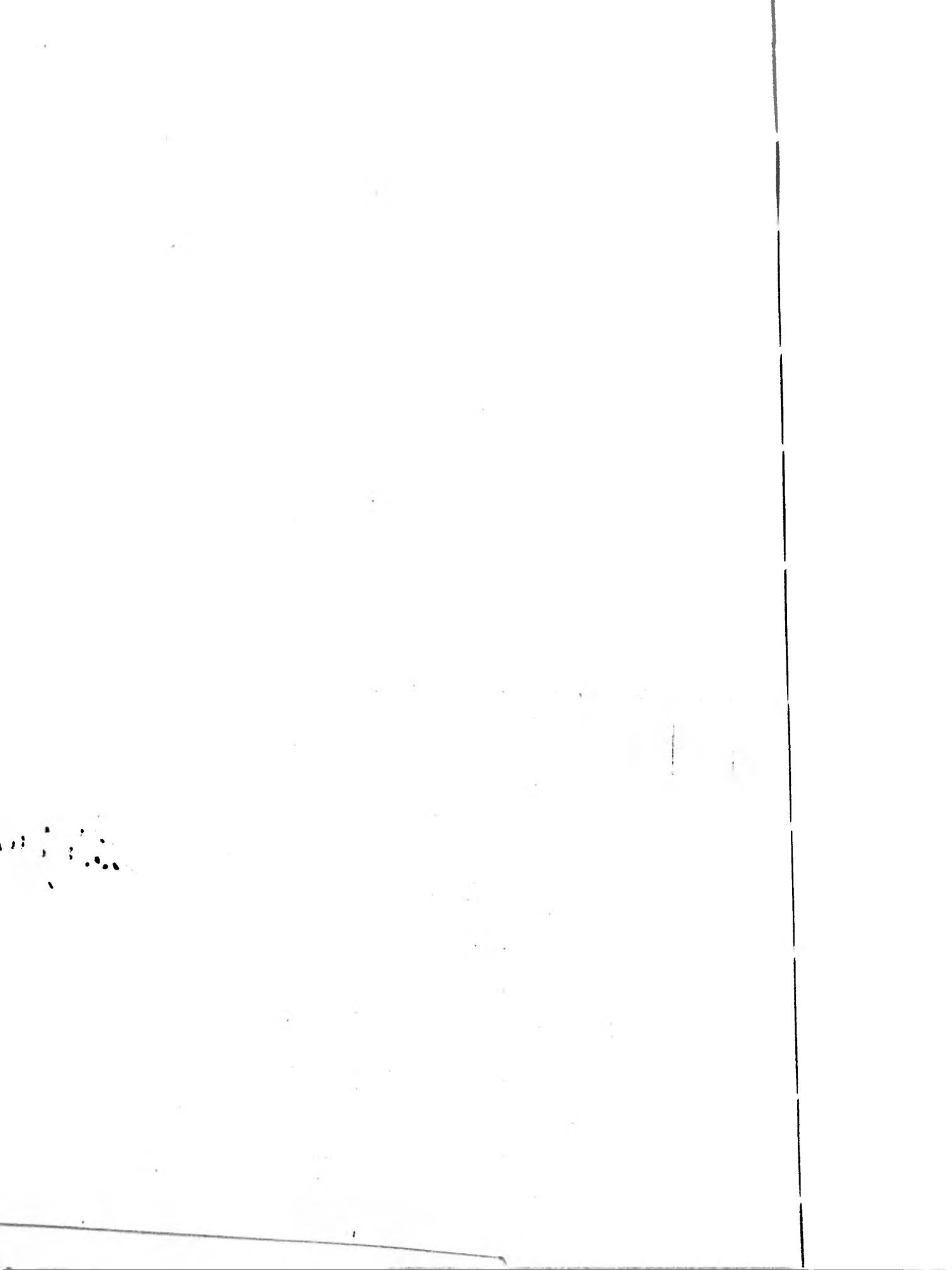
No.	Name	Locality	Rating of interest.	Amount applied for re-payment.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation
				£	years.	£	£
			bt. fwd.	5,200			
440.	Milbank, C. V.,	31, Wentworth Avenue	F	900	20	1,130	1,150
441.	Floyd, Mr.&Mrs. R.,	12, Whotstone Parade	F	480	15	700	600
		"Glen Garrick",	L				
442.	Needham, E. J.,	Bow Lane	99 yrs.	800	15	1,050	1,000
443.	Gray, Mrs. M.A.M.,	33, Wentworth Avenue	F	800	20	1,100	1,100
			L				
444.	Swallow, F. G.,	25, Avoirdale Road	32 yrs.	500	20	650	625
		"Meadowlea",					
445.	Farry, E. J.,	Ridgeview Road	F	900	20	1,175	1,125
446.	Lawrence, S. G.,	3, Fursby Avenue	F	500	20	1,050	1,000
			L				
447.	Bunker, A. G.,	69, Squires Lane	72 yrs.	500	20	730	625
			L				
448.	Pennoy, C. E.,	14, Stanhope Avenue	99 yrs.	700	20	895	870
		Nether Street					
449.	Southcott, F.,	5th. house N. E. of	F	840	15	1,070	1,050
		"Brinmaur".					
				£ 12,620			
			L				
450.	Stephenson,	30, Wentworth Park	99 yrs.	740	20	940	925
			L				
	Transfer -		97 yrs.	balance			
	157. from Mrs. C. Chown)	2, Summerlee Avenue		of mortgage		£875	
	to Thackston, S. A.,)						

To be considered by Council

Mrs. Spuff
Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page is the list referred to in paragraph 13 (b) of the Council Minutes of the 20th April 1927.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipts therefor;

(5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

(c) **Approved Advances.**—The Accountant reported that including the sums recommended at this meeting the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £305,510.

(d) **Application No. 450.**—

RECOMMENDED that such application be considered at the annual meeting of the Council to be held on the 20th April, 1927.

(e) **Advance No. 157—Transfer.**—

RECOMMENDED that the transfer of the interest in the premises from Mrs. C. Chown to Mr. S. A. Thackston be approved.

F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

RESOLVED that such report be received and adopted, with the exception of paragraph (d) (Application No. 450), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

14 **NORTH MIDDLESEX ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.**—

RESOLVED that Councillors Agar and Pocock be re-elected this Council's representatives on the above Committee for the ensuing year.

15 **EDUCATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.**—A communication, dated 12th April, 1927, was submitted from County Alderman F. Goodyear, J.P., as follows:—

“ I am very much obliged to you, the members of your Council and the members of your staff for your letter of the 11th instant. It is very gratifying to me.”

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

16 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—FATAL ACCIDENT—ASSISTANT ROAD FOREMAN—H. J. BETTS.—A communication was submitted from Mrs. Betts thanking the Council for their expression of sympathy with her in the loss which she had sustained by the death of her husband.

17 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE CENTRE—CHURCH END, FINCHLEY.—A communication, dated 14th April, 1927, was submitted from the Treasurer to the Finchley Wesleyan Church hereon;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

18 UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920—THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—A communication, dated 13th April, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Transport referring to the objection lodged by the Council to the confirmation of the above-mentioned Order and requesting to be informed of the grounds of the Council's objection;

RESOLVED that the matter be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

19 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE.—A communication, dated 4th April, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary to the North Finchley Allotment League stating that at a Special General Meeting of that League held on the 1st April, 1927, the following resolution was passed:—

“ That the Secretary write to the Urban District Council asking them for the reason why they should have notice to quit their land.”

The Secretary also enquired whether arrangements could be made for the full Council to meet a deputation from the League in regard to the notice.

It was moved by the Chairman of the Council—“ that the Secretary to the League be informed that the Allotments Committee will receive a deputation.”

An amendment was proposed by Councillor C. S. Syrett and seconded by Councillor Wells—“ that the deputation be received by the General Purposes Committee at their next Meeting and that each Member of the Council be invited to attend that Meeting.”

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

On being put the amendment was lost, five voting in favour and ten against.

It was thereupon

RESOLVED that the Clerk be directed to reply to the Secretary to the League setting out the views of the Council with regard to the reception of deputations and stating that the deputation would be received by the Allotments Committee.

20 RATING AND VALUATION ACT, 1925—SCHEME—DEDUCTION—RATEABLE VALUE.—A communication, dated 6th April, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health, of which the following is an extract :—

“ The Minister has given the matter careful consideration, and he has decided that it is expedient to fix the percentage deduction at the nearest integral amount in all cases, unless, in particular cases, there are special reasons to the contrary.

He does not at present see any reason why he should not exercise his power in the present case, and he therefore proposes to include Finchley in an Order to be made under paragraph 6 and to fix the percentage deduction at 31, which is the nearest integral amount.

Before taking this course, however, he desires to be definitely informed that none of the circumstances mentioned under Sub-heads (b), (c) or (e) of paragraph 14 of Circular 717 exist in the district so as to require the making of a special scheme.”

RESOLVED that the percentage deduction at 31 be approved by the Council.

21 ATTENDANCES.—The Clerk submitted return of the number of Council, Committee and Sub-Committee Meetings held during the year ended 15th April, 1927, and of the attendances of Members thereat.

Annexed

22 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order, in writing, be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums hereunder specified amounting to £38,922 1s. 4d. :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT:—

	£	s.	d.
Amory, G. F., printing	3	6	6
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Finchley Billposting Co., Ltd., advertisement	2	12	6
Freeman, C. E., costs, etc., re loan	37	10	0
Gush, Phillips, Walters & Williams, costs, etc., re loan	66	0	0
Lees & Co., costs	24	14	10
Lister, E. H., balance of election expenses	88	10	6
Manders, W. & Co., certificate	61	12	5
Ditto, certificates	728	11	1
Morgan-Webb, C. C., printing and advertisement	12	11	0
Orchard, C. & Co., printing	126	7	0
Walker, J., team labour	308	17	6
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance premium	7	7	3
Total Invoices	1951	17	3

Refund of Contractors' Deposits:—

The Roads & Public Works, Ltd.	3	0	0
Carter, C.	3	0	0
Adams, T.	3	0	0
Mowlem, J. & Co.	3	0	0
Fitzpatrick, W. & Son	2	0	0
Moffat's General Construction Co.	3	0	0
Rainbow, T. A.	3	0	0
Jones, W. & Co.	2	0	0
Ball, C.	3	0	0
French, W. & C.	3	0	0
London & County Public Works, Ltd.	3	0	0
Boyer, W.	2	0	0
Bridgewater Bros.	2	0	0
Tarslag (1923), Ltd.	1	0	0
Manders, W. & Co.	1	0	0
Bence, E. & Co.	2	0	0
Stevens & Sons	2	0	0
Halls, C. & Sons	2	0	0
Compton Bros.	2	0	0
Ewart, J. A., Ltd.	1	0	0
Bedford, A.	1	0	0

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Name	2083
Councillor -	18
Beer, F.H.	18
Bennett, L.W.	18
Bowen, E.S.	18
Brient, A.J.	18
Brcadvent, J.	18
Dieland, J.	18
Griffin, G.	18
Knowlman, A.	18
Leslie, J.R.	18
Merry, D.A.A.	18
Pateman, G.H.	18
Pike, A.T.	18
Pocock, S.J.	18
Syrett, C.S.	18
Syrett, H.O.	18
Toyne, E.	18
Wade, N.C.	18
Wells, H.V.	18
City Cr. Cope.	18
City Cr. Hicks.	18
City Ald. Goodyear.	18
Hill, Mrs. A.S.	18
Timberlake, Mrs.	18
Williams, R.	18
Harples, R.A.	18
Marx, R.	18
Cheldrake, J.	18
Robin, H.	18
Rolfe, W.J.	18
Stone, F.W.	18
Taylor, J.W.	18
Barfield, Mrs.	18
Healing, Mrs.	18
Reeves, Mrs.	18
Syrett, Mrs. C.S.	18
Chambers, P.H.	18

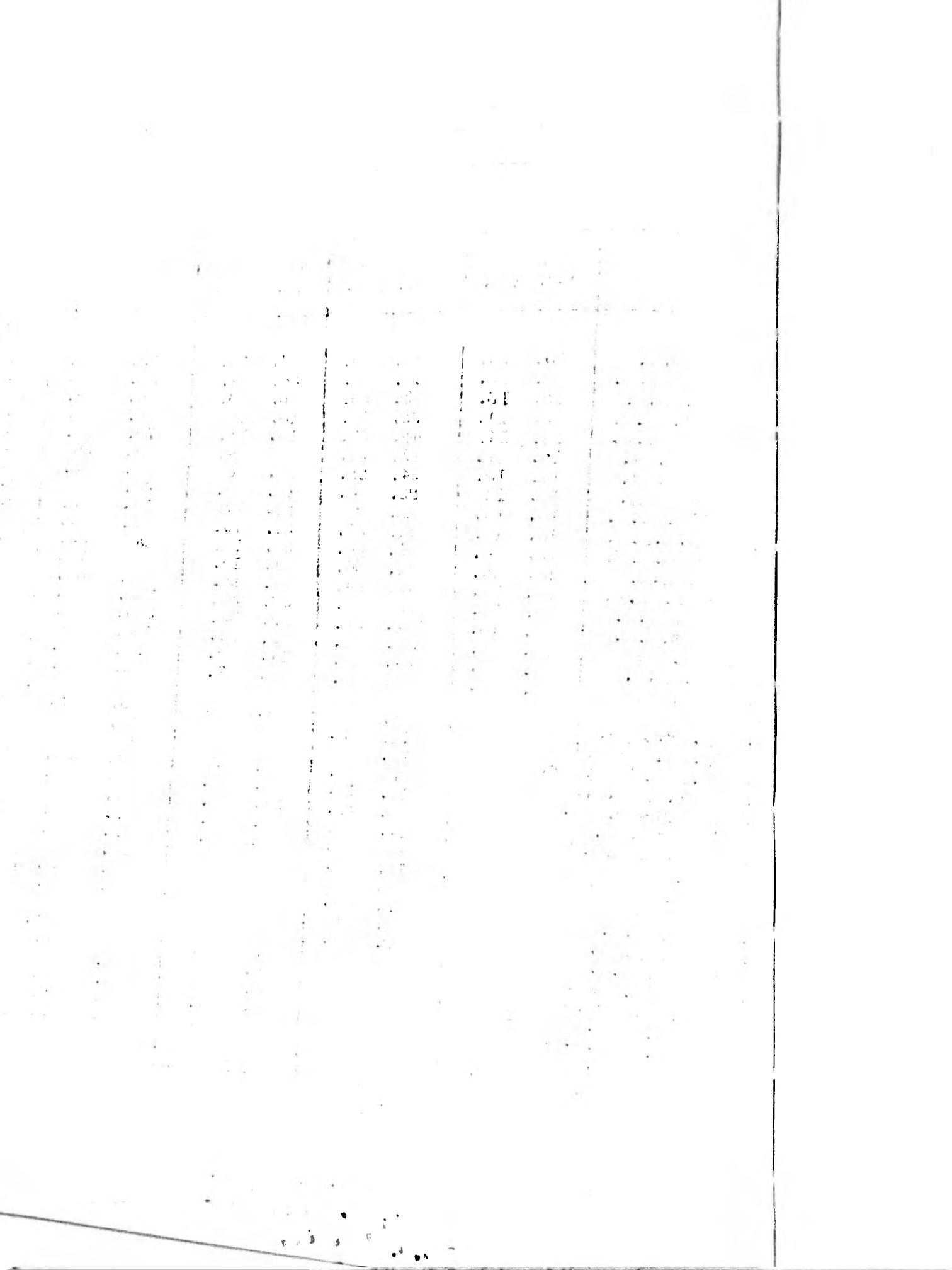
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FINCHLEY

RETURN OF THE NUMBER OF COUNCIL, COMMITTEE AND SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS CONVENED DURING THE YEAR ENDED 15TH APRIL 1927 AND THE ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS THEREAT.

Name	Council		Committees		Sub-comms.		Total number of attendances.		
	Poss.	Act.	Poss.	Act.	Poss.	Act.	Poss.	Act.	
Councillor -									
1. Agar. F.H.	15.	13.	35.	30.	23.	18.	73.	61.	1.
2. Bennett. L.W.	15.	13.	59.	39.	54.	34.	128.	86.	2.
3. Bowen. E.S.	15.	13.	43.	38.	10.	8.	68.	59.	3.
4. Briant. A.J.	15.	14.	22.	16.	15.	10.	52.	40.	4.
5. Broadbent. J.	15.	14.	42.	37.	18.	15.	75.	66.	5.
6. England. J.	15.	11.	23.	15.	10.	4.	48.	30.	6.
7. Griffin. G.	15.	15.	24.	22.	11.	6.	50.	43.	7.
8. Knowlman. A.	15.	14.	22.	20.	11.	9.	48.	43.	8.
9. Leslie. J.R.	15.	13.	32.	22.	26.	17.	73.	52.	9.
10. Merry. D.A.A.	15.	14.	34.	31.	21.	19.	70.	64.	10.
11. Pateman. G.H.	15.	14.	46.	30.	35.	11.	96.	55.	11.
12. Pike. A.T.	15.	15.	42.	36.	21.	19.	78.	70.	12.
13. Pocock. S.J.	15.	14.	45.	24.	28.	20.	88.	58.	13.
14. Syrett. C.S.	15.	15.	35.	30.	52.	35.	102.	80.	14.
15. Syrett. H.O.	15.	15.	101.	55.	89.	33.	265.	103.	15.
16. Toyne. E.	15.	14.	101.	60.	89.	34.	205.	108.	16.
17. Wade. N.C.	15.	15.	34.	28.	11.	9.	60.	52.	17.
18. Wells. H.V.	15.	15.	44.	42.	7.	7.	66.	64.	18.
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20. Cty. Cr. Hicks.			12.	3.			12.	3.	20.
21. Cty. Ald. Goodyear.			12.	7.			12.	7.	21.
22. Miall. Mrs. A.S.			12.	11.	25.	23.	37.	34.	22.
23. Timberlake. Mrs.			12.	10.	26.	24.	38.	34.	23.
24. Williams. R.			12.	12.	21.	20.	33.	32.	24.
25. Harples. R.A.			11.	8.	11.	6.	22.	14.	25.
26. Marx. R.			11.	4.	11.	2.	22.	6.	26.
27. Sheldrake. J.			12.	6.			12.	6.	27.
28. Robin. H.			9.	5.			9.	5.	28.
29. Rolfe. W.J.			9.	5.			9.	5.	29.
30. Stone. F.W.			9.	8.			9.	8.	30.
31. Tayler. J.W.			2.	2.			2.	2.	31.
32. Barfield. Mrs.					8.	3.	8.	3.	32.
33. Healing. Mrs.					8.	6.	8.	6.	33.
34. Reeves. Mrs.					8.	5.	8.	5.	34.
35. Syrett. Mrs. C.S.					5.	5.	5.	5.	35.
36. Chambers. P.H.									36.

X Appointed 29th December, 1926.
 This is the return referred to in paragraph 21 of 14th April, 1927. the Council Minutes of the 20th April E. H. LISTER.
 of the Council.



COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Bank of England, principal and interest, loan 75	25	11	0
Ditto ditto loan 82	298	0	0
London Savings Bank, ditto loan 203	142	14	0
Salaries, April—			
Clerk	98	2	1
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	39	11	8
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	11	11	0
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay Staff	1121	14	7
Ditto Firemen	98	7	11
Accountant's Wages Account	800	0	0
Ditto ditto	1000	0	0
	<u>£5751</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>2</u>

ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—

Biram & Co., coal	36	0	11
Carpenter, C. F., stamp duty on mortgage	12	10	0
Freeman, C. E., costs, etc., re loans	125	0	0
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	733	3	0
Haynes, G., coal	89	3	11
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	165	2	11
National Boiler, etc., Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance	41	7	6
Shell Mex, Ltd., gas oil	72	16	10
Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal	34	2	8
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	2	0	0
Total Invoices	1311	7	9
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	115	11	1
Ditto wages account	750	0	0
Ditto wages account	750	0	0
Ditto petty cash	50	0	0
	<u>£2976</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>10</u>

HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—

Middlesex County Council, loan charges	<u>£3081</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>11</u>
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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Ingersoll-Rand Co., Ltd., certificate ...	435	0	0
Kent, G., Ltd. ...	142	0	0
	<u>£577</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Manders, W. & Co., certificates ...	1982	0	2
Ditto ditto ...	3524	19	6
	<u>£5506</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>8</u>

PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Tarslag (1923), Ltd., certificates ...	£1906	0	10
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SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Chambers & Garnett, <i>re</i> Jenkin, A. W. ...	720	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Cross, F. G. ...	730	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Smith, W. J. ...	700	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Chapman, G. S. ...	500	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Minter, J. E. ...	370	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Killby, H. R. ...	900	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Davis, H. ...	700	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Burch, D. ...	700	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Milbank, C. V. ...	900	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Floyd, Mrs. R. ...	480	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Needham, E. J. ...	800	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Gray, Mrs. M. A. M. ...	880	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Swallow, F. G. ...	500	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Parry, E. J. ...	900	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Lawrence, S. G. ...	800	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Bunker, A. G. ...	500	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Penney, C. E. ...	700	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Southcott, F. ...	840	0	0
	<u>£12620</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

REFUSE DESTROYER LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Heenan & Froude, certificate ...	£1171	8	2
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COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Compton Bros., certificate	286	3	11
Rowley, R. & J., certificate	1183	18	8
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				£1470	2	7
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EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—

Finchley, Hornsey & Wood Green Joint Special School, contribution	138	7	11
Clerical, Medical & General Life Assurance Society, principal and interest on loans Nos. 1 and 2	...	...	...	168	18	9
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans 20 and 53	...	...	...	260	9	0
Salaries—April.—						
Cogdale, J.	...	...	...	54	1	1
Turner, A.	...	...	...	35	12	6
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
Education Salaries Account	3116	18	2
Accountant to pay petty cash	50	0	0
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				£3860	7	2
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SUMMARY.—

General District Fund Account	5751	8	2
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	2976	18	10
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	...	...	...	3081	15	11
Sewerage & Sewage Disposal Loans Account	...	...	...	577	0	0
Street Improvement Loans Account	...	...	...	5506	19	8
Private Street Works Loans Account	...	...	...	1906	0	10
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts Loans A/c	...	...	...	12620	0	0
Refuse Destructor Loan Account	1171	8	2
Storeyards Loans Account	1470	2	7
Education Account	3860	7	2
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				£38922	1	4
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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

23 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents : —

- (1) Release to Mr. F. W. Walker from the covenants in the Mortgage under the Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts *re* 21, Hamilton Way (F. G. Kiver);
- (2) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in Minute No. 22;
- (3) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £9,335 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (4) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £6,610 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (5) Mortgage to the Public Works Loan Board for securing repayment of the sum of £50,000 together with interest;
- (6) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £6,010 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- * (7) Agreement with the Finchley Wesleyan Church authorities for use of Primary Department as a Child Welfare Centre.

* Subject to report of Council in Committee.

24 PLANS.—A report of the Surveyor hereon dated 20th April, 1927, was submitted;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

25 DAY AND HOUR OF MEETINGS.—

RESOLVED—

- (a) that Ordinary Meetings of the Council be held on the fourth Monday in each month at 7.30 p.m.;

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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(b) that Meetings of the various Committees be held as follows :—

Valuation on the Tuesday in the week before the Council Meeting, at 7. 30 p.m.

Electricity on the Wednesday in the second week before the Council Meeting, at 6.45 p.m.

Finance on the Wednesday in the second week before the Council Meeting, at 8 p.m.

General Purposes on the Tuesday in the second week before the Council Meeting, at 7.30 p.m.

Education on the Monday in the second week before the Council Meeting, at 8 p.m.

Allotments on the Thursday in the third week before the Council Meeting, at 8 p.m.

Highways and Fire and Water on the Wednesday in the third week before the Council Meeting, at 7.30 p.m.

Public Health on the Tuesday in the third week before the Council Meeting, at 7.30 p.m.

Town Planning and Open Spaces on the Monday in the third week before the Council Meeting, at 8 p.m.

26 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

27 REPORT OF FINANCE ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.— Paragraph (d) (Application No. 450) of the Report of the above Committee, dated 12th April 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the application in question be not granted.

28 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE CENTRE, CHURCH END, FINCHLEY.—The letter of the 14th April, 1927, from the Treasurer to the Finchley Wesleyan Church agreeing to allow the Council

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

29 PLANS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

Annexed

(1) General.—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6100	Garage	32, Leggatt Grove	Mr. W. Riley.
✓ 6103	Re-building	Moss Hall Tavern, Ballards Lane, North Finchley	The Wenlock Brewery Company.
✓ 6108	Four houses	Westway, Willow Lodge Estate	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6109	Four garages	Rear of Nos. 11, 13, 12, and 14, Willow Way	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6110	Eighteen garages and paint shop	Rear of 3, The Mall, Ballards Lane	Messrs. H. Pope and Sons, Ltd.
✓ 6111	Garage	2, Wentworth Avenue	Mr. D. Davies.
✓ 6113	Garage	38, Birley Road	Mr. J. Mayne.
✓ 6114	Garage	Moss Bank, Nether Street	Mrs. D. French.
✓ 6115	Garage	Rear of house on plot 41, Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Es- tate	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6116	110 houses	Land east side of Great North Road by Summers Lane	Messrs. Harper and Smith.
6117	Garage	Argyle House, Argyle Road	Mr. W. H. Sheppy.
6118	Summer house	10, Windsor Road	Mr. J. D. K. Cous- ton.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6119	Pens	Park Farm, East End Road	Mr. T. A. Vivers.
6121	Workshop	30, Princes Parade	Mr. B. Murray.

(2) Temporary Building.—

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
S621	Temporary drinking bar	Forecourt of Moss Hall Tavern, Ballards Lane	31/12/27	The Wenlock Brewery Co.

(b) that the under-mentioned plans be DISAPPROVED for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of plan.	Premises	Where situate	Applicant
6106	Shop premises	Blenheim, High Road, North Finchley	Mr. T. R. Scott.
6107	Four houses	Brunner Close—Plots X648 to X651	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
6112	Store shed	Rear of 6-9, Grove Terrace	Messrs. Price Bros.

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SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 18 sets of plans have been received representing :-

GARAGES.	28.
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	1.
MISCELLANEOUS.	6.
HOUSES.	118.
TEMPORARY BUILDING.	1.

6100. Garage.
26. 3. 27. 32, Leggatt Grove.
Mr. W. Riley.
This plan which was disapproved at the Council meeting on the 28th March, 1927, is now in order, and MAY BE APPROVED.
6103. Rebuilding Moss Hall Tavern.
26. 3. 27. Ballards Lane, North Finchley.
The Wenlock Brewery Company.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6106. Shop premises.
26. 3. 27. "Blenheim", High Road, North Finchley.
Mr. T. R. Scott.
This plan appears to be in accordance with the By-laws but before the Council gives consent for the bringing forward of the building the question of the forecourt should be considered.
6107. Four houses.
2. 4. 27. Brunner Close, Plots X648 to X 651.
Mr. G. C. Swanson.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6108. Four houses.
2. 4. 27. Westway, Willow Lodge Estate.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6109. Four garages.
2. 4. 27. Rear of Nos. 11, 13, 12 and 14, Willow-Way.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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Messrs. H. Pope & Sons Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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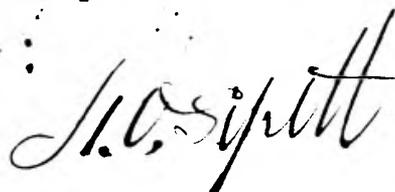
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This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6114. Garage.
8. 4. 27. Moss Bank, Nether Street.
Mrs. D. French.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6115. Garage.
8. 4. 27. Rear of house plot 41, Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Estate.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6116. 110 houses.
20. 4. 27. Land east side of Great North Road by Summers Lane.
Messrs. Harper & Smith.
The Council will remember that plan No. 6048
submitted by Messrs. Harper & Smith was disapproved
in February last. The present plan embodies the
wishes of the Council with regard to building lines
etc. and I recommend that it BE APPROVED.
6117. Garage.
12. 4. 27. Argyle House, Argyle Road.
Mr. W. H. Sheppy.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6118. Summer house.
31. 3. 27. 10, Windsor Road.
Mr. J. D. K. Couston.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6119. Pens.
13. 4. 27. Park Farm, East End Road.
Mr. T. A. Viviers.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6121. Workshop.
19. 4. 27. 30, Princes Parade.
Mr. B. Murray.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 862T. Temporary drinking bar.
11. 4. 27. Forecourt of the Moss Hall Tavern, Ballards Lane.
The Wenlock Brewery Company.
This plan is for a temporary building proposed to
be erected in the forecourt of The Moss Hall Tavern
in front of the main building while the alterations
to the latter are being carried out. It is
anticipated that the temporary building which is to
be used as a bar will be required for nine months.
I will report further on this plan at your meeting.

This (together with
the preceding page)
is the Report of the
Surveyor referred to
in paragraph 29 of the
Council Minutes of the
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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

30 PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT—STAFF.—

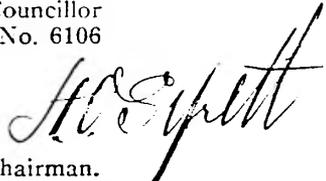
RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that authority be given for the appointment of a junior Clerk in the above Department vice Miss N. Fear, who had resigned as from the 18th April, 1927;
- (b) that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Public Health Committee to make the appointment, subject to report;
- (c) that a further report be made in September next with regard to the clerical staff in the Department.

31 "CIVIC SUNDAY."—The Chairman of the Council invited the Members to accompany him to a Civic Service to be held at the Parish Church of St. Mary on the 22nd May, 1927, at 11 a.m., and intimated that formal notice would be sent to each Member at a later date.

32 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Pateman voting against the disapproval of plan No. 6106 mentioned in Minute No. 29).



Chairman.

23rd May 1927.

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**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

20th April, 1927.

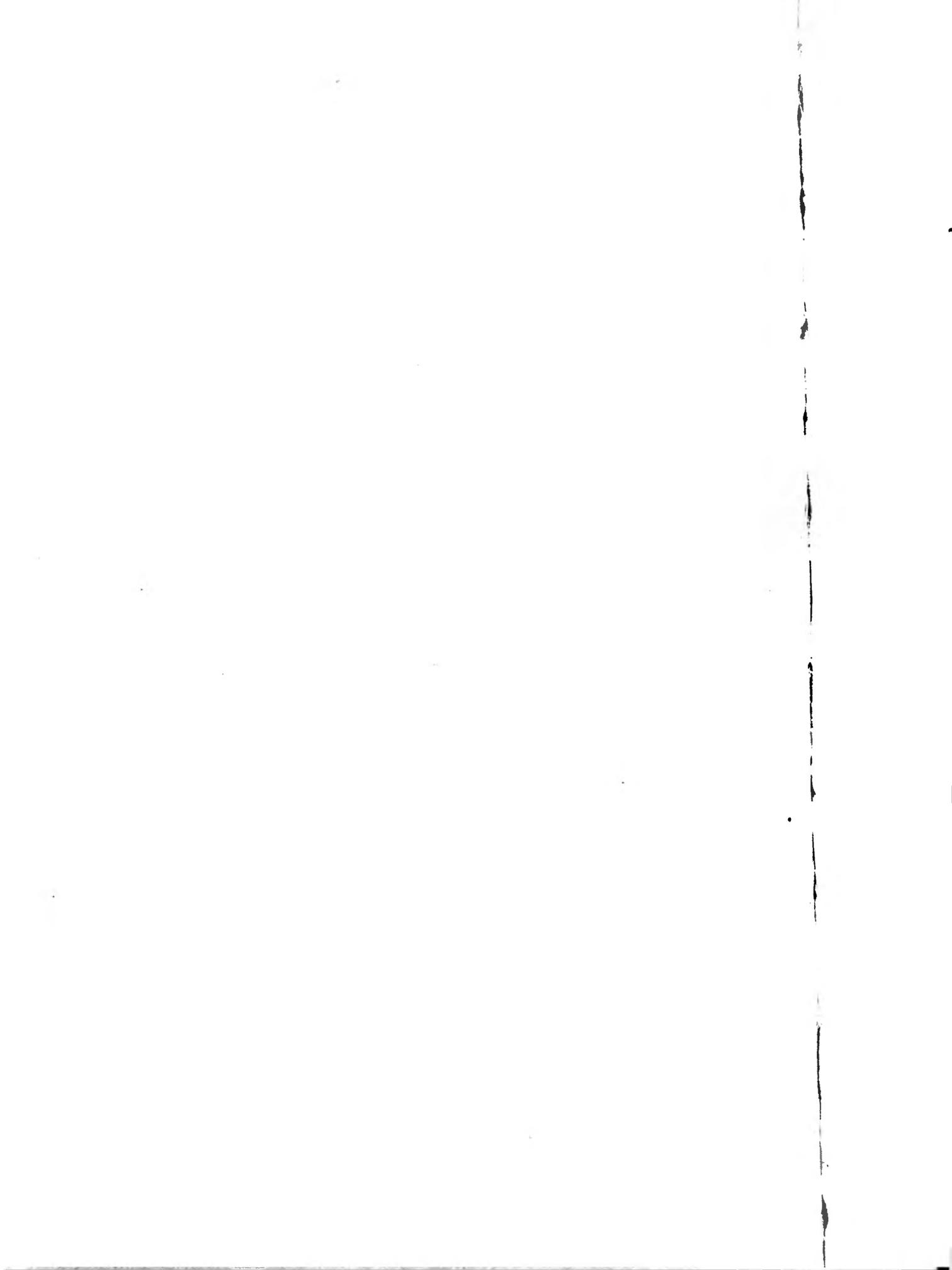
Present: Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, Knowlman,
Pike, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade.

33 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Pike be appointed Chair-
man of the Committee for the ensuing year.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.



**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

2nd May, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, Knowlman, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Pateman and Wells (Non-members).

34 MINUTES.—The Minutes of a meeting held on the 7th March, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

35 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Knowlman be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

36 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed.

37 SUB-COMMITTEES.—

RECOMMENDED that the under-mentioned Sub-Committees be constituted as follows :—

PLANS, ETC.—

The Chairman of the Council.
The Vice-Chairman of the Council.
Councillor Bowen.
 ,, Broadbent.
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TOWN PLANNING.—

The Chairman of the Council.
The Vice-Chairman of the Council.
Councillor Bowen.
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 ,, Wade.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

38 NEXT MEETING.—

RECOMMENDED that the next meeting of this Committee be held on Monday, the 30th May, 1927, instead of on Monday, the 6th June (Whitsun Bank Holiday).

39 TOWN PLANNING SCHEME No. 2.—It was reported that the Minister of Health had extended the period during which the draft Preliminary Statement herein should be prepared and adopted to the 30th June, 1927.

It was agreed that the Town Planning Sub-Committee should meet on May 18th to consider the Preliminary Statement and report to the next meeting of the Committee, for confirmation by the Council at its meeting in June.

40 TOWN PLANNING OF GREATER LONDON.—A communication was submitted from the Ministry of Health intimating that all the Local Authorities in the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee group had concurred in the formation of a joint Committee to include Local Authorities in the London traffic area as recommended by the Conference of representatives of Local Authorities held in December last; further, that the Hon. Secretary of the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee had been asked to convene a meeting of that group for the purpose of appointing three representatives on the Joint Committee.

41 NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.—

Annexed The Chairman submitted an excerpt (circulated) from the Minutes of the third meeting of the above-named Committee held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 8th March, 1927.

42 BARNET BYE-PASS ROAD—SECTION 2—NORTH-EAST OF REGENTS PARK ROAD.—The Clerk reported that notice (operative from the 20th April, 1927), had been served upon him by the Middlesex County Council of their intention to enter upon and take possession of certain land which was required for the construction of the above road. He further stated that the land in question, the greater part of which belonged to the Arden Estate, was recently the subject of negotiations between the Surveyor and Mr. Rawlins, but that the County Council were now taking steps to acquire the land compulsorily; that the Council were interested in that portion of the land agreed to be given up for an open space under an Interim Development Order in exchange for that to be used for the road.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE - 2ND MAY, 1927.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 6TH JUNE, 1927.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
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RECREATION GROUND.

95	1	Wages.	95	0	0
96	5	1 tennis marker.	1	15	0
97	7	Fixing seats in shelter.	9	0	0
98		Writing 3 notice boards.	1	0	0
99	8	1 set, 8 bowls and 4 jacks.	7	0	0
100		4 canvas sheets 9' x 6'.	3	18	0
101		6 hanks tarred twine			
		2 doz. 5 ft. dahlia stakes.)	1	9	0
102		4 bus. grey lime marking courts.	-	9	0
103	9	Tarring road, main entrance.	40	0	0
104	10	Fencing round lake.	60	0	0
105	12	Uniform including mackintosh for Superintendent.	8	0	0
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CHERRY TREE WOOD.

106	17	Wages.	32	0	0
107	20	Topping paths and tarring.	50	0	0
108	22	New hut.	250	0	0
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ST. MARY'S CHURCHYARD.

109	25	0	Painting and writing notice board re rubbish.	-	9	0
110	0	0	25 yds 4 ft 1 1/2" mesh Crusader fencing.	2	14	7
111	0	0	2 wire waste paper baskets.	-	18	6
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

27TH APRIL, 1927.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 36 of the Town Planning & Open Spaces Committee's report of the 2nd May 1927.

Percival T. Harrison

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NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.

Preliminary Report of Consultants for Meeting to be held on March 8, 1927.

1. A Conference with the Surveyors to the constituent Authorities was held on March 4, in order to discuss procedure and make arrangements for effective collaboration during the various stages in the preparation of the Regional Plan.
2. The conditions obtaining in the North Middlesex Region are rather different from those in adjoining regions, in as much as in many districts Town Planning Schemes are in course of preparation and in some cases have reached an advanced stage. In order, therefore, to secure proper co-ordination of the proposals in each district and to make provision for any fresh proposals that may seem to be desirable, it will be necessary for the Joint Committee to agree, as soon as possible, on the ~~recommendations~~ they will make with regard to the more important factors in the Regional Scheme.
3. It is accordingly suggested that instead of following the usual practice of dividing the work into two stages dealing exclusively with the Survey of Existing Conditions in the first stage and the Proposals for Development in the second stage, the best method of procedure will be to take each component part of the scheme separately and consider the Survey and Proposals concurrently. This method, in addition to maintaining a closer relationship between the facts disclosed by the Survey and the proposals arising therefrom, will enable the Committee to give undivided consideration to each aspect of the problem in turn, in a way that is impossible when the whole scheme is presented at one time. It will also enable the scheme to be prepared with greater expedition. Ultimately, it will of course, be necessary to co-relate the proposals under various headings and present them as a complete scheme, making such adjustments as may then seem to be necessary.
4. The three most important components of the Regional Plan are Zoning, Transport Routes and Open Spaces, and it is suggested that consideration should be given to each of these subjects separately. Other matters included in the scope of the scheme could be considered collectively under the heading of Supplementary Matters. If one quarterly meeting is devoted to each of these subjects, and a final meeting devoted to the consideration and approval of the report and plan as a whole, it would enable the complete scheme to be settled by June, 1928.
5. It is suggested that the best method of carrying this proposal into effect will be for the Consultants to confer with the Surveyors to each of the constituent Authorities, co-ordinate

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the proposals, and present them as a whole for consideration by the Technical Sub-Committee, prior to their presentation to the Joint Committee. By this means effective collaboration will be secured and any technical difficulties will be disposed of before the proposals are put before the Joint Committee.

For ADAMS & THOMPSON.

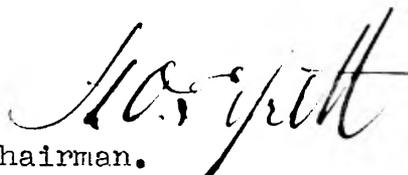
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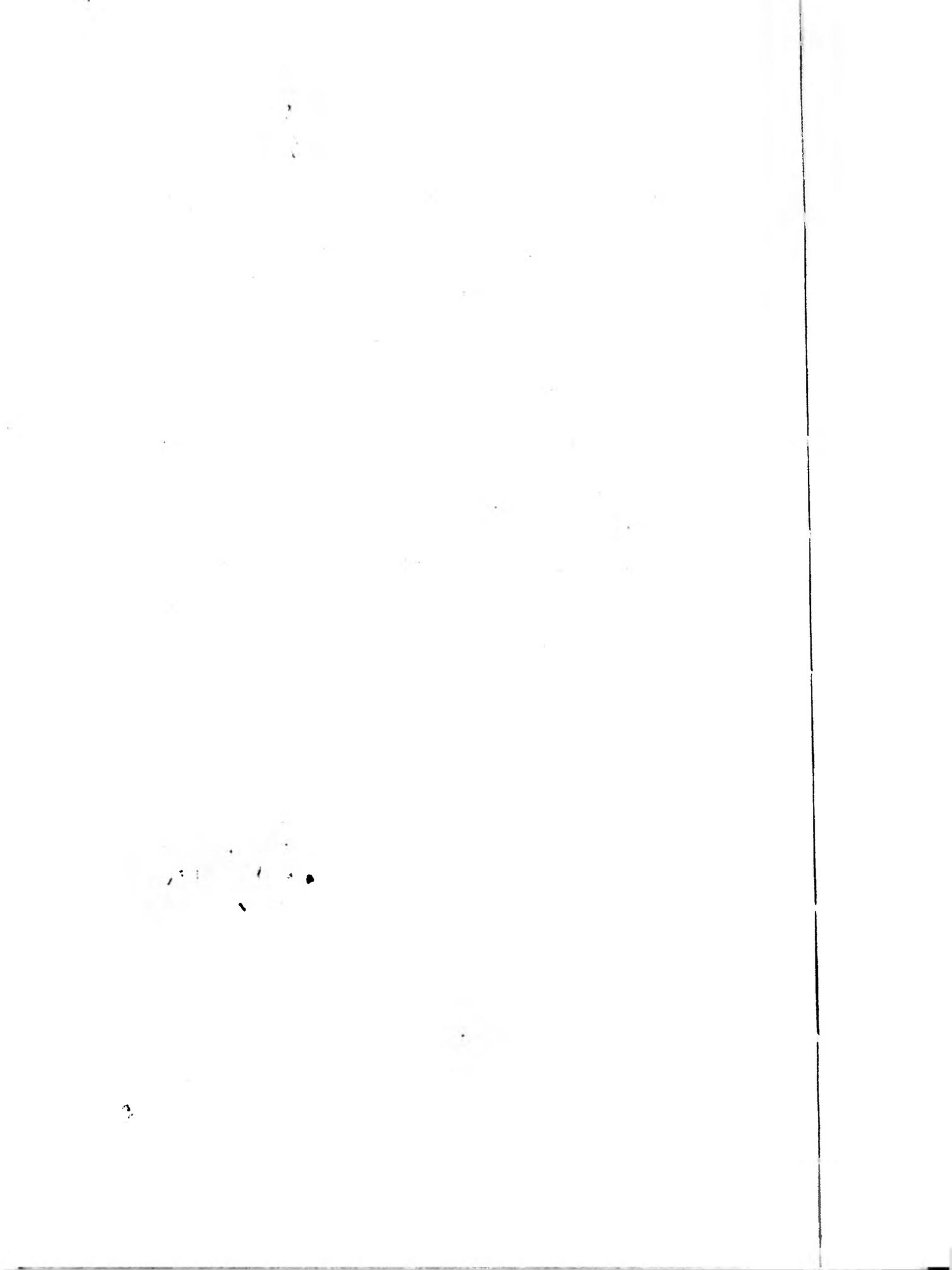
IT WAS RESOLVED: -

THAT the report be received and that the method of procedure therein suggested be approved.

THAT the question of roads be the first subject for consideration in the preparation of the regional plan.

This (together with the preceding page) is the excerpt referred to in paragraph 41 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 2nd May 1927.


Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to lodge formal objection to the County Council's proposal on the grounds that it would involve (*inter alia*)

- (a) the appropriation of land scheduled under an Interim Development Order as an open space;
- (b) the severance of that particular section of the Brookside Walk.

43 OPEN SPACES.—

- (1) Glebe Land.—Referring to Minute No. 1737 (1) (b) the Clerk drew the Committee's attention to the terms and conditions subject to which the Middlesex County Council had intimated that they were prepared to contribute up to 25 per cent. of the cost of acquiring land for sports purposes under Section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1925.

RECOMMENDED that the County Council be asked to amend Clauses 6 (b) and 6 (e) thereof by the addition of the words underlined below :—

6 (b) To the local authority covenanting to pay to the County Council 25 per cent. of the net revenue from the use of the land until the events referred to in clause (e) below shall happen.

6 (e) To the local authority entering into a covenant to repay to the County Council the entire contribution made, less any sums raised from time to time by County Rate in their area towards the contribution by the County Council and any sum received by the latter under clause (b) hereof, in the event of such area becoming a County Borough, or the financial relations between the County Council and the local authority being otherwise altered.

(2) Arden Playing Field.—

- (a) Cricket.—The Chairman reported that he had given permission to the Finchley Cricket Club to grant

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

facilities to the Middlesex Regiment at Mill Hill to play their annual game with the M.C.C. on the 28th and 29th June next, on the above-named field.—
Approved.

- (b) Letting of to Finchley Cricket Club.—The Chairman reported that he had interviewed representatives of this Club, when they had expressed appreciation of the improvements effected by the Council at above by the work executed on the pavilion and the provision of seats; further, that the Club were prepared to pay an increased rent in consideration of greater security of tenure.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Finchley Cricket Club be granted the use of the Arden Playing Field for five consecutive cricket seasons at a rental of £75 a season;
 - (2) that the Clerk prepare the necessary agreement.
- (c) Hockey.—Applications were submitted for use of a hockey pitch on the above open space during the 1927, 28 season;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Miss K. S. MacDonald be granted such facilities on the same terms and conditions as were in force last year;
 - (2) that further applications be not considered in respect to the pitch referred to.
- 3) Victoria Recreation Ground.—

- (a) Tennis Courts.—It was reported that four applications had been received from clubs for tenancy of a grass court each on the terms indicated in the Council's resolution herein.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Long Lane Badminton and Tennis Club and the E.P. Tennis Club respectively be granted such a tenancy;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (2) that tenancies also be granted to the Brooklands L.T.C. and the A1 Dairies Sports Club respectively, subject to the playing membership of each club not exceeding 20;
- (3) that the Chairman of the Committee and the Surveyor be empowered to grant two further tenancies in the event of additional applications being received.

(b) Bowling Green.—

- (i) Proposed Pavilion.—The terms of the resolution herein passed at the meeting of the Council held on the 28th March, 1927, were considered;

A communication was submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the Finchley Victoria Bowling Club asking that the Council should consider the absolute necessity and urgency of some kind of structure, temporary or otherwise, being provided for the use of the Club members and also for shelter in case of bad weather. It was stated that the Club fully appreciated the need for economy, but that they hoped the Council would be able to see their way to provide accommodation on the lines indicated;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare a plan of a temporary structure which could be provided at a cost not exceeding £350 on the lines of the sketch submitted;
 - (2) that the matter be reported in detail to the next meeting of the Finance Committee.
- (ii) Green Fees.—It was reported that the Finchley Victoria Bowling Club wished the Council to confirm that no green fees were payable by their visitors on rinks numbered 1 to 4;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that visiting teams will not be required to pay green fees, but that individual visitors not being members of the Club will be required to do so.

- (c) School Sports.—A letter was read from the Secretary of the Education Committee herein;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the under-mentioned bodies be granted facilities for holding athletic meetings in the Victoria Recreation Ground, subject to the area required for the sports being roped off or otherwise enclosed:—

Finchley Schools' Athletic Association	Afternoon 9th June	For combined schools' annual athletic meeting.
Long Lane School	Afternoon 27th May.	School sports.
North Road School	Afternoon 26th May.	School sports.

- (2) that the footpath through the park from the Long Lane entrance to the Etchingham Park entrance be not obstructed on the above occasions.

- (d) Superintendent—Extra Payment.—

RECOMMENDED that the Superintendent of the Recreation Ground be paid £1 per week extra during the bowls and tennis season under the same arrangements as were in force last year.

- (4) Cherry Tree Wood.—

- (a) Proposed electricity sub-station.—The Chairman of the Council reported that the Sub-Committee appointed to consider the question of the site for the

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

above had met on the open space on the 26th April, 1927; that there were also present certain residents in the neighbourhood who had intimated that they objected not so much to the proposed position of the sub-station as to the probable noise therefrom; that eventually the site was agreed in a position further from the existing houses than that originally proposed.

RECOMMENDED that the site now suggested as shewn on plan No. S424 be approved.

(b) Proposed Shelter—Erection of.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be authorised to advertise for tenders for the above.

(c) Attendant—Wages.—

RECOMMENDED that E. Phillips, Attendant at Cherry Tree Wood, be paid an extra 15/- a week during the summer tennis season, under the same arrangements as were in force last year.

(d) Metropolitan Water Board Act, 1921.—The Clerk reported that he had had an interview with the Deputy Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board, when he (the Clerk) had conveyed to him the effect of paragraph 1408 of the Committee's report of the 3rd January, 1927; that the Official had given him certain assurances which he had promised to confirm by letter at an early date.

(5) Windsor Playing Field.—It was reported that damage to the extent of £1 16s. 9d. had been caused to the iron railings on the Windsor Road frontage of the above open space by an unknown vehicle, and that the matter was in the hands of the Insurance Company.

44 AVENUE HOUSE.—A letter was submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the Church End Finchley Congregational Sunday School, making application for permission to hold the School's summer outing in the grounds of Avenue House.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto, subject to the consent of the Executors being obtained.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

45 LAND ALONGSIDE THE BROOK.—The Surveyor submitted a letter dated 25th March, 1927, from the Surveyor of the Hendon Council, asking for temporary access facilities to a portion of the land alongside the Dollis Brook which that Council were scheduling as an open space in their Town Planning Scheme.

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted, subject to the actual site and details of structure being approved by the Surveyor.

46 MOTOR LAWN MOWER.—It was reported that members of the Committee attended a test of several motor lawn mowers at the Recreation Ground on Wednesday, the 13th April, 1927, and recommended the purchase of one of Messrs. Shank's 30in. heavy pattern machines complete with trailer for the sum of £129 4s. 0d.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the above-mentioned machine be purchased by the Council;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary Contract in the matter.

47 DR. DUNCAN'S LAND—WOODHOUSE ROAD—LAY-OUT.—A letter, dated 25th March, 1927, was submitted from Dr. Duncan's Architects, together with lay-out plan showing a proposal to develop his property at the corner of Woodhouse Road and Grove Road.

RECOMMENDED that such proposed lay-out be disapproved on the grounds that the density shown thereon is in excess of that provided for by the Council's Town Planning Scheme No. 2.

48 GARAGE BETWEEN 11 and 13, FINCHLEY AVENUE—MR. G. G. COOPER.—A letter was submitted from the above-named with regard to this matter.

RECOMMENDED that he be required to carry out the undertaking referred to in paragraph 1412 of this Committee's report of the 3rd January, 1927.

49 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in the Instruction Books, be approved.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

50 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

RECOMMENDED that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

Annexed.

No. of Plan.	Premises	Where situate	Owner
✓ 6073	Porch	Tatchley House, Dollis Avenue	Dr. W. Cunnington.
✓ 6107	Four houses	Brunner Close, Plots X648, 649, 650 and 651	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
✓ 6122	Garage	St. Elmo, Elm Gardens	Mr. J. L. Scutt.
✓ 6123	Two garages	28 and 29, Finchley Way	Mr. G. H. Jones.
✓ 6124	Tool shed	10, Courthouse Gardens	Mr. W. H. E. Blatherwick.
✓ 6125	Garage	27, Mayfield Avenue	Mr. A. T. Peggram.
✓ 6126	Garage	10, Stanhope Avenue	Mr. Wm. Peake.
✓ 6127	Garage	19, Cavendish Avenue	Mr. Laban.
✓ 6128	Two houses	Litchfield Way	Mr. B. C. Wilkins.
✓ 6130	Eight garages	Nether Street, south of Lovers' Walk	Mr. G. C. Mosses.
✓ 6131	Garage	Leawood, Cyprus Gardens	Mr. E. W. Moore.
✓ 6133	Summer house	60, Elm Park Road	Mr. B. F. Cozens.
✓ 6134	Garage	The Bungalow, Waverley Grove	Mr. A. B. Anderson.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plan be **DISAPPROVED** for the reason stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6120	Thirty-eight houses	Leslie Road, Leopold Road and Church Lane	Mr. Wm. Hollis, Junr.

(c) Temporary Buildings—Renewal of Licences.—

Amended **RECOMMENDED**—(1) that licences for all plans included in the list submitted by the Surveyor be renewed for the respective periods mentioned therein and for such further period (if any) as the Council may subsequently approve.

A. T. PIKE,
Chairman.

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SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

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Leslie Road, Leopold Road and Church Lane.
Mr. Wm. Hollis Jnr.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

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St. Elmo, Elm Gardens.
Mr. J. L. Scutt.
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10, Courthouse Gardens.
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Engineer and Surveyor.

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SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 6 sets of plans have been received, representing :-

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ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS	17
GARAGES.	10.
MISCELLANEOUS.	1.

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Tatchley House, Dollis Avenue.

Dr. W. Cunningham.

This is an amended plan which appears to be in accordance with the Bye Laws and I recommend it for approval provided the Council would agree to the projection of a one-storey Porch and Lavatory 4 feet in front of the front main wall of the building. The building line is 42 feet.

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Litchfield Way-

Mr. B. C. Wilkins.

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Mr. G. C. Mosses.

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Mr. A. B. Anderson.

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PERCEVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 50 of the Town Planning & Open Spaces Committee's

2nd MAY 1927.

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ADVISORY BOARD ON INDUSTRIAL COURSE - MAY 1947.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FOR LICENSING OF INDUSTRIAL COURSE IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1947. THE COURSE IS BEING OFFERED BY THE FOLLOWING:

No. of Plan	Name of Course	Location	Effective Date	Applicant
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140.	INDUSTRIAL COURSE IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK	ALBANY	1. 1. 47.	ALBANY STATE COLLEGE

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MR. W. A. ALLEN

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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MR. W. A. ALLEN

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No. of File	Name	State of	License to	Applicant
1455	At rear of 30, Street 10th	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
1504	At rear of 2, Street 10th, 10th St. & 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
1592	At rear of 63, Atwood Ave.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
1627	At rear of 21, 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
1677	At rear of 16, 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
2002	On 1st block of 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
2477	At rear of 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
4217	At rear of 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
4502	On 1st block in 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
4602	On 1st block in 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
4702	At rear of 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
4902	At rear of 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
5117	At rear of 1, 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson
5302	At rear of 1, 10th St.	Ohio	1. 1. 31.	W. A. Wilson

No. of plan.	Where situate.	Nature of building.	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
5047	At side of 39, Westbury Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. Scott.
5048	At rear of "Cottesmore",	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. G. Bell.

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504T	At side of 39, Westbury Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. Scott.
505T	At rear of "Cottesmore", Nether Street.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. G. Bennet.
506T	At rear of "The Olives", Nether St.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. T. H. Jenu.
507T	At side of "Rowell", Moss Hall Grove.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. E. Butlin.
510T	At rear of 11, Richmond Road.	Cycle shed.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. K. H. Flin.
511T	At rear of 43, Hervey Close.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. G. A. Worle.
515T	At rear of "Harwood", Great North Road, N. 12.	Paint shop.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. Hughes.
517T	Between Nos. 7 and 5, Lincoln Road.	Two garages.	1. 1. 32.	Mr. C. Bailey.
518T	At side of 70, Windermere Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. L. Benson.
519T	At side of 60, Windermere Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. C. Weir.
520T	At rear of 1, Royal Terrace, Hendon Lane.	Store for groceries.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. S. C. M. H.
523	At side of 34, Birley Road, N.20.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. W. G. Bowler.
526T	At side of 18, Arden Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. Harrison R.
528T	At side of "Woodleigh", Holden Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. C. Jones.

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| 6667 | At rear of "Lambert" boarding house | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. W. J. Kelly |
| 6668 | At rear of "The Hotel" apartment house | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. A. A. Morris |
| 6669 | At rear of "Lambert" boarding house | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6670 | At rear of 41. address book in average garage | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6671 | At rear of 56. address book | Covered driveway | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6672 | At rear of 63. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6673 | At rear of 71. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6674 | At rear of 73. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
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| 6683 | At rear of 91. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6684 | At rear of 93. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6685 | At rear of 95. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6686 | At rear of 97. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
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| 6697 | At rear of 119. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6698 | At rear of 121. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6699 | At rear of 123. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |
| 6700 | At rear of 125. address book | Garage | 1. 1. 37. | Mr. J. J. Kelly |

No. of plan	Where situate	Nature of building	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
6527	E rear of "St. Julians" Woburn Ave.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	W. A. J. Sullivan
707	E end of garden, 53, Commerce Avenue	Garage	1. 1. 30.	W. R. A. Leher

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6352	at rear of "St. Julian's" apartment ave	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. H. J. ...
6361	at end of person, 53, Superior Avenue	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. P. A. ...
6372	at rear of 117, ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. A. A. ...
6381	at end of person, 56, Superior Avenue	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. C. J. ...
6392	at side of "person", ...	Cycle shed	1. 1. 30.	Mr. G. ...
6403	at side of 26, ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6414	at end of person, 63, Superior Avenue	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6425	at side of 101, ...	Receiving house	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6436	at rear of "person" ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6447	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6458	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6469	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6480	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6491	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6502	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6513	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...
6524	at rear of "person", ...	Garage	1. 1. 30.	Mr. ...

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6731 At side of 65. Highway route.

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6757 At side of 42. Highway road N. 20

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6821 At foot of 31. (Crown Hill) bridge.

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6872 At foot of "Crown Hill" road

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6902 At side of "Crown Hill" road, Woods Hill
Office.

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6922 At foot of A. Highway route

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7002 At foot of 21. Highway road

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7031 At side of 10. Highway road

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7052 At foot of "Crown Hill" road

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7731	at rear of 24, Courthouse Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. Wordham.
791	at side of 13, Etchingham Park Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. S. F. Nichol.

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779F	At side of 29, Manor View, Squires Lane.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. A. Procto
780F	On land near Northway, Hampstead Garden Suburb.	Pavilion.	1. 1. 30.	The Co-partnersh
781F	At rear of 8, High Road, N.2.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. A. A. Lacy.
782F	On land in Newcomen Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Messrs. Carr & J
783F	At side of Wesleyan Church, Ballards Lane.	Stoke-hole.	1. 1. 30.	Trustees of Heal
785F	On land in Salisbury Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. L. A. Sevan.
786F	At end of garden 66, Summerlee Avenue	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. C. A. Larsha
787F	In front of Finchley Laundry, 306, High Road, N.2.	Office and Packing room.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. W. H. Carter
788F	At rear of pavilion, Finchley Country Club, East End Road.	Covered stand.	1. 1. 32.	Finchley Country
794F	At side of "Hoe Cottage", Woodside Lane.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. W. H. Wright
806F	At rear of 17, Church Crescent.	Tool shed.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. P. Robins
807F	On land in Friern Lane.	Workshop and garage.	1. 1. 30.	Messrs. Lawton &

No. of Plan	Name of Owner	Date of Building	License to Expire on	Applicant
3171	As wife of ...	1. 1. 31.	1. 1. 31.	...
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Name of plan.	Where situated	Nature of building.	Accessed to	Remarks.
1907	on land in Overhill, N. C.	Garage.	1. 1. 8.	W. S. Jackson.
	at base of "Coney" highway road.	Garage.	1. 1. 8.	W. S. Jackson.

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4734	on land in rear of building	1. 1. 31
4735	at side of building	2. 1. 31
4736	at rear of building	1. 1. 31
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This (together with the 14 preceding pages) is the list referred to in paragraph 50 (c) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee of the 2nd May 1927.

H. E. ...
Chairman.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

20th April, 1927.

Present: Councillors Bowen, Briant, Broadbent, Pateman, Pike,
Ryan, H. O. Syrett, and E. Toyne.

51 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor J. Broadbent be appointed
Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

3rd May, 1927.

Present : Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Briant, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

52 MINUTES.—The Minutes of a meeting held on the 8th March, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

53 VICE-CHAIRMAN.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Briant be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

54 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

55 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A Meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 3rd May, 1927, and the following report was submitted :—

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

3rd May, 1927.

Present: Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, Pike and Ryan, and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Reeves, and Mrs. C. S. Syrett.

(a) **CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.**—Councillor Broadbent was appointed Chairman of the Sub-Committee for the ensuing year.

(b) **SUB-COMMITTEES.**—The following Sub-Committees were appointed :—

HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. C. S. Syrett.

ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillors Broadbent and Pike.

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PUBLIC
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PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

MILK SUB-COMMITTEE.

The Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillor Broadbent, the Medical Officer of Health and the Accountant.

- (c) MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE CENTRE, WESLEYAN HALL, CHURCH END, FINCHLEY.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had agreed to the scheme for the establishment of above Centre at Church End.

It was reported that the first session of the Church End Centre was held at the Wesleyan Church Hall on the 3rd instant.

- (d) MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE — ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1927-1928.—The Clerk reported that the Minister of Health had approved a net expenditure by the Council during 1927-28 not exceeding £1,728.

- (e) ANTE-NATAL CLINIC—PART-TIME MEDICAL OFFICER.—The Medical Officer of Health reported that Dr. Jessie Muir had resigned her appointment of Part-time Medical Officer in connection with the Ante-Natal Clinic;

RECOMMENDED, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, that Doctor Phyllis Dixon, of 43, Brixton Hill, S.W. 2, be appointed to succeed Doctor Jessie Muir, on the same terms, as from 1st August, 1927.

Amended (f) MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the eight weeks ended 23rd April, 1927, was submitted.

(g) REQUISITIONS.—

Amended **RECOMMENDED** that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to:—(a) Requisition No. 12 being amended to read:—

“ 6 overalls ... £3 17s. 6d.”

and (b) the addition of the following items:—

“ 8 enamel bowls ... 16s. 3d.”

“ 6 towels ... 12s. 0d.”

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

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16. 1/2 gross ma
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19. 1/2 cwt. dog
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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH MAY TO 27TH JUNE 1927, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated Amt. of cost.</u>		<u>Amt. of Est.</u>	<u>Amt. of Req. already passed.</u>		
		<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>							
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>							
16.	½ gross matches.	4.	6.	} 80.	9.	2.	6.
17.	1 wash leather.	5.	9.				
18.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.	52.	9.	10.	6.
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<u>General.</u>							
19.	½ cwt. dog biscuits.	14.	6.	30.	-	-	-
20.	1 gross sulphur candles.	2.	0.	25.	14.	3.	0.
		<u>2.</u>	<u>14.</u>	<u>6.</u>			

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

ESTIMATE 1926/27.

Prevention of Disease - Disinfecting Station.

102.	Repairs to roof of van.	<u>2.</u>	<u>5.</u>	<u>0.</u>	40.	11.	0.	10.
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Req. No.	Item No.	Description
113	1	1 ton D
114	2	Refuse
115	3	<u>FLUSHIN</u>
116	5	Do.
117	6	Testing
118	7	Repairs
	11	<u>SEWAGE</u>
119		Wages.
120		130 gal
121		6 blow
122		1 pair
123	0	26'6" -
124	0	5 cwt.
125	0	Repair
	13	<u>PUBLIC</u>
126		Wages.
127	18	Use of

28TH APRIL, 1927.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

"0" = expended or on order.

£ 9378 0 0

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

		1 ton Disinfecting powder.	6	10	0
113	1	Refuse Removal - May.	483	16	8
114	2	<u>FLUSHING</u> - team labour.	25	0	0
115	3	Do. - wages.	16	0	0
116	5	Testing and sanitary works, wages.	40	0	0
117	6	Repairs to sewers.	50	0	0
118	7				

11 SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.

119		Wages.	50	0	0
120		130 gals. petroleum. H.Gdn.Sub.	4	17	6
121		6 blow lamp burners. "	1	10	0
122		1 pair knee boots. "	1	15	0
123	0	26'6" - 4" x 4 ply Balata belt."	3	0	3
124	0	5 cwt. anthracite. "	1	1	9
125	0	Repair water leak. "	1	7	10

13 PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.

126		Wages.	80	0	0
127	18	Use of Friern Barnet sewer - Whetstone.	42	0	0

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£ 1515 10 8

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH APRIL, 1927.

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Reg. No.	Item No.	
128	1	Wages
129	2	Do.
130	8	19 pa
131		6 gal
132	10	3 doz
133	12	Repai
134	13	Salari

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 5444 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

129	1	Wages - Sewage Disposal	300	0	0
129	2	Do. - Refuse Disposal.	100	0	0
130	8	19 panes 21 oz.glass, 7 lbs putty.	1	6	0
131		6 gals. paint.	4	0	6
132	10	3 doz. hack saw blades.	-	7	6
133	12	Repairs to roads.	64	10	0
134	13	Salaries.	36	10	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH APRIL, 1927.

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135	1	Wages
136	2	6 ton
137	6	6 fms
138		2 cwt
139	10	Adait
140	11	Drain

28th APRIL, 1927

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 1524 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

135	1	Wages.	90	0	0
136	2	6 tons coke.	10	4	0
137	6	6 fuse carriers and fuse wire.	-	12	0
138		2 cwt. alumino ferric.	1	0	0
139	10	Additional lavatory accommodation.	200	0	0
140	11	Drain from sump.	100	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH APRIL, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 54 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May 1927.

H. S. Pitt
Chairman,

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MATERNITY AND CHILDREN

Report of the Modified

To the Chairman and
Maternity and Children

Mr. Chairman, Ladies
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North
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Medical Officer
report required
in accordance
of the
Commission

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the eight weeks ended
the 23rd April, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

29th April, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows :-

	<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
1. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.</u>		
North Finchley	610	506
East Finchley	654	697
<u>New Babies.</u>		
North Finchley	22	19
East Finchley	37	31
2. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CRECHE.</u>		
Total Attendances	1078	776
Average attendance per day	27	19.4
Receipts from mothers	£36.14.2.	£28.12.0.
3. <u>ATTENDANCES AT ANTENATAL CLINIC.</u>		
(4 sessions)	58	-

I am, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

This is the
Medical Officer's
report referred to
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of the Public Health
Committee's report of
the 3rd

Your obedient servant,

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

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MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH MAY TO 25TH JULY, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated cost.</u>			<u>Amt. of Est. already passed.</u>		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	£.	s. d.
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3.	Food - June and July.	60.	0.	0.	325.	60.	0. 0.
<u>CENTRES.</u>							
4.	1 - 1 drawer cloth-covered cabinet	1.	9.	6.	40.	-	- -
5.	1000 case cards.	1.	12.	6.	10.	-	- -
6.	Grant to Voluntary Association.	10.	0.	0.	10.	-	- -
		13.	2.	0.			
<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL.</u>							
7.	Cleaning materials - June & July.	4.	0.	0.	140.	4.	0. 0.
8.	Paint, distemper, etc.	2.	16.	0.	20.	-	- -
		6.	16.	0.			

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

<u>CENTRES.</u>							
9.	1 weighing machine.	4.	12.	0.	} 40.	-	-
10.	1 - 3 drawer cloth-covered cabinet.	2.	12.	6.			
11.	1 facepiece complete. (Dental).	15.	0.				
12.	8 overalls.	5.	4.	0.			
		13.	3.	6.			
<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL.</u>							
13.	1/2 ton coke.	1.	3.	0.	} 140.	4.	0. 0.
14.	1/2 ton anthracite.	2.	2.	9.			
15.	1/2 ton coal.	1.	5.	0.			
16.	Extension of Gas Supply.	1.	15.	9.	20.	-	- -
		6.	6.	6.			

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 55 (g) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May 1927.

A.O. Smith

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted.

56 **MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.**—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the eight weeks ended the 23rd April, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

57 **SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.**—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout :—

Annexed

- (a) **Examination of Drains**—St. Michael's Cottage, Bibsworth Road, N. 3.—The Inspector reported that a portion of the drain on or belonging to the above-named premises had been uncovered and found to be defective and that he had reason to suspect that other parts of the drainage system were in bad condition ;

RESOLVED that authority be given to the Inspector to enter the above-named premises, open up the ground and examine the said drain after twenty-four hours' written notice thereof to the occupier of the premises.

- (b) **Defective Drains**—1 and 2, Waterloo Cottages, Rasper Road, N. 20, and 1 and 2, Selina Cottages, Friern Lane, No. 20.—The Inspector reported that the statutory notices served upon the owners of the above premises requiring them to relay the defective drains within twenty-eight days expiring on the 26th April, 1927, had not been complied with ; further, that the owners of Nos. 1 and 2, Selina Cottages and No. 2, Waterloo Cottages desired the Council to execute the works and that they wished to be supplied with an estimate of their proportion of the cost thereof ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Surveyor to the Council be instructed to carry out the works in question ;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed, upon completion of the works, to take proceedings against the owners (if necessary) for recovery of the expenses incurred in the execution of the works mentioned in recommendation (1) above ;

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

- (3) that the Surveyor be instructed to furnish the owners of Nos. 1 and 2, Selina Cottages and No. 2, Waterloo Cottages with the estimate desired by them.

(c) Houses without proper dustbins.—

37 and 39, Gainsborough Road,
1, Stanhope Road,
57, Dollis Park.

The Sanitary Inspector reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that a notice be served upon the owner of each of the above-mentioned premises requiring him to provide a strong galvanised iron dustbin with suitable cover ;
- (2) that, failing compliance, proceedings be taken for the recovery of the penalties mentioned in Section 22 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908.

(d) Paving of Common Yard.—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, King Edward Buildings and King Edward Hall, Regent Park Road, and Hendon Lane, N. 3 ;

Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive), Alexandra House, Regents Park Road, N. 3 ;

Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive), Edward House, Hendon Lane, N. 3.—

The Inspector reported that the period of one month given to the owner in which to flag, asphalt, concrete or pave the above-mentioned common yard expired on the 25th February, 1927, and that the necessary works had not yet been carried out.

The Clerk submitted a communication from the owner's Agent stating that estimates had been obtained for the carrying out of the work, and instructions were given for a reply to be forwarded to the effect that, unless the works in question were commenced within the next few days, the Council would be reluctantly compelled to

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This is the report
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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the eight weeks ended the 29th April, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

29th April, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of
the Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows :-

Population census 1921 - 46,716.

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1. DEATHS.					
Number	16	16	16	48	61
Infants under one year	1	2	1	4	6
Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	5
2. BIRTHS.					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Actl.	27	34	27	88	93
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.					
Number of cases notified				29	47
Scarlet Fever	4	2	6	12	21
Diphtheria	1	1	2	4	13
Influenzal Pneumonia	-	1	-	1	4
Pneumonia (other forms)	2	2	4	8	5
Erysipelas	1	1	1	3	3
Poliomyelitis	1	-	-	1	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	-	-	-	-	1
4. TUBERCULOSIS.					
Number of Pulmonary cases ..	2	4	-	6	8
Number of Non-Pulmonary cases	2	2	-	4	8
5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.					
Number in hospital on the 4th March				11	28
Number admitted				11	21
Number discharged				16	30
Number of deaths				-	2
Number in hospital on the 29th April				6	17

This is the report of the Medical Officer of Health referred to in paragraph 56 of the Public Health Committee's report the 3rd May 1927.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
of A. TURNER.
Medical Officer of Health.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.3.

29th April, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) EXAMINATION OF DRAINS (Sec. 41 of the P.H.A. 1875
and the amending Acts.)

St. Michaels Cottage, Bibsworth Road, N.3.

I have to report that a portion of the drain on or belonging to the above-named premises has been uncovered and found to be defective. I have reason to suspect that other parts of the drainage system are in bad condition and I, therefore, suggest that authority be given to me to enter the said premises, to open up the ground and examine the said drain.

(2) NOTICES NOT COMPLIED WITH.
DEFECTIVE DRAINS.

1 & 2, Waterloo Cottages, Rasper Road, N.20.

1 & 2, Solina Cottages, Friern Lane, N.20.

The statutory notices served upon the owners of the above premises requiring them to relay the defective drains within 28 days expiring on the 26th April, 1927, have not been complied with.

The owners of 1 & 2, Solina Cottages and No.2, Waterloo Cottages desire the Council to execute the works and they wish to be supplied with an estimate of their proportion of the cost thereof.

(3) HOUSES WITHOUT PROPER DUSTBINS (Sec. 22 F.U.D.C. Act. 1908)

37 & 59, Gainsborough Road.

1, Stanhope Road.

57, Dollis Park.

The above houses are not provided with proper dustbins and I suggest that notices be served upon the respective owners requiring them to provide at each house a strong galvanised iron dustbin with a suitable cover.

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(4) NOTICE NOT COMPLIED WITH
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Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, King Edward Buildings, and
King Edward Hall, Regents Park Road and Hendon Lane, Finchley, N.3.
Nos. 1 to 6 (Inclusive) Alexandra House, Regents Park Road, N.3.
Nos. 1 to 6 (Inclusive) Edward House, Hendon Lane, N.3.

The period of one month given to the owner in which to
flag, asphalt, concrete or pave the above-mentioned common
yard expired on the 25th February, 1927.

The necessary works have not been carried out.

(5) APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO ESTABLISH THE TRADE OF A FISH FRIER

1. Regents Park Terrace, Regents Park Road, N.3.

An application dated the 5th April, 1927, has been
received from Mr. S.J. Buckingham of 57, Dollis Park,
Finchley, N.3. for the Council's consent to establish the
business of a fish frier at 1, Regents Park Terrace,
Regents Park Road, Finchley, N.3.

(6) PROPOSED TRANSFER OF FRIED FISH PREMISES - MYRTLE AND
MEDINA COTTAGES, BALLARDS LANE, N.12.

Communications have been received from the District
Valuer, Mr. J. Chandler and Messrs. Sparrow & Son, North
Finchley, with respect to a proposal to transfer the
business of a fish frier carried on by Mr. William Dodd,
from No. 1, Medina Cottages to a new building to be
constructed on the site of Myrtle Cottage at present in
the occupation of Mrs. Clarke. This scheme is in
connection with the Tally Ho Improvement and I will report
more fully on the matter at your meeting.

(7) 13, MARKET PARADE, N.12.

Letter from Mr. C.C. Roberts, Solicitor, respecting
the provision of housing accommodation for the sub-tenant
of these premises.

FOOTPATH FROM HENDON LANE TO HOLDERS HILL.

Condition of footpath and ditch.

2, 6, & 8, WHETSTONE PLACE, N.20.

Housing defects.

1 & 2, CHAPEL STREET, N.2.

Statutory notices under Housing Act, 1925, not complied
with. Request by owner for time to sell property.

I shall report orally upon the above matters at the
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The following samples were taken and submitted to the County of Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

(a) Date. 18th March 1927.

Sample. 1 Pint of Certified Milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologist's Report.

This sample passes the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(b) Date. 18th March, 1927.

Sample. 1 Pint of Certified Milk taken from the Express Dairy Co. College Farm, N.3.

Bacteriologist's Report.

This sample of milk passes the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(9) MILK & DAIRIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1922.
MILK & DAIRIES ORDER, 1926 - REGISTRATION.

An Application to be registered as a retail purveyor of milk has been received from Mr. David Roscoe Davies, who carries on business at the Devonshire Dairy, Grand Parade, Friern Barnet, N.11., and who also sells milk by retail within the district of Finchley.

This application may be granted.

(10) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923 - LICENCE.

An application has been received from Mr. Henry Edwards Brook of 40, Church Lane, for a dealer's licence to sell Grade A Milk.

This application may be granted.

(11) UNSOOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

6 Heads and Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
10 Sets of Lungs.	do.
2 Livers.	do.
4 Mesenteries.	do.

6 Sets of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
15 Livers.	do.
1 Kidney.	do.
1 Mesentery.	do.
5lbs. Trimmings.	do.

Swine.

- 2 Carcasses and
- 58 Heads.
- 4 Flucks.
- 1 Set of Lungs
- 12 Livers.
- 1 Spleen
- 44 Mesenteries.

- 2 Flucks.
- 01 Sets of Lung
- 42 Livers.
- 2 Sploons.

Sheep.

- 1 Carcase and
- 6 Sets of Lung
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(12) PUBLIC HEALTH (MEAT) REGULATIONS, 1924.

FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE OF SLAUGHTER.

On the 8th April, 1927, enquiries were made as to the origin of a carcase of pork exposed for sale at No. 23, Market Place, East Finchley, in the occupation of Mr. M.W. Killingback.

Mr. Killingback stated that he obtained the pork from Frank George Maskell of 1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect Place, East Finchley.

On the same day Mr. Maskell was interviewed and in the presence of your Medical Officer of Health and myself he stated that the pig was one of his own feeding, and as it had been off its feed he had slaughtered it on the previous night (7th April, 1927) and disposed of it to Mr. Killingback. Mr. Maskell also said, "I examined the carcase and from my experience I considered it was quite alright and that it was not necessary to notify you".

Mr. Maskell did not give notice of his intention to slaughter the animal or notice as soon as reasonably possible after the slaughtering had taken place as required by the Public Health (Meat) Regulations, 1924.

No. 1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect Place is not "Registered" or "Licensed" as a slaughterhouse.

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(13) PETROLEUM ACTS 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATION FOR LICENCE.

Alexander Adams. The Motor House, High Road, N. 2.

An application has been received from Mr. A. ADAMS for a licence to keep 1500 lbs. of carbide of calcium at 382, Long Lane, N. 2.

Mr. Adams is already keeping about 1000 lbs. of carbide of calcium.

This application may be granted subject to the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

E. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 57 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

act upon the resolution passed at the meeting of the Council held on the 28th March, 1927.

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

- (e) Application for consent to establish the trade of a fish frier—1, Regent's Park Terrace, Regents Park Road, N. 3.—The Inspector reported that an application, dated 5th April, 1927, had been received from Mr. S. J. Buckingham, of 57, Dollis Park, Finchley, N. 3, for the Council's consent to establish the business of a fish frier at No. 1, Regents Park Terrace, Regents Park Road, Finchley;

RECOMMENDED that such consent be not given by the Council.

- (f) Footpath—Hendon Lane to Holders Hill.—Reference was made to the condition of the above footpath and ditch and instructions were given for the matter to be brought to the notice of (i) the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and (ii) the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee, with a view to the latter Committee's considering the question of making provision in the Town Planning Scheme for the closing of the footpath.

- (g) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—The Inspector reported upon certain samples of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.

- (h) Milk and Dairies (Amendment) Act, 1922—Milk and Dairies Order, 1926—Registration.—The Inspector reported that an application to be registered as a retail purveyor of milk had been received from Mr. David Roscoe Davies, who carried on business at the Devonshire Dairy, Grand Parade, Friern Barnet, N. 11, and who also sold milk by retail within the district of Finchley;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

- (i) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923—Licence.—The Inspector reported that an application had been received from Mr. Henry Edwards Brook, of 40, Church Lane, for a dealer's licence to sell Grade "A" milk;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (j) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound food which had been destroyed since last meeting.
- (k) Public Health (Meat) Regulations, 1924—Failure to give notice of slaughter.—The Inspector reported that on the 8th April, 1927, enquiries were made as to the origin of a carcase of pork exposed for sale at No. 23, Market Place, East Finchley, in the occupation of Mr. M. W. Killingback; that Mr. Killingback stated that he obtained the pork from Mr. Frank George Maskell, of 1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect Place, East Finchley; that on the same day Mr. Maskell was interviewed and that, in the presence of the Medical Officer of Health and himself, he stated that the pig was one of his own feeding and that, as it had been off its feed he had slaughtered it on the previous night (7th April, 1927), and had disposed of it to Mr. Killingback; further, that Mr. Maskell did not give notice of his intention to slaughter the animal or notice as soon as reasonably possible after the slaughtering had taken place as required by the Public Health (Meat) Regulations, 1924; and that No. 1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect place, was not registered or licensed as a slaughterhouse;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to institute legal proceedings against Mr. Maskell for contravention of the provisions of the Public Health (Meat) Regulations, 1924.

- (l) Petroleum Acts 1871 to 1926—Storage of Carbide of Calcium—Alexander Adams, The Motor House, High Road, N. 2.—The Inspector reported that an application had been received from Mr. A. Adams for a licence to keep 1,500 lbs. of carbide of calcium at 382, Long Lane, N. 2; and that Mr. Adams was already keeping about 1,000 lbs. of carbide of calcium;

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted for the period ending 22nd May, 1928, subject to the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

58 TEMPORARY BUILDING—COFFEE STALL, LONG LANE—BOWMAN.—The Clerk reported that, as a result of the proceedings which were instituted herein, Mr. Bowman was fined £10 at the Highgate Court on the 23rd March, 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

The Surveyor reported that Mr. Bowman had subsequently erected another temporary building near to, and partly composed of the materials from that on, the original site;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that notice be served upon Mr. Bowman to remove such temporary building within seven days;
- (b) that, failing compliance with such notice, the Surveyor be instructed to pull down or remove the temporary building in accordance with the provisions of section 27 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907.

59 ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL.—A communication was submitted from the Secretary of the above thanking the Council for their donation of £20 towards the funds of the Hospital.

60 SANITARY INSPECTORS' ASSOCIATION—40TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE—PLYMOUTH—5th to 10th SEPTEMBER, 1927.—

RECOMMENDED that Mr. E. J. Franklin be appointed this Council's delegate to attend the above Conference.

61 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS—13TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE—LONDON—30TH JUNE, 1ST AND 2ND JULY, 1927.—

THE INSTITUTE OF CLEANSING SUPERINTENDENTS—ANNUAL CONFERENCE—DUBLIN—13TH TO 17TH JUNE, 1927.—

RECOMMENDED that delegates be not appointed to attend the above-mentioned Conferences.

62 PUMPING INSTALLATION—BROUGHTON AVENUE.—The Clerk reported that he had been in communication with the Vendors' Solicitors with regard to the question of the release of the covenant in respect of the small piece of land forming part of the Windsor Open Space, upon which it was proposed that the new pumping station be erected, and that they had replied that they considered that the best course would be for the Council to submit a draft of such deed as might be thought necessary; they added that they presumed that the Council would pay their reasonable charges in the matter;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

The Clerk reported that he had not at present received any reply from the Ministry of Health or from the Middlesex County Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the draft deed in question and to forward same to the Vendors' Solicitors for approval;
- (b) that he endeavour to arrange with them as to the amount of their charges in the matter;
- (c) that the Ministry of Health and the Middlesex County Council be pressed for their replies.

63 PLOUGHED LAND AT SEWAGE FARM.—The Clerk reported that, in accordance with instructions, he had endeavoured to obtain offers for the above and submitted a communication received from Mr. B. E. Cant, of Friern Barnet, making application for a portion of the land in question, for which, he stated, he would be prepared to pay a reasonable rent on the understanding that it could be let to him for a term of say not less than five years;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that five acres of the land be let to Mr. Cant for a period of five years from the 24th June, 1927, at a rental of £20 per annum;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary agreement in the matter.

64 BURIAL BOARD LAND.—A communication was submitted from the Town Clerk of St. Pancras drawing attention to the terms of the lease under which this Council hold the above land from the St. Pancras Borough Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk and the Surveyor interview the Borough Council on the matter and report;
- (b) that the Council's tenant be requested to carry out his obligation with regard to the repair of the fences, etc.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

65 PUBLIC BATHS — STATEMENT.—Statements (circulated) were submitted showing the number of bathers and receipts for the eight weeks ended 24th April, 1927.

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66 REFUSE DESTROYER.—The Surveyor reported hereon and instructions were given by the Committee for quotations to be obtained for the carrying out of the road works and for the erection of a retaining wall, such quotations to be submitted at the Council Meeting;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

67 DRAINAGE OF LAND IN HORNSEY INTO FINCHLEY SEWERS.—The Surveyor submitted a communication, dated 10th March, 1927, from the Borough Surveyor of Hornsey relative to the acceptance of the drainage of a further area in Hornsey (adjoining the Barnet By-Pass Road) into the Finchley sewers;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a reply be forwarded to the effect that the Council are prepared to allow the Hornsey sewers at this point to communicate with the Finchley sewers on the same terms as heretofore;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary agreement;

68 DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE, N. 3.—The Surveyor reported that in connexion with the carrying out by the Council of the private drainage works at above it had been suggested by one of the Owners that the drain should not be relaid under her house.

The Clerk was instructed to inform the owners that the Committee are prepared to recommend the Council, without prejudice to the statutory notices served upon them and to the Council's right to carry out the works in accordance therewith, to connect the drain in question with the sewer in Regents Park Road, subject to an agreement to be prepared by the Clerk being entered into

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

between the Council and the owners concerned; that this would involve an additional expenditure of between ten and twelve pounds, which the Council would be willing to bear. He was instructed further to intimate to the owners that, failing agreement, the Council would have no alternative but to proceed with the works in accordance with the notices already served;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

69 HOUSING ACT, 1925—Section 3.—

1 and 4, FIELDS COTTAGES, PARK ROAD, N. 2.—

37 and 39, PARK ROAD, N. 2.—

The Surveyor submitted quotations for the carrying out of the repairs, etc., to the above premises in accordance with notices served;

Instructions were given for the quotation of Messrs. Hall Bros at the sum of £17 12s. to be accepted;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

70 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHERS AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 3RD APRIL, 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS AND RECEIPTS
FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 3RD APRIL, 1927.

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	-	-	73	36	-	-	109	-	2	6	2	9	0	3	0	6	--	-	-	-				
	-	-	89	53	-	-	142	-	2	6	3	7	4	3	6	7	-	6	9	-				
	-	-	75	40	-	-	115	-	2	6	2	13	11	3	14	4	-	-	-	1				
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

APRIL, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS AND RECEIPTS
FOR THE THREE WEEKS ENDING 24TH APRIL, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS AND RECEIPTS FOR THE THREE WEEKS ENDING 24TH APRIL, 1927.

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" 24.	301	126	147	83	98	181	916	1	5	0	15	13	2	14	2	5	1	10	9	-	-
	627	271	424	163	179	1097	2761	2	10	0	35	11	3	38	3	2	1	10	9	4	2

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This (including this and the preceding page) are the statements referred to in paragraph 65 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May 1927.

M. J. Platt
Chairman.

26TH APRIL, 1927.

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**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

20th April, 1927.

Present: Councillors Briant, Grocott, Knowlman, Merry, H. O.
Syrett, Toyne, Wade and Wells.

71 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Knowlman be appointed
Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

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**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

4th May, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillors Briant, Grocott, H. O. Syrett, Toyne, Wade and Wells, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

72 MINUTES.—The Minutes of a meeting held on the 9th March, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

73 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Wade be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

74 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

75 FIRES.—It was reported that the Frigate had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
7/3/27	10.10 p.m.	26, Eastholm, N.W. 11.	Chimney on fire in drawing room on ground floor; contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
12/3/27	9.21 p.m.	17, Leslie Rd., N. 2	Chimney on fire in bedroom on ground floor, contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
15/3/27	5.55 p.m.	4, Woodside Gardens, N.12	Kitchen and scullery on ground floor and contents slightly damaged by fire, heat and water, rest of house and contents by smoke.

Amount of estimate

Req. No.	Item No.	Description	Amount
	1	Accountant to pay Firemen's wages 2 months	260. - . -
	2	Rents - Central & Sub-stations - 1/2 yr.	68. - . -
	3	Rates & taxes "	50. - . -
	4	Wayleaves & rentals "	130. - . -
	5	9 tons house coals	23. 8. -
	6	2 doz. electric lamp bulbs	2.13. -
	7	50 yds. 14/36 flexible lighting wire	10. - . -
	8	wire Expenses	10. - . -
	9	Petty Cash - 1/2 yr.	15. - . -
	10	1 gross Fire Alarm glasses	1. 4. -
	11	1 doz. No.1 Carsak elements	1.10. -
	12	1 " " Half circular zinos	14. - . -
	13	1 " " " " "	12. 6. -
	14	1 " No.2 " " "	1. 8. 6. -
	15	1 " " Carsak elements	17. 6. -
	16	1 coil twin telephone wire	15. 6. -
	17	1 " single 3/22 leading-in wire	1.12. 6. -
	18	55 lbs sal-ammoniac	1. 7. -
	19	6 depot telephone coils	1.11. -
	20	6 " " induction coils	1.13. -
	21	Repair 6 " receivers	4. - . -
	22	Repair 2 fire alarm heads	4. 6. 6. -
	23	1 uniform undress serge suit) Chief	1. 1. -
	24	1 " " peak cap) Officer	1. 1. -
	25	1 pair walking boots)	3.19. 9. -
	26	1 uniform undress serge suit)	9. - . -
	27	1 " " peak cap) Station	7. - . -
	28	1 silk neckerchief) Officer	1. 2. 6. -
	29	1 suit dungaree overalls)	16. 9. -
	30	1 pair walking boots)	8. 2. -
	31	6 serge patrol jackets	3. 6. -
	32	6 " vests	4. 7. -
	33	6 pairs serge trousers	6.15. -
	34	6 suits dungaree overalls	2. 2. -
	35	6 black silk neckerchiefs	1. 2. 6. -
	36	6 flat caps	5. - . 6. -
	37	6 prs. walking boots	2.15. -
	38	1 cloth tunic & badge) Dist. Supt.	1. 2. -
	39	1 pr. " trousers) Randall	9. - . -
	40	1 peak cap)	2.15. -
	41	1 tunic & badge)	1. 2. -
	42	1 pr. cloth trousers) Fireman Aylett	3. 9. -
	43	1 flat cap)	1. 2. -
	44	1 pr. cloth trousers - Fireman Spring	3. 5. -
	45	60 gallons petrol	1.15. -
	46	Repair roof at Central Station	2.16. -
	47	1 gallon special red paint	1.14. -
	48	1 " " " undercoat	17. 6. -
	49	1 " purple brown paint	1. - . -
	50	1 " eau-de-nil flat	1. 5. -
	51	1 " " glossy	17. 6. -
	52	1 " white flat	1. 5. -
	53	1 " " enamel	17. 6. -
	54	1 " stone	1. 5. -
	55	1 " black enamel	17. 6. -
	56	1/2 cwt. ceiling white	9. 6. -

24 11 1 gallon var
 25 12 28lbs. wash
 26 13 1 distemper
 27 14 3. 1". 3.1 1/2"
 28 15 1 electric ha
 29 16 Repair & clea
 30 17 1 set of wei
 31 18 4 door mats
 32 19 2. 4 volt ign
 33 20 1 inspection
 34 21 14 lbs Stau
 35 22 10 gallons l
 36 23 1 doz. yds.
 37 24 6 oleo 7.B.
 38 25 1 new fire h
 39 26 1 new fire h
 40 27 1 new fire h
 41 28 do.
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 43 30 1 doz. Zabo
 44 31 1 " nugget
 45 32 3 broom head
 46 33 4 deck scrub
 47 34 1 banister b
 48 35 6 scrubbing
 49 36 6 button bru
 50 37 2 mop heads
 51 38 1 quart O-Ce
 52 39 2 gallons pa
 53 40 Hearth stone
 54 41 28lbs Hudscr
 55 42 25lbs. soap
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	1 gallon varnish	1. 4. -.
	28lbs. washable distemper	15. 6.
24 11	1 distemper brush	1. 1. -.
	3. 1". 3.1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 3.2". 3.2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " paint brushes	19. 7.
	1 electric hand lamp with battery	1.13. 4.
	1 electric central station clock	17. 6.
25 15	Repair & clean central station clock	2.11.
26 "	1 set of weighing scales	19. 8.
27 "	4 door mats	2.12. 6.
28 "	2. 4 volt ignition battery, renewal	1. 2. 6.
29 13	1 inspection lamp	10. 3.
30 "	14 lbs Stauffes grease	2.12. 6.
31 "	10 gallons lubricating oil	16. 4.
32 "	1 doz. yds. twin armoured lighting cable	1. -.
33 "	6 oleo 7.B. sparking plugs	10.10. -.
34 "	1 new fire hydrant. Naylor Road.	10.10. -.
35 14	1 new fire hydrant St. Marggrets Avenue,	10.10. -.
" "	Whetstone. say	10.10. -.
36 "	1 new fire hydrant, Lyndhurst Park.	10.10. -.
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	do. Westway. N.3.	10.10. -.
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		6. -.
37 15	1 doz. Zebo	1. -.
	1 " nuggatt	9. -.
	3 broom heads "Hair"	10. -.
	4 deck scrubs	3.11.
	1 banister brush	10. 6.
	5 scrubbing brushes	11. 6.
	5 button brushes	4. -.
	2 mop heads	5. 2.
	1 quart O-Cedar oil	2. 2.
	2 gallons paraffin oil	2. -.
	Hearth stone	14. -.
	28lbs Hudson soap	14. -.
	25lbs. soap	1. 8. -.
	6 chamois leathers 24 x 24	1. 1. -.
	6 large sponges	8. -.
	1 doz. wear wells	17. -.
	2 gallons metal polish	2.16. -.
38	1 cwt. cleaning cloths	60. -.
16	Insurance of motors & man	3. -.
39 17	2 gallons red paint - Fire Alarms	3. -.
40	Painting Fire alarm posts & lamp indicators - labour	3.10. -.
41 18	4.100 feet.lengths of hose, complete	35. -.
43 19	Alteration to hose couplings & other appurtenances at sub-stations	34. -.
20	Loan repayments	40. -.

Ambulance service

43	1 Turner timer - renewal	1. 2. 6.
	1 6. volt starting battery - renewal	3.19. -.
	2 pr. coil blades "	1. 8.
	2 battery clamps "	5.
	2 bolts & nuts "	4.
	1 cable end "	9
	fitting charge	7. 6.
44	1 doz. lamp bulbs	19. 6.
45	5 gallons lubricating oil	15. -.
46	Repairs & alteration to steering & replacement of worn parts	4. 3.11.
47	2. 30 x 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ clincher outer covers & tubes	4.19. 6.

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142	4	500 yds st R
143	10	Tarpainti
144	19	Manual la
145	20	Team labor

Req. No.	Items	PARTLY RE
146	35	100 tons
147	41	Tarpainti
148	52	50 tons t
149	53	Tarpainti
150	62	Tarpaint
151	78	Scavengin

Req. No.	Items	NON-RECO
152	65	160 tons Lane, I
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154	70	355 tons Usage, 2513 yds Church Finch Licht Park R
155	71	75 tons Low to Ne
156	72	5100 yds Box L W.F. C.H.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 4TH MAY, 1927.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

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RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

Req. No.	Item No.		367	10	0				
141	1	300 yds sup. relay wood paving, Great North Road.							
142	4	500 yds sup. relay wood paving, Regents Park Road.	613	0	0				
143	10	Tarpainting, North Circular Rd.	104	10	6				
144	19	Manual Labour, scavenging and gullying.	200	0	0				
145	20	Team labour, Do.	25	0	0				
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PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

146	35	100 tons tarmac, East End Road.	291	5	0				
147	41	Tarpainting - Hendon Lane.	171	0	0				
148	52	50 tons tarmac, Hampstead Lane.	146	0	0				
149	53	Tarpainting, Do.	75	0	0				
150	62	Tarpaint and dust footpath, Totteridge Lane.	83	0	0				
151	78	Scavenging, East End Road and Totteridge Lane.	18	0	0				
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

152	65	150 tons tarmacadam, Church Lane, Squires Lane and patching.	466	0	0			
153	68	355 tons old macadam, Crooked Usage, Friern Park.	228	2	5			
154	70	2513 yds sup. relay tarpaving, Church Lane, Coleridge Road, Finchley Park, Lambert Road, Lichfield Grove, Woodside Park Road.	450	0	0			
155	71	75 tons fine old macadam, Lovers Walk, Ballards Lane to Nether Street.	61	17	6			
156	72	5100 yds super relay slab paving Bow Lane, Crossway, Crescent- way, Fitzalan Road, Holmwood Gardens, Holly Park, Holly Park Gardens, Ingleway and Mountfield Road.	701	5	0			

154	135	100 ft. ru
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156	77	2955 yds. dust
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159	78	TEAM LA 300
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165	92	New seats.
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167	98	Electric
168	99	Wages - 8

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Req. No.	Item No.				
		100 ft. run new kerb, Green lane by East End Road.	27	10	0
157	76	2955 yds. sup. tarpaint and dust footways, The Avenue, Willow Walk.	67	14	10
158	77	<u>MANUAL LABOUR</u> - Scavenging and gullying.	425	0	0
159	78	<u>TEAM LABOUR</u> - Do.	40	0	0
160	79	Watering.	60	0	0
161	80	Tarpainting.	2124	0	0
162	83	Maintenance of trees.	25	0	0
163	87	Repair scavenging and hand trucks.etc.	25	0	0
164	89	Maintenance of surface water and gullies.	30	0	0
165	92	New seats.	50	0	0
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 <u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>					
167	98	Electric lamps.	550	0	0
168	99	Wages - gas lamps.	30	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
 Engineer and Surveyor.

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 4TH MAY, 1927.

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Req. No.				
		6 doz. red flags for road works.	3	9 0
169	0	5 tons lightning cement.	26	13 9
170	0	6 - 12 ft. 1 1/2" x 9", 20 - 6 ft. 5" x 4".	3	6 0
171	0	200 - 2'6" x 2'0" slabs.	34	5 3
172	0	80 gals. paraffin oil.	2	18 4
173		1 ton pitch.	6	2 6
174		100 yds paving sand.	45	0 0
175		30 tons 1 1/2" tarmac.	52	17 6
176		20 " 3/8" "	36	15 0
177		2000 blue paving bricks.	18	8 0
178		100 yds. stone ballast.	46	5 0
179		5 tons lightning cement.	26	13 9
180		200 - 4" pipes.	19	11 8
181		200 - 6" pipes.	29	7 6
182		100 - 6" bends, 100 - 6" junctions.	51	9 2
183		100 - 4" " , 100 9 4" "	34	5 5
184		100 - 3' x 2', 400 - 2'6" x 2', paving slabs.	89	1 6
185				
186		18 sets overalls.	7	19 0
187		6 pairs clogs.	1	9 6
188		36 - 9lb picks.	3	13 9
189		12 - 14 tooth rakes.	-	10 8
190		6 doz. No. 2 shovels.	9	6 0
191		1 gross patent scavenging brooms.	20	5 0
192		1 " " " "	20	2 0
193		1 doz. hair broom heads.	2	13 0
194		2 doz. each 1 1/2", 2", 2 1/2" paint brushes.	3	8 6
195		4 distemper brushes.	4	5 0
196		3 doz. broom handles.	1	7 0
197		84 lbs tarred string.	2	2 0
198		3 doz. 1/2" bib taps.	3	3 0
199		3 doz. 3/4" " " "	4	10 0
200		2 - 1/2" Croydon ball valves.	2	10 0
201		12 - 3 ft. chimney pots.	5	19 9
202		3 doz. chamois leathers	4	19 0
303		10 cwt. distemper.	25	10 0
304		3 doz. dust bins.	16	13 0

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300 45 yds house
 305 500 bundles
 306 12 sheets 5'
 307 1 cwt each 2
 308 1 ton forge
 309 2 doz. 800 lbs
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	45 yds house flannel.	1 10 6		
305	500 bundles toilet paper.	6 15 6		
306	12 sheets 6' x 3' 22 gauge sheet iron.	2 1 3		
307	1 cwt each 2", 2½", 5", 4" wire nails.	2 7 3		
308	1 ton forge coal.	3 0 0		
309	2 doz. scythe rubbers.			
310	15 lbs 8" asbestos millboard packing.			
	20 lbs 5 ply asbestos sheet.	2 7 5		
	12 tins enamel.			
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH APRIL, 1927.

These (together with the five preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 74 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 4th May 1927.

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HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

80 AMBULANCE WORK—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The following statistics were submitted :—

	Private removals.	Accidents.	Illness in street.	Total.
April ...	27	13	2	42
May ...	30	22	1	53
June ...	27	19	3	49
July ...	41	32	5	78
August ...	27	13	3	43
September ...	20	10	1	31
October ...	39	7	5	51
November ...	36	12	3	51
December ...	47	12	—	59
January ...	44	5	3	52
February ...	31	5	6	42
March ...	36	15	—	51
	405	165	32	602

81 FIRE BRIGADE CALLS—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The Chief Officer reported that 80 calls were received during the above period as follows :—

Actual fires	59
Chimney fires	15
False alarms, electrical ...	4
Out-District calls	2
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82 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

83 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—J. H. BETTS—W. FLOWERDEW.—It was reported that the above employees had, since last meeting, met with accidents and that the matters had been referred to the Insurance Company ; that in the first mentioned case the accident proved fatal ; that the Council had already been notified and that the matter had been referred to the General Purposes Committee.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

84 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that since last meeting the following properties of the Council had been damaged and that the matters had been dealt with:—

- (a) Paving—Britannia Road.
- (b) Footway—Nether Street.
- (c) Seats—Nether Street.
- (d) Paving—Great North Road.
- (e) Column No. 396—corner of Mountfield Road and Upper Cavendish Avenue.

85 PRIVATE STREET—PROPOSED NAMING OF—LYNDHURST PARK.—The Clerk reported that in accordance with instructions he had communicated with Messrs. Aird & Baldwin drawing their attention to section 17 (1) of the Public Health Act, 1925, but had received no reply to his letter. The Surveyor reported upon an interview which he had had with the firm in question.

The Committee decided that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of this Committee to agree with Messrs. Aird & Baldwin upon an alternative name for this new street, subject to report;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

86 BARNET BYE-PASS ROAD—SECTION 2—NORTH-EAST OF REGENTS PARK ROAD.—The Clerk reported receipt of notice from the Middlesex County Council of their intention to enter upon and take possession of certain land required for construction of the above road. He added that the land in question, the greater part of which belonged to the Arden Estate, was recently the subject of negotiations between the Council's Surveyor and the Owner's Surveyor; that the Council were interested in the portion of the land agreed to be given up for an open space under the Interim Development Order in exchange for certain land to be used for the above road and that the County Council were now taking steps to acquire the land compulsorily. The Clerk further reported that the matter had been placed before the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee who were recommending that formal objection be lodged to the County Council's proposal.

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87 LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924—SECTION 4—CLOSING OF STREETS FOR WORKS.—It was reported that the Ministry of Transport had forwarded copies of :—

- (1) The London Traffic (Closing of Streets for Works) Order, 1927,
- (2) The London Traffic (Scheme for street works) (No. 1) Order, 1927,

and that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor.—Approved.

88 GRANTS FROM THE ROAD FUND—CHARGES FOR THE USE OF HEAVY PLANT.—Circular letter dated 12th April, 1927, received from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted and it was reported that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor and to the Accountant for attention.—Approved.

89 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—

- (a) A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarding copy of a report received from the District Valuer in connexion with the settlement of the claim for compensation of Mr. A. W. Dowdall. It was stated in the letter that the claim would be submitted to the County Council for approval at their meeting to be held this month;
- (b) A communication was also submitted from the County Council giving particulars of the Arbitrator's awards in connexion with the claims of T. C. Wootton and D. Galinski;
- (c) A communication was also submitted from the Middlesex County Council stating that they had not yet heard anything definite from the Ministry of Transport as to the extent of the grant which they were prepared to make towards the cost of this improvement.

90 MAINTENANCE OF ROADS OVER RAILWAY BRIDGES.—The Clerk reported that the L. & N.E. Railway Company had approved of the terms of the suggested arrangement herein as outlined in Minute No. 1776 excepting that as the old agreement expired on the 28th April, 1926, the new arrangement should commence as from that date.—Approved.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

91 FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔT—PROPOSED LEASE TO MR. J. WALKER.—It was reported that this matter had been referred by the Council to the Committee for consideration and report to the General Purposes Committee. It was decided to report to the General Purposes Committee that this Committee no longer require the site but that they do not consider it advisable that the depôt should be leased to Mr. Walker with the knowledge that he will keep horses there.

92 LICENSING OF HIGHWAY MECHANICAL VEHICLES.—The following resolution was received from the Bromley Rural District Council who, it was reported, expressed the hope that this Council would see their way to support it :—

- “1. That in the opinion of this Council mechanically propelled vehicles in the ownership of Highway Authorities and used solely in connexion with the maintenance and improvement of public highways should not be classified as commercial vehicles for purposes of taxation, but that having regard to the nature of the work upon which they are employed, such vehicles should be subject to reduced rates of licence duty.
2. That copies of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Transport, the Minister of Health, the Local Members of Parliament and to all Highway Authorities in England and Wales.”

RECOMMENDED that such resolution be supported by the Council.

93 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk to the Tottenham Urban District Council enquiring whether this Council would be prepared to appoint say two representatives to attend a conference proposed to be held at the Town Hall, Tottenham, in the near future with a view of discussing the question of urging the Middlesex County Council to apply to the Ministry of Transport to make an Order under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, prohibiting the use by heavy motor traffic of roads which are unsuitable for heavy traffic. It was reported that the Federation of Ratepayers' and Kindred Associations of Middlesex had unanimously decided to ask Local Authorities to combine as suggested as they felt that the best interests of the community would be served by such deliberation on this vital subject;

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- (a) that the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of this Committee be appointed to attend the Conference;
- (b) that the Surveyor be asked to accompany them.

94 OUTDOOR MEETINGS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that an Outdoor Sub-Committee consisting of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council; the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of this Committee, and Councillors Grocott and Wells be appointed;
- (b) that a meeting of such Sub-Committee be held on the Saturday previous to each meeting of the full Committee at 10 a.m.
- (c) that the Clerk be directed to give to each member of the Committee notice of such meetings.

95 LONDON "SAFETY FIRST" COUNCIL.—It was reported that the Secretary of the above had written asking the Council to appoint a representative on the above Council in place of Mr. H. Catchpole, deceased;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. H. A. Newman be so appointed.

96 INSTITUTION OF MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY ENGINEERS—ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE—TORQUAY—JUNE, 1927.—It was reported that the Council had been invited to appoint delegates to attend the above Conference;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be so appointed.

97 SPEED LIMIT POST—FORTIS GREEN.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council stating that this matter had now been considered by the appropriate Sub-Committee of his Highways Committee and that they were of the opinion that the expenditure involved in the provision of a further post opposite to the existing one would not be justifiable and that, therefore, they could not accede to this Council's application made on the suggestion of the Police Authorities;

RECOMMENDED that, in the circumstances, no further action be taken in the matter.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

98 PRIVATE STREETS—ABINGDON ROAD.—A communication was submitted from Mr. E. P. King stating that he understood that plans were in course of preparation for the making up of certain roads in this district amongst which the lower end of Abingdon Road was included. He added that as the owner of about 75 feet of undeveloped frontage to Abingdon Road he wished to enter a most emphatic protest against the proposed works so far as the part north-east of Avondale Road was concerned.

A petition signed by a number of owners, ratepayers and frontagers was also submitted;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that it is not the intention of the Council at the present time to take steps with regard to the making up of the portion of road in question.

99 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—DOLLIS ROAD.—The Clerk drew attention to the fact that the further consideration of this matter had been deferred by the Committee and he submitted draft agreement received from the Railway Company;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the matter be considered further at next meeting;
- (b) that in the meantime the Surveyor ascertain whether the proposed works as outlined in his estimate will meet with the Company's approval;
- (c) that the Surveyor also interview the Ministry of Transport with a view of ascertaining whether they would be prepared to consider an application by the Council for the classification of the road in question.

100 ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL.—A communication was submitted from the Secretary of the above asking the Council to give sanction for a number of double-crown poster boards 30in. by 20in. to be fixed on sites under the Council's control;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

101 CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS—GRANTS FROM THE ROAD FUND DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR, 1927-8.—A circular letter dated 2nd May, 1927, received from the Ministry of Transport hereon

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102 CONFERENCE OF PUBLIC LIGHTING ENGINEERS—BRIGHTON, 1927.—It was reported that the Council had been asked to appoint delegates to attend the above Conference;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration.

103 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Clerk reported that the amended site for the above statue had now received the approval of the County Engineer (as authorised by the County Council) and that the matter was being dealt with by the General Purposes Committee.

104 WOOD PAVING WORKS—MAIN ROADS.—The Surveyor reported that the Contractor had made a commencement in Ballards Lane from Long Lane working northwards and in the Regents Park Road by the Gas Company's office.

105 CENTRAL DEPÔT—TWO COTTAGES.—The Surveyor reported that the Contractor was making satisfactory progress with the erection of these cottages.

106 PRIVATE STREET WORKS.—

(a) 17th Batch.—The Surveyor reported that slow progress continued to be made with the streets being made up by Messrs. Tarslag, Ltd., but that the work in Lyndhurst Gardens was approaching completion.

(b) 18th Batch.—

1. Lansdowne Road (2nd portion).
2. Abingdon Road (2nd portion).
3. Cyprus Gardens.
4. Hendon Avenue (2nd portion).
5. Ridgeview Road.
6. Wentworth Park (1st portion).
7. Cromwell Road.
8. Hutton Grove (2nd portion).

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that each of the above-named streets, within the Council's district, not being sewered, levelled, paved, metalled, flagged, kerbed, channelled and made good, or lighted to the satisfaction of the Council, the plans, sections and estimates submitted by the Surveyor for carrying out the works be approved by the Council, and that the Clerk be instructed to give notice to the respective Owners and Occupiers of the premises fronting, adjoining or abutting on the said streets respectively, requiring them to carry out the works shown in such plans, sections and estimates within the period of three months mentioned in such notice.

107 EAST END ROAD IMPROVEMENT.—

- (a) Cemetery Frontage.—The Surveyor reported that he understood the St. Marylebone Borough Council were pressing for this matter to be considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that they be asked to receive a deputation consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Committee and Councillor Wells for the purpose of discussing the whole question;
 - (2) that the Officers concerned be asked to accompany the deputation.
- (b) Opposite Windermere Avenue to Squires Lane.—The Surveyor reported hereon and presented a communication received from Mr. H. C. Brown stating that he was prepared to give up his land required for this widening for the sum of £400. The report of the District Valuer was also submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the offer of Mr. Brown above-mentioned be accepted;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to obtain a Conveyance of the land;

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(c) that the matter be reported to the Finance Committee.

108 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office Authorities were submitted :—

1. Underground line across and along the south side of Chandos Road, from Nos. 10/12 to Nos. 29/31.
2. Underground line south-west side of Clarence Gardens, from Nos. 2/4 to Nos. 14/16.
3. Underground line (a) south-west side of Rasper Road from Great North Road to Sherwood Street (b) south-east side of Sherwood Street from Rasper Road south-west side to Friern Barnet Lane (c) south-west side of Friern Barnet Lane from Sherwood Street to a point about 70 yards south-east of Sherwood Street thence across to existing pole opposite.
4. Underground line north-east side of Claverley Grove, from Nos. 10/12 to Nos. 24/26.
5. Underground line north-east side of Seymour Road, from No. 13 to Nos. 11/9.
6. Underground line north and north-west sides of Woodside Lane, from Ridgeview Road west side to opposite "Eversleigh."
7. Underground line east side of Long Lane from a point about 10 yards north of North Circular Road to outside No. 347.
8. Underground line south-west side of Dale Grove, from Nos. 7/9 to Nos. 1/2 Uley Villas.
9. Underground line north side of Baronsmerc Road, from No. 17 to opposite Ingram Road and south side from No. 4 to Ingram Road.
10. Underground line south-east side of Windermere Avenue, from Nos. 76/78 to outside No. 90.
11. Underground line west side of Schoolway, from Woodhouse Road to Ingleway, with a telegraphic post at the latter point.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

12. Underground line along east and north sides of Clifford Road, from a point on the east side about 40 yards south of Squires Lane to Nos. 37/35 and a telegraphic post to carry wires at the latter point.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that applications numbered 1 to 10 inclusive be approved, subject (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction; (c) as regards No. 7 to the cost of trenching and reinstatement being borne by the Council; (d) as regards Nos. 8 and 9, to the cost of reinstatement being borne by the Council; and (e) as regards No. 10, to the application being approved so far as Windermere Avenue is made up and taken over by the Council;
- (2) that application No. 11 be not granted;
- (3) that, as regards application No. 12, the Post Office Authorities be informed that the Council are prepared to bear the cost of trenching and reinstatement provided no portion of the work is above ground.

109 **ELECTRIC MAIN APPLICATIONS.**—The Surveyor reported receipt from the Electricity Department of the following applications:—

- (a) Extension of main west side of the Great North Road north of Friern Barnet Lane.
- (b) Extension of main south side of Avenue Road.
- (c) Extension of main from network box in Nether Street to opposite 11/13, Dollis Road.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the proposals.

110 **BALLARDS LANE WIDENING—WILLOW LODGE ESTATE.**—The Surveyor reported that the Electrical Engineer had informed him that he estimated the cost of transferring the cables and columns from the carriageway opposite to Willow Lodge Estate to

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the new footpath at £275. He further reported that 25 per cent. of the cost would fall upon this Council, and presumed that the County Council would be prepared to defray the remainder;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the expenditure be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

111 MOTOR WATERING VAN.—The Surveyor reported that the motor watering van was delivered on the 19th April, 1927, and was working satisfactorily.

112 CLOSING OF HAMILTON ROAD AND FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔTS.—The Surveyor reported that the above depôts were not now being used by the Highways Department and that consequently the services of two yardmen would be dispensed with; that he had found other employment for one man but could not do so for the other (W. Wood) owing to his age being 73 years. The Committee decided to report the matter to the General Purposes Committee with a request that they would give sympathetic consideration to the case;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

113 RE-NUMBERING—FORTIS GREEN.—A plan was submitted showing proposed re-numbering of premises in the above street;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that such plan be approved;
- (b) that, in accordance with the provisions of the Towns Improvement Clauses Act, 1847, notice be served upon the occupiers of premises in such street requiring them to adopt the numbering shown upon the above-mentioned plan.

114 NAMING OF NEW ROADS.—The Surveyor reported receipt of letters from (a) Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., suggesting that their new road from East End Road to The Bishop's Avenue be called "Deans Way";

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

(b) Messrs. R. B. Grantham & Sons, on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, suggesting that the names of the two roads on the land on the east side of the Great North Road by Summers Lane be " Sandringham Gardens " and " Addington Drive ";

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the names in question.

115 IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the carrying out of the following works, for which provision has been made in this year's estimates, be approved, and that the necessary tenders be invited, viz. :—

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| 1. Green Lane by Manor Cottage—re-
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| 2. Avondale Road and Clifford Road—
piping watercourse | £2400 |
| 3. Nether Street, Moss Hall Grove to
Alexandra Grove—formation of
new footpath | £590 |
| 4. Nether Street by Scouts Hut—
formation of new footpath... | £30 |
| 5. Crooked Usage—surface water sewer | £49 |
| 6. Hayward Road—piping ditch ... | £40 |

(b) that the matter be reported to the Finance Committee.

116 MAINTENANCE OF WEIGHBRIDGE—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—The Surveyor submitted a quotation dated 4th April, 1927, received from Messrs. H. Pooley & Son, Ltd., for the maintenance of the weighbridge at the above Depôt at the sum of £13 12s. 0d. per annum, payable quarterly;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that such quotation be accepted;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract.

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117 DIRECTION SIGNS TO RAILWAY STATIONS.—The Surveyor reported receipt of applications from Mr. A. J. Brickwell, the Surveyor to the L. & N.E. Railway Company, for permission—

- (a) to fix a direction sign approximately 10ins. by 6ins. on the electric lamp standard near to Messrs. Herbert Clark's Offices lettered " Finchley Church End Station " with directing arrow, and
- (b) to fix a similar sign lettered " Totteridge Station L.N.E.R." on the electric lamp standard near to Harper's Stores;

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved subject to the Railway Company's entering into the usual agreement.

118 GAS MAIN—NETHER STREET.—An application, with plan, dated 22nd April, 1927, was submitted from the North Middlesex Gas Co. for permission to lay a new 6in. gas main on the east side of Nether Street in front of the houses recently erected by Mr. Mosses south of Lovers Walk;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the carrying out of the work in question.

119 PIPING OF DITCH—BOW LANE.—The Surveyor reported upon correspondence which he had had with the Valuer to the London County Council hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Clerk of the Council and to the Surveyor for negotiation and that they report further thereon at the Council meeting.

120 STREET WIDENINGS—HENDON LANE BY CHRIST'S COLLEGE.—The Surveyor reported upon correspondence which he had had with the Architect to the Middlesex County Council hereon;

RECOMMENDED that he continue his negotiations and report further on the matter at the Council meeting.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

121 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in the Instruction Books, be approved.

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ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

5th May, 1927.

Present: Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, Grocott, H. O. Syrett, and Wells, and Messrs. Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

122 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

123 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor E. S. Bowen be appointed Chairman of this Committee for the ensuing year.

124 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor G. H. Pateman be appointed Vice-Chairman of this Committee for the ensuing year.

125 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—The resolutions hereon passed at the meetings of the Council held on the 28th March and 20th April, 1927, respectively, were considered, and the Clerk reported the action which he had taken in accordance therewith. A letter (circulated), dated the 30th April, 1927, was submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the North Finchley Allotments League.

Annexed.

The Committee were disappointed at the non-attendance of the League's representatives and felt that in the circumstances they were, for the time being, unable to make any recommendation.

After further discussion, arrangements were made for a meeting of the Committee to be held on the above land on the 12th instant for the purpose of inspecting areas "D" and "E," and the Clerk was instructed to invite the Allotments League to depute two representatives to attend such meeting.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

(b) Lonsdale Meadows—Compulsory purchase of.—The Clerk reported that the requirements of the Small Holdings and Allotments (Compulsory Purchase) Regulations, 1922, had been complied with to date.

ALLOTMENTS (continued).

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The Clerk further reported (i) upon an interview with the Owner's agent as to submission of a proposal to the Council with regard to the matter; (ii) upon Notice of Objection (circulated) to Confirmation of the Order (which had been served by the Owner's Solicitors on the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries); (iii) that the period for the receipt of objections from interested persons having expired on the 30th ultimo, he had submitted the original Order to the Ministry for Confirmation; (iv) that it was probable that in the first instance the Department would hold a Public Inquiry into the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (c) General—Vacant Plots.—Particulars were submitted as to the vacant plots on the various allotment areas in the district;

RECOMMENDED that the Whetstone Stray Allottees' Association be asked to co-operate with the Council in an effort to let the plots which are at present untenanted on that land.

- (d) Bow Lane.—Referring to Minute No. 1612 (c), the Clerk reported that the allottee in question had asked for special consideration in connexion with the Council's claim for arrears of rent outstanding on the ground that the plots were unsuitable for cultivation.

RECOMMENDED that in the circumstances the account be reduced by one-half on condition that it is settled forthwith.

E. S. BOWEN,

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April 30th, 1927.

To Mr. E.H. Lister.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 30th April has been received and duly considered by the Committee of the N.F. Allotment League, and I am instructed to reply that --

(1) No reason has yet been given by your Council to the N.F. A. League for serving them with notice to quit.

(2) The Committee feel themselves bound by the resolution passed by the Special General Meeting of the N.F.A. League, namely:- "That the Council be asked to receive a deputation from the N.F.A.L. at a full and open Council" and therefore regret they cannot attend the Council's Allotment Committee meeting on May 5th.

(3) Our deputation is always willing to meet a full and open Council, and will be in attendance at the next Council meeting, if you will kindly notify me of the date and time.

(4) My Committee desire to thank you for bringing our letter of April 4th before the open Council.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) Thos. Cook,

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This is a copy of the letter referred to in paragraph 125 (a) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 5th May 1927.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

ORDER FOR COMPULSORY PURCHASE, made the 28th day of February, 1927.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO CONFIRMATION.

TO THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

As Solicitors for and on behalf of Mrs. Eliza Hayne of Cambridge Lodge Camden Hill Tunbridge Wells Kent Widow the Owner of the property described in the schedule hereto (such schedule being a copy of the schedule to the said Order) WE HEREBY GIVE YOU NOTICE that the owner objects to the said Order on some or one or all of the following grounds viz: -

- (1) That there is other suitable land that the Council is able to acquire by agreement and on reasonable terms.
- (2) That the land described in the said schedule has already been acquired from the owner by the Council on tenancy agreement for the purposes of allotments and no notice in writing by the owner of her proposal to resume possession of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Allotments Act 1922 has been given by her.
- (3) It is not reasonable to expect that the expenses of the Council (as specified in S. 16 of the Allotments Act 1922) in acquiring the said land can be defrayed out of the receipts of the Council under the provisions of the Allotments Acts.
- (4) That on the facts and in law there is no power to make the said Order and that such Order if confirmed would be invalid.

D A T E D the twelfth day of April 1927.

(sgd) BAULTON SONS & SANDERMAN.

21a Northampton Square,
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FIRST all that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 5 poles or thereabouts situate on and abutting upon the northerly side of a proposed road called or to be called the North Circular Road and bounded on the northerly side by gardens at the rear of dwelling houses fronting Clifford Road on the easterly side by the Great North Road and on the westerly side by land belonging to the Finchley Urban District Council AND SECONDLY all that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement 2 acres & 24 poles or thereabouts situate on and abutting upon the southerly side of the said proposed road and bounded on the westerly side by land belonging to the Finchley Urban District Council aforesaid on the southerly side by a garden at the rear of No. 1 The Brownsells and on the easterly side by the Great North Road at its junction with the said proposed road by gardens at the rear of adjoining dwelling houses fronting the Great North Road and by land belonging to the Vendor.

This is the notice of objection referred to in paragraph 125 (b) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 5th May 1927.

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REPORT OF EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Meeting held 9th May, 1927.

Present : Councillors F. J. Grocott, D. A. A. Merry, S. J. Pocock, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams.

126 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—Your Committee reports that Councillor D. A. A. Merry has been appointed Chairman of the Education Committee for the ensuing year.

127 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—Your Committee reports that Councillor S. J. Pocock has been appointed Vice-Chairman of the Education Committee for the ensuing year.

128 SUB-COMMITTEES.—Your Committee has to report that it has appointed the following sub-committees :—

SCHOOL MANAGEMENT, WORKS AND ACCOUNTS.

All members of the Education Committee are members of this Sub-Committee.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE :	THEATRICAL CHILDREN LICENCES :
Councillor H. O. Syrett.	Chairman of the Council.
Councillor E. Toyne.	Chairman of the Education Committee.
Councillor D. A. A. Merry.	Councillor C. S. Syrett.
Councillor S. J. Pocock.	Mrs. A. S. Miall.
Councillor F. J. Grocott.	
Councillor G. H. Pateman.	
Councillor H. G. Sommerfield.	
Mrs. A. S. Miall.	
Mr. R. Williams.	

CHILDREN'S CARE.

Councillor H. O. Syrett,	Chairman of the Council.
Councillor E. Toyne,	Vice-Chairman of the Council.
Councillor D. A. A. Merry,	Chairman of the Education Committee.
Councillor S. J. Pocock,	Vice-Chairman of the Education Committee.

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Councillor H. G. Sommerfield,	Member of the Education Com-	
	mittee.	
Mrs. A. S. Miall,	do.	do.
Mr. R. Williams,	do.	do.
Miss L. Davey,	Social Worker.	
Mrs. R. Lewellen,	do.	
Mrs. E. V. Timberlake,	do.	
Mr. J. T. Harveyson,	Charity Trustee.	
Miss A. Mortimer,	Teacher.	
Mr. E. A. Bolding,	do.	
Mr. W. J. Cowling,	do.	
Mr. A. B. Green,	do.	

JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

Education Authority (7).—

1. Chairman of the Council—
Councillor H. O. Syrett.
2. Vice-Chairman of the Council
—Councillor E. Toyne.
3. Chairman of the Education
Committee—
Councillor D. A. A. Merry.
4. Vice-Chairman of the Educa-
tion Committee—
Councillor S. J. Pocock.
5. Councillor F. J. Grocott.
6. Mrs. A. S. Miall.
7. Mrs. E. V. Timberlake.

County Council (2).—

1. County Councillor Walter C.
Cope.
2. Miss M. Shoults.

Employers (4).—

1. Mr. H. Barker.
2. Mr. W. G. Harper.
3. Mr. S. Pulham.
4. Mr. J. Semple.

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Workers (4).—

1. Mr. W. Evans.
2. Mr. J. Mayhew.
3. Mr. E. A. Price.
4. Mr. T. Smith.

Social Organizations (2) --

1. Miss L. Davey.
2. Mr. R. Fouracre.

Teachers (3).—

1. Miss A. Mortimer.
2. Mr. E. A. Bolding.
3. Mr. A. B. Green.

129 SUB-COMMITTEES—APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMEN.—Your Committee reports that chairmen of the following sub-committees have been appointed as under :—

School Management, Works and Accounts—

School Attendance	Councillor C. S. Syrett.
	Councillor S. J. Pocock.

130 REPRESENTATIVE MANAGERS.—Your Committee recommends that the following be appointed to serve as managers of the schools, etc., named, until the next annual meeting of the Council :—

1. Non-Provided Schools.—

St. Mary's	County Councillor Walter C. Cope.
	Councillor H. O. Syrett.
St. John's	Councillor H. G. Sommerfield.
	Councillor S. J. Pocock.
Christ Church	Councillor E. Toyne.
	Mrs. A. S. Miall.
Holy Trinity	Councillor F. J. Grocott.
	Mr. R. Williams.

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2. Joint Special School for Mentally Defective Children.—

Councillor S. J. Pocock.
 Councillor H. G. Sommerfield.
 Mrs. A. S. Miall.
 Mrs. E. V. Timberlake.

3. Barnett School for Girls.—

Mrs. A. S. Miall.
 Mrs. E. V. Timberlake.

4. Institute Council, Hampstead Garden Suburb.—

Mrs. A. S. Miall.

131 REPRESENTATIVES ON OTHER BODIES.—Your Committee recommends that the undermentioned be appointed to represent this Authority until the next annual meeting of the Council :—

1. Joint Committee, Local.—

Councillor D. A. A. Merry.
 Councillor G. H. Pateman.
 Councillor S. J. Pocock.
 Councillor C. S. Syrett.
 Councillor E. Toyne.
 Mrs. A. S. Miall.

2. Joint Committee, Middlesex County Council.—

The Chairman of the Education Committee.

3. Association of Education Committees.—

The Chairman of the Education Committee and the Secretary.

4. Juvenile Organizations Committee.—

The Chairman of the Education Committee.
 Councillor C. S. Syrett.
 Councillor E. Toyne.
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132 DAY AND TIME OF MEETINGS.—Your Committee reports that the Committee and Sub-Committees will meet during the ensuing year as set out below :—

Education.—Monday in second week before Council, 8 p.m.

School Management, Works and Accounts.—Tuesday in fourth week before Council, 7.30 p.m.

School Attendance.—Monday in week before Council, 7.30 p.m.

Children's Care & Juvenile Employment.—Thursday in fourth week before Council, in every third month 7 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. respectively.

133 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £4,432 12s. 11d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

134 CHILDREN'S COT FUND.—A statement of the amounts received from the local public elementary schools during the past year has been considered and a cheque for £50 has been forwarded to the Treasurer of the Finchley Memorial Hospital.

135 RESIGNATION.—Your Committee reports that they have accepted the resignation of Miss D. Lyons, certificated assistant mistress Albert Street School, Senior Department, as from the 30th April, 1927, in consequence of her having accepted a position under the London Education Authority.

136 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—Supply teachers, previously approved, are serving as under :—

Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. Collison ...	L.L.I. ...	1/5/25
Mrs. Barrett ...	A.S.J. ...	13/4/26
Mrs. Martin ...	S.M.I. ...	22/4/26

RECOMMENDED that approval be given to the appointment of the following supply teachers, in the whole-time service of this Authority, at salaries in accordance with the Scale :—

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Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. O'Donnell ...	S.J. ...	1/4/27
Mrs. Nicklin ...	S.M.M. ...	1/4/27
Mrs. Strawson ...	C.C. ...	1/4/27
Miss Smyth ...	S.L.I. ...	25/4/27
Mrs. Popley ...	H.T.M. ...	25/4/27
Mrs. Neal ...	L.L.I. ...	4/5/27
Mrs. Eerrey ...	S.J. ...	9/5/27

137 LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—The Managers of the St. John's School have granted two months' leave of absence, without salary, to one of their certificated assistant mistresses, owing to family bereavement and circumstances connected therewith.

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Managers be approved.

138 APPOINTMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED—

1. that approval be given to the appointment by the Managers of the St. Mary's School of Miss P.M.H. Franklin as trained certificated assistant in full time service exclusively in the capacity of a teacher, in the place of Miss G. P. Skinner resigned, from the 1st September, 1927, at a commencing salary of £180 per annum;
2. that Mr. N. I. C. Lelean, trained certificated assistant, be appointed in the full-time service of the Finchley Education Authority exclusively in the capacity of a teacher, from the 1st September, 1927, in consequence of the formation of an additional central class at the North Road School, or in such other school as the Authority may from time to time direct, at a commencing salary of £192 per annum;
3. that Miss M. M. Smith, trained certificated assistant, be appointed in the full-time service of the Finchley Education Authority exclusively in the capacity of a teacher, in the place of Miss Lyons resigned, from

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the 1st May, 1927, at the Albert Street School, Senior Department, or in such other school as the Authority may from time to time direct, at a commencing salary of £192 per annum.

Each of the three above-mentioned appointments is subject to :

- (a) the production of a satisfactory medical certificate ;
- (b) the conditions of appointment of the Authority in force for the time being ;
- (c) the terms and conditions of Scale IV of the Burnham Arbitration Award and to the decisions of the Board of Education relating thereto ;
- (d) the conditions of service set out in Article 17 (c) of the Code of Regulations for Public Elementary Schools, 1926 ;
- (e) the termination of the engagement by one calendar month's previous written notice on either side ;

and in the case of Miss Franklin and Mr. Lelean it is also subject to :—

- (f) the first year of service being a probationary period ;
- (g) obtaining the Board of Education Teachers' Certificate in July next.

139 EMPIRE DAY.—

- (a) Your Committee has resolved that the head teachers shall be requested to observe Empire Day on the morning of Tuesday, the 24th May, 1927, and that the afternoon of that day shall be a half holiday.
- (b) Your Committee has accepted an offer of the Empire Day Medal Association to provide a number of booklets giving some elementary particulars of the Empire, especially from an economic point of view, and in addition to send to each school a certain number of medals to be awarded at the absolute discretion of the head teacher to those children who show an interest in, or a knowledge of, the Empire.

140 CONFERENCE OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE DEPARTMENTS.—A letter has been considered dated the 2nd April,

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1927, from the Honorary Secretary of the Association of Superintendents of School Attendance Departments, asking the Committee to appoint a representative to attend the annual conference to be held in Birmingham on 30th and 31st May, and 1st June, 1927, and to allow the Superintendent of School Attendance Officers also to attend the conference.

RECOMMENDED that Mr. G. Froome be appointed to represent the Finchley Education Authority at the conference of the Association of Superintendents of School Attendance Departments to be held at Birmingham on 30th and 31st May and 1st June, 1927.

141 SCHOOL SPORTS.—

RECOMMENDED that sanction be given to the suspension of school work on the occasion of school sports as under :—

School.	Ground.	Date.	Purpose.
Finchley Schools' Athletic Association (all Schools)	Recreation	9/6/27	Inter-schools' annual athletic meeting.
Long Lane School	Recreation	27/5/27	School sports.
North Rd. School	Recreation	26/5/27	School sports.
Christ Church School	Finchley Football.	17/5/27	School sports.

142 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—

(a) In February last the Council decided to protest to the Board of Education against a request from the Board to this Authority for payment of the costs of the Inquiry held on the 5th November, 1926.

A letter dated the 25th March, 1927, has been received from the Board of Education stating that the Board has decided on reconsideration that the costs of the Inquiry shall be borne by themselves.

(b) At the meeting of the Council held in February last resolution relating to the decision of the Board of Education in regard to the proposed Roman Catholic School were passed and subsequently forwarded to the Board.

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A letter dated the 25th March, 1927, has been received in reply thereto, a copy of which has been circulated to members of the Council. This communication is receiving further consideration by the Education Committee.

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- (c) Doctor Charles Garnett of Finchley has forwarded for the information of the Council copies of correspondence (circulated) between himself and the Board of Education.

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143 CHRIST'S COLLEGE.—A letter dated the 7th May, 1927, from the Clerk to the Council has been considered, relating to—

1. the Conveyance of Christ's College to the Middlesex County Council,
2. the widening of Hendon Lane by adding thereto a strip of the present College site, and
3. the erection of a boundary fence, in lieu of the existing wall, by the District Council.

The Committee approves the Conveyance of the property and desires that matters appertaining to the widening of Hendon Lane, as it affects Christ's College property, and arising therefrom be left in the hands of the Council to determine.

144 PHYSICALLY DEFECTIVE CHILD.—A child whose name appears in the Education Minute Book, aged 11 years, who attends Squires Lane Boys' School, has been found to be suffering from paralysis; he has been recommended for treatment at the St. Vincent's Orthopaedic Hospital, Eastcote, near Pinner. This hospital is a residential school for physically defective children and approved by the Ministry of Health and the Board of Education.

RECOMMENDED that this Authority accepts responsibility for the cost of the education and maintenance of the boy named in the Education Minute Book, whilst under treatment at the St. Vincent's Orthopaedic Hospital, for a period not exceeding three months, at a fee of £90 per annum, the parents of the child to contribute the sum of 10s. 0d. per week towards this expense.

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Sir,

In reply to Mr. Lister's letter of the 1st instant, I am directed to state that before giving their decision the Board considered this case very carefully, and are not prepared to reopen the question.

As regards the Wembley proposal to which it is presumed reference is made in (3) of Mr. Lister's letter, I am to say that the circumstances there were somewhat different. The Authority may like to know, however, that it is now proposed to erect a new Roman Catholic School at Wembley on a different site from that originally selected, and that Notices for the proposed new school have expired without appeal.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
(Signed) A. MAXWELL-LYTE.

To the
Local Education Authority.

Copy.

Eastdene, 103 Bow Lane,
North Finchley, N. 12.

28th April, 1927.

The Right Honourable
Lord Eustace Percy, M.P.,
President of the Board of Education.

Sir,

I now beg to acknowledge the receipt of your courteous letter dated 28th March, which came to hand in due course, and to thank you for sending me copies of the very interesting correspondence between your Board and our local District Council; all of which I have carefully perused.

In my opinion, the correspondence referred to has fully justified our action, as ratepayers interested in Education, in signing the Petition against the proposed R. C. Elementary School, on the grounds stated therein. It also, in my opinion, completely justified the action of our Education Authority with regard to the "preposterous proposal" of the three Finchley priests, supported by their followers, who were urged to attend the Public Inquiry for that purpose.

I note that the Report of the Inquiry conducted by Mr. Newton received your personal consideration before the decision of the Board was arrived at; and I presume it met with your approval. Afterwards, on the 15th January, I addressed a letter to the Secretary of the Board respectfully submitting that having regard to the explicit requirements of the Act of Parliament, the case in favour of the proposed School had not been made out, and that as a matter of fact the R. C. School is NOT NECESSARY, neither is it DESIRABLE in the interests of secular education, nor will it lead to economy of the Rates. But this important letter (of which I sent you a copy) has been practically ignored, of which I have every right to complain.

I am writing now at the request of numerous ratepayers to ask and ascertain if we are to understand that the decision of the Board is final and cannot be set aside in view of the FACTS stated in my letter, which are not disputed, and are decisive of the question at issue. (see page 2)

The real essence of the matter seems to us perfectly plain and simple. To say that the proposed School is NOT UNNECESSARY is certainly equivalent to asserting that it IS NECESSARY. But this is altogether misleading and wholly untrue. In any case, the necessity has not been proved, and cannot be proved in view of the fully established facts of the case, which are becoming common knowledge. May I add that the curious negative decision of the Board when subjected to critical analysis will not hold water. For a thing is or is not necessary. This is self-evident and requires no proof. It is enough to state it in plain English. Furthermore, no mere assertion can constitute or serve as positive proof of a proposition or affirmation. It is merely a form of what is well known as "BEGGING THE QUESTION", and is especially insidious when it is carefully disguised as in this particular case.

Consequently, with due respect for everyone concerned, we must object to and strongly protest against it. Our contention is, and we shall continue to maintain, that the necessity for the proposed Roman Catholic Elementary School has not been proved, and that the surprising decision of the Board of Education is not warranted by the facts of the case. We respectfully submit that it is illogical and contrary to common sense to hold that a proposal must be accepted as true, or a decision regarded as valid, until it is actually proved to be so. The absolute rule is that the burden of proof lies upon those who advance the proposition (or proposal) on which a decision is arrived at, after all the facts of the case have been carefully considered without passion or prejudice of any kind; and believe me that is all we care about.

There are other grounds on which most if not all of us strongly object to and will continue to protest against the decision of the Board - particularly with regard to the ruling motive and the avowed object of the promoters - but those I have mentioned must suffice for the present, and are most respectfully submitted for your further consideration.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) CHARLES GARNETT.

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Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 28th April, I regret that, through an oversight, your letter of the 15th January last, addressed to the Department, was not answered officially, but I can assure you that its contents were carefully considered by the Board in connection with their correspondence with the local Education Authority in the matter, a copy of which was enclosed with my letter to you of the 28th March.

In a case of this kind it is not possible for the Board to review their decision unless new and important facts, which were not before them when their decision was taken, are brought to their notice. In the present instance, I am satisfied that all the relevant facts were before me when the Board's decision was arrived at and I do not, therefore, see my way to reopen the question.

Yours truly,

(Signed) EUSTACE PERCY.

The Rev. Charles Garnett, M.A., D.D.,
105 Bow Lane, Minchley, W. 12.

This (including the two preceding pages) is a copy of the correspondence referred to in paragraph 142 (b) and (c) of the Education Committee's report of the 9th May 1927.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

10th May, 1927.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Merry, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

145 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

146 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed .

147 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Merry be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

148 SUB-COMMITTEES—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that the under-mentioned Sub-Committees be constituted as follows :—

Library Service.—

The Chairman of the Council.
 The Vice-Chairman of the Council.
 Councillor Broadbent.
 „ C. S. Syrett.

Management of Workmen's Dwellings.—

The Chairman of the Council.
 The Vice-Chairman of the Council.

Local Government.—

The Chairman of the Council.
 The Vice-Chairman of the Council.
 Councillor Agar.
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 „ C. S. Syrett.

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

Glebe Land.—

- The Chairman of the Council,
- The Vice-Chairman of the Council,
- Councillor Merry.
- " Pike.
- " C. S. Syrett.

Avenue House.—

- The Chairman of the Council,
- The Vice-Chairman of the Council,
- Councillor Broadbent.
- " Pike.
- " C. S. Syrett.

149 URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION—ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.—Voting paper in respect of the above was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and the Clerk to deal with.

150 FINCHLEY CITIZENS' COMMITTEE—ALLOCATION OF SURPLUS FUNDS.—A communication, dated 24th March, 1927, was submitted from the Charity Commissioners enclosing draft scheme for the administration of the above-mentioned charity.

151 UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS ACT, 1920—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—The Clerk reported that, as instructed, he had made formal objection on behalf of the Council to the above Compulsory Order, and that the Ministry of Transport had now written requesting to be informed of the grounds of the Council's objection;

Annexed. **RECOMMENDED** that the Clerk be directed to prepare a statement of the Council's objections and to submit same at the Council meeting for approval.

152 PROVINCIAL JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES NON-TRADING SERVICES (MANUAL WORKERS) FOR THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.—Reference was made to a communication received from the Secretary of the above forwarding copy of the report of the Executive Committee on the question of overlapping of organisations;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

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4th Report - War Compensation Court	6. -.
Advertising - Typist, Surveyor's Dept.	1. 5. -.
" Clerk's "	1. 5. -.
" Tennis Courts, Reern. Ground	1. 2. 6.
" "	1. 4. -.
2000 occupiers returns forms	10. -.
200 cards - superannuation	15. -.
150 forms with duplicate "	4.16. -.
1 ton anthracite	5. - . -.
2 tons House coal	1. - . -.
1000 a/c forms	6.15. -.
2000 window envelopes	1. 2. 6.
9 copies Local Directory	2. 8.
10,000 Bowls tickets	8. -.
2 receipt books - Baths	

New requisitioned

Clerk's Department.

Binding - "Justice of the Peace" & Reports	1. 5. -.
Binding 1 Letter Book	1. 1. -.
Steel Safe	30. - . -.
1,000 Acknowledgment postcards	17. 6.
1000 compliment slips	15. -.
Proportion Cost of new Typewriter	3. - . -.
200 forms L.L.C.L.A.	7. -.
William's "Private Bill Legislation"	1. 1. -.
1 copy Municipal Year Book 1927	15. -.
Binding Council Minutes 1926-7	1.15. -.
Binding 4 volumes minutes & reports	1.18. -.
Printing Minutes & Reports - April & May	45. - . -.
1 Yearly Digest 1926	1. 2. -.
4 red & black typewriter ribbons	12. -.

Surveyor's Department.

1050 Stock Record Index Cards	2.11. -.
2,000 Costing sheets	2.15. -.
1 ream abstract paper	1. 5. -.
10,000 Fine sheets	3.12. 6.
1,000 Horse hire sheets	15. -.
10,000 manilla envelopes (commercial)	3.10. -.
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 1 "Violet Germin"
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 1 12" boxwood scale

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2 " " " American Indian ink	14. -.
2 " " "	6. -.
1 "Interlox" 5" rule	2. -.
1 doz. "Toctox" sponge cloths	2. 6.
1 stick Carmine	2. 6.
1 " Violet Carmine	
1 roll Whatmans continuously mounted on white holland 27" wide 10 yds. long	2. -.
1 refill for 100 ft. Chesterman steel tape	2.12. -.
1 doz. 1/2 plates Imperial non-filter ortho	6. -.
2 packets vigorous "Velox" glossy paper	2. -.
1 Drawing Board	2. 5. -.
2 6" celluloid edged scales	8. -.
1 12" boxwood scale	3. 6.

Public Health Dept.

Repairs to cycles	15. -.
30 gallons petrol - Car M.O.H.	1.15. -.
3 doz. "shaw-flat" files	14. 3.
1 ton coal	1. 6. -.
4 roller towels	18. -.

Finance Department

Rate Demand notes	10.10. -.
Rate Receipt Books	12. 5. -.
Receipt Books - ambulance (400)	1.12. 6.
do. - general (5000)	5. -. -.
20,000 window envelopes	6.15. -.
1,000 acknowledgment postcards printed	1. -. -.
1 Cash book (baths) 5 years	4.15. -.
1 Binder - transfer Sundry Debtors a/cs	1. 8. 8.

Stores

Overprinting 25 reams notepaper - Clerk	2.10. -.
2 doz. instantaneous binders	3. -. -.
4 reams foolscap blotters	16. -.
2 doz. Royal Sovereign pencils	7. 6.
2 " Victoria pencils	3. 6.
2 gross "Flexograph" pens	11. -.
2 " Waverloy "	9. -.
2 " Relief "	10. -.
2 lb. office pins	6. -.
1 gross shorthand notebooks	2.10. -.
1 doz. boxes rubber bands No.421	1.10. -.
1 " " " assorted	1.10. -.
1 gross boxes paper clips	3. -. -.
4 cards green tape	10. -.
2 reams cabro stencils	7. -. -.
2 doz. black record ribbons	3. -. -.
1 " black & red "	1.12. 6.
3 stamp pads	7. 6.
1 gross bottles Gloy	4.17. -.

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Rent of office - 1
Light & clean
Books & taxes
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Subscriptions - 9, The
" - Telephone
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Post Cash, postage
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Insurance - General
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Valuation Department

Office Draft Value
15,000 Statutory f
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Typewriter
2 books Query & re
Numbering machine
Date Machine
6 filing baskets
Set of Drawers
2 Vertical filing
2 steel cupboards
100 Supplemental V
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General Charges

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Fuel, light & cleaning - $\frac{1}{2}$ year	400. - . - .
Rates & taxes "	33. - . - .
" "	80. - . - .
Telephone rentals	274.18. 6.
Additions - 9, The Hawthorns	78. - . - .
Wages - Telephone Operator $\frac{1}{2}$ year	100. - . - .
" - messenger "	100. - . - .
" - chairman "	300. - . - .
Petty Cash, postages etc. "	170. - . - .
Audit Stamp	25. - . - .
Insurances - General	250. - . - .
National Insurances - $\frac{1}{2}$ year	363.10. 6.
Election Expenses	200. - . - .
Maintenance of car & cycles - $\frac{1}{2}$ year	1100. - . - .
Superannuation Contribution "	
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts - cost of loans & fees	250. - . - .

Valuation Department

Office Draft Valuation List (6 books)	4.13. 6.
15,000 Statutory forms under sec.40.	12. - . - .
16,000 Valuation Officer's Forms	6. 5. - .
Typewriter	10. - . - .
2 books Query & reply letters	2. 3. - .
Numbering machine	1.17. 6.
Date Machine	15. - . - .
6 filing baskets	1. 6. - .
Rest of Drawers	19. 6. - .
2 Vertical filing cabinets	20. - . - .
2 steel cupboards	12.10. - .
100 Supplemental Valuation sheets	1.17. - .
500 acknowledgment postcards	7. 6. - .
35 Notices re Supp. Valuation Lists	7. 6. - .
100 folios Office Draft Valuation List	15. - . - .
500 Visiting Cards - Valuation Officer	5. - . - .
Guide to Rating	5. - . - .
Signature Stamp - Clerk to Valuation Committee	7. 2. - .
Postage Book	1. 6. - .
Caribonum stamp pad	3. - . - .
Telephone Rental	9. 5. - .
Repairs to Chair	9. 6. - .
150 Return of Assessment of Rateable Property - Licensed premises	18. - . - .
25 do. - Factory Premises	4. - . - .
1,000 Reminders re non-return of forms	10. - . - .
1 Pen Tray	3. 6. - .
1 pair scissors	2. - . - .
1000 addressed envelopes	15. - . - .
1 doz. sectional book ruled	15. - . - .
500 Owners Notices	2.15. - .

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These (together with the two preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 146 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May 1927.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

THE UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920.
The County of Middlesex North Circular Road
(No.1.) Order, 1927.

Draft Statement of Objections to Compulsory Order.

1. That the land described in the Notice dated 25th March, 1927 as being numbered 11, 12, 13 & 13a on the plan deposited at the Offices of the Middlesex County Council held on lease by the Finchley Urban District Council is required for purposes in connexion with the Sewage Farm belonging to the Finchley Council.
2. That the site of the Council's Sewage Farm was selected as being in a secluded part of the District, whereas if the above Order were confirmed and the road constructed, it would be situate and adjoin upon an arterial road, thereby defeating the original object of the Local Authority and injuriously affecting their interests.
3. That the culvert in the Great North Road near to the Green Man Public House is not of sufficient strength to bear the increased traffic from the North Circular Road at that point.

This is a copy of the Council's objections referred to in paragraph 151 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May 1927.

W. G. Hill
Chairman.

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GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

153 TRAVELLING FACILITIES.—

- (a) It was reported that, at last meeting, the consideration of the letter from the Ministry of Transport forwarding copy of a communication received from the London and North-Eastern Railway Company regarding the train services, etc., on the High Barnet Branch line had been adjourned; that the North London Travelling Facilities Committee had been furnished with a copy of the correspondence and had decided, in view of the Company's last letter, that it would serve no useful purpose for the moment to pursue the matter further;

RECOMMENDED that the Ministry of Transport be informed that the Council consider that the reply received from the Railway Company is unsatisfactory, and that attention be drawn to the fact that the provision of improved facilities would attract more traffic and that the inadequacy of the services provided has caused a falling off of the traffic.

- (b) Copy of a report since received by Councillor Pike from the Divisional General Manager of the Railway Company was also submitted.
- (c) A communication dated 13th April, 1927, was submitted from ex-Councillor Bennett relative to a meeting of the North London Travelling Facilities Committee held at the House of Commons on the 7th April, 1927, when that Committee were received by the Members of Parliament for Enfield, Tottenham, Hornsey, Finchley, Wood Green and Barnet Divisions on the question generally of improved travelling facilities in North London.
- (d) A communication was submitted from the Town Clerk of Hornsey forwarding copy of a communication with enclosure received from Captain Wallace, M.P., and stating that he proposed to hand same to the local press;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto.

154 FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔT—PROPOSED LEASE TO MR. J. WALKER.—The Committee considered the views of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon;

Annexed

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be directed to obtain offers for the site on the understanding that the Council will not permit horses to be kept thereon.

155 PLAYING FIELD OPPOSITE TO NORTH ROAD SCHOOL, EAST FINCHLEY.—It was reported that, in accordance with the instructions of the Council, enquiries had been made of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners as to at what price and upon what terms and conditions they would sell the above land; that they had intimated that the price would be approximately that fixed on the last occasion, viz., £1,670 and that the terms and conditions would be similar to those set out in the agreement of the 2nd September, 1914, but that they were prepared to consider any variations in the same which the Council might desire to suggest. A report of the Surveyor as follows was considered :—

“ The area of this land is 2a. 3r. 16p. and if the proposed public space were reduced in depth a football pitch 100 yards long by 50 yards wide (these are the minimum dimensions recognised by the Football Association) with accommodation for spectators could be provided on the remainder. The land should be under-drained which I estimate at £67 per acre.

I will present a statement at your meeting showing the expenditure required on fencing, etc., to comply with the Conditions of Sale.”

Annexed Instructions were given for a copy of the statement above-mentioned to be circulated amongst the members of the Council.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken be approved;
- (b) that no further steps be taken in the matter at the moment.

156 STAFF.—

- (a) Rota of Holidays.—The above was submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of the Committee for approval;

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THE DIVISIONAL GENERAL MANAGER,
LIVERPOOL STREET.

HIGH BARNET BRANCH SERVICE

1. With reference to your letter of the 8th instant and enclosures which are returned herewith, we append our comments on the various points raised by Mr. Pike.

COMPLAINT.

ANSWER.

1. The small number of trains to High Barnet as compared with New Barnet and Alexandra Palace between the hours of 4.0 and 7.0p.m.

The existing service of Passenger trains running from the London Area is considered to be quite adequate to meet present day requirements.

The High Barnet Branch is well served with trains between the hours of 4.0 and 7.0 p.m. and compares very favourably with services to other Suburban centres which are more thickly populated as will be seen from the following particulars:-

No. of Trains.

To High Barnet	13
" Alexandra Palace	15
" New Barnet	18

The traffic to the New Barnet Line warrants a heavier service than the High Barnet line. The traffic on the Alexandra Palace Line is diminishing, and a revision of the service is under consideration.

2. The unclean state of many of the carriages and the lack of heating therein; the lighting arrangements in many of the carriages are most defective, and gas-lit carriages some-times fail completely, and in many of the electric-lit carriages the light is so bad that reading becomes impossible.

Prior to January the carriages cleaning staff was depleted, but the full staff has been reinstated and the condition of the carriages now show great improvement.

With regard to lack of heating a good proportion of the Suburban stock is not fitted with heating apparatus, and this will be remedied as new trains are built.

Considerable improvement has been effected in the lighting of the gas-fitted stock during the past few months, but the electric lighted stock is not always satisfactory. This appears to be partially accounted for by the trains not getting sufficiently long and fast runs to maintain an adequate current.

3. It is noticed how frequent the High Street trains are made up with the "American" coaches as compared with other branches.

4. A comparison of the Table for 1902 with the current issue discloses practically no alteration in the number of trains now running.

5. The few alterations that have been made have proved to be very inconvenient.

(a) the 11.20 p.m. train from King's Cross to High Street is discontinued although the list of train departures at King's Cross still includes that

(b) the 7.10 p.m. train from Broad Street to High Street - a popular train in previous days has not been re-instated.

(c) the 7.45 p.m. train from Broad Street to High Street is discontinued.

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ANSWER.

The attention of the Chief Mechanical Engineer is drawn to all cases of defective lighting.

On the 51 Suburban sets now employed in the workings 34 are gas-lighted, and 17 electrically lighted.

There are 36 bogie sets and 15 four-wheeled sets working in the Suburban services, and the use of non-bogie stock is not confined to the High Barnet branch. A proper proportion of the bogie stock available is scheduled in the High Barnet services.

The conditions in regard to travelling facilities have changed very considerably since 1902. Bus, tram and tube facilities are now given to districts served by the High Barnet trains, and there has not been sufficient increase of traffic on the Branch Line to warrant additional services.

(a) Two trains formerly left King's Cross at 11.20. and 11.42.p.m. Both trains were lightly loaded and from January last, the former was diverted to New Barnet, to which place there is a heavier traffic. The alteration has given general satisfaction.

With regard to the large poster exhibited at King's Cross still showing an 11.20.p.m. train to High Barnet, the comparatively small revision did not justify the reprinting of the time sheet which shows the whole of the trains from King's Cross. It is the practice in cases of this kind to paste strips over the printed matter and it is assumed in this instance the strip became detached.

(b) and (c) Both trains were withdrawn from the service during the War period (1917-1918) and traffic necessities have not, so far, arisen to warrant the reinstatement of either.

So many revisions have been made in the business hours of the majority of City firms since 1919 that the necessity for later evening services from London are not so great today as they were during the pre-war period.

COMPLAINT.

3. It is noticed how infrequent the High Barnet trains are made up with the "American bogie" coaches as compared with other branches.

4. A comparison of the Time Table for 1902 with the current issue discloses practically no alteration in the number of times of trains now running.

5. The few alterations which have been made have proved to be very inconvenient, e.g.,

(a) the 11.20.p.m. from King's Cross to High Barnet is discontinued although the list of train departure platform at King's Cross still includes that train.

(b) the 7.10.p.m. train from Broad Street - a very popular train in pre-war days has not been re-instated.

(c) the 7.46.p.m. train from Broad Street is now discontinued.

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ago an engine went
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platform was choked
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at Farringdon I at once
went to the M.E.T. and
arranged for the
trains to go via
King's Cross via
Finsbury Park. To
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everyone given by the
station. The cause
of delay, four or
five hundred
passengers were
just allowed to
get on the
platform. When
I returned to
Finsbury Park, the
passengers told me
what had happened
at Aldersgate.

It will be seen
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inconvenience and
annoyance would
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not made an
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8. It has often been
noticed that
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often been kept
waiting outside
Finsbury Park
Station on the
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train is
often delayed.
The reason
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train has
not yet
arrived at that
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is caused by
the delay of
trains at
that Station.

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6. Passengers on the High Barnet branch often have to witness three trains standing at and leaving Finsbury Park at the same time during the evening rushes, each bound for New Barnet.

This is inexplicable and could only occur when the service is disorganised. The number of trains booked from Finsbury Park to the New Barnet and High Barnet lines between 4.45.p.m. and 6.15.p.m. is 8 and 7 respectively.

7. On occasions of a breakdown or dislocation on the line the City side of King's Cross, no information is ever given to passengers to proceed by the alternative route of the M.E.T.

The advice to the public in this case should have been given by the Metropolitan Company's officials, and the Superintendent of that Company has been communicated with on the subject.

Emergency service notices were exhibited on the platforms at King's Cross (M.N.E.) station on this occasion.

An actual case is the following: Some time last month an engine went off the line between Aldersgate and Farringdon, blocking the line. The platform at Farringdon became choked with passengers waiting for their respective trains. When I arrived at Farringdon I at once changed to the M.E.T. and reached Finsbury Park via King's Cross. No indication whatever was given by the station staff as to cause of delay, and the four or five hundred passengers were just allowed to wait on the platform. When I reached Finsbury Park, the Inspector told me what had happened at Aldersgate.

It will be seen therefore that considerable congestion and annoyance would have been saved if the responsible Station Officer had made the appropriate announcement.

8. It has often been observed that trains from High Barnet branch have been kept waiting on the "curve" outside Finsbury Park Station on the morning journeys, when the number 1 platform has been vacant. The result has been that connections have been missed when the trains eventually arrived at that Station.

This is a matter of junction working, but all trains are admitted to the platform immediately the Block arrangements will permit.

Trains from the High Barnet branch must of necessity be held outside Finsbury Park when other trains are crossing from No.2 platform road to the Broad Street line.

With regard to the High Barnet Branch passengers generally, we would mention that Season Ticket holders have the advantage of a very general interavailability arrangement, i.e. they can without

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Examples: -

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extra charge travel to and from contiguous stations on the New Barnet and Alexandra Palace Lines as per the following examples:-

<u>FROM.</u>	<u>AVAILABLE ALSO AT -</u>
High Barnet	Oakleigh Park and New Barnet
Totteridge	New Barnet
Woodside Park	New Southgate.
Finchley	do.
East Finchley.	Alexandra Palace.

A similar arrangement is in operation for ordinary ticket holders.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report referred to in paragraph 153 (b) of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May 1927.

W. Syrett
Chairman.

INDIRECT EXPENSES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 15TH MARCH, 1927.

LAND FRONTING NORTH ROAD SCHOOL, EAST FINCHLEY.

STATEMENT SHOWING ESTIMATED COST OF ROAD
WORKS, SURFACE WATER SEWER, UNDER-DRAINAGE,
FENCING AND LAYING OUT PUBLIC OPEN SPACE.

This is a copy of
the statement referred
to in paragraph
145 of the General
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Report of the 10th
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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 15TH MARCH, 1927.

LAND FRONTING NORTH ROAD SCHOOL, EAST FINCHLEY.

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This is a copy of the statement referred to in paragraph 155 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May 1927.

Chairman.

H. Smith

	Road Works.	Surface water sewer.	Fencing.	Under-drainage.	Planting and laying out.	TOTALS.
North Road School frontage	£ 670	£ 260	-	-	-	£ 970.
Playing field frontage etc.	£ 628	£ 244	£ 333	£ 144	-	£1349.
Public park frontage etc.	£ 167	£ 65	£ 259	£ 48	£ 100	£ 639.
Ecclesiastical Commissioners' frontage.	£ 171	£ 66	-	-	-	£ 237.
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NOTE. The estimated cost of road works is based on the Council's standard of construction for new streets.

15th March, 1927.

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(b) that in future years the rota be not placed before the Committee but that the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the General Purposes Committee for the time being be authorised to approve same.

(b) Summer Outing, 1927.—

RECOMMENDED that leave of absence be granted to such members of the staff as wish to attend the above.

(c) Clerk's Department—Typist.—It was reported that Miss E. Coombes had given one month's notice terminating her engagement with the Council to expire on the 28th May; that in accordance with the instructions of the Chairman of the Council Miss Coombes would be allowed a fortnight's leave from the 16th to the 28th May, 1927, and that advertisements had been issued inviting applications for the position at a salary of £120 per annum;

RECOMMENDED that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of the Committee to make the appointment subject to report.

(d) Public Health Department—Junior Clerk.—It was reported that Miss J. Dinning had been appointed to the above position and had commenced her duties on the 2nd May, 1927.

(e) Absence through illness.—The name of one member of the staff who had, since last meeting, been absent through illness was submitted.

(f) Surveyor's Department—Appointment of Typist.—The Surveyor reported that the Sub-Committee authorised to deal with this matter had appointed Miss E. M. Andrews to the position at a salary of 35/- a week and that she commenced her duties on the 2nd May, 1927.

(g) Surveyor's Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—The Surveyor reported that he had found it necessary to employ a temporary typist in his department for two days at a cost of 25/-.

RECOMMENDED that such expenditure be approved.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

157 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—It was reported that the Ministry of Health had approved the resolution passed by the Council on the 28th March, 1927, designating as established for the purposes of the Act the post of Valuation Officer specified therein.

158 PUBLIC HEALTH ACT, 1925.—It was reported that the Officers of the Council had asked that the Committee would consider the question of the Council's adopting the sections of the above Act which had not yet been adopted;

RECOMMENDED that the several Committees concerned be asked to consider the matter and to report thereon to the Public Health Committee.

159 PROPOSED ALTERATIONS—9, THE HAWTHORNS.—The Clerk reported that the Lessor's Solicitors were pressing for a reply to their communication in reference to this matter; that the Surveyor had handed to him a letter received from Mr. H. C. Cole on behalf of the owner of the adjoining premises with regard to the question of consent to the alterations and that he was arranging an appointment with him and would report further on the matter in due course.

160 HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔT.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a notice be exhibited at above to the effect that the Council are prepared to consider offers therefor and that full particulars may be obtained on application to the Council's Surveyor;
- (b) that the Surveyor be directed to obtain the District Valuer's report upon the value of the land.

161 BARNET DISTRICT GAS AND WATER BILL.—A communication dated 9th May, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Lees and Co. returning the Bill of Costs in this matter together with certificate of taxation. It was stated that the amount due was as follows:—

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Bill as delivered and as taxed	226	18	1
Costs and fees on taxation	7	2	1
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	234	0	2
Received on account 6th January, 1927	75	0	0
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Balance due	£159	0	2
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RECOMMENDED that the account be passed for payment.

162 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—W. MESSETER.—
The Surveyor reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that payment of full wages be continued until the date of the ordinary Council meeting in June, 1927.

163 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—COMPASSIONATE GRANTS.—

(1) W. Cannon, deceased.—The Surveyor reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity of 30/- a week granted to the widow be continued for a period of two months until the ordinary meeting of the Council in July when the matter be considered further.

(2) W. Wood.—The Surveyor reported that consequent upon the decision of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee to close Frederick's Place Depot it would be necessary to dispense with the services of Yardman W. Wood ; that his age was 73 years and that he had been in the service of the Council for 25 years ;

The Committee considered the report of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee ;

RECOMMENDED that a gratuity of 10/- a week be granted to Mr. Wood for a period of 12 months from the date of the Council meeting.

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

(3) N. Keeler.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a letter from Mrs. Keeler making application for financial assistance; It was stated that Mr. Keeler had been in the service of the Council for 18½ years but had been unable to work since November last owing to ill health, and that the period for which sick allowance was paid expired in February, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that a gratuity of £1 a week be granted to Mr. Keeler until the end of the present year with effect from the date of the Council meeting.

164 INTERDEPARTMENTAL TELEPHONES—SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT—MAINTENANCE OF.—

RECOMMENDED that the quotation of Messrs. Wight and Co. at the sum of £5 per annum for the maintenance of the interdepartmental telephones in the above Department be accepted.

165 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in the Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

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ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

20th April, 1927.

Present: Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock, Ryan, C. S. Syrett,
H. O. Syrett, Toyne, and Wade.

166 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor C. S. Syrett be appointed
Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

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Chairman.

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ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

11th May, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock, Ryan, H. O. Syrett, and Wade, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

167 MINUTES.—The Minutes of a meeting held on the 16th March, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

168 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor S. J. Pocock be appointed Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

169 ACCOUNTS.—The Chairman of the Committee reported that, as the Sub-Committee had not yet been appointed for the ensuing year, he had examined the accounts submitted for payment and had certified them as correct;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

170 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

171 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 300 tons as compared with 400 tons at last meeting; that there was also in stock about 460 tons of Bohemian Brown coal.

It was also reported that, as most of the collieries were now working only two or three days a week, there was some scarcity of small coal such as was required for the Electricity Undertaking.

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer be approved:—

Annexed

- 72 tons Arley Beans,
- 203 tons Baddesley Beans,
- 600/800 tons Eastwood Washed Slack,
- 400 tons Harworth Washed Smalls,
- 12 tons Scotch Washed Beans.

ELECTRICITY (continued).

172 GENERAL POSITION OF SUPPLY.—It was reported that the difficulties in regard to the working of the Undertaking were now normal excepting in the East Finchley area, where the growth of business had been such that it would not be possible to maintain the statutory pressure next Winter unless a Sub-Station had been erected and put into operation.

173 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected the new boiler externally at work and had reported that same was in order; that they had also inspected No. 5 boiler externally and in the flues under hydraulic test and that this inspection was made after certain defects had been electrically welded; and that the Insurance Company had reported that the behaviour of the repairs and the boiler generally was satisfactory.

174 MAINS FAULT.—The Electrical Engineer reported as follows:—

“ On Friday, the 22nd April, a serious fault occurred on the distributing cable in Long Lane which disorganised the supply generally for a few minutes, a section of the main was completely burnt up and a considerable number of service connections in Long Lane and Duke's Avenue were so damaged that it was necessary to relay about three hundred yards of main and re-make the service connections. From inspections of those parts of the cable which were not burnt, there does not appear to have been any serious deterioration in the cable itself; I should assume, therefore, that the origin of the trouble was due to damage caused by excavations at some time.”

175 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—It was reported that Mr. E. J. Scruton, Consumers' Rental Clerk, would reach the age of retirement on the 26th November next;

RECOMMENDED that a recommendation be forwarded to the General Purposes Committee that Mr. Scruton's services be, with his consent, retained until the 31st March, 1928.

176 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

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5 tons coke.....
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400 yards 3/.036
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REVENUE.

6 "Paragon" earth cones.....	5. 8. 9.
Premium - Boiler insurance.....	41. 7. 6.
38, 4" earthenware pipes.....	3.15. 2.
Emergency requisition.....	200. 0. 0.
12 dozen gasket rings.....	8. 0. 0.
4 small deal tables.....	2. 0. 0.
Insulation testing set.....	14. 9. 0.
5 india rubber mats.....	7. 8. 6.
Alterations to feeder panel.....	14.10. 0.
298 battery plates.....	119.16. 0.
2, 15" electric fans & starters.....	21. 0. 0.
Premium - turbine breakdown insurance...	3.50. 0. 0.
Premium = coal insurance.....	2. 2. 0.
Loan repayments (1st half year).....	9000. 0. 0.
Rates (1st half year).....	770. 0. 0.
Water - June quarter.....	50. 0. 0.
Telephone rentals and call fees.....	15. 0. 0.
20 cubic yards pit ballast.....	17. 0. 0.
2 dozen 150 amp. cartridge fuses for new type boxes.....	15. 0. 0.
2 dozen 300 amp. cartridge fuses for new type boxes.....	18.12. 0.
3 dozen cartridge fuses for old type boxes.....	16. 4. 0.
Boiler cleaning tools.....	2.18. 8.
Hand milling tool.....	5. 5. 0.
7 lbs. "Solder" soldering flux.....	2.16. 0.
Meters.....	300. 0. 0.
1,000 tons coal.....	1250. 0. 0.
Carting 1,000 tons of coal.....	112.10. 0.
5 tons coke.....	9. 7. 6.
Testing fuel.....	5. 0. 0.
Repairs converting plant.....	75. 0. 0.
29 lbs. insulating tape.....	6.14. 0.
Carbon brushes.....	15. 0. 0.
12 dozen meter boards.....	23.11. 0.
Spares for half watt fittings.....	10. 0. 0.
200 yards 7/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	4. 4. 0.
400 yards 3/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	5. 4. 0.
1 gross yards single flexible.....	1. 2. 0.
10 cwt. box compound.....	32.13. 4.
56 lbs. block tin.....	8.15. 0.
Cleaning 6 gross sponge cloths.....	3. 0. 6.
200 gallons paraffin.....	7.10. 0.
280 gallons petrol.....	16. 6. 8.
1 steel filing cabinet.	
Recovering hood of Morris-Cowley car.	
5 gallons indestructible paint	
15 gallons "Kewato" paint.	
2 cwt. Walpamur paint.	
6 gallons petrifying liquid.	
6 letter books.	
12 test slip books.	

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Reinstatement of trenches.....	100. 0. 0.
500 yards .2.2.1. three core cable...	365. 0. 0.
1,000 yards .12.12.06 cable.....	515. 0. 0.
1,000 yards .0225 concentric cable....	144. 0. 0.
1,000 yards .0225 twin cable.....	185. 0. 0.
2,000 yards 5" X 3/4" tarred boards....	41.13. 4.
1, 3 way network box.....	28. 2. 6.
This is the list of requisitions referred to in para.....	£ 1358.15.10.

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72	Arloy Beans	@	24/6d.	per	ton.
203	Baddesley Beans	@	25/-	"	"
600/800	Eastwood Washed Slack	@	23/-	"	"
400	Harworth Washed Smalls	@	24/-	"	"
12	Scotch Washed Beans	@	24/9d.	"	"

The above is an extract from the Chief Electrical Engineer's report relating to the purchase of coal.-

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Applications for supply	7973 = 356701 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	7864 = 346508 " " "
Increase	109 = 10193 " " "
Lamps connected	304429 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1431)	4522 " " "
High c.p. lamps (45)	796 " " "
Total	309747 " " "
Last meeting	299747 " " "
Increase	10000 " " "

From the above figures it will be observed that old applications, deferred owing to recent difficulties, are now being dealt with.

Applications in hand but not yet connected *70 = 3983 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 70 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

177 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

(a) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had since last meeting been laid in Long Lane, Gordon Road and Lincoln Road;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that authority be given for the mains to be extended as follows:—

	Estimated Cost.
	£
Hill Rise, Hampstead Garden Suburb	190
Hill Top, ditto	206

subject to the usual guarantee of 15 per cent. ;

(2) that authority be also given for the laying of a main on a portion of the new Essex Park Estate at an estimated cost of £331.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

- (b) Extension Boiler.—It was reported that this boiler had been closed down, after experimental steaming, for the completion of various outstanding matters.
- (c) High Tension Feeder and Sub-Station Extensions, 1926.—
- (1) Percy Road Site.—The Clerk reported that the negotiations in connection with the acquisition of the Percy Road site had proceeded and that the terms of the contract had now been agreed, the purchase price being £500. He further intimated that the report of the District Valuer had been received and that application had been made to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to the necessary loan and for their authority to proceed with the purchase. This, it was stated, would form part of the loan of £29,000 for which application was made to the Commissioners for sanction on the 23rd March, 1926.

The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that as soon as the purchase of the site had been completed he proposed to commence building operations without delay; that the whole of the plant had already been completed and was waiting delivery; the high tension main would, he stated, then be extended from Woodside Park into this Sub-Station and thence through to Ballards Lane.

- (2) East Finchley—Proposed new Sub-Station—Cherry Tree Wood.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, owing to considerable development in East Finchley, it was essential that this Sub-Station should be proceeded with without delay and that it would be necessary for the Council to make application to the Electricity Commissioners for their consent to a loan.—An estimate of the cost involved was submitted.

The Clerk reported that the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee were recommending the Council to approve the site for the proposed Sub-Station selected by the Sub-Committee appointed by the Council. He added that, with regard to the obtaining of the necessary consents, he had on request supplied the Middlesex County Council with a plan of the suggested site and was awaiting their views

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

on the matter; that, in reply to tentative enquiries which were made of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners and of the Ministry of Health, Messrs. Clutton, on behalf of the former, had written asking for certain details as to the size of the proposed building, etc., which had been supplied to them; that they had also intimated that, if a deed was to be entered into, the Council should pay the Commissioners' costs; he further reported that the Ministry of Health in their reply had asked for certain particulars, which had been supplied to them; and that one objection to the Council's proposal had been received from Mr. J. Graham;

RECOMMENDED—

- (i) that the Clerk suggest to Messrs. Clutton that an endorsement on the original conveyance will be sufficient for the purpose;
- (ii) that the Council approve payment of the Commissioners' costs to be agreed;
- (iii) that it be left to the Officers concerned to reply to the objection received from Mr. J. Graham;
- (iv) that application be made to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £9,300 made up as follows:—

	£
Cable	3140
Sub-Station Building, Rectifier, Switchgear, Balancer, etc.	5720
Contingencies and Sundries	440
	£9300

- (v) that the matter be reported to the Finance Committee.

178 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—

RECOMMENDED that the above Sub-Committee be appointed for the ensuing year and that it be constituted as follows:—The Chairman of the Council and Councilors C. S. Syrett and Pocock.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

179 ELECTRICITY SUPPLY, 1924/25.—Print of a Return received from the London County Council relating to electricity supply in the London and Home Counties Electricity District was submitted.

180 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY ACTS, 1900 to 1925.—A communication was submitted from the Electricity Commissioners forwarding copy of an Order made by them under Section 6 of the Electric Lighting Act, 1909, to permit the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company to supply electricity to certain premises situate in this District and outside the area of supply under the above-mentioned Acts.

181 LONDON & HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY (No. 2) BILL, 1927.—Reference was made to a communication received from the Honorary Secretary of the Conference of Local Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings in Greater London asking the Council to communicate with the Local Member of Parliament urging him to support the above Bill;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council and the Chief Electrical Engineer go into the matter and report thereon at the Council Meeting.

182 CONFERENCE OF PUBLIC LIGHTING ENGINEERS—BRIGHTON —SEPTEMBER, 1927.—It was reported that at the last meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee a circular letter received from the Secretary of the Institution of Public Lighting Engineers, inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend the above Conference, had been referred to the Committee to deal with;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

183 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN — ACCIDENTS — EDWARDS, ROBERTS AND LARBAY.—It was reported that since last meeting the above employees had met with accidents and that the matters had been dealt with.

184 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the Chief Electrical Engineer, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

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Present: Councillors Agar, F
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185 CHAIRMAN—APPOINT

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FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

20th April, 1927.

Present: Councillors Agar, England, Pocock, Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells.

185 CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councilor F. H. Agar, be appointed Chairman of this Committee for the ensuing year.

F. H. AGAR,

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FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

11th May, 1927.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillors England, Pecoek, Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, H. O. Syrett, and Wells.

186 MINUTES.—The Minutes of a meeting held on the 16th March, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

187 VICE-CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor C. S. Syrett be appointed Vice-Chairman of this Committee for the ensuing year.

188 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—

RECOMMENDED that the above-mentioned Sub-Committee be constituted as follows :—

The Chairman of the Council,
The Vice-Chairman of the Council,
Councillor Agar,
Councillor Sommerfield,
Councillor C. S. Syrett.

189 TREASURER AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

190 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£6,810.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $£5\frac{1}{4}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £6,810, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;

Amended

FINANCE (continued).

(5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council, it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £6,810.

- (b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that including the sums recommended at this meeting, the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £312,820.
- (c) 38 and 43, Summerlee Avenue.—It was reported that the above properties had been sold in accordance with the resolution of the Council, for £750 and £800 respectively, the Purchaser being Mr. F. W. Walker.
- (d) 43 and 51, Birley Road.—It was reported that Notices of Second Mortgage in respect of the above properties had been received.
- (e) 63, Brent Way.—The Clerk reported receipt from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett of a letter stating that Mr. F. W. Walker had notified them that the Mortgagor had paid off the amount due to him on the Second Charge.
- (f) 2, Summerlee Avenue.—The Clerk reported receipt from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett of Notice of Second Charge herein.
- (g) 42, Birley Road—49, Hervey Close.—The Accountant reported that the amounts advanced in respect of the above properties had been repaid, together with all interest charges.
- (h) Arrears of Instalments.—The Accountant submitted a statement of outstanding amounts due up to the 31st March, 1927.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards advance No. 17, the property be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts and that the Clerk take all necessary steps;

PERCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
 APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS LOAN ACT, 1927.
 MAY, 1927.

Name	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.
			£	Years.	£	£
			900	20	150	1750

PINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE STATE DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

MAY, 1927.

No.	Name	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.
				£	years.	£	£
450.	Hayward, W. H.,	4, Wentworth Avenue,	F	900	20	1,150	1,150
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451.	Vicary, E. W.,	7, Brighton Road,	79 yrs.	290	20	350	350
452.	Warwick, A. G.,	1, St. Margaret's Avenue,	F	700	20	905	915
453.	Chignell, E. T.,	8th house N.E. of "Brinmaur", Nether Street	L	700	20	900	875
			99 yrs.				
454.	Fordham, E. A.,	7, St. Margaret's Avenue,	F	675	20	850	840
455.	Holland, G. A.,	2, " "	F	720	20	900	900
			L				
456.	Fordham, J. W.,	84, Huntingdon Road,	73 yrs.	600	20	750	750
			L				
457.	Cox, A.,	6, Brackenbury Road,	80 yrs.	125	10	250	275
458.	May, S. V.,	"Lynwood", Ridgeview Road,	F	600	20	950	940
459.	Russell, H. M.,	7th house N.E. of "Brinmaur", Nether Street	L	700	20	870	875
			99 yrs.				
460.	Browning, R.,	"Clarebank", Dollis Park,	L	800	20	1,025	1,000
			76 yrs.				

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Chairman.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 190 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May 1927.

C. F. CARPENTER,
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- (2) that as regards advances Nos. 71, 92, 151 and 246, the Clerk be instructed to inform the defaulters that unless the amounts owing are discharged by the 15th June, 1927 (the date of the next meeting of the Committee) instructions will be given for the several properties to be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts;
- (3) that as regards advances Nos. 163, 203, 207, 237, 240, 252, 305, 306, 324, and 384, in the event of the amounts outstanding not having been paid by the 31st May, 1927, the Clerk be instructed to take similar action to that indicated in (2) above.

191 ARDEN PLAYING FIELD—LETTING OF TO FINCHLEY CRICKET CLUB.—The recommendation of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was reported.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

192 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND.—

- (1) Proposed Pavilion.—
- (2) Green Fees. The recommendations of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon were reported.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial ground;
- (2) that the whole position be reviewed from the financial standpoint at the end of the present season;
- (3) Superintendent—Extra Payment.—The Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's recommendation hereon was considered.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

FINANCE (*continued*).

193 CHERRY TREE WOOD.—

- (a) Attendant—Wages.—The recommendation of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was considered.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised there-
to on financial grounds.

- (b) Proposed Electricity Sub-Station.—It was reported that the Electricity Committee were recommending the Council to make application for sanction to a loan of £9,300 in connexion with the above.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised there-
to on financial grounds.

194 ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE—NEWCOMEN ROAD.—It was reported that the Highways and Fire and Water Committee had re-affirmed their recommendation hereon contained in Minute No. 1790.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Mr. Ibbetson be informed that the Council are prepared to pay to him the sum of £64 15s. 0d. on the above mentioned road being taken over by the Council as a highway repairable by the inhabitants at large, subject however, to his entering into an undertaking to provide and erect the requisite fencing;
- (2) that in the event of Mr. Ibbetson's accepting the foregoing terms, the Clerk prepare the necessary Agreement.

195 EAST END ROAD IMPROVEMENT—OPPOSITE WINDERMERE AVENUE TO SQUIRES LANE.—The reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee with regard to the above matter was considered.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

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196 BALLARDS LANE WIDENING—WILLOW LODGE ESTATE.—
The Committee considered the recommendation of the Highways
and Fire and Water Committee hereon.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection on financial grounds be raised thereto;
- (2) that the question of making application for sanction to the necessary loan and of communicating with the Ministry of Transport and the Middlesex County Council on the matter be deferred.

197 IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—The Committee had under consideration the recommendation of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee that the carrying out of certain works for which provision had been made in this year's estimates be approved.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards the under-mentioned works, the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £3,446, made up as follows:—

(1) Green Lane by Manor Cottage—					
Reconstructing carriageway	...	430			
Loan charges	...		3	10	
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			433	10	0
(2) Avondale Road and Clifford Road—					
Piping watercourse	...	2400			
Loan charges	...		18		
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			2418	0	0
(3) Nether Street—Moss Hall Grove to Alexandra Grove—formation of new footpath	...	590			
Loan charges	...		4	10	
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			594	10	0
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			£3446	0	0
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FINANCE (continued).

- (2) that as regards the under-mentioned works, a supplementary estimate be approved therefor:—

Nether Street by Scouts' Hut—		
Formation of new footpath	£30	
Crooked Usage—Surface Water Sewer	£49	
Hayward Road—Piping Ditch	£40	

198 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR.—The recommendation of the Public Health Committee hereon was reported, and the Committee decided to defer the consideration of the matter pending acceptance by the Council of a quotation for the execution of the works.

199.—MAIN, LIGHT RAILWAY AND SUBSIDISED ROADS.—Particulars were submitted of the improvements referred to in the County Council's communication herein;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards the woodpaving works in the Great North Road and Regents Park Road, the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £18,120, made up as follows:—

Road.	County Council's contribution	Loan Charges.			Total amount to be taken up by way of loan.		
	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great North Road	13,630	103	0	0	13,733	0	0
Regents Park Rd.	4,357	33	0	0	4,390	0	0
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- (2) that as regards the re-surfacing works in East End Road the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £976 10s. 0d., made up as follows:—

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201 UNEMPLOYMENT.—
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	£976	10	0

being the proportion of the cost to be borne by this Council.

200 TREASURER TO THE COUNCIL.—

Transfer of Stock.—It was reported that the Council had the sum of £1,928 17s. 3d. invested in 5 per cent. War Stock 1929 47, in the joint names of the late Treasurer, Mr. Wildash, and the Clerk.

RECOMMENDED that steps be taken to have such stock transferred into the joint names of Mr. C. F. Carpenter, as Treasurer, and the Clerk.

201 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars were submitted from the Branch Employment Office of the Ministry of Labour of the number of Finchley Unemployed registered on the 23rd March and 26th April, 1927, as follows:—

Men 175	Women 30	March.
Men 119	Women 29	April.

The figures on the return dated 16th February, 1927, were:—Men, 226; Women, 26; and those for April, 1926, were:—Men, 160; Women, 18.

202 RATING AND VALUATION ACT, 1925.—

(a) Authority to collect rates.—

RECOMMENDED that in pursuance of Section 56 of the above-mentioned Act, authority be delegated to the Clerk to institute, carry on or defend proceedings in relation to the collection or recovery of rates which the Council as Rating Authority are themselves authorised to institute, carry on or defend.

(b) Consolidation of Rates.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had forwarded for the information of the Council a copy of correspondence which they had had with Mr. W. S. Kay, of Finchley, with reference to the Scheme made by the Council under Part III. of the

FINANCE (continued).

Second Schedule to the above-mentioned Act; that it appeared that Mrs. J. C. Kay (on whose behalf Mr. Kay had communicated with the Ministry) had submitted that certain glass houses owned by her in the Parish of Finchley fell under Sub-Section 2 of Part II. of the Second Schedule to the Act, and that she would therefore be entitled to a 75 per cent. deduction; that the Ministry had pointed out in reply that glass houses were not covered by the Scheme, and had drawn attention to a question which had recently been put to the Minister of Health in the House of Commons and to his answer thereto.

203 SOIL AND SURFACE WATER SEWERS—NETHER STREET.—It was reported that sanction had been received from the Ministry of Health to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £852 for the construction of the above.

204 JURY LISTS—SCHEDULES.—

RECOMMENDED that the name of the Clerk of the Council be appended to the notices in connexion with the above instead of the names of the Overseers as hitherto.

205 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—1925/26.—The District Auditor's Report hereon was submitted.

Annexed

The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had requested to be furnished with the Council's observations thereon and to be informed what action the Council proposed to take to give effect to the recommendations made therein.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that consideration of the matter be deferred until the next meeting of this Committee;
- (2) that in the meantime the Clerk inform the Ministry of Health with regard to the Auditor's observations under the heading "Audit" that the circumstances which made two adjournments necessary have now been remedied.

206 INSURANCES.—

(a) Boiler.—The Accountant reported the receipt of an offer from the National Boiler and General Insurance Co., Ltd., to reduce the premium, or, alternatively, to increase the existing cover in respect of the above risks.

To the Chairman
of the Council

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22nd March, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members
of the Urban District Council of
F I N C H I L E Y .

Gentlemen,

I have to report the completion of the audit of your accounts and of those of your officers for the year ended the 31st March, 1926.

The total expenditure for the year as set out in the Statutory Financial Statement and allowed by me was £529,526.1.10d. The total income was £522,900.8.2d.

The total loan indebtedness of the Council at the 31st March, 1926, was £893,172.17.1d. as against £732,746.0.0d. at the close of the preceding year.

EDUCATION.

The total sums of £54,494.7.2d. and £3,230.2.2d. were spent on purposes of Elementary and Higher Education respectively. The income of £55,416.7.6d. in respect of Elementary Education was made up of £26,600.0.0d. from Rates, £27,462.0.0d. from Grants from the Board of Education, and £1,354.7.6d. Other Income. Of the total income of £3,145.0.6d. in respect of Higher Education, £55.0.0d. was from Grants and £3,090.0.6d. from Other Sources.

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING.

The balance on Revenue account representing gross profit on trading was £20,919.13.11d. After Net Revenue account had been credited with this amount together with Bank Interest, etc., and debited with Repayment of Loans and Interest, Payment of Income Tax, etc., there remained a surplus of £2,507.17.9d. The figures in the preceding year were, Gross Profit £13,390.6.3d. and Net Profit £1,266.12.6d. £3,000.0.0d. was carried to relief of rates and £3000.0.0. to Reserve Fund. To provide the £6,000.0.0d. required for these purposes the net credit balance of the year of £2,507.17.9d. was absorbed, and £3,492.2.3d. taken from the accumulated surplus which was reduced from £19,591.17.2d. as it stood at the commencement of the year, to £16,099.14.11d.

FIDELITY INSURANCE.

The adequacy of the amounts entered in the schedule to the Collective Guarantee Bond should be considered.

PRIVATE STREET WORKS. BONDY DEBTORS.

Some debts of long standing on both these accounts should be appropriately dealt with.

ALLOTMENTS.

It is desirable that plans of all allotments should be prepared, and that the rent accounts should record the rents of all plots and not merely those in

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RATE BUDGETS The form of account in use is suitable, and adequate if it is kept in a proper manner and balanced concurrently with the balancing of each rate, as it is contemplated should be done. The debts due should agree with the costs incurred and the costs collected with the collection account of the collecting officer, irrecoverable and recoverable costs being appropriately shown and authorised by the Council where necessary. The combination of the income account with the primary record on which it depends - (i.e., the expenditure in respect of costs) is a sound arrangement and is always feasible when the accounts generally are kept on the basis of Income and Expenditure. In this connection I would refer to the Summons List and Costs Account Book required to be kept from the 1st April, 1927, by the Rate Accounts Order under the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925.

USED (OR SECOND-HAND) STORES.

It is desirable that records should be instituted in your Surveyor's Department, of all materials taken from highways under repair or reconstruction which have a value, for sale or further use.

ELECTRICITY ACCOUNTS.

I understand that the Council are still considering the question of bringing these accounts under the Accountant's supervision. The desirability of central financial control is recognised by practically all the important Local Authorities of the country, and it is unnecessary for me to repeat my views on the matter which were stated in the last Report.

AUDIT.

The circumstances which made two adjournments of the audit necessary with consequent loss of time and trouble to all concerned are within the knowledge of the Council. I state with regret my opinion that the organisation of the work of his Department by the Accountant was open to criticism. It may be, however, that this Officer contends that the Council do not provide him with the assistance that is necessary. If such were the case it would be another illustration of the erroneous views on the matter which I have observed are sometimes held by Local Authorities. To "starve" such departments as those of the Clerk and the Accountant because they are not directly revenue producing is a mistaken policy uneconomical in the long run and not in the best interests of the ratepayers.

I am,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

(Signed) W. M. HUNT.

DISTRICT AUDITOR,
South Eastern Area, No.2. Audit District.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the District Auditor referred to in paragraph 205 of the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May 1927.

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FINANCE (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Accountant and the Surveyor be authorised to arrange terms with the Insurance Company named, subject to report.

- (b) Workmen's Compensation and Third Party.—Referring to paragraph No. 1873 of the Committee's report of the 16th March, 1927, the Accountant reported on correspondence with the Yorkshire Insurance Company, Ltd. ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the suggested increase of 3/- per cent. on the present rate in respect of employees' wages (other than clerical and educational) be accepted ;
- (2) that the action taken by the Accountant in the matter be approved.

207 MUNICIPAL MUTUAL INSURANCE, LTD.—The balance sheet of the above-named Company for the year 1926 was submitted for the information of the Committee.

208 ACCOUNTING OFFICERS' GUARANTEES.—

RECOMMENDED that the Schedule hereon submitted by the Accountant be approved.

Annexed

209 LOANS.—

- (1) £5,653—Refuse Destructor.—It was reported that the London Savings Bank were prepared to advance to the Council the sum of £5,653 at $£5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum interest repayable in 30 years.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the sum of £5,653 be borrowed from the Trustees of the London Savings Bank whose chief office is situate at Nos. 11 and 12, Blomfield Street, in the City of London, at $£5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum interest, and that the said sum, together with interest at the rate aforesaid, be repaid in 30 years by equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined ;

FINANCE (continued).

- (2) that the Clerk be and he is hereby authorised to agree and approve all documents in connexion with the said loan ;
- (3) that after the approval by the Clerk of the Mortgage for securing the said sum of £5,653 so agreed to be borrowed by the Council from the Trustees of the London Savings Bank as authorised by a sanction of the Minister of Health dated the 19th day of March, 1926, the seal of the Council be affixed to such Mortgage and that it be handed to the said Trustees on their paying the said sum of £5,653 by a Banker's Draft made payable to Charles Frank Carpenter, the Treasurer of the said Council.

(2) Sewerage and Electricity.—

RECOMMENDED that application be made to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the under-mentioned sums :—

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Sewerage—Lyndhurst Gardens to Waverley Grove	1803
Sewerage—Totteridge Lane to Lansdowne Rd.	2684
Electricity Undertaking—Plant	3300
(part of £33,300)	
Electricity Undertaking—Sub-Stations—Plant	3000
Electricity Undertaking—Sub-Stations—Land ...	367
Electricity Undertaking—Sub-Stations—Buildings	1390
Electricity Undertaking—Sub-Stations—Plant	105
Electricity Undertaking—Plant	9350
(part of £14,575)	

(3) Sewerage—Lyndhurst Gardens and from Waverley Grove to Regents Park Road.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Clerk make application (i) to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £4,318, balance of existing Mortgage No. 273 in respect of the above ; and (ii) to the Ministry of Health for consent to the transfer of the unexpended balance of £3,313 on

Lister, E. H.,
Carpenter, C.

Smith, L.,

Hill, A.,

Stokes, W.,

Bevan, P.,

Gregory, H.,

Hill, T. H.,

Fracker, C. D.,

George, S. E.,

Elurton, H. C.,

Stuart, F. W.,

Lawford, H.,

French, S. V.,

Calvert, E.,

Dumber, A.,

Lewis, B.,

Reggie, J.,

Stevens, F. A.,

Appin, W.,

Smith, T.,

Wilestead, A.,

Garburn, S.,

Wright, G.,

Wainman, P.,

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ACCOUNTING OFFICER'S GUARANTEES.

	<u>Present Amounts</u>		<u>Suggested</u>
	<u>District Account.</u>	<u>Overseers' Account.</u>	<u>Joint.</u>
Lister, E. H.,	500	500	1,000
Carpenter, C. F.,	1,000	500	2,000
Smith, L.,	500	-	500
Hill, A.,	500	-	500
Stokes, W.,	500	-	500
Bevan, P.,	1,000	1,000	1,000
Gregory, H.,	1,000	1,000	1,000
Hill, T. H.,	1,000	1,000	-
Frecker, C. D.,	1,000	1,000	2,000
George, S. E.,	500	-	500
Blurton, H. C.,	100	100	500
Stuart, F. W.,	100	100	200
Lawford, H.,	100	-	100
French, S. V.,	100	-	100
Calvert, E.,	500		500
Cumber, A.,	500		500
Lewis, B.,	250		250
Cogdale, J.,	500	This is the schedule referred to in paragraph 208 of the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May 1927.	500
Stevens, F. A.,	50		50
Applin, W.,	50		50
Smith, T.,	100		100
Halstead, A.,	250		250
Casburn, S.,	100		200
Tranter, G.,	100	100	500
Goodman, F.,			500
Terry, R.,			200
Wagnell, C.,			200

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210 RATING.—

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FINANCE (*continued*).

Mortgage No. 232 (Sewer—Addison Way to Broughton Avenue) to the credit of the above account.

210 RATING.—

(a) Arrears.—

RECOMMENDED that payment of the General District Rate be excused in the under-mentioned cases :—

Premises.	Amount outstanding.
21, Lincoln Road ...	£2 2 2
21, Church Lane ...	£1 10 8

(b) Refund of Proportions.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. T. Wright (Cairn Ryan, Woodside Lane)—

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	£5 14s. 5d.
General District ...	£3 9s. 3d.

Messrs. Kelly & Co. (Cramb Bros.) Ltd.—
(1, Simla Villas, East End Road).

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	19s. 6d.
General District ...	11s. 8d.

Mr. J. R. Duxbury (1, Limes Avenue)—

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	£4 4s. 7d.
General District ...	£2 11s. 2d.

Finchley U.D.C. (30, Ingleway)—

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	2s. 4d.
General District ...	1s. 5d.

Finchley U.D.C. (18, Crescentway)—

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	2s. 4d.
General District ...	1s. 5d.

FINANCE (continued).

Messrs. Cooper, Bake & Co. (101, Oakwood Rd.)—
Premises vacated.

Poor Rate ...	£1 11s. 8d.
General District ...	19s. 1d.

210a SUPERANNUATION FUND INVESTMENT.—

RECOMMENDED that a further sum of £1,500 be invested in Victorian Government 5 per cent. 1945/75 Stock.

211 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

212 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £3,310 7s. 4d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Balance in hand upon Finchley Overseers Account at 31st March, 1927—transferred therefrom ...	1647	17	8				
Cr. (April 1st—30th) on account of—							
				Rates.	Summonses.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Collector, North ...	207	14	8				
Cashier ...	1452	10	3	2	4	9	
	£1660	4	11	£2	4	9	
							1662 9 8
Leaving balance in hand ...	£3310	7	4				

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

	£	s.	d.
Middlesex County Council, on account of Precept ...	6699	10	5
Barnet Guardians, on account of Precept ...	4997	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council (Education A/c) do.	3462	10	0
North Middlesex Assessment Committee, precept ...	395	0	0
General District Fund, transfer—			
Proportion salaries, etc	410	0	8
Invoices and Petty Cash ...	37	6	3
			447 6 11
	£16001	7	4

FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	3310	7	4
Cheques recommended for payment ...	16001	7	4
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£12691	0	0
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213 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £9,260 5s. 2d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report	3877	17	9
Add transfers—			
To Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	93	1	7
Council's contributions	181	3	3
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	274	4	10
Less superannuation payments ...	38	0	11
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	236	3	11
To E.L. Revenue Account—wages, gas lamps	41	13	11
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	277	17	10
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	4155	15	7

Cr. (March 1st—31st) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	46	12	4	1	0	
Collector, East	54	5	8			
Collector, West	97	5	5			
Cashier	480	14	0	13	12	3
Treasury in lieu of rates Govt. property	29	4	10			
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	£708	2	3	13	13	3
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				721	15	6

FINANCE (continued).

By Cashier (Mar. 1st—31st) general receipts	7312	17	7	
„ Farm Clerk (Mar. 2nd—30th) ...	5	16	8	
„ Bath Supt. (Mar. 5th—28th) ...	13	9	8	
„ Treasurer				
Interest on L.C.C. Stock	3	6	4	
Overseers' proportion Rates Department, salaries, etc. ...	750	0	0	
Ministry of Health, grant <i>re</i> Maternity and Child Welfare ...	287	15	11	
Ditto grant <i>re</i> Unemployment Loan Schemes	1411	11	1	
Barclays Bank, proportion interest on Current Account to Feb. 28th	747	4	6	
Sale of 5 per cent. War Loan Stock (Sinking Fund)	511	5	2	
Middlesex County Council, on account of Sanitary Officers' Salaries to 30th September, 1926 ...	225	0	0	
Transfer from Private Street Works Fund, interest charged to frontagers less amounts irrecoverable	166	6	3	
Transfer from Education Account—				
Stationery from general stores	28	18	3	
Less—				
Rents of Allotments Summers Lane School site	9	6	8	
Petty cash adjustment	11	11	11	
	<u>20</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>	
				7 19 8
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages and petty cash from:—				
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	326	17	11	
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	543	14	0	
General Loan Accounts	156	12	0	
	<u>1027</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>	
				<u>13191 12 3</u>
Leaving balance in hand on 31st March				9035 16 8

FINANCE (*continued*).

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Cheques drawn April 1st	2784	3	9	
Cheques drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th	5751	8	2	
Transfer to Superannuation Fund—				
Employees' contributions	90	0	6	
Council's contributions	178	2	2	
	<u>268</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	
Less superannuation payments and refunds of contributions	61	4	4	
	<u>206</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>4</u>	
				<u>8742 10 3</u>
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Cr. (April 1st—30th) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Collector, North	126	13	4				
Cashier	887	3	10	3	3	0	
	<u>£1013</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	1017 0 2
By Cashier (April 1st—30th) general receipts							5711 19 6
„ Farm Clerk (April 7th—28th) ...							6 2 6
„ Bath Supt. (April 6th—28th) ...							38 9 7
„ Treasurer from Ministry of Trans- port on account of grant Unem- ployment loan schemes ...							186 2 11
Transfer from Housing (A.S.) account, balance of Income Tax Account 31st March, 1927							1047 6 9
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, proportion salaries and office ex- penses—2 months							410 0 8
Transfers for invoices, wages, and petty cash from :—							
Poor Rate Account	37	6	3				
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Account	88	17	7				

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FINANCE (continued).

Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	145	6	6			
General Loan Accounts	278	6	4			
				549	16	8
						8966 18 9
Leaving balance in hand						£9260 5 2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

	£	s.	d.
Adams Bros (Raunds), Ltd., boots	1	15	0
Adecocks, Ltd., formalin	7	0	6
Allen's House Wants, Ltd., bowls, etc.	2	1	3
Amory, G. F., binding, etc.	12	17	0
Andrews & Co., paper	20	6	2
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement	9	15	3
Aveling & Porter, Ltd., boiler tubes	71	0	0
Bacon, G. W. & Co., Ltd., maps	5	6	3
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., gas, etc.	278	12	7
Beal, F., fees	8	10	3
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., repairing pump	2	3	5
Boden, Dr. J. S., fees	25	4	0
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., oil	15	14	2
Brook, H., trees	66	18	0
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	26	0	5
Cakebread, Robey & Co., Ltd., canes	12	1	8
Caribonum, Ltd., carbons, etc.	1	13	3
Carron Co., boilers	32	12	3
Carter, C., reinstatement	17	2	7
Carter, J. & Co., seed	2	18	9
Charringtons, coke	63	8	6
Clarke, H., Ltd., coal	16	7	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement	199	16	5
Cock, E. & Co., soap	6	15	6
Cornwall, Sir E. A., coal	3	0	0
Crisp, A. E. & Co., wallpaper	2	4	6
Cresby, H., repairs to mower	1	17	4
Darlington Fencing Co., Ltd., fencing	35	10	2
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Dick, R. & J., Ltd., belting	3	2	6
Dodd, J., fish	1	14	3
Disabled Soldiers & Sailors' Agencies & Supplies, carbons	13	0	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., drawing mats ...	18	11	8
Eager, F. & Sons, teas	1	15	10
Economic Fencing Co., Ltd., fencing	12	6	6
Edgington, J. & Co., Ltd., flags	3	9	0
Endersby, W. A., timber	44	1	4
Evreday Hard Tennis Court Co., topping	3	10	0
Finchley Urban District Council, electricity, etc. ...	942	18	2
Friend, A., fruit, etc.	3	15	10
Gas Light & Coke Co., gas, etc.	391	18	0
Geyton, W., painting	2	4	0
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., motor spirit	11	2	6
Gospo, Ltd., gospo	2	11	4
Gratrix & Sons, certificate	51	15	2
Gray Bros., Ltd., fuel	17	7	9
Grove, E., Ltd., smocks	4	11	0
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., drawing materials	20	2	10
Hall Bros., repairs	42	7	6
Hall, H. & Co., towels	7	14	8
Hallett, Fox & White, W. B., fees	90	6	0
Hammond, S. & Co., condensers	5	0	6
Hatchett, J., fodder	8	0	0
Hobson & Sons (London), Ltd., uniform	7	2	6
Hopping Bros., boards	1	2	6
Hornsey Borough Council, rates	71	8	2
Hornsey, Finchley & Wood Green Joint Hospital Committee, precept	1172	1	8
Inland Revenue Commissioners, per H. J. Avent ...	36	9	6
Ditto ditto per C. C. Castle	711	17	0
Ditto ditto per C. M. Kerr	174	7	8
Ditto ditto per W. Thomson	1	11	0
James, T., repairs	3	7	6
Jones, C., jackets	8	18	0
Judd, W., Ltd., advertisements	10	14	3
Keene's Stores, cleaning materials	2	2	11
Kelly's Directories, Ltd., directories	1	2	6
Kenrick & Jefferson, Ltd., sheets, etc.	5	7	9
Kent, G. B. & Sons, Ltd., mops	1	18	6
King, Dr. C. A., fees	27	6	0
King, J. C., Ltd., sheets	1	16	0
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., stationery	23	1	5
Knowles, J. & Co. (London), Ltd., lime	26	6	6
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	68	2	4
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., minutes	30	12	0
Manders, W. & Co., excavation	32	18	5

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk, etc.	5	6	8
Maxfield & Sons, Ltd., envelopes	6	15	0
Mead Bros. (Muswell Hill), Ltd., covering table ...	10	6	
Metropolitan Water Board, water	1	19	10
Middlesex County Council, rat-catching	30	0	0
Middlesex Districts Joint Smallpox Hospital Board, precept	459	9	0
Minns, S. & Co., Ltd., wheels	1	4	8
Morgan-Webb, C. C., printing	11	1	6
Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	6	13	7
Muir, Dr. J. R., fees	14	14	0
Needham, J. & Sons, Ltd., posts	5	15	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	182	16	11
North Middlesex Window Cleaning Co., services ...	4	2	7
Norton & Gregory, Ltd., paper	4	7	3
Orchard, C. & Co., printing	20	18	0
Parkinson, W. & Co., meters, etc.	34	10	9
Pearson, T. E. & Co., Ltd., wallpaper	2	7	3
Pocock Bros., boots	4	2	0
Pooley, H. J., rolling pitch	1	1	0
Pooley, H. & Son, Ltd., tickets	1	1	0
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., hire of car	2	12	6
Postmaster-General, H.M., telephone charges ...	71	16	8
Randall Bros., repairs	7	10	0
Rodick, E. E., repairing bicycle	2	2	6
Roneo, Ltd., ink	6	11	1
St. John Ambulance Brigade, fees	1	0	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., matches, etc.	2	9	8
Sampson, T., Ltd., ceilingite	25	6	8
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	74	10	10
Shoolbreds & Co., Ltd., mangle	4	15	0
Silvertown Tarmacadam Co., Ltd., slag	124	17	1
Skinner, P. R. & Co., pipes	21	12	7
Smart, R. E. & Co., pump cover	4	5	6
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	73	9	0
Steele, A., repairs	32	8	5
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	215	8	2
Tellit & Harvey, Ltd., books	18	4	6
Tottenham District Light, Heat & Power C., coke ...	6	15	0
Underwood Typewriter Co., Ltd., repairs	2	7	6
Victoria Wagon Works, Ltd., trucks	60	0	0
Visible Writing Machine Co., Ltd., typewriter ...	13	0	0
Walker, J., cartage, etc.	445	6	2
Wallis, W. D., salary due	25	0	0

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Warden & Co., Ltd., printing	13	14	6
Westminster Engineering Co., Ltd., overhauling motor	20	9	0
Weston Concrete Engineering Co., Ltd., reinforced mesh	6	2	6
Williams Bros., Ltd., groceries	10	11	2
Williams, J. R., shoeing	1	0	0
Woodrow, A. C. & Co., Ltd., manhole plates	7	2	6
Wragg, T. & Sons, Ltd., gullies	62	3	7
Total Invoices	7716	17	10
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer wages	28	16	3
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account, transfer balance rate contribution, 1926/27	58	4	9
Street Improvement Loans Account, transfer	1586	3	0
Bank of England, instalments loans 126, 127 and 128	147	10	7
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalments loans	495	0	0
Salaries, May—			
Clerk	98	2	1
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	41	11	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	11	11	0
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay Staff	1121	5	10
Ditto Firemen	163	18	2
Accountant to pay Fire Expenses	10	0	0
Accountant's Wages Account	1100	0	0
Ditto ditto	1100	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	682	5	10
	£14478	5	3

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	9260	5	2
Cheques recommended for payment	14478	5	3
Leaving balance overdrawn	£5218	0	1

FINANCE (continued).

214 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance over-		
drawn upon this account per last report was	£40246	4 1
Cr. amount received (March 10th) from		
Blackburn Savings Bank, on mort-		
gage, Ex. No. 14	10000	0 0
Transfer from E.L. Capital Suspense		
Account, amount received from		
Consumers' Services	2809	8 10
	<u>12809</u>	<u>8 10</u>
		27436 15 3
Add transfer to E.L. Revenue Account, invoices,		
stores, etc.	303	0 0
	<u>27739</u>	<u>15 3</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March		
Cr. amount received (April 16th) from Hull Savings		
Bank, on mortgage, Ext. No. 16	10000	0 0
	<u>17739</u>	<u>15 3</u>
Add cheque drawn May 11th, to—		
Merrimans, deposit <i>re</i> land, Church Path ...	50	0 0
	<u>17789</u>	<u>15 3</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Brush Electrical Engineering Co., Ltd.,		
certificate (final)	102	5 0
Callender's Cable & Construction Co.,		
Ltd., certificate	2000	0 0
Electric Construction Co., Ltd. (The)		
certificate	29	19 10
Hewitt Electric Co., Ltd., certificate	394	9 5
Merrimans, balance <i>re</i> land, Church Path	450	0 0
Park Royal Engineering Co., Ltd.,		
certificate	62	3 11
Reyrolle, A. & Co., certificate	360	5 6
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, in-		
voices, wages, etc.	690	2 1
	<u>4089</u>	<u>5 9</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	<u>£21879</u>	<u>1 0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

215 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was		£2588	5	1
Cr. by Cashier (Mar. 1st—31st) amount received from Consumers' Services				
		221	3	9
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		2809	8	10
Deduct transfer to E.L. Loans Account, amount received during year from Consumers' Services				
		2809	8	10
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	Leaving balance on 31st March	Nil.		
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Cr. by Cashier (Apl. 1st—30th), amount received from Consumers' Services				
		261	16	6
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	Leaving balance in hand	£261	16	6

216 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was		£9735	17	7
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—				
	Employees' contributions	48	4	5
	Council's contributions	70	17	9
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		119	2	2
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		9854	19	9

Cr. (March 1st—31st) by—				
	Cashier	6417	9	9
	Collector	550	11	9
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		6968	1	6
By Treasurer—				
	Interest on L.C.C. Stock	14	1	5
	Barclays Bank, proportion interest on Current Account	79	3	7
	Sale of 5 per cent. War Loan Stock (Sinking Fund)	1423	7	8
By Electrical Engineer—				
	Balance of Wages A/c	356	14	1
	Do. of Petty Cash	29	15	3
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		386	9	4

FINANCE (continued).

Transfers for invoices, stores, and wages from—					
General District Fund					
(gas lamps) ...	41	13	11		
E.L. Loans A/c ...	303	0	0		
	<u>344</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>11</u>		
				<u>9215</u>	<u>17 5</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March				£639	2 4
Add—					
Cheques drawn April 1st ...	2236	9	8		
Cheques drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th ...	2976	18	10		
Transfer to Superannuation Fund—					
Employees' contributions	39	6	6		
Council's contributions	61	19	10		
	<u>101</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>		
				<u>5314</u>	<u>14 10</u>
				<u>5953</u>	<u>17 2</u>
Cr. (April 1st—30th) by—					
Cashier ...	4356	16	3		
Collector ...	610	13	0		
	<u>4967</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>		
By Treasurer—					
Sale of 3 per cent. L.C.C. Stock (Sinking Fund) ...	1800	4	9		
Transfers for invoices, wages and petty cash from—					
General District Fund					
(gas lamps) ...	28	16	3		
E.L. Loans A/c ...	690	2	1		
	<u>718</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>4</u>		
				<u>7486</u>	<u>12 4</u>
Leaving in hand ...				1532	15 2
Deduct cheques drawn May 11th, to—					
Biram & Co., coal ...	128	7	6		
Goard, T. W. & Son, sleepers ...	31	5	0		
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	60	2	10		
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	156	1	3		
Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal	87	16	8		
	<u>463</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>3</u>		
Leaving in hand ...				£1069	1 11

FINANCE (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Albion Clay Co., Ltd., conduits ...	21	4	9
Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	22	1	8
Anglo-Swedish Electric Welding Co., Ltd., repairs	18	12	0
Barnet District Gas and Water Co., gas and water	67	4	5
Belliss & Morcom, Ltd., oil	6	2	6
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin, etc.	14	2	0
Bray, Gibb & Co., Ltd., insurance ...	181	18	0
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire ...	9	8	0
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cables, etc.	520	19	8
Calvert, E., subscription	2	2	0
Chloride Electrical Storage Co., Ltd., battery	4	16	10
Cresswells, Ltd., cylinder oil	7	13	6
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., demand notes	10	17	6
Dewrance & Co., Ltd., valve	2	19	0
Edison Swan Electric Co., Ltd., meters	4	11	6
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, lamps, etc.	75	2	0
Endersby, W. A., timber	7	19	1
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., fittings	36	15	10
English Electric Co., Ltd., brushes ...	12	3	0
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	34	4	0
Finchley Urban District Council, reinstatement	15	17	8
Gray Eros., Ltd., coke	4	0	0
Hadden, Best & Co., Ltd., log books...	13	5	0
Haynes, G., cartage	65	14	8
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning sponge cloths	3	0	6
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters	18	0	0
Hornsey Corporation, supply afforded	46	1	10
Inland Revenue Commissioners, Schedule "A" tax	279	6	6
Jackson Electric Stove Co., Ltd., radiator elements	3	0	11
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast & cement	6	5	7
Le Carbone, carbon brushes	2	3	10

FINANCE (continued).

Lea Recorder Co., Ltd., coal meters ...	78	0	0
London County Council, testing meters	3	5	0
Mortlock, W., repairs	6	4	2
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	2	18	6
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	12	13	2
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd., switch truck	7	10	0
Rowell, D. & Co., Ltd., angle steel, etc.	7	5	0
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	22	13	9
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., wire	1	2	0
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil	156	12	3
Sterns, Ltd., oil, etc.	4	12	7
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards ...	11	15	6
Underfeed Stecker Co., Ltd., links ...	2	1	0
Total Invoices	1834	6	8
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	115	11	1
Ditto wages account	850	0	0
Ditto wages account	850	0	0
Ditto petty cash	50	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits	14	0	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., instalments of loans Nos. 51 and 61 ...	468	13	3
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of loan No. 199	192	0	0
			4374 11 0
Leaving balance overdrawn		£3305	9 1
217 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.— The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £7620 10 1			
Cr. by Cashier (Mar. 3rd—31st) amount received from frontagers		528	6 4
		8148	16 5
Deduct transfer to General District Fund, interest charged to frontagers less amounts irrecoverable		166	6 3
Leaving balance in hand on 31st March	7982	10	2
Cr. by Cashier (April 1st—30th) amount received from frontagers		835	16 4
Leaving balance in hand	£8818	6	6

FINANCE (continued).

218 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—
The balance in hand upon this account per last report
was £1056 2 0

Cr. by Collector (Mar. 2nd—31st)—

Rents	181	14	3
Allotments	13	9	
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			182	8	0

By Barclays Bank, proportion interest on Current Account	37	9	8
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			219	17	8

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Deduct transfer to General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	123	14	8
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			1152	5	0

Leaving balance in hand on 31st March 1152 5 0

Cr. by Collector (Apr. 6th—27th)—

Rents	139	14	3
Allotments	1	8	9
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			141	3	0

1293 8 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Bank of England, principal and interest, Loan No. 62	572	10	0
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, wages, etc.	20	19	0
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			593	9	0

Leaving balance in hand ... £699 19 0

219 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—
The balance in hand upon this account per last report
was £2589 14 5

Cr. by Collector (Mar. 2nd—31st)—

Rents	359	3	9
Rent of yard (Walker) less tax	60	0	0
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			419	3	9

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By Barclays Bank, proportion interest on Current Account	68	10	5
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	487	14	2
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	3077	8	7
Deduct transfer to General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	203	3	3
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Leaving balance in hand on 31st March	2874	5	4
Deduct cheque drawn on 1st Apl. to Bank of England	685	2	6
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	2189	2	10
Cr. by Collector (Apl. 6th—27th) rents	259	18	8
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	2449	1	6
 RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—			
General District Fund, invoices, wages, etc.	67	18	7
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Leaving balance in hand	£2381	2	11
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220 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £8069 6 0

ADD Debit by Barclays Bank, interest on current a/c to Feb. 28th ...	61	12	2
Transfer to General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	543	14	0
Interest Warrants (Housing Bonds) half-year to 31st March	1290	5	1
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	1895	11	3
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	9964	17	3
Cr. by Collector (Mar. 1st—31st) rents	980	8	1
By Treasurer from Ministry of Health, on account of Exchequer subsidy	3800	0	0
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	4780	8	1
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Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March	5184	9	2

FINANCE (*continued*).

ADD Cheque drawn April 1st to Bank of England	114	3	0	
Cheque drawn April 20th to Middlesex County Council	3081	15	11	
				<u>3195 18 11</u>
				8380 8 1
Cr. by Collector (April 5th—27th), rents	690	17	3	
Transfer from General District Fund, balance of rate contribution, year 1926/7	58	4	9	
				<u>749 2 0</u>
				7631 6 1
RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to General District Fund—				
Invoices, wages, etc.	145	6	6	
Balance of Income Tax Account, 31st March, 1927	1047	6	9	
				<u>1192 13 3</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...				<u>£8823 19 4</u>

221 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—

The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was	£4179	7	8	
ADD transfer to General District Fund, petty cash ...	6	0	0	
				<u>4185 7 8</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March	577	0	0	
ADD cheques drawn at Annual Meeting, Apl. 20th ...				<u>4762 7 8</u>

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Hardy, T. & Co., certificate (final)	1038	6	9	
				<u>£5800 14 5</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...				

FINANCE (continued).

222 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £28155 12 3

Cr. amount received (Mar. 19th) from			
Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings			
Bank, on mortgage—			
Bow Lane Improvement	212	0	0
Hampstead Lane Improvement			
	780	0	0
	125	0	0
			905 0 0
East End Rd. Improvement			
	580	0	0
	1285	0	0
			1865 0 0
S.W. Drainage, Long Lane			108 0 0
			3090 0 0

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ADD Transfer to General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ... 77 12 0

Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March 25143 4 3

ADD—

Cheque drawn April 1st to Manders, W. & Co.	408	7	8
Cheques drawn April 20th ditto	5506	19	8
			5915 7 4

31058 11 7

Deduct transfer from General District Fund, expenditure chargeable to Private Works ... 1586 3 0

29472 8 7

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Manders, W. & Co., certificates	372	18	4
Ditto certificate	580	0	8
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, wages, etc.	74	17	10
			1027 16 10

Leaving balance overdrawn ... £30500 5 5

FINANCE (continued).

223 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £4350 3 10

Add transfer to General District Fund, petty cash ... 49 0 0

Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March 4399 3 10

Add cheque drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th, to Tarslag (1923), Ltd. ... 1906 0 10

6305 4 8

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Tarslag (1923), Ltd., certificates ... 1384 1 9

General District Fund, transfer, petty cash ... 63 8 4

1447 10 1

Leaving balance overdrawn ... £7752 14 9

224 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by Public Works Loan Board as last reported was ... £3155 0 0

Deduct cheques recommended and not required—

29/12/25 Chambers & Garnett—
re Henderson, C. H. 675 0 0

29/12/26 Chambers & Garnett—
re Cope, F. H. 500 0 0

1175 0 0

Balance overdrawn on 31st March 1980 0 0

Add cheques recommended—

April 1st ... 6680 0 0

April 20th ... 12620 0 0

19300 0 0

21280 0 0

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under :—

FINANCE (*continued*).

Chambers & Garnett—			
	<i>re</i> Hayward, W. H.	... 900	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Vicary, E. W.	... 290	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Warwick, A. G.	... 700	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Chignell, E. T.	... 700	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Fordham, E. A.	... 675	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Holland, G. A.	... 720	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Fordham, J. W.	... 600	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Cox, A.	... 125	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> May, S. V.	... 600	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Russell, H. M.	... 700	0 0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Browning, R.	... 800	0 0
			<u>6810 0 0</u>
	Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board		<u>£28090 0 0</u>

225 RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.

—The balance overdrawn upon this account per report of 24th January, 1927, was			
	... ..	£88	2 3
Cr. amount received (March 19th) from Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, on mortgage. Bowling Green			
	... ..	1000	0 0
	Leaving balance in hand on 31st March		<u>911 17 9</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Gratrix & Sons, certificate	... ..	104	1 0
General District Fund, transfer, invoices	... ..	7	10 0
			<u>111 11 0</u>
	Leaving balance in hand		<u>£800 6 9</u>

226 HOSPITALS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per report of 22nd Nov., 1926, was			
	... ..	£6000	0 0
Cr. amount received (March 19th) from Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, on mortgage—Joint Hospital Furniture			
	... ..	845	0 0
	Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March		<u>5155 0 0</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

Cr. amount received (April 27th) from London Savings Bank on mortgage, Joint Hospital Extensions	...	...	...	...	...	8760	0	0
Leaving in hand	...	...	...	...	...	3605	0	0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Hornsey, Finchley and Wood Green Joint Hospital Committee—further on account of extensions	...	3532	0	0
General District Fund, transfer, invoices	...	72	8	10
				<u>3604 8 10</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...	<u>11 2</u>

227 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £2801 5 9

Add transfer to General District Fund, petty cash	...	12	0	0
Leaving balance overdrawn on 31st March	...	2813	5	9
Add cheque drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th, to Heenan & Froude	...	1171	8	2
				<u>3984 13 11</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Heenan & Froude, certificate	...	157	4	5
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	...	30	1	4
				<u>187 5 9</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£4171	19	8

228 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per report of 28th Feb., 1927, was £1051 10 6

Deduct transfer to General District Fund, petty cash	...	12	0	0
Leaving balance in hand on March 31st	...	1039	10	6

FINANCE (continued).

Deduct cheques drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th	1470	2	7
Leaving overdrawn	430	12	1
RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—			
Compton Bros., certificate	112	13	7
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	30	0	0
	142	13	7
Leaving balance overdrawn	£573	5	8

229 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £947 6 2
Cr. by Treasurer—

Mar. 15th from East Ham Corporation, transfer value, W. H. Fennell	44	14	3
Mar. 19th from Huddersfield Corporation, transfer value, F. Bailey	43	17	10
Mar. 22nd from Barclays Bank, interest on current account	6	16	8
Transfers received (March 31st) from—			
General District Fund	236	3	11
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	119	2	2
Education Account	42	11	0
	397	17	1
	493	5	10
Leaving balance in hand on 31st March	1440	12	0
Cr. transfers received (April 30th) from—			
General District Fund	206	18	4
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	101	6	4
Education Account	38	4	4
	346	9	0
	1787	1	0
RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to			
Accountant for investment	1500	0	0
Leaving balance in hand	£287	1	0

FINANCE (continued).

231 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement:—

(a) General District Rate.—

(i) Collection prior to 31st March, 1927.—

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	250 0 0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement	79330 10 11
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1927	77280 0 0	Amount of rates collected since last statement	708 2 3
Estimated excess of product over estimate	2828 13 2	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	320 0 0
	<u>£80358 13 2</u>		<u>£80358 13 2</u>

(ii) Collection since 31st March, 1927.—

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320 0 0	Amount of Rates collected since 31st March	1013 17 2
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	44100 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	43406 2 10
	<u>£44420 0 0</u>		<u>£44420 0 0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Collection since 31st March, 1927.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350 0 0	Amount of rates collected since 31st March	1660 4 11
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	72907 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	71596 15 1
	<u>£73257 0 0</u>		<u>£73257 0 0</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

232 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £2,123 13s. 11d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report £3061 16 3
Add transfers—

To Superannuation Fund—

Employees' contributions 16 8 0
Council's contributions 26 3 0

42 11 0

To General District Fund—

Stationery from
General Stores 28 18 3

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Rents of allotments
Summers Lane
school site 9 6 8

Petty cash
adjustment 11 11 11

20 18 7

7 19 8

50 10 8

3112 6 11

Cr. by Cashier (Mar. 1st—31st)—

Contributions to Special

School fees 21 16 0
Medical Treatment 13 12 6
Cookery Sales 15 17 10
Needlework Sales 41 9 0
Use of rooms, etc. 223 1 2
Managers proportion cost
of water, etc. 5 10 0

Other Authorities for
institutional children 36 0 5

Unemployment Claims—

Juvenile Employment
Bureau 1 7 6

Administration Expenses—

Unemployment insurance 31 7 0

Middlesex County Council—

Rent of Summers Lane
school site 10 16 8

Loan repayments—

Higher Education 1187 19 10

FINANCE (continued).

Expenditure <i>re</i> Special Subjects—Woodhouse	86 4 4		1675 2 3
By Overseers, final instalment of pre- cept	...		3312 10 0
„ Board of Education, instalment of Substantive grant	...		2079 0 0
„ Barclays Bank, proportion interest on current account	...		36 2 7
			7102 14 10
Leaving balance in hand on 31st March			3990 7 11
DEDUCT—			
Cheques drawn at Annual Meeting, April 20th	...		3860 7 2
Transfer to Superannuation Fund— Employees' contribut'ns	14 4 8		
Council's do.	23 19 8		
			38 4 4
			3898 11 6
			91 16 5
Cr. by Cashier (April 4th—30th)—			
Contributions to Special School fees	28 10 10		
Medical Treatment	9 9 6		
Joint Special School— services of Nurse	10 0 0		
Use of rooms, etc.	11 7 2		
Unemployment claims— Juvenile Employment Bureau	1 10 0		60 17 6
By Board of Education—			
Balance of grant <i>re</i> Choice of Em- ployment, year 1925/26	...		21 0 0
Instalment of Substantive Grant	...		1950 0 0
			2031 17 6
Leaving balance in hand			£2123 13 11

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

FINANCE (*continued*).

Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., apparatus	29	15	3
Association of Education Committees, subscription	7	7	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., gas and water ...	32	9	8
Besford Court Hospital, fees	30	19	2
British & Foreign Bible Society, bibles	2	14	0
Bryson, J. G., printing	2	6	0
Calkin, W. C., cartage	3	7	6
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses	8	2	6
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., medical supplies ...	13	9	11
East London Home, fees	18	15	0
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., apparatus	1	16	1
Gray Bros., Ltd., fuel	187	12	6
Hall Bros., repairs	54	18	6
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., medical supplies ...	5	19	0
Hunt & Broadhurst, Ltd., books	1	10	0
Inland Revenue Commissioners (C. C. Castle)	14	0	0
Ditto (C. M. Kerr)	2	16	3
Jeyes' Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd., cyllin ...	1	15	0
London County Council, fees	26	0	10
McGarry & Cole, fasteners, etc.	1	9	6
Moore, R. A., furniture	4	3	9
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	18	0	0
National Boiler & General Insurance Co., Ltd., brushes	2	2	0
Newton, Chambers & Co., Ltd., Izal	14	6	0
Northcotts School, fees	4	2	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., Ltd., gas	23	16	3
Parke, Davis & Co., drugs	18	0	0
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	2	19	6
Prior, Dr. J. R., fees	16	16	0
Royal National Orthopædic Hospital, fees	1	2	10
Royal School for Deaf and Dumb Children, fees ...	100	0	0
Singer Sewing Machine Co., Ltd., apparatus ...	5	15	0
St. Andrew's Home, Hants., fees	18	10	0
St. Elizabeth's School for Epileptic Children, fees	16	17	6
St. Vincent's Orthopædic Hospital, fees	22	10	0
Shaftesbury Society and R.S.U., fees	23	0	0
Smith, W. H. & Son, books	19	9	0
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	8	7	8
Wake & Dean, Ltd., furniture	15	0	0
Walker Fire Extinguisher, Ltd., extinguisher ...	2	17	7
Warren, S. D. & Co., brooms	10	7	0
Wight, E. & Co., repairs	8	8	0
Wilme Collier, A., Ltd., paste	3	3	0
Total Invoices	727	6	0

FINANCE (continued).

Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loan No. 25	...	...	...	50	0	0
Clerical, Medical & General Life Assurance Society, repayments of loans Nos. 3 and 4	...	...	...	135	3	0
Bank of England, repayment of loan No. 22	...	...	...	49	12	6
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., repayment of loan No. 17	...	...	...	157	9	4
Salaries—May.—						
Turner, Dr. A.	...	...	...	37	12	1
Cogdale, J.	...	...	...	54	1	1
Matthew, R. S.	...	...	...	35	19	9
					127	12 11
Education Salaries Account	...	...	...	3185	9	2
					<u>£4432</u>	<u>12 11</u>

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.			
Balance in hand	2123	13	11
Cheques recommended for payment	4432	12	11
Leaving balance overdrawn				<u>£2308</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>0</u>

F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3-
22nd June, 1927.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

Your are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 27th day of June, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Presentation of Sealed Testimonial to S. Wildash, Esq., the Ex-Treasurer of the Council.
3. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 30th May, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 7th June, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 8th June, 1927.
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 9th June, 1927,

(e) **Special re Clebe Land** of the 18th March, 1927,

(Referred from Council Meeting held on the 28th March, 1927),

(f) **Education** of the 13th June, 1927,

(g) **General Purposes** of the 14th June, 1927,

(h) **Electricity** of the 15th June, 1927,

(i) **Finance** of the 15th June, 1927.

4. Correspondence.

5. Reports of Officers.

6. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' reports.

7. Payment of Accounts—Motion.—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927.

8. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

9. Tenders for construction of Pavilion—Cherry Tree Wood, East Finchley.

10. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

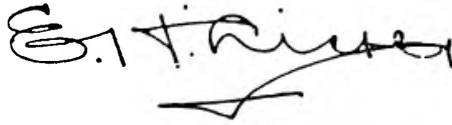
11. Reports of Committees :—

Education of the 13th June, 1927.

12. Reports of Officers.
13. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. T. Rivers". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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—
MONDAY,
23rd MAY, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
23rd day of MAY, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair,
The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
Briant, A. J.	Ryan, C. G.
Broadbent, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.
Pateman, G. H.	

233 MINUTES.—The Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Council held on the 20th April, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

234 TENDERS.—

- (a) Improvement Works—Woodside Lane.—
(b) Improvement Works—Hampstead Lane, between The Bishop's Avenue and the Hornsey Boundary.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

235 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 20th April, 1927.

(b) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 2nd May, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 43 (2) (c) (Open Spaces—Arden Playing Field—Hockey) it was

RESOLVED that the words "last year" contained in the last line of recommendation (1) be deleted and the following substituted therefor:—"for the season 1925/6."

Arising out of paragraph 43 (3) (b) (i) (Open Spaces—Victoria Recreation Ground—Bowling Green) it was

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Pike, seconded by Councillor Knowlman, "that authority be given to the Committee to accept a quotation for the temporary structure referred to in recommendation (1) thereof subject to report.

(c) **Public Health** of the 20th April, 1927.

(d) **Public Health** of the 3rd May, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 66 (Refuse Destructor) and 68 (Drainage Works, Berriedale, Woodlea, and Beulah Villa, Ballards Lane, N. 3) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 57 (d) (Paving of Common Yard—Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, King Edward Buildings and King Edward Hall, Regents Park Road, and Hendon Lane—Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive) Alexandra House, Regents Park Road—Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive) Edward House, Hendon Lane) the Chairman of the Committee reported that the work in question had now been carried out by the owner.

(e) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 20th April, 1927.

(f) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 4th May, 1927, with the exception of (1) paragraphs 119 (Piping of Ditch—Bow Lane) and 120 (Street Widening—Hendon Lane by Christ's College) which be referred to the Council in Com-

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

mittee for consideration and (2) paragraph 107 (a) (East End Road Improvement—Cemetery Frontage) which be referred to the Committee for further consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 94 (Outdoor Meetings) the Chairman of the Committee intimated that, as the first meeting of the Sub-Committee would fall due on the Saturday before Whitsun, he would arrange another date therefor.

- (g) **Allotments** of the 5th May, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 125 (b) (Allotments—Lonsdale Meadows—Compulsory purchase of) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (h) **Education** of the 9th May, 1927.
- (i) **General Purposes** of the 10th May, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 154 (Frederick's Place Depot—Proposed Lease to Mr. J. Walker) and 162 (Insurance of Workmen—Accident—W. Messeter) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 151 (Unemployment Relief Works Act, 1920—County of Middlesex North Circular Road (No. 1) Order, 1927)—

- (1) the Clerk submitted draft statement of objections to the Compulsory Order as follows :—

“(a) That the land described in the Notice dated 25th March, 1927, as being numbered 11, 12, 13 and 13a, on the plan deposited at the Offices of the Middlesex County Council held on lease by the Finchley Urban District Council is required for purposes in connexion with the Sewage Farm belonging to the Finchley Council.

(b) That the site of the Council's Sewage Farm was selected as being in a secluded part of the District, whereas if the above Order were confirmed

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

and the road constructed, it would be situate and adjoin upon an arterial road, thereby defeating the original object of the Local Authority and injuriously affecting their interests.

- (c) That the culvert in the Great North Road near to the "Green Man" Public House is not of sufficient strength to bear the increased traffic from the North Circular Road at that point."

RESOLVED—

- (i) that such statement be approved ;
 (ii) that the Clerk be instructed to lodge the objections with the Ministry of Transport.

- (2) a communication, dated 9th May, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Transport stating that it would be necessary for a Public Inquiry to be held into the matter and that such Inquiry would take place on Tuesday, the 14th June, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 148 (Sub-Committees—Appointment of) it was

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Merry, and duly seconded—" that Councillor Knowlman be included as a Member of the Glebe Land Sub-Committee."

Arising out of paragraph 156 (d) (Public Health Department—Junior Clerk) it was

RESOLVED that the words " at a salary of £1 a week " be inserted after the word " position " in the third line thereof.

Arising out of paragraph 156 (c) (Staff—Clerk's Department—Typist) the Chairman of the Council reported that Miss E. Reynolds, of Friern Lane, Whetstone, had been appointed to fill the position and that she would commence her duties on the 20th June, 1927.—A satisfactory medical certificate was submitted.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (j) **Electricity** of the 20th April, 1927.
- (k) **Electricity** of the 11th May, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 181 (London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority (No. 2) Bill, 1927), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (l) **Finance** of the 20th April, 1927.
- (m) **Finance** of the 11th May, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 194 (Essex House Estate—Newcomen Road) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 190 (h) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Arrears of Instalments) it was

RESOLVED that the Committee be authorized to fix the reserve price of the property mentioned in recommendation (1).

236 HOUSING—APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED—

- (a) that the above Committee be re-appointed for the ensuing year;
- (b) that it be constituted as follows :—the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, with Councillors Agar, Briant, Pateman, Wade and Wells.

237 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND—OPEN AIR DEMONSTRATION.—A communication, dated 9th May, 1927, was submitted from Mr. F. Henderson Smith stating that, in connexion with the three local branches of the League of Nations Union, it had been suggested that an Open Air Demonstration be held during the present Season, and asking that the Council would grant permission for such Demonstration to be held in the above Recreation Ground on a Thursday evening during June or July;

RESOLVED that such permission be granted by the Council on the understanding that the Demonstration will not take place on the 9th June, 1927, and also subject to the regulations governing the Recreation Ground being strictly observed.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

238 REGIONAL PLANNING EXHIBITION AND CONFERENCE—BIRMINGHAM—JUNE, 1927.—A circular letter was submitted from the Midland Joint Town Planning Advisory Council inviting this Council to appoint delegates to attend the above-mentioned Conference;

RESOLVED that no action be taken in the matter.

239 TOWN PLANNING—SCHEME No. 2.—

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Pike, seconded by Councillor Knowlman—

- (a) that the Council do give notice of their intention to adopt by resolution at their meeting on the 27th day of June next a Preliminary Statement of Proposals for Development in connexion with the above Scheme;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to publish such notice by advertisement and to take such other steps as are required to be taken by article 5 of the Town Planning Regulations (No. 373) 1921.

240 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927, amounting to £61,099 15s. 11d.

241 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents:—

- (1) Licence to Mr. A. Adams to keep 1,500 lbs. of carbide of calcium.
- (2) Agreement with Mr. B. E. Cant for tenancy of ploughed land at Sewage Farm.
- (3) Testimonial to Mr. S. Wildash.
- (4) Conveyance from Mr. H. C. Brown of land for widening East End Road.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (5) Contract with Messrs. H. Pooley & Son, Ltd., for maintenance of weighbridge at Central Depôt.
- (6) Agreement with the Hornsey Corporation with regard to the acceptance by this Council of the drainage of an area of land in Hornsey (adjoining the Barnet By-Pass Road) into the Finchley sewers.
- (7) Agreement with the Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., in regard to extension of mains in Hill Rise and Hill Top, Hampstead Garden Suburb.
- (8) Agreement with the L. & N.E. Railway Company with regard to the fixing of direction signs near to Church End and Totteridge railway stations.
- (9) Conveyance from the personal representatives of Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, deceased, of land off Percy Road for purposes of an electricity sub-station.
- (10) Endorsement on Agreement with the Middlesex County Council *re* Site for Statue La Delivrance.
- (11) Agreement with the Finchley Cricket Club *re* tenancy of Arden Playing Field for five consecutive cricket seasons.
- (12) Contract with Messrs. Alexander Shanks & Son, Ltd., for purchase of one 30in. heavy pattern motor lawn mower complete with trailer.
- (13) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £6,810 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts).
- (14) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927.
- *(15) Agreement with Mr. A. Ibbetson *re* Newcomen Road, Essex House Estate.
- (16) Mortgage to the Trustees of the London Savings Bank for securing repayment of the sum of £5,653 together with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum (Refuse Destructor).

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(17) Mortgage to the Public Works Loan Board for securing repayment of the sum of £4,487, together with interest at the rate of £5 per centum per annum (Sewerage).

(18) Mortgage to the Public Works Loan Board for securing repayment of the sum of £17,512, together with interest at the rate of £5 per centum per annum (Electricity).

*(19) Contract with Mr. C. Ball for carrying out Improvement Works in Woodside Lane.

* Subject to report of Council in Committee.

242 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

243 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR.—Paragraph 66 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May, 1927, was considered; arising thereout Councillor Broadbent reported that the Surveyor was not satisfied with the quotations which he had received; that he was obtaining other quotations; and that a further report would be made at the next meeting of the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (2) that a further report be made upon the matter at next meeting.

244 DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE, N. 3.—Paragraph 68 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 3rd May, 1927, was considered and Councillor Broadbent made a statement on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

245 PIPING OF DITCH—BOW LANE.—Paragraph 119 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 4th May, 1927, was considered, and the Surveyor reported that the negotiations were still in progress;

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted and that a further report be made at the next meeting of the Council.

246 STREET WIDENINGS—HENDON LANE—BY CHRIST'S COLLEGE.—Paragraph 120 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 4th May, 1927, was considered and the Surveyor reported that he had discussed the matter with the County Architect who had informed him that there was an understanding that the necessary land should be given up to the highway on the condition that this Council erected a fence to the satisfaction of the County Council;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council and the Surveyor go further into the matter and report.

247 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS.—Paragraph 125 (b) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 5th May, 1927, was considered and the Clerk reported upon an interview which he had had with the Owner's Agent in regard to the matter on the 13th May, 1927. He also submitted a communication, dated 20th May, 1927, received from Messrs. Humbert & Flint;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that the whole matter be referred to the Allotments Committee for further consideration.

248 FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔT—PROPOSED LEASE TO MR. J. WALKER.—Paragraph 154 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Chairman of the Electricity Committee asked that the Committee would not arrive at a definite decision in regard to the disposal of the land without reference to his Committee;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the paragraph be received and adopted;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (2) that the General Purposes Committee bear in mind the point raised by the Chairman of the Electricity Committee.

249 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—W. MESSETER.—Paragraph 162 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 10th May, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

250 LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY (No. 2) EILL, 1927.—Paragraph 181 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927, was considered and the Clerk submitted a communication, dated 14th May, 1927, from the Clerk to the Brentford and Chiswick Urban District Council stating that his Council were strongly supporting the Bill. The Clerk also reported that he had gone into the matter with the Chief Electrical Engineer and that it did not appear to be necessary at the moment for the Council to adopt the suggestion of the Conference by asking the member of Parliament for this division to support the Bill;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed and that the Clerk be directed to inform the Honorary Secretary of the Conference accordingly.

251 ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE—NEWCOMEN ROAD.—Paragraph 194 of the Finance Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (2) that the terms of the proposed arrangement be submitted to Mr. Ibbetson's Solicitors for approval; and
- (3) that the agreement be added to the List of Documents for Sealing.

252 TENDERS.—

- (a) Improvement Works—Woodside Lane.—
- (b) Improvement Works—Hampstead Lane, between The Bishop's Avenue and the Hornsey Boundary.—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The tenders received in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the tender of Mr. C. Ball at the sum of £890 8s. 10d. for carrying out the improvement works in Woodside Lane be accepted;
- (2) that the Contract be added to the List of Documents for Sealing;
- (3) that the tenders received in respect of the improvement works in Hampstead Lane, between The Bishop's Avenue and the Hornsey Boundary, be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration with power to act, subject to report and that in considering such tenders regard be had by the Committee to the Surveyor's estimate for carrying out the works by direct labour.

253 HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 4th May, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered;

“Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillors Briant, Grocott, H. O. Syrett, Toyne, Wade and Wells and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

- (1) **ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.**—It was reported that the Committee's recommendation hereon referred to in Minute No. 1790 was not adopted by the Council but that the whole matter had been referred to the Surveyor and to the Clerk for negotiation and report. The Clerk reported fully thereon;

RECOMMENDED that the recommendation of the Committee contained in the Minute above-mentioned be re-affirmed.

- (2) **ASSISTANT ROAD FOREMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—**

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that advertisements be issued inviting applications for the above position at an inclusive salary of £4 10s. 0d. a week;

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (b) that the person appointed to the position reside at one of the new cottages now in course of erection at the Central Depôt;
- (c) that he be charged therefor a rent of 15/- a week inclusive of rates.

A. KNOWLMAN,
Chairman."

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that paragraph (1) be not adopted;
- (b) that paragraph (2) be adopted, and that a Sub-Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Highways and Fire & Water Committee and the Chairman of the General Purposes Committee, be authorised to make the appointment, subject to report.

254 EDUCATION COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 9th May, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

- (1) TENDERS FOR FUEL.—It is usual at this period of the year to invite tenders for the supply of coal and coke, such tenders to apply to all services of the Council.

RECOMMENDED that authority be given to the Education Committee to obtain and open the tenders received, for report to the Council.

- (2) TENDERS FOR REPAIRS AND DECORATIONS TO SCHOOLS.—Tenders for these works are due to be received at the end of May.

RECOMMENDED that authority be given to the Education Committee to open the tenders and report to the Council in June.

- (3) ILLNESS OF A TEACHER.—Miss M. M. Brown, domestic subjects mistress, has been absent suffering from diphtheria since the 18th January last; she has been in the service of this authority since the 1st February, 1923.

The Chairman of the Education Committee will report hereon.

D. A. A. MERRY,
Chairman.

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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

Arising out of paragraph (3), the Chairman of the Committee made a statement on the matter;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that Miss Brown be granted leave of absence with full salary until the end of June;
- (b) that if, in the opinion of the School Medical Officer, it be considered desirable, Miss Brown be permitted to serve part-time during the month of July at full salary.

255 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 10th May, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Merry, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

- (1) STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Clerk reported that he had now heard from the Middlesex County Council that the question of the amended site for the above statue had been referred to the County Engineer and had received his approval; further, that if it was desired that an agreement be entered into to deal with the matter they would be glad to be informed accordingly. He also reported that Lord Rothermere's adviser had forwarded sketches of the proposed fence, etc.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the sketch No. 2 be approved by the Council;
- (2) that it be forwarded to Lord Rothermere's agent together with a copy of the adviser's letter;
- (3) that it be intimated that the amended site has now been approved;
- (4) that enquiry be made as to when the whole of the work is likely to be completed;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (5) that the Clerk suggest to the Middlesex County Council that an endorsement on the original agreement will be sufficient for the purpose.

- (2) REGISTER OF LOCAL LAND CHARGES.—The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee he had communicated with a number of Local Authorities with a view of ascertaining what practice had been adopted by them with regard to the retention by the Registrar of the fees payable for official and personal searches in the Register of Local Land Charges and submitted replies received by him;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the fees in question continue to be paid into the Council's account;
- (b) that the Council indemnify the Clerk against any liability arising out of departmental errors or omissions in connexion with the issue of certificates, etc., under the Act;
- (c) that, in consideration of extra duties devolving upon him, the Clerk be granted an increment in salary of £50 per annum.

- (3) EX-TREASURER OF THE COUNCIL.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the draft testimonial to Mr. Stanley Wildash as submitted be approved;
- (b) that the Clerk be authorised to arrange for the engraving thereof at a cost not exceeding 2 guineas.

- (4) STAFF.—

- (a) Finance Department—General Clerk.—The Accountant reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Mr. Roberts be given notice terminating his engagement with the Council to expire on the 15th June, 1927;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (2) that authority be given for the appointment of a Junior Clerk at a commencing salary of (say) £65 per annum;
- (b) Finance Department—Typist.—The Accountant reported that Miss Thom who was appointed to the above position in December last was giving efficient service;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that her salary be increased by 2/6 a week with effect from the 1st April, 1927;
- (2) that, subject to her passing satisfactorily a medical examination, she be placed upon the permanent staff.
- (5) COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—FATAL ACCIDENT—ASSISTANT ROAD FOREMAN—J. H. BETTS.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk interview the Insurance Company and report at the Council meeting in Committee.

(6) AVENUE HOUSE.—

- (a) The Clerk reported that at an interview with Mr. Failes of the War Office on the 31st March, 1927, he discussed this matter fully with him when he was informed that the Government were not prepared to meet the Council's claim for rent as they relied upon a decision of the War Compensation Court relating to a Bostall Heath Institution where a claim made by the County Council failed; that he pointed out that in his view the Council would be able to distinguish the present case from the one quoted inasmuch as the Avenue House Site had not yet been dedicated to the use of the public; that Mr. Failes further stated that certain claims for dilapidations had been agreed between the Department and the Executors' Surveyors but that this would be subject to the action which would be taken with regard to the rent, that is, if the Council pressed the claim for rent, the whole of these claims would have to be reconsidered.

The Clerk further reported that he had suggested that the matter should be re-submitted to the Department in the light of the further information which

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

he had given but that Mr. Failes was of opinion that as time was short that course would not be able to be followed; that he had heard nothing further since the interview, and that he understood that the intention was to close the War Compensation Court before the recess.

- (b) The Clerk submitted (1) letter of 2nd May, 1927, which he had received from Messrs. Lees & Co., in which it was intimated that the executors proposed to give one week's notice to the Caretaker on the 7th May, 1927; (2) draft of the proposed transfer to the Council together with draft of a deed which it was proposed should be entered into between the Council and the executors for the production of certain deeds and also for the purpose of indemnifying the executors against payment of duties; (3) letter from Messrs. Lees & Co. of the 5th May, 1927, enclosing detailed statement of payments made by Messrs. Buckland & Sons on behalf of the executors in the management of the estate;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Messrs. Lees & Co. be informed that the Council are prepared to continue the employment of the Caretaker at his present wages until such time as the property is transferred to them;
- (2) that the draft transfer and the deed as to the production of documents, etc., mentioned above be approved and that the Clerk be instructed to proceed in the matter;
- (3) that the Avenue House Sub-Committee have power to act in the case of the Council's claim in respect of rent and dilapidations and that an early meeting of such Sub-Committee be convened and held to go into the whole matter.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that, with the exception of recommendation (1) contained in paragraph (4) (a), the report be received and adopted.

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COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

Arising out of paragraph (1) it was

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to arrange, if possible, for an interview to take place with Lord Rothermere's Agent for the purpose of discussing any outstanding matters.

Arising out of paragraph (4) (a) the Accountant reported that notice had been received from Mr. Roberts terminating his engagement with the Council.

Arising out of paragraph (5), the Clerk reported that he had interviewed the Insurance Company and that they were in accord with the action taken by the Council and had undertaken to see that, before any settlement took place, the Council would be reimbursed the amount advanced by them.

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 1950 (1926-7) be continued until the next meeting of the Council.

Arising out of paragraph (6), the Chairman of the Council reported that he had recently discussed the matter of Avenue House with the Officers of the Council. Further, that he had been over the grounds and was pleased with the condition thereof, but at the same time they were not, in his opinion, in a fit state to be opened to the public. It seemed to him, however, that certain portions of the grounds might be opened to the public so soon as the property had been conveyed to the Council and he suggested (1) that a certain portion of the grounds including the two lawns in front of the house be left open and the remainder temporarily railed off with economic fencing, so that the public could have the benefit of the former; (2) that brackets should be placed on the posts of the boundary fence sloping inwards with barbed wire placed along same to prevent improper entrance being made to the grounds; (3) that the gate in The Avenue and the large gates in East End Road be kept closed; (4) that the small gate opposite to the house be opened; (5) that the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the preparation of the portion of the grounds proposed to be opened to the public above referred to; and (6) that at the end of the Summer the whole of the grounds be closed to enable the Surveyor to make a thorough examination thereof;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that, so soon as the property is conveyed to the Council, the portion of the grounds outlined above be opened to the public;
- (b) that in the meantime the Surveyor, with the approval of the Executors, be directed to make the necessary preparations as indicated, so as to prevent inroads to the grounds by unauthorised entrances;
- (c) that the Avenue House Sub-Committee be authorised to deal with the question of the fencing, subject to report;
- (d) that the Sub-Committee also take into consideration the question of the provision of seats; the accommodation for refreshments, etc., and the closing of the grounds during the coming Winter;
- (e) that the Sub-Committee also consider the question of drafting Regulations for the care and upkeep of the Estate.

256 EAST END ROAD IMPROVEMENT—AERATED BREAD COMPANY'S FRONTAGE.—The Surveyor reported that he had not yet received a satisfactory reply to his last communication to the Secretary and Joint Manager of the above Company in regard to this matter;

RECOMMENDED that a further report be made in due course.

257 IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER—PROPOSED TRANSFER OF FRIED FISH PREMISES—MYRTLE AND MEDINA COTTAGES, BALLARDS LANE, N. 12.—The Chairman of the Council reported upon a conference which had taken place with the District Valuer hereon and a letter, dated 9th May, 1927, was read from the latter enclosing copy of a communication addressed by him to the Middlesex County Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved.
- (2) that the District Valuer be informed that the Council are not prepared to give consent to the establishment by Mr. Dodd of a fried fish business at the proposed

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

new premises, but that they would be willing to consider any application that might be made by him for consent to the establishment of such a business elsewhere in the neighbourhood in a suitable position situate off the main road.

258 STREET IMPROVEMENT WORKS—SUMMERS LANE.—The Clerk reported that the necessary sanctions in this matter had now been obtained.

259 SUMMERS LANE—LAND—ERECTION OF SCHOOL PAVILION.—A communication, dated 11th May, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary to the Middlesex Education Committee stating that, owing to a misunderstanding, the Stationers' Company had begun to erect their pavilion on a portion of the Summers Lane land which did not come within the area rented by his Committee; that the School were very anxious to have their field ready for the Cricket Season and that, in the circumstances, his Committee would much appreciate any assistance which this Authority could give them in the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the agreement dated 2nd November, 1926, between the Middlesex Education Authority and the Finchley Urban District Council in respect of the use of the Summers Lane School Site be amended to include the use of the **whole** site for the purpose of a school playing field, subject :—

- (1) to that portion of the site at present reserved for the erection of the proposed school for junior children being given up and the pavilion removed therefrom upon three months' written notice given to the Middlesex Authority by the Finchley Authority;
- (2) to the rent secured by the existing agreement, namely £65, being increased to £75 from the 1st April, 1927, for such period as the Middlesex Education Authority occupy the whole of the site;
- (3) to (in the event of that portion of the land referred to in paragraph (1) hereof being given up to the Finchley Council) the terms of the agreement of the 2nd November, 1926, continuing to operate;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (4) to the Board of Education approving this variation of the agreement;
- (5) to this Authority approving the plan of the pavilion above referred to.

260 STAFF—CLERK'S DEPARTMENT.—The Chairman of the Council reported upon an application received from Miss Sharp for an extension by two weeks of her usual annual holiday to enable her to visit Canada;

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted.

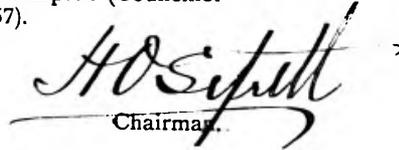
261 LOANS.—The Accountant submitted communications received from Messrs. Barclays Bank Ltd. hereon;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Finance Committee to deal with, subject to report.

262 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Bowen voting against paragraph 257).

27th June 1927.


Chairman.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

30th May, 1927.

Present: Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, and H. O. Syrett and Wade and Councillor Wells (non-member).

263 MINUTES.—The Minutes of meetings held on the 20th April and 2nd May, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

264 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

265 TOWN PLANNING SCHEME No. 2.—

(a) Town Planning Sub-Committee.—A report of the above Sub-Committee, dated 18th May, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted:—

Present: Councillors Bowen, Knowlman, Pike, H. O. Syrett, and Wade.

(1) CHAIRMAN—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Pike be appointed Chairman of this Sub-Committee for the ensuing year.

(2) TOWN PLANNING SCHEME No. 2.—PRELIMINARY STATEMENT.—
The Committee had under consideration the draft Preliminary Statement of proposals for development in connexion with the above Scheme; the Committee indicated certain restrictions, etc., on buildings, and the Surveyor was instructed to show on Map No. 2a the areas to which the several restrictions were proposed to apply:

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

(3) TOWN PLANNING REGULATIONS, 1921.—The Clerk was instructed to notify the members of the Council that authority would be sought at their next ordinary meeting to give notice by advertisement of the Council's intention to adopt by resolution the above-mentioned Preliminary Statement

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

and to take such other steps as were required to be taken by Article 5 of these Regulations;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (4) PREPARATION OF MAPS.—The Surveyor stated that the cost of preparing the Ordnance Survey Sheets of 1914 for the various stages of the Scheme would be about £72, whereas the cost of obtaining the necessary number of photographic prints would probably be only £16, and furthermore, a saving of time would be effected;

RECOMMENDED that the last-mentioned method be adopted.

A. T. PIKE,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted.

- (b) Draft Preliminary Statement.—The Committee had before them the above draft Statement as approved by the Town Planning Sub-Committee.

Annexed

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject to the slight alterations indicated at the meeting, the draft Statement be now approved;
- (2) that in connexion with the above Town Planning Scheme the Council adopt the Preliminary Statement of proposals for development and Map No. 2a to which the Statement refers, and direct that the Statement and Map be signed and certified by the Clerk of the Council;
- (3) that the Clerk be instructed to send to the Minister of Health, the documents specified in Article 6 Town Planning Regulations, 1921.

266 OPEN SPACES.—

- (1) Brook Farm.—

- (a) Football Pitches.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be empowered to deal with applications for the above, subject to report.

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25TH MAY, 1921

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

30TH MAY, 1927.

REQUISITION - 9TH JUNE TO 6TH JULY, 1927.

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		<u>RECREATION GROUND.</u>		
220	1	Wages	65 0 0	
221	7	Internal decorations, Superintendents cottage and public lavatories, clean down and paint fountains.	23 0 0	
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		<u>CHERRY TREE WOOD.</u>		
222	17	Wages	16 0 0	
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		<u>ST. MARY'S CHURCHYARD.</u>		
223	25 0	Fixing wire netting and waste paper baskets and clearing rubbish.	4 10 5	
		<u>BROOK FARM.</u>		
224	0	Cutting Grass.	1 5 6	
225	0	Vale Farm. Clearing rubbish.	19 1	
226		Cherry Tree Wood and Woodhouse. Water for fountains 12 months.	2 0 0	
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 264 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 30th May 1927.

25TH MAY, 1927.

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PINCELEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 2.

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PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE TOWN PLANNING
SUB-COMMITTEE - 16TH MAY, 1927.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

17TH MAY, 1927.

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TO ACCOMPANY MAP NO. 2.

1. Area to be included in the Town Planning Scheme.

The area is indicated on Map No.2. by the the inner edge of the blue boundary line.

i. Acreage of Local Authority's District.	3384 acres.
ii. Approximate acreage of area to be included in the Town Planning Scheme, distinguishing the acreage.	
a) inside the district of the Local Authority.	1460 acres.
b) outside the district of the Local Authority.	nil.

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2 (a) The principal new streets and roads which it is proposed shall be made as part of the Scheme with their position and any proposed widenings of any existing street or road.

(b) Spaces about buildings including building lines proposed to be prescribed in relation to the principal new streets or widenings.

No. of Street on Map No. 2.	Situation.	Whether New Street or Widening.	Width.	BUILDING LINES.	
				Proposed distance between building lines.	Additional Particulars if any.
1.	Puget Avenue.	New Street	50'0"	90'0"	By request of Barnet.
2.	Off Holden Road near Woodside Park Station.	New Street.	40'0"	70'0"	By request of Barnet.
3.	Dollis Lane by Viaduct.	New Street			By request of Hendon.
4.	Brent Way to Westbury Road.	New Street	40'0"	70'0"	
5.	Woodhouse Road to Ballards Lane.	New Street	60'0"	100'0"	Light Railway.
6.	Footpath over Dollis Brook. Hendon Avenue.	New Way.	10'0"		
7.	Connecting road between Wentworth Avenue and Essex Park.	New Street	40'0"	70'0"	
8.	Wickliffe Avenue.		Varying 40'0" to 50'0"		

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				Proposed distance between building lines.	Additional Particulars if any.
9.	Great North Rd.	Widening	100'0"	140'0"	
10.	Regents Park Road.	do.	90'0"	130'0"	
11.	Ballards Lane.	do.	75'0"	115'0"	
12.	East End Road	do	60'0"	100'0"	
13.	Totteridge Lane	do	60'0"	100'0"	
14.	Hendon Lane	do	50'0"	90'0"	
15.	Summers Lane	do.	50'0"	90'0"	
16.	Friern Barnet Lane.	do	50'0"	90'0"	
17.	Woodside Lane	do	40'0"	70'0"	
18.	Church Lane.	do.	40'0"	70'0"	
19.	Stanley Road.	do.	40'0"	70'0"	
20.	Gravel Hill	do.	40'0"	70'0"	
21	Swan Lane.	do	40'0"	70'0"	
22	Wether Street.	do.	45'0" generally but varies.	85'0"	

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3. ROADS, STREETS OR WAYS WHICH IT IS PROPOSED TO STOP UP OR DIVERT.

No. of Map No. 2.	Situation.	No. of map No. 2. of new street, the construction of which is deemed to provide an equally convenient right-of-way.
25.	Green Lane	North Circular Road.
24.	Holders Hill footpath.	Wickliffe Avenue (see list of new streets)
25.	Footpath, Rosemary Avenue to Long Lane.	North Circular Road.

4 (c) HEIGHT OF BUILDINGS.

Information as to any proposed restrictions on the heights of building.

To be as per Model Clauses and Town Planning Scheme No.1.

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PROPOSED RESTRICTIONS ON BUILDINGS AND THE AREAS TO WHICH THE SEVERAL RESTRICTIONS ARE TO APPLY :-

- (a) Character of buildings to be erected (e.g. whether dwelling houses, public buildings, business premises, factories or Workshops for light industries, or factories or workshops for heavy industries or partly one class of building or partly another.)

Locality of area	Reference to marking on Map No.2.	Approximate acreage of area	Character of Buildings (i.e. the kind of buildings so far as use is concerned for which the respective areas are intended.)	If It is proposed to allow any other kind of buildings in any area subject to special conditions or special consent, particulars should be given in this column.
Generally.	Hatching in blue lines.		Residential, i.e. dwelling houses only.	Special consent of Council to be obtained for the erection of other buildings such as Churches, Chapels, Schools and the like.
Generally	Cross hatching in blue lines.		Business i.e. shops and offices and/or dwelling houses.	

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4 (b). Density of buildings (that is the number of dwelling houses to the acre and proportion of site to be covered by buildings.)

Locality of area in which limitation applies.	Reference to marking on Map No. 2.	Approximate acreage of area (gross)	Density of Dwelling Houses. Average number per acre.	Particulars of any proposals as to properties of site to be built on for various classes of buildings. 5.
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Generally		1460 acres	Density not to exceed 15.	

The measurement of the acre in column 4. is the gross acre and includes streets, public and private open spaces, etc.

SPACE ABOUT BUILDINGS.

PROPORTION OF SITE WHICH MAY BE COVERED BY BUILDINGS.

Height of Building.	Dwelling houses.	Residential buildings, institutions schools and shops in which dwelling accommodation is provided.	Other Buildings.
Neither exceeding 30 feet in height nor, being over the main part of the building, of more than one storey above ground level.	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$
Exceeding 30 feet in height or being over the main part of the building, of more than one storey above ground level.	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$

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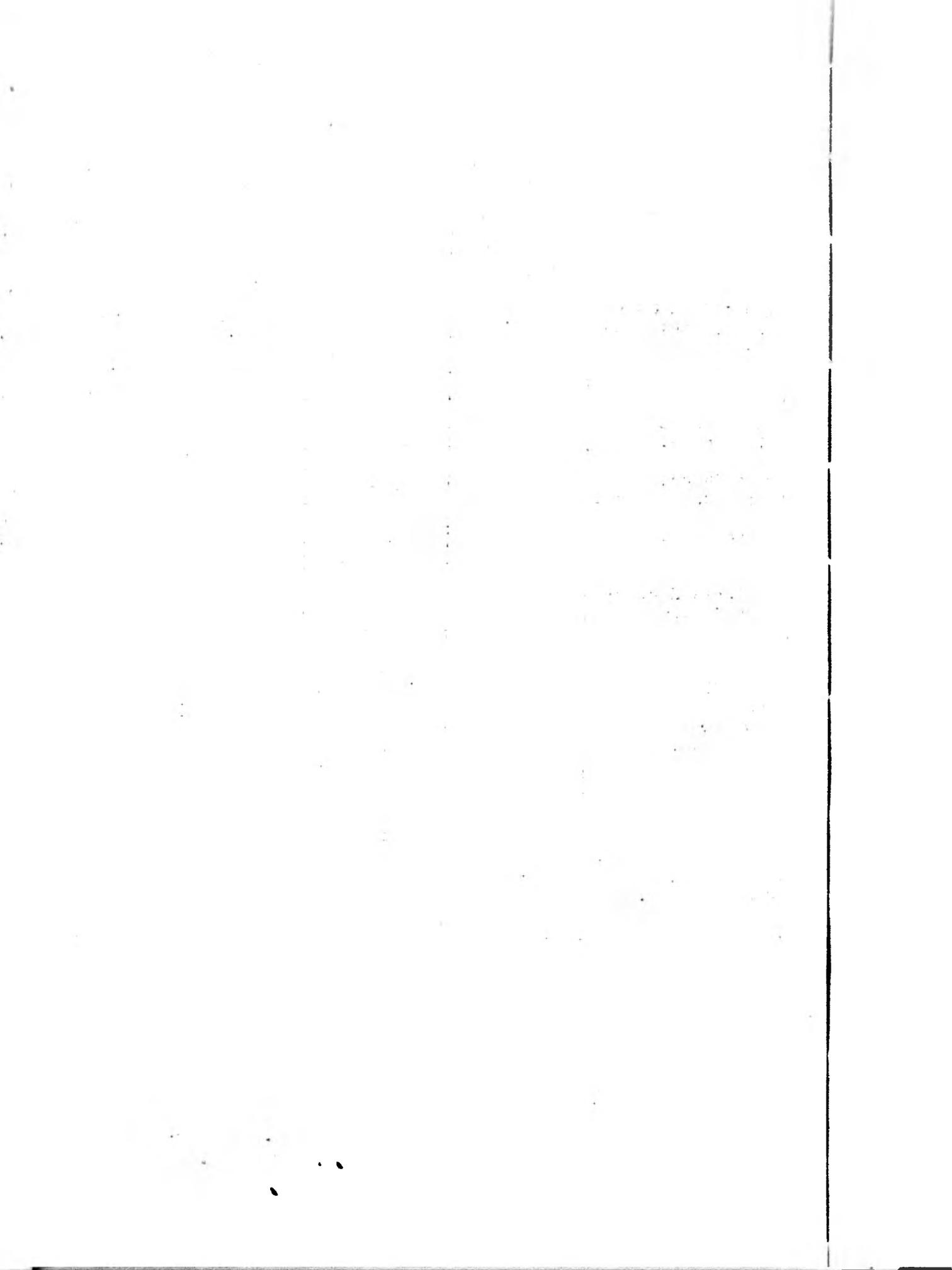
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AREA PROPOSED TO BE RESERVED FOR OPEN SPACES
OR OTHER AREAS NOT TO BE BUILT UPON.

Locality of Area.	Reference to marking on Map No. 2.	Approximate acreage of each area.	Purpose for which area is to be reserved.	Present use.
<u>EXISTING PUBLIC OPEN SPACES.</u>				
Brook Farm Open Space, Whetstone. (part of)		30 acres.		15½ acres allotments.
Whetstone Stray Allotments.		28 acres.		14½ acres open space.
Open Space, Woodhouse Estate.		4¼ acres.		
Glebe Land.		60-3/5ths acres.		
Victoria Recreation Ground.		16-5/8ths acres.		
Cherry Tree Wood, East Finchley (part)		2-9/10ths acres.		
Park Road, East Finchley.		2½ acres.		
<u>PROPOSED PUBLIC OPEN SPACES.</u>				
Green Walk by Dollis Brook.				

This (together with the seven preceding pages) is the draft Preliminary Statement referred to in Paragraph 265 (b) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 30th May 1927.

- W. Syrett
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (b) Scouts' Camp.—It was reported that the Salvation Army Scouts of East Finchley had made application for permission to camp out at above from the 4th to the 6th June inclusive ;

RECOMMENDED that the desired permission be granted, subject to the site being approved by the Surveyor.

- (2) Manor Playing Field.—

RECOMMENDED that the application made by the Sunday School Workers of the East Finchley Gospel Hall, East End Road, to hold open air services for children on Sunday evenings at above be granted.

- (3) Victoria Recreation Ground.—

- (a) Bowling Green.—

- (i) Proposed Pavilion.—The Committee authorised the Surveyor to accept the lowest satisfactory quotation for the erection of the above, subject to report, and instructed the Clerk to prepare any necessary Contract ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (ii) Finchley Victoria Bowling Club.—Letter was read from the Hon. Secretary of the above Club conveying their appreciation of the Council's decisions in regard to the subjects of the proposed pavilion and green fees.

- (b) Application for football pitch.—Letter was read from the Old Albertians' Football Club making application for permission to rent a football pitch in the Recreation Ground during the 1927-28 season ;

RECOMMENDED that the foregoing application and any future applications of a similar character be not granted.

- (c) Unorganised games.—

RECOMMENDED that a notice be erected in the Recreation Ground to the effect that the playing

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

of cricket, football and other games therein is limited to youths of 16 years of age and under.

- (4) Cherry Tree Wood—Damage to fencing.—It was reported that a portion of the newly-erected fencing at the bottom of Summerlee Avenue had been damaged by some person or persons unknown and that the matter was in the hands of the Insurance Company.
- (5) Glebe Land—Bungalow.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a communication from Mr. C. J. Barton stating that he would accept any reasonable offer which the Council might make for the purchase of the above ;

RECOMMENDED that the previous decision of the Council be upheld.

267 BARNET BYE-PASS ROAD—SECTION 2—EAST OF REGENTS PARK ROAD—E. C. ARDEN.—The Clerk reported receipt from the Middlesex County Council of Notice to Treat with forms of claim in this matter, and submitted correspondence which he had had with the County Council since last meeting ;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to negotiate with the County Solicitor with a view to safeguarding this Council's position in the matter.

268 TEMPORARY BUILDINGS.—

- (a) Refreshment Stall—High Road, Whetstone—Mr. W. R. Collins—Plan No. 4351.—The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. W. R. Collins asking the Council to reconsider their decision not to renew the licence in respect of the above building after the 1st July, 1927 ;

RECOMMENDED that such licence be renewed for the period ending 1st January, 1928, but that the Licensee be informed that it cannot be continued after that date.

- (b) High Road, Whetstone—W. H. Claringbull.—The Surveyor reported that the above-named owner had erected a building at the rear of his premises in the High Road,

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

Whetstone, without having submitted plans therefor and that the erection was not such as the Council could approve;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Public Health Committee with a view to notice being served upon the owner requiring him to pull down and remove the structure.

269 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in the Instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

270 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

RECOMMENDED that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

Unneeded

No. of Plan.	Particulars	Where situate	Owner
6091	Garage	Rear of 20, Mayfield Avenue	Mr. H. J. Burholt.
6129	Back addition to be used as study	Tatchley House, Dolis Avenue	Dr. W. Cunnington.
6132	Covered way	32, Cornwall Avenue	Mr. R. H. Hellyer.
6135	Garage	13, Finchley Avenue	Mr. G. Weald.
6136	Nurses' Dormitory	Wright-Kingsford Home, Granville Road	Miss B. Wright. Miss E. Kingsford.
6137	Tool shed	Heathland House, Woodside Avenue	Mr. A. M. Fort.
6138	Two houses and one garage	Great North Road, Whetstone	Mr. T. Foster.
6139	Shed	Rear of 29, Park Crescent	Mr. A. H. Forbes.
6140	Cycle shed	1, Woodside Lane	Mr. R. W. Holt.
6141	Garage	Field off Long Lane near junction with Squires Lane	Mr. A. G. Kilner.
6143	Shed	Rear of house, Limes Avenue	Mr. J. Bennetts.
6144	Garage	Glenview, Alexandra Grove	Mr. F. Gut.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

30TH MAY, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORTS.

Since my last report 21 sets of plans have been received representing :-

HOUSES 8.
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- ✓ 6091. Garage.
24. 5. 27. Rear of 20, Mayfield Avenue.
Mr. H.J. Burholt.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6129. Back addition to be used as study.
2. 5. 27. Tatchley House, Dollis Avenue.
Dr. W. Cunnington.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6132. Covered Way.
4. 5. 27. 32, Cornwall Avenue.
Mr. R. H. Hellyer.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6135. Garage.
2. 5. 27. 13, Finchley Avenue.
Mr. G. Weald.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6137. Tool Shed.
13. 5. 27. Heathland House, Woodside Avenue.
Mr. A. M. Fort.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6138. Two Houses and one garage.
5. 5. 27. Great North Road, Whetstone.
Mr. T. Foster.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6139. Shed.
16. 5. 27. Rear of 29, Park Crescent.
Mr. A. H. Forbes.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6140. Cycle Shed.
16. 5. 27. 1, Woodside Lane,
Mr. R. W. Holt.
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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6141. 27. Field off Long Lane near junction with Squires Lane.
11. 5. Mr. A. G. Kilner.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6142. 27. Conservatory.
11. 5. 25, Summerlee Avenue.
Mr. W. F. Hauser.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6143. 27. Shed.
20. 5. Rear of house Limes Avenue.
Mr. J. Bennetts.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6144. 27. Garage.
20. 5. Glenview, Alexandra Grove.
Mr. F. Gut.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6146. 27. Greenhouse.
12. 5. 32, Alexandra Grove.
Mr. S. J. Fox.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6148. 27. Surface water drain.
19. 5. College Farm, Regents Park Road.
Express Dairy Company, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6149. 27. Six houses.
21. 5. Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Estate.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6150. 27. Lock-up Shop.
7. 5. Park Parade, North Finchley.
Messrs. F. W. Woolworth & Co.,
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6151. 27. Day Shelter.
23. 5. Wright-Kingsford Home, Granville Road.
Miss B. Wright and Miss E. Kingsford.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6152. 27. Electricity Sub-station.
23. 5. Percy Road.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6153. 27. Tennis Pavilion.
24. 5. Between Trinity Avenue and Church Lane.
The Churchfield Lawn Tennis Club.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6154. 27. Shed.
23. 5. Granville Road.
Trustees of The Finchley Unitarian Church.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6156. 27. Cycle Shed.
25. 5. 14, Cavendish Avenue.
Mr. H. W. Lucas.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

30TH MAY, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 18 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	46
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	4
GARAGES	18
MISCELLANEOUS	3
NEW ROADS AND SEWERS	7

- ✓ 6136. Nurses' Dormitory.
7 5. 27. Wright-Kingsford Home, Granville Road.
Miss B. Wright and Miss E. Kingsford.
This plan is in accordance with the Bye-laws with the exception of the ventilation. It would perhaps be wise to disapprove the plan and if it is put in order by the date of the Council Meeting, have it transferred to the approved list.
- ✓ 6145. Garage.
18. 5. 27. 33, Lichfield Grove.
Mr. A. H. Edwards.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6147. Four Garages.
20. 5. 27. North side of Abingdon Road.
Mr. E. P. King.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6155. Six garages.
23. 5. 27. Hill Rise.
Mr. A. J. Glock.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6158. Tool Shed.
24. 5. 27. 10, Mayfield Avenue.
Mr. H. B. Sanders.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6159. Extension of shop premises.
27. 5. 27. 6, Park Parade, High road, North Finchley.
Mr. A. R. Yates.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6157. One house.
27. 5. 27. Plot X 546, Northway.
Mr. G. C. Swanson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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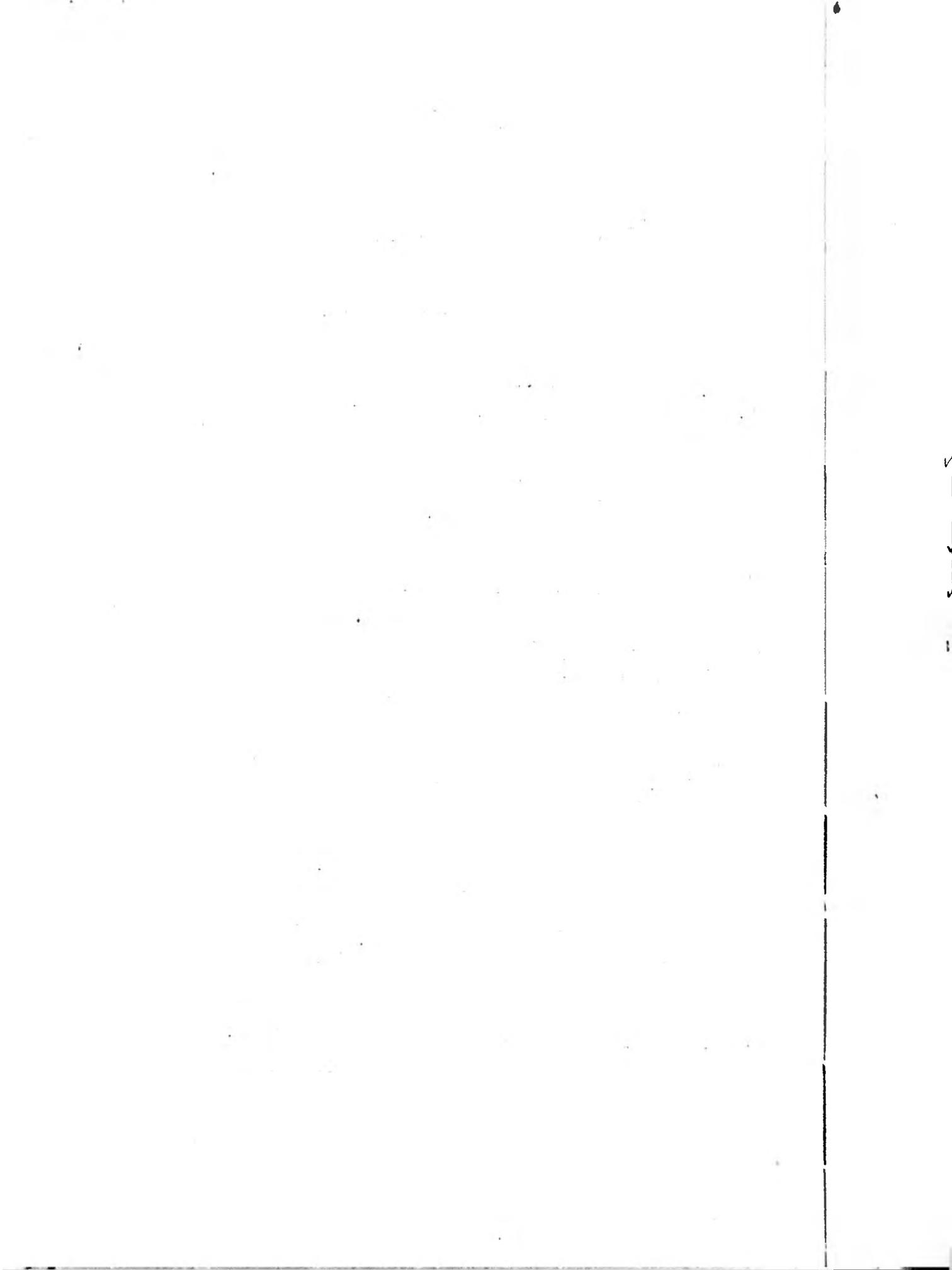
30TH MAY, 19

- ✓ 6160. Addition.
28. 5. 27. Ramsey, Pitzalan Road.
Mr. S. Blofield.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- ✓ 6161. Garage.
28. 5. 27. 2, Waverley Grove.
Mr. W. H. F. Smith.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- ✓ 6162. Proposed Shelter,
Cherry Tree Wood.
Finchley Urban District Council.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6163. Garage.
28. 5. 27. Shakespeare Road.
Mr. E. F. Harveyson.
I will report on this plan at your Meeting.
- ✓ 6164. One house.
28. 5. 27. Hendon Avenue.
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6165. Garage.
30. 5. 27. 23, Cyprus Avenue.
Messrs. Cousdon.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- ✓ 6166. Four new roads and sewers.
30. 5. 27. Kay's Nursery site, Hervey Close.
Mr. Francis W. Walker.
I will report on this plan at your Meeting.
- ✓ 6167. Lay-out. (Three new roads and forty-four houses.)
30. 5. 27. Kimbolton's Estate, Regents Park Road.
Submitted by Mr. A. H. C. Arnell.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
- ✓ 6168. Pavilion.
Victoria Recreation Ground.
Finchley Urban District Council.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6169. Additional Lavatory accommodation.
Swimming Bath, Squires Lane.
Finchley Urban District Council.
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6170. Four garages.
30. 5. 27. Nos. 31, 45, 47 and 60, Courthouse Road.
Mr. P. D. Walker.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH MAY, 1927.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 270 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 30th May 1927.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6145	Garage	33, Lichfield Grove	Mr. A. H. Edwards.
✓ 6147	Four garages	North side of Abingdon Road	Mr. E. P. King.
✓ 6148	Surface water drain	College Farm, Regents Park Road	Express Dairy Co., Ltd.
✓ 6149	Six houses	Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Estate	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6151	Day shelter	Wright-Kingsford Home, Granville Road	Miss B. Wright and Miss E. Kingsford.
✓ 6152	Electricity Sub-Station	Percy Road	Finchley Urban District Council.
✓ 6153	Tennis pavilion	Between Trinity Avenue and Church Lane	The Churchfield Lawn Tennis Club.
✓ 6154	Tennis pavilion	Granville Road	Trustees of the Finchley Unitarian Church.
✓ 6155	Six garages	Hill Rise	Mr. A. J. Glock.
✓ 156	Cycle shed	14, Cavendish Av.	Mr. H. W. Lucas.
✓ 6157	One house	Plot X516, Northway	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
✓ 6158	Tool shed	10, Mayfield Avenue	Mr. H. B. Sanders.
✓ 6159	Extension of shop premises	6, Park Parade, High Road, North Finchley	Mr. A. R. Yates.
✓ 6161	Garage	2, Waverley Grove	Mr. W. H. F. Smiter.
✓ 6162	Proposed shelter	Cherry Tree Wood	Finchley Urban District Council.
✓ 6164	One house and garage	Hendon Avenue	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6166	Four new roads and sewers	Kay's Nursery Site, Hervoy Close	Mr. Francis W. Walker.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ *6167	Lay-out (three new roads and forty-four houses).	Kimbolton Estate, Regents Park Rd.	Mr. A. H. C. Arncliffe.
✓ 6168	Pavilion	Victoria Recreation Ground	Finchley Urban District Council.
✓ 6169	Additional lavatory accommodation	Swimming Bath, Squires Lane	Finchley Urban District Council.
✓ 6170	Four garages	Nos. 31, 45, 47 and 60, Courthouse Rd.	Mr. P. D. Walker.

* Referred to Public Health and Highways Committees respectively.

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6142	Conservatory	25, Summerlee Av.	Mr. W. F. Hauser.
✓ 6146	Greenhouse	32, Alexandra Grove	Mr. S. J. Fox.
✓ 6150	Lock-up shop	Park Parade, North Finchley	Messrs. F. W. Woolworth & Co.
✓ 6160	Addition	Ramsey, Fitzalan Road	Mr. S. Blofield.
✓ 6163	Garage	Shakespeare Road	Mr. E. F. Harveyson
✓ 6165	Garage	23, Cyprus Avenue	Messrs. Cousdon.

A. T. PIKE,
Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

7th June, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

271 MINUTES.—The Minutes of meetings held on the 20th April and 3rd May, 1927, respectively, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

272 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

273 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the five weeks ended 28th May, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

274 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout :—

*Annexed***(a) Petroleum Licences.**—

- (1) **RECOMMENDED** that licences be granted to the under-mentioned applicants to store such quantities of petroleum spirit and or carbide of calcium as are respectively set opposite to their names in the schedule hereunder printed on the terms also mentioned in such schedule for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject (a) to the conditions annexed to the Council's licences respectively being strictly observed, and (b) in the cases of numbers 8, 11, 16 and 29 to the applicants providing suitable storage receptacles to be approved by the Petroleum Inspector, namely :—

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium to be kept.
1. Alexander Adams	The Motor House, High Road, N. 2.	500 gallons in bulk. 50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
2. A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd.	A1 Dairy Farm, High Rd., N. 20.	500 gallons in bulk.
3. Samuel Thomas Birkin	North Finchley Garage, Avenue Road, N. 12.	500 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
4. Alexander Aubrey Blaker	Manor Works, East End Road	40 gallons in 2-gallon tins. 3 cwt. carbide.
5. Alexander Aubrey Blaker	Bishopscourt Works, Cherry Tree Hill, N. 2.	5 cwt. carbide.
6. Thomas Sidney Boyce	15, The Broadway, N. 3.	200 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
7. Walter Bramble	139, High Road, N. 2	32 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
8. William Francis Browning	4, The Laurels, Ballards Lane, N. 12.	1000 gallons in bulk. 90 gallons in 2-gallon tins in lieu of 60 gallons.
9. Carrimore Six-Wheelers, Ltd.	Carrimore Works, High Road, N. 12.	5 cwt. carbide.
10. Carter Paterson and Co., Ltd.	Depôt, Dollis Park, N. 3.	1000 gallons in bulk.
11. Albert Edward Carter, t.a. Carter & Carter.	Queen's Head Garage, East End Road, N. 3.	100 gallons in 2-gallon tins in lieu of 40 gallons.
12. Albert Edward Carter, t.a. Carter & Carter.	Cornwall Garage, Cornwall Avenue, N. 3.	500 gallons in bulk. 60 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
13. Cory Brothers and Co., Ltd.	Reliance Service Station, between Leslie Road and Park Road, High Road, N. 2.	4000 gallons in bulk. 1 cwt. carbide.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH MAY TO 27TH JUNE, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated cost.</u>		<u>Amt. of Est.</u>		<u>Amt. of Req. already passed.</u>	
		<u>£.</u>	<u>s. d.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s. d.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s. d.</u>
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>							
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>							
16.	½ gross matches.	4.	6.	} 80.	9.	2.	6.
17.	1 wash leather.	5.	9.				
18.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.	52.	9.	10.	6.
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<u>General.</u>							
19.	½ cwt. dog biscuits.	14.	6.	30.	-	-	-
20.	1 gross sulphur candles.	2.	0. 0.	25.	14.	3.	0.
		<u>£.14. 6.</u>					

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

ESTIMATE 1926/27.

Prevention of Disease - Disinfecting Station.

102. Repairs to roof of van. 2. 5. 0. 40. 11. 0. 10.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

"0" = expended or on order.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

113	1	1 ton Disinfecting powder.	6	10	0
114	2	Refuse Removal - May.	483	16	8
115	3	<u>FLUSHING</u> - team labour.	25	0	0
116	5	Do. - wages.	15	0	0
117	6	Testing and sanitary works, wages.	40	0	0
118	7	Repairs to sewers.	50	0	0

11 SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.

119		Wages.	50	0	0
120		130 gals. petroleum. H. Can. Sub.	4	17	6
121		6 blow lamp burners.	1	10	0
122		1 pair knee boots.	1	15	0
123	0	26'6" - 4" x 4 ply Balata belt."	3	0	3
124	0	5 cwt. anthracite.	1	1	9
125	0	Repair water leak.	1	7	10

13 PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.

126		Wages.	80	0	0
127	18	Use of Friern Barnet sewer - Whetstone.	42	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH APRIL, 1927.

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28TH APRIL

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.	Item No.				
128	1	Wages - Sewage Disposal	300	0	0
129	2	Do. - Refuse Disposal.	100	0	0
130	8	19 panes 21 oz.glass, 7 lbs putty.	1	6	0
131		6 gals. paint.	4	0	6
132	10	3 doz. hack saw blades.	-	7	6
133	12	Repairs to roads.	64	10	0
134	13	Salaries.	36	10	0

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PERCIVAL F. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH APRIL, 1927.

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28TH APRIL

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 5TH MAY TO 8TH JUNE, 1927.

ESTIMATE

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

135	1	Wages.	90	0	0
136	2	6 tons coke.	10	4	0
137	6	6 fuse carriers and fuse wire.	-	12	0
138		2 cwt. alumino ferric.	1	0	0
139	10	Additional lavatory accommodation.	200	0	0
140	11	Drain from sump.	100	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

26TH APRIL, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 272 of the Public Health Committee's Report of the 7th June, 1927.

H. H. H.
Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the eight weeks ended
the 23rd April, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

29th April, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of
the Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows :-

Population census 1921 - 46,716.

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1. DEATHS.					
Number	16	16	16	48	61
Infants under one year	1	2	1	4	6
Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	5
2. BIRTHS.					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Actl.	27	34	27	88	93
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.					
Number of cases notified				29	47
Scarlet Fever	4	2	6	12	21
Diphtheria	1	1	2	4	13
Influenzal Pneumonia	-	1	-	1	4
Pneumonia (other forms)	2	2	4	8	5
Erysipelas	1	1	1	3	3
Polionyelitis	1	-	-	1	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	-	-	-	-	1
4. TUBERCULOSIS.					
Number of Pulmonary cases ..	2	4	-	6	8
Number of Non-Pulmonary cases	2	2	-	4	8
5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.					
Number in hospital on the 4th March				11	28
Number admitted				11	21
Number discharged				16	30
Number of deaths				-	2
Number in hospital on the 29th April				6	17

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 3RD MAY, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.3.

29th April, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) EXAMINATION OF DRAINS (Sec. 41 of the P.H.A. 1875
and the Amending Acts.)

St. Michaels Cottage, Blin. ord. Road, N.3.

I have to report that a portion of the drain on or belonging to the above-named premises has been uncovered and found to be defective. I have reason to suspect that other parts of the drainage system are in bad condition and I, therefore, suggest that authority be given to me to enter the said premises, to open up the ground and examine the said drain.

(2) NOTICES NOT COMPLIED WITH.
DEFECTIVE DRAINS.

- 1 & 2, Waterloo Cottages, Roper Road, N.20.
- 1 & 2, Solina Cottages, Friern Lane, N.20.

The statutory notices served upon the owners of the above premises requiring them to relay the defective drains within 28 days expiring on the 26th April, 1927, have not been complied with.

The owners of 1 & 2, Solina Cottages and No.2, Waterloo Cottages desire the Council to execute the works and they wish to be supplied with an estimate of their proportion of the cost thereof.

(3) HOUSES WITHOUT PROPER DUSTBINS (Sec. 22 P.U.D.C. Act. 1906)

37 & 59, Gainsborough Road.

- 1, Stanhope Road.
- 57, Dollis Park.

The above houses are not provided with proper dustbins and I suggest that notices be served upon the respective owners requiring them to provide at each house a strong galvanised iron dustbin with a suitable cover.

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(4) NOTICE NOT COMPLIED WITH.
PAVING OF COMMON YARD - (Sec. 20 F.U.D.C. A. 1908)

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, King Edward Buildings, and
King Edward Hall, Regents Park Road and Hendon Lane, Finchley, N.3.
Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive) Alexandra House, Regents Park Road, N.3.
Nos. 1 to 6 (inclusive) Edward House, Hendon Lane, N.3.

The period of one month given to the owner in which to flag, asphalt, concrete or pave the above-mentioned common yard expired on the 25th February, 1927.

The necessary works have not been carried out.

(5) APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO ESTABLISH THE TRADE OF A FISH FRIER.

1. Regents Park Terrace, Regents Park Road, N.3.

An application dated the 5th April, 1927, has been received from Mr. S.J. Buckingham of 57, Dollis Park, Finchley, N.3. for the Council's consent to establish the business of a fish frier at 1, Regents Park Terrace, Regents Park Road, Finchley, N.3.

(6) PROPOSED TRANSFER OF FRIED FISH PREMISES - MYRTLE AND
MEDINA COTTAGES, BALLARDS LANE, N.12.

Communications have been received from the District Valuer, Mr. J. Chandler and Messrs. Sparrow & Son, North Finchley, with respect to a proposal to transfer the business of a fish frier carried on by Mr. William Dodd, from No. 1, Medina Cottages to a new building to be constructed on the site of Myrtle Cottage at present in the occupation of Mrs. Clarke. This scheme is in connection with the Tally Ho Improvement and I will report more fully on the matter at your meeting.

(7) 13, MARKET PARADE, N.12.

Letter from Mr. C.C. Roberts, Solicitor, respecting the provision of housing accommodation for the sub-tenant of these premises.

FOOTPATH FROM HENDON LANE TO HOLDERS HILL.

Condition of footpath and ditch.

2, 5, & 6, WHEATSTONE PLACE, N.20.

Housing defects.

1 & 2, CHAPEL STREET, N.2.

Statutory notices under Housing Act, 1925, not complied with. Request by owner for time to sell property.

I shall report orally upon the above matters at the meeting of your Committee.

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The following samples of designated milk have been taken and submitted to the County's Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

(a) Date. 18th March, 1927.

Sample. 1 Pint of Certified Milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologist's Report.

This sample passes the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(b) Date. 18th March, 1927.

Sample. 1 Pint of Certified Milk taken from the Express Dairy Co. College Farm, N.3.

Bacteriologist's Report.

This sample of milk passes the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(9) MILK & DAIRIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1922.
MILK & DAIRIES ORDER, 1926 - REGISTRATION.

An Application to be registered as a retail purveyor of milk has been received from Mr. David Roscoe Davies, who carries on business at the Devonshire Dairy, Grand Parade, Friern Barnet, N.11., and who also sells milk by retail within the district of Finchley.

This application may be granted.

(10) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923 - LICENCE.

An application has been received from Mr. Henry Edwards Brook of 40, Church Lane, for a dealer's licence to sell Grade A Milk.

This application may be granted.

(11) UN SOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

6 Heads and Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
10 Sets of Lungs.	do.
2 Livers.	do.
4 Mesenteries.	do.
6 Sets of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
15 Livers.	do.
1 Kidney.	do.
1 Mesentery.	do.
5lbs. Trimmings.	do.

Swine.

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Swine.

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1 Set of Lungs.	do.
12 Livers.	do.
1 Spleen	do.
44 Mesenteries.	do.
2 Plucks.	Other Diseases.
81 Sets of Lungs.	do.
42 Livers.	do.
2 Spleens.	do.

Sheep.

1 Carcase and Offal.	Other Diseases.
6 Sets of Lungs.	do.
1 Liver.	do.
1 Leg of Mutton.	do.

(12) PUBLIC HEALTH (MEAT) REGULATIONS, 1924.

FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE OF SLAUGHTER.

On the 8th April, 1927, enquiries were made as to the origin of a carcase of pork exposed for sale at No.23, Market Place, East Finchley, in the occupation of Mr. M.W. Killingback.

Mr. Killingback stated that he obtained the pork from Frank George Maskell of 1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect Place, East Finchley.

On the same day Mr. Maskell was interviewed and in the presence of your Medical Officer of Health and myself he stated that the pig was one of his own feeding, and as it had been off its feed he had slaughtered it on the previous night (7th April, 1927) and disposed of it to Mr. Killingback. Mr. Maskell also said, "I examined the carcase and from my experience I considered it was quite alright and that it was not necessary to notify you".

Mr. Maskell did not give notice of his intention to slaughter the animal or notice as soon as reasonably possible after the slaughtering had taken place as required by the Public Health (Meat) Regulations, 1924.

No.1, Prospect Cottages, Prospect Place is not "Registered" or "Licensed" as a slaughterhouse.

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(13) PETROLEUM ACTS 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATION FOR LICENCE.

Alexander Adams, The Motor House, High Road, N.2.

An application has been received from Mr. A. Adams for a licence to keep 1500 lbs. of carbide of calcium at 382, Long Lane, N.2.

Mr. Adams is already keeping about 1000 lbs. of carbide of calcium.

This application may be granted subject to the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

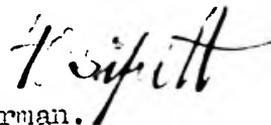
I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

E.J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 274 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June 1927.


Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium to be kept.
14. George Hambly Crabb.	Stag Motor Garage, rear of 51, High Road, N. 2.	100 gallons in 2-gallon tins. 100 lbs. carbide.
15. Harry Crosby	Workshop rear of The Ferns, Ballards Lane	1½ cwt. carbide.
16. Cecil Richard Cossor.	The Garage, Derby Avenue, N. 12.	100 gallons in 2-gallon tins in lieu of 50 gallons.
17. De Dion Bouton, Ltd.	Woodside Works, High Rd., N. 12.	5000 gallons in bulk.
18. Dollis Engineering Co., Ltd.	Dollis Garage, Nether St., N. 3.	200 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
19. Walter Sidney Down	The Avenue Garages, Great North Road, N. 2.	1000 gallons in bulk. 400 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
20. D. & S. Autocar Company	No.4 Service Station, High Rd., N. 20.	2000 gallons in bulk.
21. Alice Lydia Eades	78, High St., N. 12.	500 gallons in bulk. 75 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
22. Freeman, Hardy and Willis, Ltd.	Garage and Warehouse, Stanhope Road, N. 12.	500 gallons in bulk.
23. Garsubil, Ltd.	Denman Drive Garages, N.W. 11.	350 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
24. Leonard Thomas Harris.	Progress House, Woodhouse Road, N. 12.	500 gallons in bulk.
25. Edgar Francis Harveyson.	Harveyson's Garage, immediately west of 2, Derwent Villas, Shakespeare Road, N. 3.	50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium to be kept.
26. Sidney Gray Hawkes	Breakspeare Service Garages, High Rd. N. 20.	2500 gallons in bulk. 50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
27. George Albert Henderson.	141a, High Rd., N.2.	2500 gallons in bulk. 2 cwts. carbide.
28. Alfred John Hooper	2a. Fortis Green, N. 2.	50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
29. Edward Dawson Gwion Harries	Petrol Supply Station, High Road, Whetstone, N. 20 (immediately south of Mr. N. O. Wade's office)	60 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
30. Norman James, Ltd.	24 and 25, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N. 3.	1500 gallons in bulk. 60 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
31. Benjamin. Branford Jillings	Brookside, Great North Road, N. 12.	100 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
32. Albert Victor Penman Lindsay and John Henry Lindsay t.a. Lindsay Brothers	Highwood Garage, High Rd., N. 12.	1000 gallons in bulk.
33. Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	39, High Rd., N. 2.	1000 gallons in bulk.
34. James Hugh McLaren and Frederick Rice Cox	Finchley Park Garage, High Road, N. 12.	500 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
35. Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd.	Permanent Way, Yard at rear of Finchley Tram Depôt	500 gallons in bulk.
36. William Millie	222, Long Lane	20 gallons in 2-gallon tins.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium to be kept.
37. Maurice Henry Moore and James Moore, t.a. Moore and Son	340, High Rd., N. 2.	48 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
38. Tally Ho! Garage, Ltd.	Tally Ho! Garage, Ballards Lane, N. 12.	1000 gallons in bulk. 100 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
39. Walter Mortlock	Premises adjoining Petrol Supply Station High Road, N. 12.	1000 gallons in bulk. 80 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
40. George F. Nash	16, Grove Parade, High Rd., N. 2.	50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
41. William Harold Perry	Motor Works, Hutton Grove, N. 12.	500 gallons in bulk.
42. George Alan Pershouse.	Oak Lane Garage, High Road, N. 2.	64 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
43. Charles Ernest Henry Preston, Lionel Francis Preston and Percy Flower Preston, t.a. Preston Bros.	Holly Park Garage, Regents Park Rd., N. 3.	1000 gallons in bulk. 240 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
44. Petrol Service Stations, Ltd.	Petrol Supply Station, corner Great North Road and Mayfield Avenue, N. 12.	5500 gallons in bulk. 170 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
45. H. Pope & Sons, Ltd.	3, The Mall, Ballards Lane, N. 3.	1000 gallons in bulk. 300 gallons in 2-gallon tins. 1 cwt. carbide.
46. H. Pope & Sons, Ltd.	Albert Garage, Albert Place, N. 3.	180 gallons in 2-gallon tins.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium to be kept.
47. H. Pope & Sons, Ltd.	20, The Parade, High Road, N. 20.	50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
48. Ernest Rodick.	8, Grove Terrace, Regents Park Rd., N. 3.	20 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
49. Beatrice Matilda Seymour	Homefield, Stanley Road, N. 2.	50 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
50. Frank Seymour	Cambridge Works, adjoining 2, Bedford Road, N. 2.	1 cwt. carbide.
51. William Thompson.	1, Nottingham Place High Rd., N. 12.	23 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
52. Jack Torrome, t.a. Finchley Motor Co.	132, High Rd., N. 2.	180 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
53. Harold Leonard Warner, Ernest Leonard Langmaid and Thomas Clifford Pank	1, King Edward Buildings, Regents Park Road, N. 3.	53 gallons in 2-gallon tins.
54. Harold Leonard Warner, Ernest Leonard Langmaid and Thomas Clifford Pank	Lock-up garages, adjoining New Bohemia, Limes Avenue, N. 3.	200 gallons in 2-gallon tins.

(2) The Inspector reported as follows :—

- (a) Edwin James Chellingsworth and Lydia May Chellingsworth, Bibsworth Garage, Bibsworth Road, N. 3.—That the above applicants desired to keep 500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk and 150 gallons in 2-gallon tins; that the appli-

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

cants had been previously licensed to keep petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins, and that the proposed new bulk installation was shewn on plan No. K 668 and included a 500 gallons underground storage tank to be placed on the applicants' premises close to the public footpath and a one gallon capacity " Bowser " pump ;

- (b) North Finchley Motors and Metals, Ltd., 15, Woodhouse Parade, High Road, N. 12.—That the above applicants desired to keep 1,500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk, 240 gallons in two gallon tins and 56 lbs. of carbide ; that the applicants had been previously licensed to keep petroleum spirit and carbide of calcium, but that they desired to increase the quantity of spirit kept in bulk from 500 gallons to 1,500 gallons ; and that the proposed new bulk installation was shewn on plan No. 671 and included a 1,000 gallons underground storage tank to be placed on the applicants' premises and a one gallon capacity " Wayne " pump to be erected near to the public footpath in Churchfield Avenue ;
- (c) George Alan Pershouse, Oak Lane Garage, High Road, N. 2.—That the above applicant desired to keep 600 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk in addition to the 64 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins for which he had been licensed ; and that the proposed new bulk installation was shewn on plan No. 1 and included a 600 gallons underground storage tank to be placed on the applicant's premises and a one gallon capacity " Milwaukee " pump ;

RECOMMENDED that each of the above-mentioned applications (a), (b) and (c) be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject to the following conditions :—

- (1) that the proposed bulk installations be constructed in the manner shewn on the plans submitted by the applicants, and that the installations, including the pumps, fittings, pipe lines, etc., and all

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

works incidental thereto be subject to the approval of the Petroleum Inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit;

- (2) that motor vehicles be not allowed to stand on the public highway while the tanks thereof are being filled with petroleum spirit drawn from the pumps; such vehicles to stand on the licencees' private premises;
- (3) that no swing arm or pipe of any description shall at any time be carried to or from the storage tanks or the pumps across the public footpath;
- (4) that the conditions annexed to the Council's licences be strictly observed.

(3) Generally.—

RECOMMENDED that in future all licences be granted at an annual fee according to the second schedule contained in the Petroleum Act, 1926, to expire on the 30th June following.

- (b) Examination of Drains (Section 41 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Acts amending the same)—St. Michael's Cottage, Bibsworth Road.—The Inspector reported that in accordance with instructions he had examined the drain on, or belonging to, the above-named premises, and that as a result the said drain was found to be in bad condition and to require alteration and amendment;

RECOMMENDED that the notice now submitted be served upon the owner of the said premises requiring him to execute the works specified, and within the time stated, in the said notice.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (c) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—The Inspector reported upon certain samples of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.
- (d) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

275 TEMPORARY BUILDING—COFFEE STALL—BOWMAN—LONG LANE.—The Surveyor reported that he had now removed the above temporary building.

276 PUMPING INSTALLATION—BROUGHTON AVENUE—WINDSOR OPEN SPACE.—

- (a) Reference was made to a letter received from the Ministry of Health asking for certain particulars in connexion with this matter, wherein it was suggested that if the Council proposed to apply for sanction to a loan for the construction of the pumping station, such application should be made now, so that the consideration of the question of the loan and that of the appropriation might proceed together;
- (b) The following resolution was submitted from the Middlesex County Council :—
 - “That subject to no portion of the building being erected in front of the new widening line shown in red on the plan no objection be raised by the County Council to a small extension of the Pumping Station on the Windsor Open Space, Finchley, not exceeding 20 square yards in area, in accordance with the plan now submitted.”
- (c) The Clerk reported that the draft Deed of release of covenant in the original Conveyance was in hand;
- (d) The Surveyor reported that he estimated the cost of providing a new pumping station to do the work of the existing station and also that of Addison Way pumping station at £5,500; that the station at Addison Way would be entirely done away with, but that the existing station at Broughton Avenue would be retained for occasional use,

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

and that there would, therefore, be no necessity to pay off the outstanding loan; that he estimated the annual cost, taking the repayment of capital and interest at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent., at £793 for an equated period of 26 years (similar to the loan for Broughton Avenue Station), and that this annual cost compared favourably with the average cost of running both the existing stations for the last two years, namely £843; further, that the present loan charges on Broughton Avenue Station being common to both the above estimates were not included;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the scheme as outlined above be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee in order that they may make the necessary financial arrangements; and
- (c) that authority be given for tenders to be invited for the carrying out of the work.

277 PUBLIC HEALTH (MEAT) REGULATIONS, 1924.—**FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE OF SLAUGHTER.**—The Clerk reported that as a result of the proceedings which were instituted herein, Mr. Maskell was fined £10 at the Highgate Court on the 1st inst.

278 BURIAL BOARD LAND.—The Surveyor reported upon an interview which the Clerk of the Council and he had had on the 31st ultimo, with the Town Clerk of St. Pancras in regard to this matter, when he stated it was arranged that a letter should be sent explaining the position as regards the water flowing over the fields and how it was proposed to deal with the ditches, gates, etc. On the latter point it was intimated that Mr. Barton, the tenant, had been requested to carry out his obligation with regard to the repair of the fences, etc., and that he had called upon the Clerk on the 1st instant and discussed the matter and had promised to communicate further with him;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a letter, as indicated above, be addressed to the Town Clerk of St. Pancras; and

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) that the Clerk report further on the receipt of the promised communication from Mr. Barton.

279 PUBLIC HEALTH (SMOKE ABATEMENT) ACT, 1926.—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the Coal Smoke Abatement Society enquiring whether the Council would be prepared to appoint two members to attend a conference to be held, if possible, in London in July next, for the purpose of discussing the above matter;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that the Council are in sympathy with the proposal, and that on hearing the date fixed for the conference they will consider the question of the appointment of delegates thereto.

280 HEALTH VISITORS.—A circular letter dated 9th May, 1927, from the Ministry of Health hereon was submitted.

281 TEMPORARY BUILDING—HIGH ROAD, WHETSTONE—CLARINGBULL.—A reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that notice be served upon Mr. Claringbull to remove the above-mentioned structure within 14 days; and
 (b) that, failing compliance with such notice, legal proceedings be instituted under Section 27 of the Public Health Acts (Amendment) Act, 1907.

282 PUBLIC BATHS.—

- (a) Statement.—A statement (circulated) was submitted showing the number of bathers and receipts for the five weeks ended 29th May, 1927. *Annexed*
 (b) Additional lavatory accommodation.—The Surveyor reported that the contractor was making satisfactory progress with this work.

283 CONVENIENCE—SWAN & PYRAMIDS.—

SOIL SEWER—NETHER STREET.—

The Surveyor reported that the work in connexion with these contracts was proceeding satisfactorily.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

284 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR—ADDITIONAL WORKS.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the road works, etc., as indicated by the Surveyor, at an estimated cost of £2,500, be approved; and
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee in order that they make the necessary financial arrangements.

285 SEWAGE ANALYSES.—The Surveyor reported that two samples of effluent were taken from the Low Level Works on the 21st April, 1927, by the Middlesex County Council, and submitted analysis figures relating thereto.

286 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6167—Lay-out—Kimbolton's Estate.—The Surveyor reported that this plan was considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, who were recommending it for approval so far as the lay-out was concerned; further, that the question of the soil sewers was one for this Committee to deal with;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be considered further at the Council meeting, and that in the meantime, the Surveyor discuss same with the Clerk.

- (b) No. 6166—Lay-out—Kay's Nursery Site, Hervey Close.—The Surveyor reported that this plan was considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, and that they were recommending that the lay-out be approved; further, that as regards the soil sewers it was a matter for this Committee to deal with;

RECOMMENDED that the plan be approved so far as this Committee is concerned.

287 LOW LEVEL SEWER—CYPRUS GARDENS.—The Surveyor reported on the necessity of re-laying the section of the low level sewer along this road prior to the proposed new street works, the estimated cost of which was, he stated, £1,750; he added that

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SINKING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHS AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 29TH MAY, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 29TH MAY, 1927.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH.		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Bathers.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Crspdg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.		Dec. in Receipts.												
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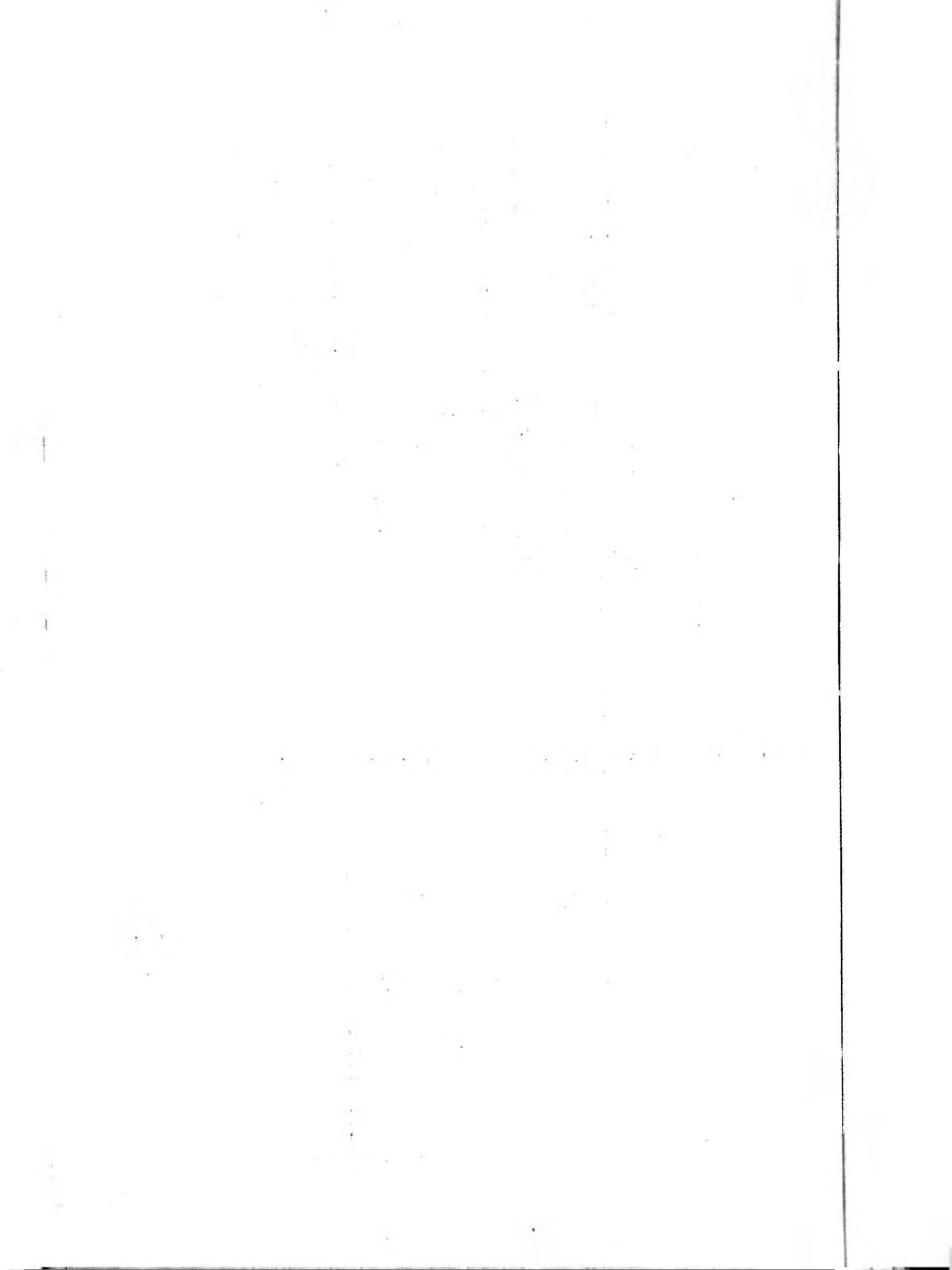
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 282 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June 1927.

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Chairman.

31ST MAY, 1927.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

there were three further sections of the low level sewer to be enlarged, but that there was not the same urgency for this work and that he would report again thereon next year;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the first-mentioned work be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee in order that they may make the necessary financial arrangements; and
- (c) that authority be given for advertisements to be issued inviting tenders for the work.

288 OLD TINS—SALE OF.—The Surveyor reported that he was disposing of the old tins at the dump at 15/- a ton;

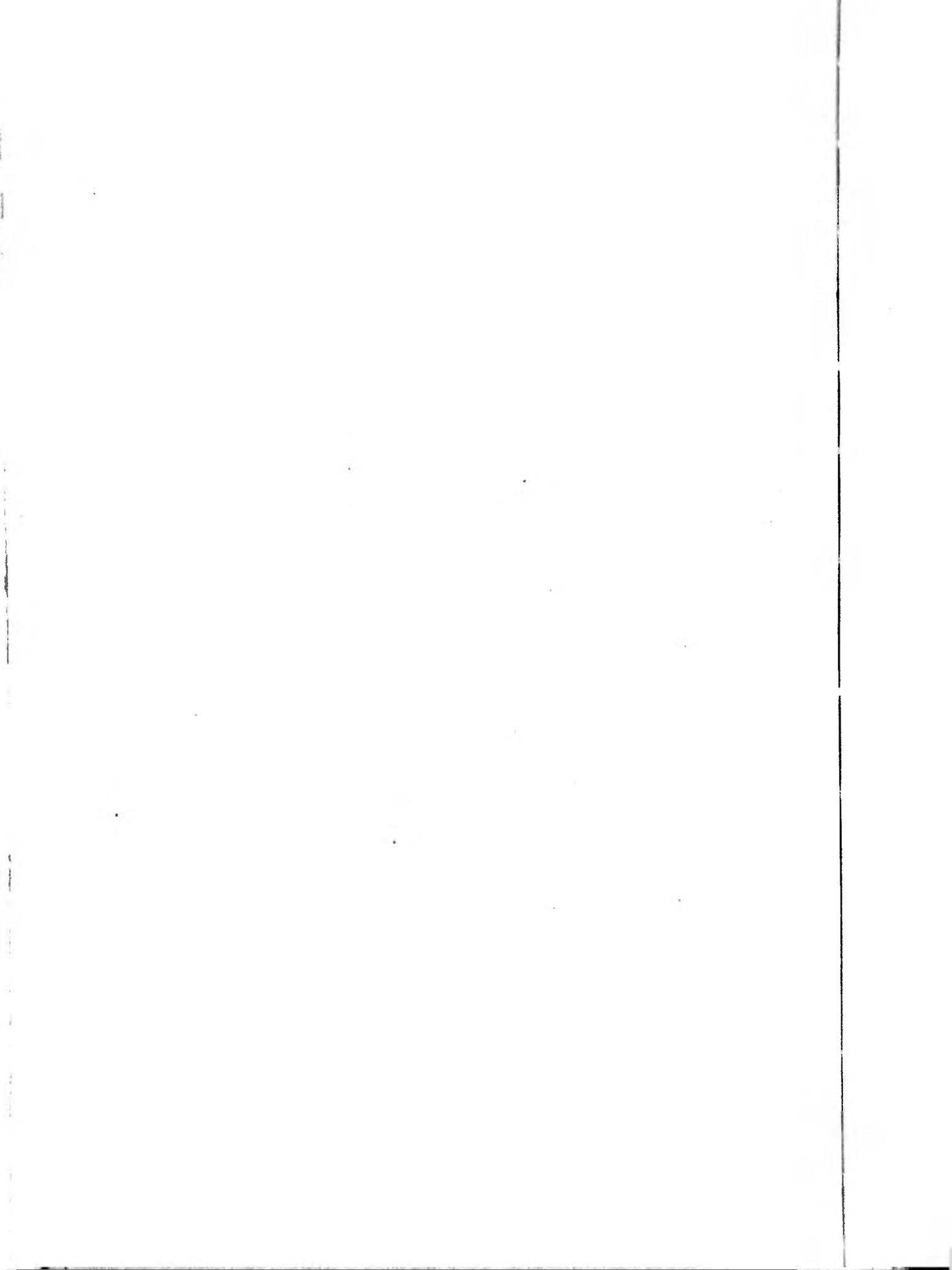
RECOMMENDED that this be approved.

289 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

8th June, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett and Wells.

290 MINUTES.—The Minutes of meetings held on the 20th April and 4th May, 1927, respectively, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

291 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

292 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting :—

Date. 1927.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
May 4th.	12.38 a.m.	13, Rosemary Avenue, N.3	A timber shed building of one floor about 18ft. by 6 ft. used as fowl house and contents destroyed by fire.
May 4th.	1.15 p.m.	105, Squires Lane, N.3	A domestic oven and contents severely damaged by fire and heat in back room on ground floor, used as kitchen—rest of contents in same slightly damaged by smoke.
May 5th.	11.39 p.m.	Boundary fire alarm point, High Road, Whetstone.	Electrical false alarms caused by a defect on the G.P.O. wires.
May 7th.	5.53 p.m.	Public highway, College Terrace, N. 3.	Several mineral oil lamps severely damaged by fire on public highway.

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HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

Date. 1927.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
May 8th.	9.3 p.m.	Gordon Hall, Nether St., N.12	About 50 yards of grass and undergrowth damaged by fire in open field adjoining Gordon Hall.
May 10th.	7.15 p.m.	58, Bedford Rd., N. 2.	A chimney on fire in dining room on ground floor. Contents in same slightly damaged by smoke and dirt.
May 20th.	8.25 p.m.	Open field off Southway, Golders Green	About 30 yards of grass and undergrowth destroyed by fire in open field.

293 STAFF—RETAINED FIREMAN—WHETSTONE SUB-STATION.—

RECOMMENDED that Mr. J. M. Main, of 8, Swan Lane, Whetstone, be appointed a retained fireman on the usual terms, and that the necessary electrical apparatus be connected to his house at an estimated cost of 15/-.

294 No. 1 MOTOR ENGINE—OVERHAUL.—Instructions were given for the No. 1 Motor Engine to be overhauled at a cost of approximately £7;

The Committee expressed the view that it was advisable to make enquiries as to whether a reasonable price could be obtained for this engine, and it was

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council be instructed to insert advertisements in suitable papers inviting offers for the purchase of the machine.

295 SUB-STATIONS—ALTERATION OF HOSE COUPLING AND APERTURE.—The Chief Officer reported that this work was now being carried out.

296 BARNET AND DISTRICT CARNIVAL COMMITTEE.—A letter was submitted from the Assistant Hon. Secretary of the above asking if this Council would consent to one of its fire engines being used in a hospital carnival to be held on the 7th July, 1927;

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HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - MEETING - 6TH JUNE, 1927.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

Amount of estimate £3474. -.-.

Req. No.	Item No.	Amount previously requisitioned.	
			920. 8. 6.
	1.	Accountant to pay Firemen.	125. -.-
48.	8.	Overhaul & renovate 2 fire alarm heads & make as new.	4. -.-
"	"	1 gross of 3/16 brass saddles & pins	3. 6.
"	"	1 common plug & cord - renewal.	10. -.-
49.	9.	1 serge patrol jacket & vest.)	1.18. -.-
"	"	1 pair cloth trousers.) Temporary	1. 2. -.-
"	"	1 flat cap.) Fireman	3. 9.
"	"	1 pair uniform fire boots.) E.J.Evans.	1.78. -.-
"	"	1 suit Dungaree overalls.)	1..2. -.-
"	9.	1 cloth tunic & badge.)	2.15. -.-
"	"	1 pair cloth trousers.)	1..2. -.-
"	"	1 serge patrol jacket.) Retained	1. 7. -.-
"	"	1 cloth cap.) Fireman	3. 9.
"	"	1 neckerchief.) Main.	7. 0.
"	"	1 pair uniform fire boots.)	1.18. -.-
50.	10.	100 galls.No.1 petrol.	5. 8. 4.
51.	11.	4 galls.Brolac glossy paint.	4. 2. -.-
51.	12.	4 roller blinds for Central Station - renewals.	1.14. -.-
52.	12.	12 square yds.linoleum - renewal in watch room.	2.19. -.-
"	"	9 ft. linoleum stair nosing.	9. -.-
"	"	1 bottle lustro lacquer.	15. 6.
53.	14.	Repair leaky hydrant service at High Road, W. Finchley.	2.19.11.
"	"	Timber for hydrant tablets & stakes.	1. -.11.

Ambulance Service.

54.		Supply & fit new fan shaft, bushes & gasket, also new silencer shell.	12. 6.
"		1 gal.foam fire extinguisher.	2. 5. -.-

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252	0	243
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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 8TH JUNE, 1927.

REQUISITION - 9TH JUNE TO 6TH JULY, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 88517 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.	Item No.				
<u>RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
252	0	243 yds sup. repair Asphalt, Great North Road.	224	15	6.
253	0	Patching, Regents Park Road.	37	13	0
254	0	112 yds sup. repair Asphalt, Woodhouse Road.	103	12	0
255	10 0	Patching, North Circular Rd.	50	0	0
256	15	Relay kerb, Regents Park Road.	100	0	0
257	19	Manual Labour, scavenging.	150	0	0
258	20	Team Labour, Do.	20	0	0
259	23	Watering.	25	0	0
260	29	Maintenance, surface water and gullies.	25	0	0

			736	0	6

PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

261	32	East End Road, Holmwood Gardens to Windermere Avenue, $\frac{1}{2}$ retention.	408	7	8
262	78	East End Road and Totteridge Lane scavenging.	15	0	0

			423	7	8

NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

263	27 0	Attending to drinking fountains	3	6	9
264	75 0	Squires Lane, slab paving retention.	17	0	0
265	78	Manual Labour, scavenging.	350	0	0
266	79	Team Do. Do.	45	0	0
267	82	Watering.	60	0	0
268	86 0	Repair path, Clifford Road to)			
269		Sylvester Road.)			
		Do. triangle fence, Gainsborough Road.)	2	11	8
270	87	Maintenance of trees.	25	0	0
271	89	Repair scavenging trucks and tarpots.	30	0	0
272	92	Maintenance, surface water and gullies.	30	0	0
273	95 0	G.P.O. trench reinstatement, Long Lane, Dale Grove, Baronsmere Road.	58	5	6

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2ND JUNE,

Brought Forward.

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Req. No.	Item No.				
		<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>			
274	98	Electric lamps.	533	6	8
274	98				
275	99	Wages - gas lamps.	30	0	0
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PERCIVAL A. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND JUNE, 1927.

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279	0	40 -
280	0	50 -
281	0	75 f
282	0	115
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286		20 e
287		10 e
288		10 e
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292		2000
293		5000
294		12
295		1
296		12

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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.				
276	0	1 roll B.R.C. fabric.	8	3 4
277	0	8000 - 3" x 9" x 4" Wood Paving Blocks.	74	6 0
278	0	74 ft. 12 x 8 circular kerb.	15	2 2
279	0	40 - 2ft 6" 5"x 4" deal.	4	12 1
280	0	50 - 12ft. 3" x 2". 12ft 1½"x 4".	3	6 0
281	0	75 ft. 1"x 6", 27ft. 6"x 3", 47 ft. } 4" x 4" }	1	12 8
282	0	115 ft. 2"x 2", 140 ft. 3½"x ¾", 8 ft. 2" x 4".	-	18 6
283		36 surface water manhole covers and frames.	94	10 0
284		36 soil sewer Do.	94	10 0
285		10 gals. turps.	2	-1 10
285		20 gals. brown gloss paint.	15	0 0
287		10 gals. white do. do.	7	10 0
288		10 gals. do. undercoating.	6	15 0
289		40 tons coke.	65	0 0
290		80 gals. paraffin.	2	18 4
291		1 ton pitch.	5	5 0
292		2000 - 3"x 9"x 3½" wood paving blocks.	15	18 0
293		5000 - 3"x 9"x 4" Do.	45	8 9
294		12 Carron coppers.	36	3 0
295		1 cwt. 5" wire nails.		11 3
296		12 - 3 gal. water cans.	3	3 0

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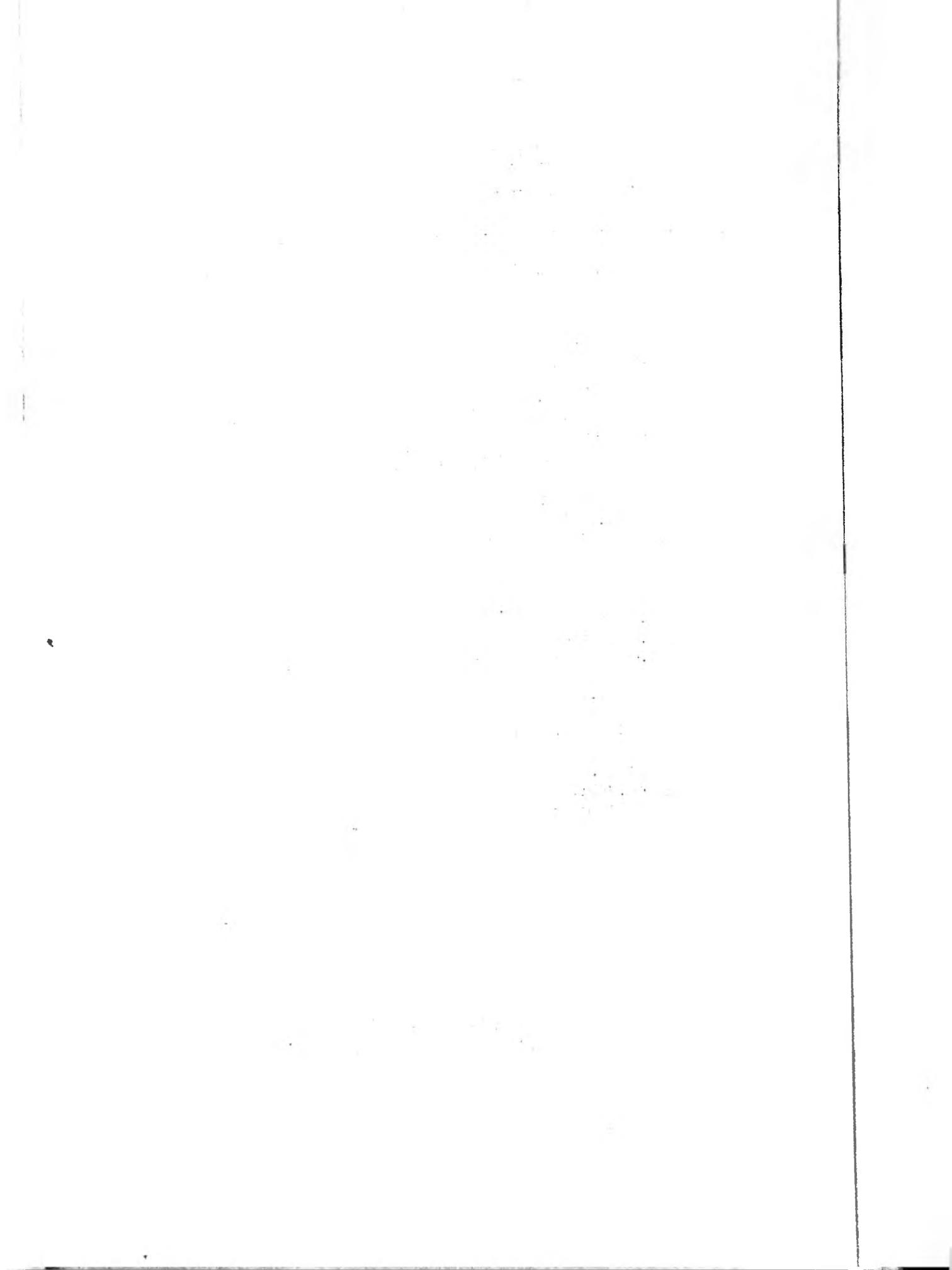
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MUNICIPAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and surveyor.

END JUNE, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 291 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June 1927.

H. Hill



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for No. 1 engine to form part of the procession.

297 **THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.**—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

• 298 **DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.**—It was reported that the under-mentioned property of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with :—

Water Van No. 1.

299 **EAST END ROAD WIDENING BY TALBOT AVENUE.**—The Clerk reported fully hereon, and intimated that his efforts to bring the matter to a satisfactory conclusion had not been successful. He added that the Surveyor had informed him that the strips in question were thrown into the highway at the end of last year ;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be allowed to remain in abeyance for the time being.

300 **STANDPOSTS FOR PETROLEUM.**—Applications were submitted from the North Finchley Motors and Metals, Ltd., Messrs. H. Pope & Sons, Ltd., and Messrs. Eades & Co. severally for renewal of their licences in respect of the above which expire on the 30th June, 1927 ;

The Council's powers in this matter were fully reported to the Committee at the previous meeting.

RECOMMENDED that the licences in question be not renewed by the Council.

301 **ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.**—The Clerk reported that he was continuing his negotiations in this matter, and that he hoped to be in a position to report definitely thereon at the meeting of the Finance Committee.

302 **IMPROVEMENT WORKS—EAST END ROAD—MANOR COTTAGE TAVERN TO HAMILTON ROAD—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.**—It was reported that this matter had at the last meeting of the Council been referred to the Committee for further consideration, and that the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone had written enquiring what was the present position of the negotiations.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with the Town Clerk enquiring whether his Cemetery Committee would be prepared to receive a deputation consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Committee and Councillor Wells for the purpose of discussing the whole question, on the site, when next the Cemetery Committee are visiting the St. Marylebone Cemetery;

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

303 PILLION RIDING.—The following resolution was submitted from the Malvern Urban District Council who, it was reported, had expressed the hope that this Council would see fit to support it:—

- “(1) That this Council views with the greatest concern the ever increasing number of fatalities occurring to motor cyclists with pillion riders, and strongly urges the Government to take drastic steps to minimise this danger by prohibitive legislation.
- (2) That copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Transport, the Minister of Health, local Members of Parliament and all Local Authorities in England and Wales and their central Associations.”

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

304 MIDDLESEX DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.—A copy of the Minutes of a meeting of the Executive Committee of the above Association held on the 25th April, 1927, was submitted. Particular attention was drawn to the resolution urging delay in any negotiations pending between the Council and the Middlesex County Council with respect to the proposals of the latter for the maining of classified roads within this district.

The Clerk reported that this Council were not in any way affected, as no such negotiations were pending between them and the Middlesex County Council.

305 FOOTPATH—HENDON LANE TO HOLDERS HILL.—It was reported that the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee were taking steps under Town Planning Scheme No. 2 for the closing of the above footpath.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

306 BY-LAW—SHOUTING IN STREETS, ETC.—Print of a By-Law made by the Middlesex County Council hereon was submitted.

307 EXTENSION OF SURFACE WATER SEWER—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY SUMMERS LANE.—It was reported that the Ecclesiastical Commissioners had requested the Council to proceed with the carrying out of the above work, and that as regards the cost thereof (estimated at £510), they had undertaken on receipt of the Surveyor's certificate that an amount was due to the Contractor to arrange for the payment of same.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the work be approved; and
- (b) that advertisements be issued inviting tenders therefor.

308 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—A letter, dated the 3rd June, 1927, was submitted from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council stating that the decision of the Ministry of Transport with regard to their contribution towards the cost of this improvement had not yet been communicated to the County Council.

309 HIGHWAYS—MAIN ROADS—TRAFFIC.—

RECOMMENDED that a communication be addressed to the Local Inspector of Police stating that in view of the abnormal increase in the amount of traffic on the main roads in Finchley the Council are of opinion that the time has arrived when further police supervision should be afforded to enable pedestrians to cross the roads with safety.

310 STREET WIDENINGS — REGENTS PARK ROAD — ADDITIONAL WIDENING WEST SIDE.—Referring to paragraph 327 of the Committee's report to the Council dated 9th June, 1926, it will be remembered that the Surveyor reported that the estimated cost of the works of widening the above road on the East and West (part of) sides to 90 feet, between the Electricity sub-station and the brook, was approximately £8,210; that he now understood that the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Transport were willing to make their usual contributions towards such cost, but were not disposed to entertain the Coun-

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

cil's proposals that they should bear the whole cost thereof; that as regards the further widening on the West side to 90 feet he estimated the cost so far as the frontage of the Arden estate and that of the Express Dairy Company were concerned at £4,112, as follows:—

Acquisition of land, Arden Estate frontage	...	1200
Ditto	Express Dairy Co.'s frontage	300
Alteration to entrance to Express Dairy Farm		162
Road Works	2450
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and that he estimated that the proportion to be paid by this Council would be £1,028;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the whole matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to steps being taken for the necessary formal consents to be obtained, and to application being made for sanction to a loan covering this Council's proportion of the cost involved;
- (2) that the Surveyor be authorised to proceed with the carrying out of the improvement so soon as the formalities mentioned in (1) above are complied with and the conveyances have been executed.

The Committee decided to postpone for the present the widening of the Regents Park Road on the East side between Holly Park and the Electricity sub-station.

311 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—17th BATCH.—The Surveyor reported that the work in connexion with the making up of the streets included in the above batch was now practically completed with the exception of the affixing of name plates and other small details.

312 COTTAGES—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—The Surveyor reported that the work in connexion with the erection of the two cottages at the Central Depôt was proceeding satisfactorily.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

313 SURFACE WATER SEWER—NETHER STREET.—The Surveyor reported that this work was proceeding satisfactorily.

314 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted :—

1. Underground line south-east side of Sedgemere Avenue, from Nos. 6/7 to Nos. 21/23,
2. Underground line north side of Summers Lane, from outside Retica to Woodgrange Avenue.
3. Underground line north-east side of Hervey Close, from outside No. 12 to outside No. 16.
4. Underground line across Castle Road, from a point on the south side about 40 yards east of the Great North Road to Castle Mews, west side.
5. Underground line across and along the west side of Woodgrange Avenue, from outside No. 2 to Nos. 35/37.
6. Underground line south-west side of Woodberry Grove, from Ballards Lane to a point about 65 yards south-east of Ballards Lane.
7. Underground line north-west side of Nether Street, from outside Sherborne to outside Enderby.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such applications be approved, subject
 - (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor and (b) to the works' being carried out to his satisfaction ;
- (2) that as regards No. 1, the cost of re-instatement be borne by the Council.

315 TELEPHONE KIOSK.—The Surveyor reported that he understood from the London Telephone Service that Mr. L. Dovey, of the Clock House, High Road, Whetstone, had objected to the proposed telephone kiosk outside his premises ; that the Telephone Service Department had secured a new site adjoining the " Hand and Flower " P.H. and had asked for the consent of the Council in connexion with the matter ;

RECOMMENDED that such amended position be agreed by the Council on the terms of the existing arrangement.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

316 **ELECTRIC MAIN APPLICATIONS.**—The Surveyor reported receipt from the Electricity Department of the under-mentioned applications :—

- (a) Extension of cable East side of Ballards Lane, from Princes Avenue to Long Lane ;
- (b) New feeder pillar on the North side of Princes Avenue ;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised by the Council to these proposals.

317 **GAS MAIN—WOODHOUSE ROAD.**—The Surveyor reported receipt of an application with plan dated 28th May, 1927, from the Southgate and District Gas Company for permission to extend their 4-in. gas main on the south side of Woodhouse Road from a point opposite to Lambert Road for a short distance towards Churchfield Avenue ;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

318 **STREET WIDENINGS—FRIERN BARNET LANE.**—The Surveyor reported that in the Conveyance dated the 7th August, 1925, from the Receiver for the Metropolitan Police District of a plot of land for widening the above road the Council had covenanted that they would at such time as the widening opposite to the late Mr. Sweet's land was effected form and make up the said piece of land as part of the highway with all proper footways and pavements—further, that this additional work was estimated to cost £200, and he suggested that before the application now before the Ministry of Health was amended, tenders should be obtained in order that a definite figure might be ascertained ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the work in question be approved ;
- (b) that tenders therefor be invited ; and
- (c) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

319 **WIDENING—CHURCH END RAILWAY BRIDGE.**—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

"I have seen the Engineer of the L.N.E.R. with regard to the latest suggestion of the Council to widen the above bridge by throwing out footpaths on either side.

Engineering difficulties will arise if such footpaths are more than 5 or 6 feet wide and as this width appears inadequate, I approached the Railway Engineer with a view to obtaining support from the platforms and he has promised to consider the proposals; it has been quite impossible, however, to prepare the necessary plans for forwarding to him."

320 PRIVATE STREET—NAMING OF—LYNDHURST PARK.—Referring to Minute No. 85, the Surveyor reported that the Sub-Committee authorised to approve a name for the new road off Lyndhurst Gardens had accepted that of "Claremont Park."—Approved.

321 APPROACH TO SQUIRES LANE RAILWAY BRIDGE.—The Surveyor presented a petition received by him, signed by 90 rate-payers residing at Nos. 231—279, Squires Lane (formerly known as Heatherton Terrace), drawing the attention of the Council to the following matters:—

- (1) the inefficient surface rain water drainage of the Squires Lane railway bridge approach;
- (2) the disgraceful manner in which rubbish is allowed to drift and accumulate on the bank and down into the lower roadway from Squires Lane; and
- (3) the need for the laying of an electricity cable in order that they might be supplied with electricity.

RECOMMENDED that the petitioners be informed as follows:—

- (a) that as regards (1) above, the Council will take steps to remedy the cause of the complaint;
- (b) that as regards (2) above, the matter is one over which the Council have no control, and that the Council would suggest that they themselves communicate with the Railway Company in regard thereto; and
- (c) that as regards (3) above, the matter is one which will be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

322 REINSTATEMENT OF TRENCHES OPENED BY THE ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.—The Surveyor reported that in connexion with the charges for trench reinstatements, he had agreed with the Electricity Department that a rebate of 15 per cent. be made in the schedule of charges for lengths up to 30 yards, and 25 per cent. for longer lengths;

RECOMMENDED that such arrangement be approved by the Council as an experiment to the end of the present financial year, when the matter be reviewed.

323 DITCH COURSE—EAST END ROAD BY NAZARETH HOUSE.—The Surveyor presented a communication dated the 25th April, 1927, received from Sister M. Aloysia, Superior of Nazareth House;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be authorised to fill in a short length of ditch and form a footpath on the north side of the gateway of Nazareth House at an estimated cost of £15.

324 PROJECTING PILASTER—MR. F. J. MOODY'S PREMISES, TOTTERIDGE LANE, AND GREAT NORTH ROAD.—The Surveyor reported hereon.

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to communicate with Mr. Moody and report further on the matter at next meeting.

325 ADDISON WAY—NAMING OF.—The Surveyor reported that on the 31st May, 1926, the Council decided to agree to the name of Lyttelton Road being substituted for that of Addison Way, but that the old name should be retained for the portion of the road outside the area of the Barnet Bye-Pass Road;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

326 PLANS.—

(a) No. 6167—Lay-out—Kimbolton's Estate.—The Surveyor reported that this plan was considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, who were recommending it for approval so far as the lay-out was concerned; further, that the question of the surface water sewer was one for this Committee to deal with;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be directed to report further as to this at the Council meeting.

- (b) No. 6166—Lay-out—Kay's Nursery Site—Hervey Close.
—The Surveyor reported that this plan was considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, who were recommending that the lay-out be approved; further, that the question of the surface water sewer was one for this Committee to deal with;

RECOMMENDED that the plan be approved so far as this Committee is concerned.

327 NETHER STREET—NORTH FINCHLEY.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a communication from Mr. Arthur R. Edwards, of 28, Nether Street, North Finchley, asking the Council to provide a footpath on the north side of Nether Street from Coleridge Road westwards to the existing footway on the north side.

It was reported that to make Nether Street 40 feet wide at this point would entail the acquisition of a strip of land from the Convent Authorities and the execution of considerable street works;

RECOMMENDED that in the circumstances the carrying out of this improvement be postponed for the time being.

328 SURPLUS LAND—TALLY HO! CORNER IMPROVEMENT.—The Surveyor submitted a communication, dated 27th May, 1927, received from the County Surveyor with regard to the above matter;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that this Council are in accord with the suggestion made by Mr. Dryland, namely that the question of the disposal of the surplus land be deferred pending completion of the improvement works.

329 HAMPSTEAD LANE WIDENING—BISHOP'S AVENUE TO THE HORNSEY BOUNDARY.—The Surveyor reported hereon.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the tender of Mr. Chas. Carter at the sum of £697 19s. 9d. be accepted;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

(b) that having regard to the fact that the amount of the tender is in excess of the Surveyor's estimate, the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

330 FOOTWAY WORKS—WOODHOUSE ROAD.—Referring to Minute No. 1093 (1926/7), the Surveyor reported that the work therein referred to had been carried out at a cost of £25 14s. 1d. ;

RECOMMENDED that application be made to the Middlesex County Council for a contribution towards the cost thereof.

331 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

9th June, 1927.

Present: Councillors Bowen (Chairman), Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Broadbent, England, Grocott and Sommerfield and Messrs. Robin, Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

332 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

333 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) **Summers Lane (Glebe Land).**—The Clerk reported that, on the instructions of the Chairman of the Committee, he had forwarded to the Hon. Secretary and six members of the North Finchley Allotment League a formal invitation to attend, at 8.30 p.m., this meeting; that such invitation had been accepted.

The Committee considered and, subject to certain amendments, approved a statement of suggested arrangements which was submitted by the Chairman as a basis for discussion between the Committee and the Deputation.

The Deputation were then admitted to the meeting, and the Chairman, addressing them, proceeded to outline the history of the Glebe Land since it had come into the Council's possession, and to explain the circumstances which had led to the present developments; the acquisition of the land by the Council; the then existing tenancy of the Allotment League; the Council's obligation to maintain as allotments the land occupied by the League or to provide in lieu thereof other suitable land or pieces of land of a like area in the neighbourhood or elsewhere; the difficulties experienced by the Council in apportioning the land between the various purposes for which they proposed to utilise it; the proposal to lay out areas "D" and "E" as playing fields; the subsequent discovery that such proposal, if carried into effect, would involve the district in unjustifiable expense; and, finally, the considerations which had influenced the Council in deciding to appropriate 11.75 acres of the area marked "G" on the plan for playing fields and to place sites "D" and "E" at the League's disposal. The Chairman then submitted the suggested arrangements before referred to.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

Mr. G. Shipp, who spoke on behalf of the Deputation stated at the outset that they had attended the meeting in an unofficial capacity and certainly not to discuss terms. He urged the Committee to take into consideration the great number of years during which the League had enjoyed possession of their land; suggested that the cost of laying out areas "D" and "E" as playing fields was not so prohibitive as the Council believed to be the case; and submitted that not only was such land more suitable for playing fields than for allotments, but that, for allotments purposes, it was greatly inferior to that which the League at present held.

Following the interview with the Deputation, the Committee discussed the matter further, and decided, despite the attitude adopted by the League's representatives, to

RECOMMEND—

- (i) that the under-mentioned terms be offered to the North Finchley Allotment League in consideration of their vacating on the 29th September, 1927, 11.75 acres of their existing holding and transferring to a similar area comprised in sites "D" and "E":—
- (1) The Council to grant the League a new yearly tenancy, commencing from the 30th September, 1927, of 8.52 acres of site "G" and the said 11.75 acres in sites "D" and "E."
 - (2) Transferring allottees may occupy unofficially their present plots until the 31st December, 1927, for the purpose of clearing the grounds of crops, etc.
 - (3) Transferring allottees to be granted 12 months free tenancy of the new land to the 30th September, 1928.
 - (4) Pig-keeping on the new areas to be prohibited.
 - (5) Each dispossessed pig-keeper transferring to new ground to be compensated with a payment not exceeding £10.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

- (6) Each transferring plot-holder to receive £2 10s. to cover cost of manures, etc.
- (7) The League and the Surveyor of the Council respectively to submit to this Committee estimates of the cost of removing the several greenhouses to the new sites; both estimates to be considered concurrently.
- (8) The Council to fence, drain and level the new ground and to supply garden mould to fill up the existing ponds.

(The Committee estimated the cost of the above proposals at £1,000, approximately).

- (ii) that in the event of the foregoing terms being accepted, the Council consider the question of granting to the League a 10 Years' Lease on their becoming a registered society.
- (b) Lonsdale Meadows—Compulsory purchase of.—The Clerk read a letter, dated 20th May, 1927, from Messrs. Humbert and Flint, from which the following is an extract:—

“ Our clients would not be unwilling to negotiate with the Council for the sale of the land shown on the accompanying plan coloured pink, and we think if an offer of not less than £600 were made, the Council paying in addition our fees and those of our client's solicitors, it would receive favourable consideration.”

It was reported that the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries had consented to postpone fixing a date for the Public Inquiry, pending consideration by the Council of the foregoing communication;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, without prejudice, an offer of £600, plus the fees of the Solicitors and Agents of the Owner, be submitted to Messrs. Humbert & Flint.
- (2) that pending the receipt of a reply to such offer, proceedings for the compulsory purchase of the land be stayed.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

- (c) Finchley Manor.—It was reported that Mr. F. C. Stone, of No. 28, Lichfield Grove, N. 3., had been elected Hon. Secretary of the Finchley Manor Allotment Society.

334 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the officers of the Council, as entered in their instruction books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

**GLEBE LAND.
REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.**

18th March, 1927.

(Referred from the Council Meeting held on the 28th March, 1927).

Present : Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pike, H. O. Syrett, and C. S. Syrett.

335 GLEBE LAND—AMENDED LAY-OUT.—The Clerk read the terms of the reference from the Council and a full discussion ensued in which all the members present participated. The meeting was unanimously of the opinion that to transpose the purposes for which Sites D and E and Site G respectively were proposed to be utilised was a more practicable and economical arrangement than to attempt to put the former areas into such a condition as would fit them for letting as playing fields ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that an area comprising 11.75 acres of the site marked G on plan No. 5877 and adjoining Sites H and I be utilised for playing fields in lieu of Sites D (4.21 acres) and E (7.54 acres) on such plan ;
- (2) that the said Sites D and E and 8.52 acres of that part of Site G as is adjacent thereto (making together the equivalent of the area of Site G) be utilised for allotments purposes instead of the whole of Site G as at present proposed ;
- (3) that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare a plan showing the re-allocation of the land on the above lines ;
- (4) that notice be served upon the North Finchley Allotments League to quit and deliver up to the Council possession of the existing land held by them as Allotments in Summers Lane on the 29th September next ;
- (5) that it be an instruction to the Allotments Committee to consider these proposals generally, and the question of compensation to dispossessed allottees particularly.

GLEBE LAND SPECIAL COMMITTEE (continued).

Annexed 336 SURPLUS LAND.—A letter (circulated) dated the 28th February, 1927, from the Ministry of Health referred to this Committee by the General Purposes Committee was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Site N be retained for the present as an undedicated open space;
- (2) that Site M be also retained for the time being;
- (3) that the General Purposes Committee be asked to consider the question of the greater utilization of Sites H and I pending the ultimate development thereof.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

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MINISTRY OF HEALTH,
Whitehall. S.W.1.

28th February, 1927.

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Sir,

GLEBE LAND.

Referring to previous correspondence and to the interview which you had at this office on the 24th instant, I am directed by the Minister of Health to state that the proposal of the Council to retain the frontage land has been under consideration.

As previously intimated, the Minister has no desire to press the Council to dispose of this frontage land immediately. He fully appreciates the reasons which have been advanced in favour of the Council retaining this land as open land, and so far as the frontage to the Great North Road is concerned, he will raise no objection, but he considers that there should not for the present be any such definite dedication to the public as would preclude the Council from using the land hereafter in some other way which might at the time appear desirable.

With regard to the Summers Lane frontage, it appears to the Minister that the whole of this land should not be retained as open land, but he would see no objection to the Council retaining the part at the Great North Road end until such time as they have come to a decision as to the development of the area of 10 acres at the corner of the two roads.

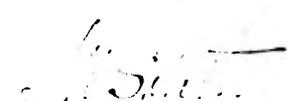
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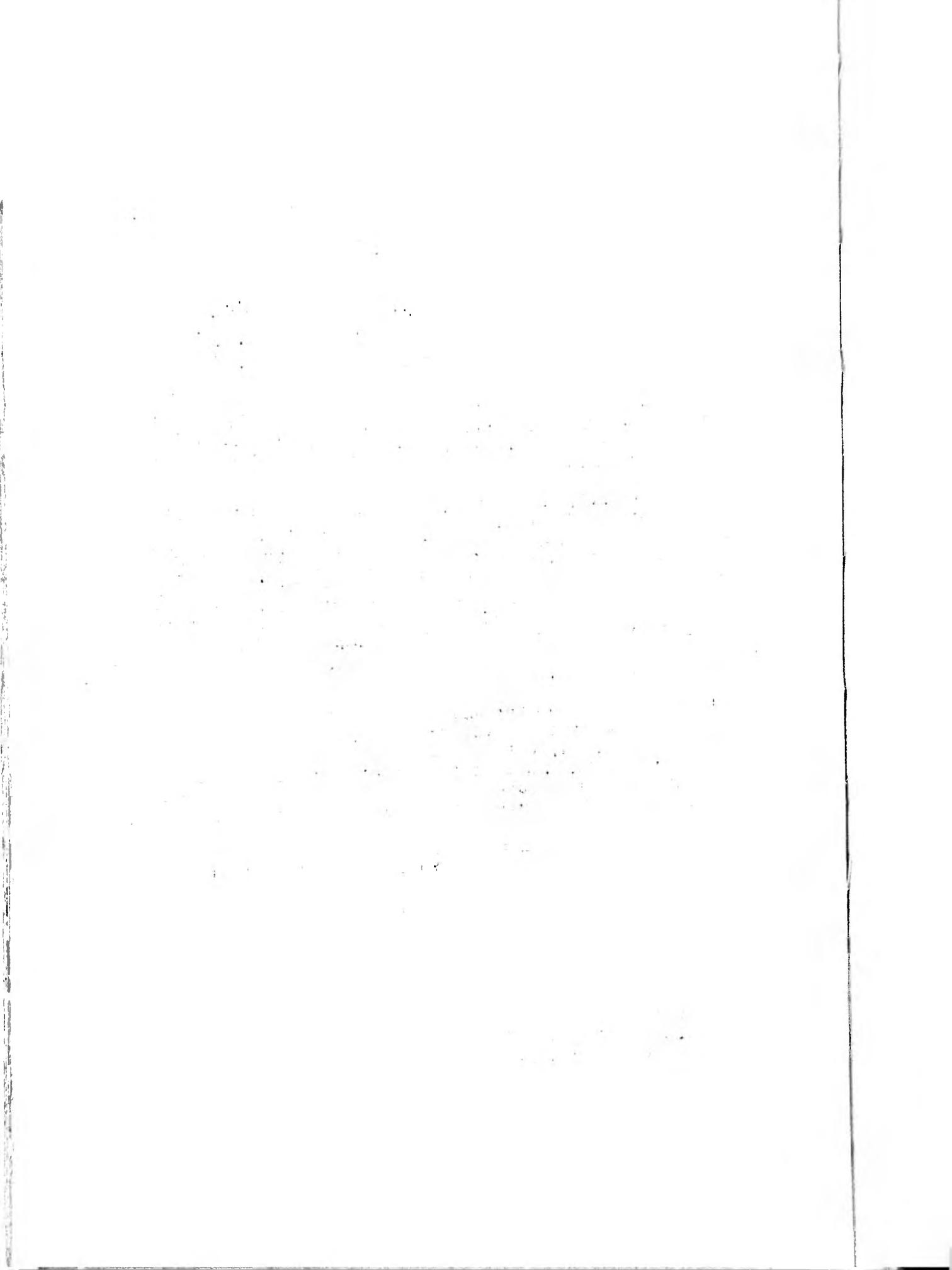
Your obedient Servant

(Sgd) E. ROSS.

The Clerk to the
Urban District Council
of Finchley.

This is a copy of the
letter referred to in
paragraph 556 of the
Glebe Land - Report of
Special Committee
of the 18th March 1927.


Chairman.



REPORT OF EDUCATION COMMITTEE

13th June, 1927.

Present : Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), F. J. Grocott, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E.V. Timberlake, Mr. R. Williams.

337 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £6,013 16s. 2d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

338 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

339 ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended 13th May, 1927, the attendance returns were as hereunder :—

Schools	Official accoun.	Accom. per Council's policy.	Average No. on books	Average Attend- ance.	Percent- age.
Council	4096	3369	2933	2488	84.8
Voluntary	1719	1484	1452	1345	92.5
Total	5815	4853	4385	3833	87.4

340 SUNDAY SCHOOL TREATS.—Your Committee has been in communication with superintendents of the various Sunday Schools in the district. Where the treats have not been fixed for a Saturday, the majority have decided to hold them on either Thursday, June 30th, or Friday, July 1st.

RECOMMENDED that all schools be closed on Thursday, June 30th, and Friday, July 1st, 1927.

341 PHYSICALLY DEFECTIVE CHILDREN.—

RECOMMENDED that this Authority accepts responsibility for the cost of the education and maintenance of a physically defective child who is advised orthopaedic hospital treatment. The charge will be £2 weekly.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

342 CIRCULAR 1388—EDUCATIONAL EXPENDITURE.—Limiting standard of 45/- per head upon Administration and Other Expenditure.

A letter has been received from the Board of Education dated the 9th May, 1927, stating that on the facts as presented to them the Board do not desire to raise any question on the Authority's estimates of expenditure for the year 1927/28 except as regards an item of £100 for playing fields which is reserved for further consideration.

Amended. **343 CONFERENCE OF EXTRA-METROPOLITAN EDUCATION AUTHORITIES.**—A conference was held at the Guildhall on the 17th May, 1927, to consider the Board of Education Circular 1388 and the question of "approved establishments" of teachers—see report circulated.

344 WEAR AND TEAR REPAIRS, ETC.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (i) St. John's School—that the authority contributes its usual proportion of five-sixths towards an expenditure of £2 14s. incurred by the Managers for repairs and decorations to the school cloakroom during the last summer holidays;
- (ii) Holy Trinity School—that the Authority contributes one-half of the expenditure of £9 14s. 3d incurred by the Managers for renewing the gas fittings in certain classrooms of the senior department;

that the Authority contributes one-half of the expenditure of £5 10s. proposed to be incurred by the Managers for a new honours board and writing thereon, and re-painting and re-writing on an existing honours board;

that the Authority contributes its usual proportion of five-sixths towards an estimated expenditure of £24 2s. 6d. on repairs and decorations proposed to be carried out during the summer holidays;

- (iii) Christ Church School—that the Authority contributes its usual proportion of five-sixths of the estimated cost of repairs amounting to £48 proposed to

School on	
Long Lane M.	I.
Albert St. S.	J.
Squires L. B.	G.
"	I.
North Rd. S.	
Central	
Classes	
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St. Mary's M.	I.
"	I.
St. John's	
Mxd. & Infs.	
Christ Ch.	
Mxd. & Infs.	
H. Trinity M.	
"	I.
Handicraft:	
Long Lane	
Albert St.	
North Road	
Domestic Sub	
Long Lane	
Albert St.	
North Road	
Totals	

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Second Requisition, 1927/1928.

School or Centre	Amount allowed for year	Approximate amount spent	Estimated amount of second requisition	Total of first and second requisitions	Caretakers cleaning requisites
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Long Lane M.	145. - -	50. 2. 2	46. 13. 3	93. 15. 5	11. 8. 3
" I.	30. - -	11. 15. 6	10. 2. 6	21. 18. -	
Albert St. S.	160. - -	95. 4. 2	39. 5. 10	134. 10. -	6. 1. 7
" J.	62. 10. -	8. 5. 6	26. 19. 9	35. 5. 3	
Squires L. B.	96. - -	42. 14. -	34. 17. 10	77. 11. 10	5. 10. 7
" G.	100. - -	52. 7. 6	21. 12. 3	73. 19. 9	
" I.	44. - -	15. 3. 3	7. 12. 1	22. 15. 4	
North Rd. S.	60. - -	25. 2. 7	23. 7. 3	48. 9. 10	2. 5. 3
Central Classes	105. - -	37. 2. 4	37. - . 6	74. 2. 10	
North Rd. J.	85. - -	38. 8. 5	25. 13. 11	64. 2. 4	
St. Mary's M.	92. 10. -	40. 5. -	33. 2. 9	73. 5. 9	2. 10. 11
" I.	22. 10. -	8. 8. 5	9. 15. 5	18. 3. 10	
St. John's Mxd. & Infs.	76. - -	34. 14. 5	23. 11. -	58. 5. 5	2. 16. 6
Christ Ch. Mxd. & Infs.	120. - -	41. 10. 10	40. 16. 11	82. 7. 9	4. - . 6
H. Trinity M.	70. - -	21. 13. 3	22. 12. 5	44. 5. 8	4. 14. 5
" I.	18. - -	4. 15. 6	2. 8. 2	7. 3. 8	
<u>Handicraft:</u>					
Long Lane	40. - -	7. 5. 1	14. 12. 9	21. 17. 10	
Albert St.	42. 10. -	14. 8. -	14. 18. 7	29. 6. 7	
North Road	50. - -	16. 16. 11	22. 6. 8	39. 3. 7	
<u>Domestic Subjects:</u>					
Long Lane	32. 10. -	3. 11. 4	2. 10. 5	6. 1. 9	
Albert St.	32. 10. -	6. 5. 7	6. 1. 4	12. 6. 11	
North Road	32. 10. -	4. 14. 9	2. 4. 7	6. 19. 4	
T o t a l s	1516. 10. -	580. 12. 6	468. 6. 2	1,048. 18. 8	39. 8. -

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 338 of the Education Committee's report of the 13th June, 1927.

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A Conference of Extra-Metropolitan Education Authorities was held at the Guildhall, Westminster, S. W. 1., on Tuesday, May 17th 1927 to consider Board of Education Circular 1388 and the question of "approved establishments" of teachers.

Representatives of the following Authorities were present:-

Acton.	Enfield.	Leyton.
Barking.	Erith.	Middlesex.
Beckenham.	Finchley.	Penge.
Brentford &	Hendon.	Richmond. (Surrey)
Chiswick.	Heston-	Tottenham.
Ealing.	Isleworth.	Twickenham.
East Ham.	Hornsey.	Walthamstow.
Edmonton.	Ilford.	West Ham.
	Willesden.	
	Wimbledon.	
	Wood Green.	

Mr. H. R. Darlington, Chairman of the Middlesex Elementary Education Sub-Committee, presided.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Conference:-

That this conference of Extra Metropolitan Local Education Authorities expresses its strongest objection to general "limiting standards" for any part of the cost of education, as proposed in Circular 1388 of the Board of Education.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to the President of the Board of Education, the Association of Education Committees and Members of Parliament for the Divisions represented by the conference.

That this conference of Extra Metropolitan Local Education Authorities urges the Board of

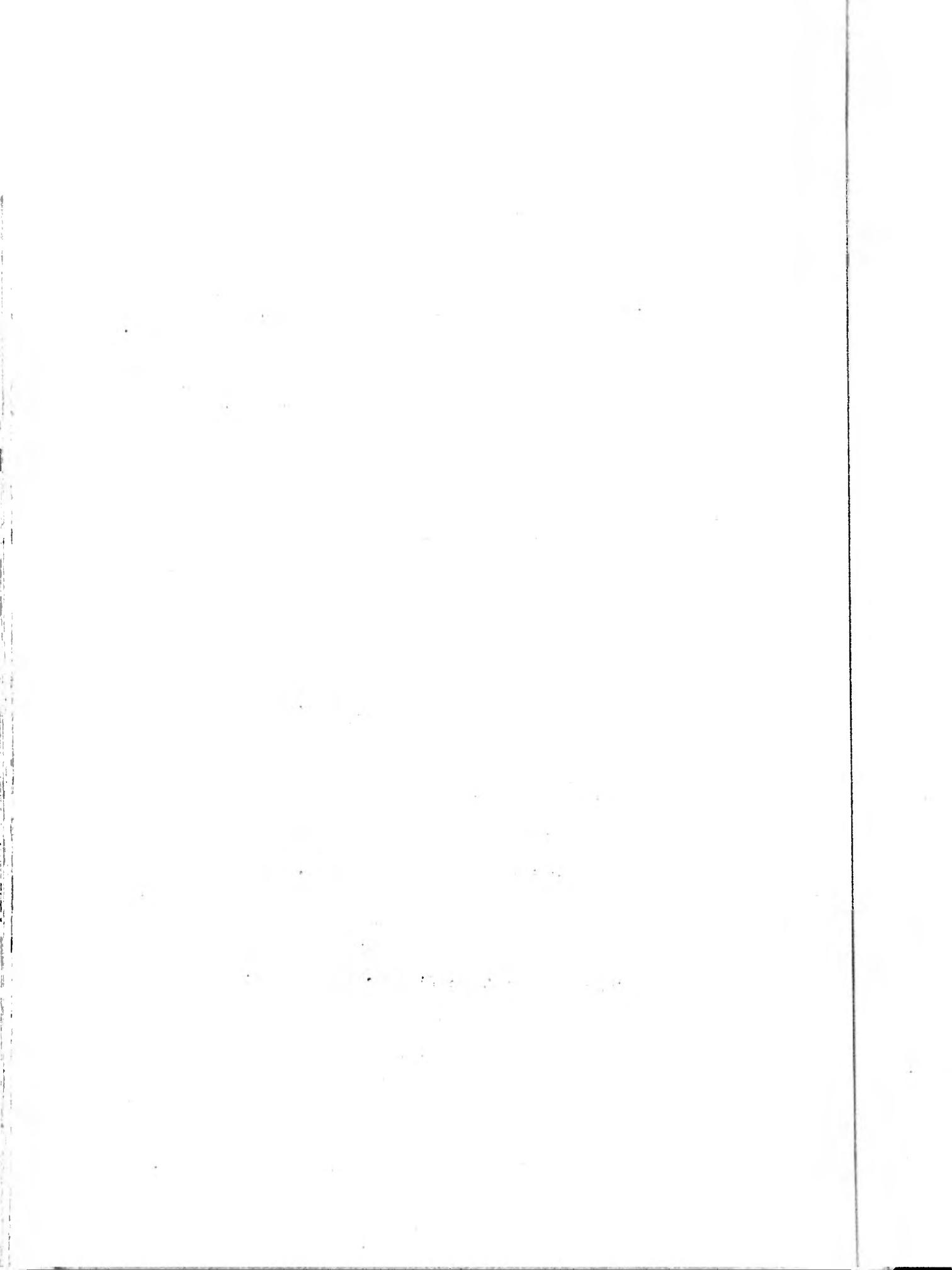
This is the report referred to in paragraph 543 of the Education Committee's report of the 15th June 1927.

Education not to fix any "approved establishment" of teachers which would have the effect of -

- (a) increasing the number of children per teacher in the area of any authority.
- (b) decreasing the proportion of fully qualified teachers in any area.

H. R. Darlington
Chairman.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to the President of the Board of Education and to the Association of Education Committees.



EDUCATION (*continued*).

be carried out by the Managers during the summer holidays.

345 LONG LANE SCHOOL—ILLNESS OF CARETAKER.—

RECOMMENDED that approval be given to a total expenditure of £20 incurred during the illness of the caretaker, Mr. Glenister, from the 31st March to the 14th May, during which period Mr. Gibbs acted as supply at a weekly wage of £3.

346 BURSARS—APPOINTMENT.—

RECOMMENDED that the Middlesex Education Committee be informed that this Authority approves the appointment of the under-mentioned as bursars, and undertakes to appoint them as student teachers in Finchley Elementary Schools at the conclusion of their bursar year, subject to a satisfactory report at the end of that period :—

Olive Cooper,
Sybil Cook.

347 STUDENT TEACHERS—APPOINTMENT.—

RECOMMENDED that the under-mentioned be appointed student teachers in Finchley Elementary Schools during the year commencing the 1st August, 1927, under the terms and conditions of the Committee's Scale of Salaries, and subject to the requirements of the Board of Education :—

Gwendoline Cooper,
Marjory Hyslop,
Marjorie Stringer,
Gladys Austin.

348 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—Supply teachers, previously approved, are serving as under :—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. Collison ...	L.L.I. ...	1/5/25
Mrs. Barrett ...	A.S.J. ...	13/4/26
Mrs. Martin ...	S.M.I. ...	22/4/26
Mrs. O'Donnell ...	S.J. ...	1/4/27
Mrs. Nicklin ...	S.M.M. ...	1/4/27
Miss Smyth ...	S.L.I. ...	25/4/27
Mrs. Berrey ...	S.J. ...	9/5/27

RECOMMENDED that approval be given to the appointment of the following supply teacher, at a salary in accordance with the Scale :—

Name.	School.	From.	In place of.
Mrs. Gunn	S.M.M.	24/5/27	Teacher absent ill.

349 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—The plans of the proposed Roman Catholic School and a letter dated the 25th March, 1927, from the Board of Education have been considered;

RECOMMENDED that the plans of the proposed Roman Catholic School submitted by the Rev. J. C. Joyce be returned and that Father Joyce be informed that the Education Authority has no observations to make thereon other than it is noticed that most of the classrooms are shown to provide accommodation for 40 children each only, whereas the policy of the local Education Authority is for classes of 45 children.

350 EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT.—The Education Committee has had under consideration the proposals contained in the Programme of this Authority for the three years 1927/30 and the communication from the Board of Education, dated the 7th January, 1927, relating thereto.

Your Committee now

RECOMMEND that further consideration of the under-mentioned proposals contained in the programme of educational development relating to the three years 1927/30 submitted to the Board of Education in February, 1926, be deferred for twelve months, namely :—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

- (a) the provision of the first section (for junior scholars) of the school on the Woodhouse Estate;
- (b) in connexion with the erection of the school on the Woodhouse Estate provision for one open-air classroom to accommodate 30 children, with dining and rest room.

351 CHILDREN'S CARE SUB-COMMITTEE AND JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.—Reports of meetings held on the 2nd June, 1927, have been circulated to members.

Amended

352 PAYMENT OF SALARIES—JULY AND AUGUST.—

RECOMMENDED that arrangements be made for the payment of the July and August salaries before the schools break up on the 28th July. (The schools re-open on Thursday, 1st September).

D. A. A. MERRY,

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REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE CHILDREN'S CARE SUB-COMMITTEE held
on Thursday, 2nd June, 1927.

Present:- Councillor H. G. Sommerfield; Mrs Miall,
Miss L. Davey; Messrs. E. A. Bolding,
A. B. Green, J. T. Harveyson, R. Williams.

(a) Chairman.

Mrs A. S. Miall has been elected Chairman of this Sub-Committee for the ensuing year.

(b) Physically defective child.

A scholar attending one of the elementary schools has been undergoing operative treatment in the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital, and has been prescribed a pair of surgical boots and a walking instrument. The hospital authorities will contribute £2 towards this expenditure, and it has been resolved that this Committee shall undertake responsibility for the balance of £3.10. 0.

(c) Middlesex Edward VII Memorial - holidays.

The first party of twelve girls proceeded to the Hostel at Herne Bay, for a week's holiday, on Tuesday, the 31st May.

A. S. Miall,
Chairman.

REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE held
on Thursday, 2nd June, 1927.

Present:- Mrs. A. S. Miall; Miss L. Davey, Miss
M. Shoults; Messrs. H. Barker, E. A. Bolding
R. Fouracre, A. E. Green, W. G. Harper,
E. A. Price.

(a) Chairman.

Mrs A. S. Miall has been elected Chairman of this Committee for the ensuing year.

(b) Ministry of Labour - Inspection.

On the 20th May 1927 an inspector from the Ministry of Labour attended at the Bureau and conducted a test examination of title to benefit.

(c) Juvenile Employment Bureau.

The following represents the placings through the agency of the Bureau during the period 25th January to 16th May 1927:-

Occupation	Girls	Boys	Total
builder's labourer	-	1	1
Carpenter	-	2	2
Cashier	4	-	4
Clerical	13	9	22
Domestic (Daily	10	-	10
" (Resident)	2	-	2
Delivery or Orders	-	5	5
Dressmaking	1	-	1
Engineering (Electrical)	-	3	3
" (Motor)	-	5	5
Factory (Electrical)	-	2	2
" (Cork works)	2	-	2
" (Magneto parts)	4	-	4
" (Optical)	7	3	10
" (Tiling)	-	1	1
Nursery (Flowers)	1	-	1
Photographic	-	1	1
Porter	-	1	1
Shop assistant	12	2	14
Training Ship "Warspite"	-	1	1
Upholsterer	-	2	2
Van-guard	-	1	1
T o t a l:	56	39	95

(d) After-Care work.

The total number of school leavers at Christmas was 82 girls and 68 boys; total 150. As a result of the visits paid to their homes the information obtained as to their occupations may be classified as follows:-

GIRLS:

Domestic	17
Shop assistants	9
Clerks	7
Newsagent's asst.	1
Millinery	2
Dressmaking	1
Laundry worker	1
Seed packer	1
Factory workers	2
Learning trades	2
At home	17
Further education	9
Out of district	1
Seeking work	12
	<u>82</u>

BOYS:

Errands	20
Engineering	9
Metal worker	1
Painter	1
Carpenters	3
Riveter	1
Clerks	4
Shop assistants	3
Factory workers	2
Milk boys	2
Cabinet maker	1
Electrician	1
Van boy	1
Upholsterer	1
Learning trades	12
Further education	3
Seeking work	3
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A. S. Miall,
Chairman.

These (together with the preceding page) are the reports referred to in paragraph 351 of the Education Committee's report of the 13th June 1927.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th June, 1927.

Present: Councillor Merry, Vice-Chairman (in the Chair), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

353 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

354 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

355 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Clerk reported that he had communicated with Lord Rothermere's Agent giving full particulars of the Council's last resolution and asking for an appointment for the purpose of discussing any outstanding matters in connexion with the above, but that up to the present he had not received any reply. He added that it was possible that Lord Rothermere's Agent was at the moment in Paris.

356 NORTH LONDON TRAVELLING FACILITIES COMMITTEE.—

(a) A copy of the Minutes of a meeting of the above Committee held on the 18th May, 1927, was submitted.

(b) The Committee considered the question of the appointment of a representative on the Committee vice ex-Councillor Bennett;

RECOMMENDED that Councillor Toyne be so appointed.

357 NATIONAL PLAYING FIELDS ASSOCIATION—APPEAL.—The Committee considered a report (circulated) of the Chairman of the Council and of the Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee in regard to the above;

Annexed

Arising thereout it was

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that the appeal of the London and Greater London Committee of the National Playing Fields Association be supported by this Council;

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*)

- (2) that an independent Appeals Committee be formed, consisting of, in the first instance,

The Chairman of the Council,
 The Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee,
 The Chairman of the Education Committee,
 Sir Charles Morgan-Webb, C.I.E., Kt.,
 The Rector,
 The President of the Finchley Rotary Club,
 Stanley Wildash, Esq.,
 The Manager of the Midland Bank, Ltd. (Church End Branch),
 The Manager of Barclays Bank, Ltd. (Church End—24, The Broadway, Branch),
 The Manager of Lloyds Bank (North Finchley Branch),
 The Manager of Barclays Bank, Ltd. (East Finchley Branch),
 J. J. Ward, Esq.,
 Rev. J. Middleton,
 Dr. T. W. Hicks, J.P., C.C.,
 S. Pulham, Esq.,
 W. Isaac, Esq.

- (3) that if sufficient support be forthcoming, arrangements be made to acquire :—

- (a) Land adjoining North Road Schools, provided it is possible to acquire an additional area carrying the strip through to the Hornsey boundary.
 (b) A site fronting or in close proximity to the East End Road—Brackenbury Road area.
 (c) A site in the Hampstead Garden Suburb for later development.

- (4) that the Surveyor be directed to prepare a list of other vacant lands in the district of a suitable nature which would be likely to be available, and to place same before the Appeals Committee and also before this Committee;

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL
 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 14TH JUNE, 1927.

WORKMENS' DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 14TH JUNE, 1927.

WORKMENS' DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

"0" = expended or on order.

	SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			TOTAL
	£.	s.	d.	1st Scheme.	Assisted Scheme.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.	209	5	0	404	5	0	1641
REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	7	5	9	49	6	9	94
Req. No.							
297 0 Wages and team labour - 28th April to 25th May, 1927.	3	8	6	29	17	4	71
298 0 Stores transfer - May, 1927.	5	4	3	24	9	4	35
299 0 Clean out boiler and flow pipe, fit 1/2" draw off tap for emptying, fitting new fire bricks, making good, etc..... 27, Crescentway.					1	10	11
300 0 Clean out boiler and pipes, fitting new tees, plugs, connectors and draw off tap, making good, etc..... 149, Summers La.					1	16	0
301 0 Remove old, supply and fit new 20 gal. 8" plate hot water tank..... 36, Ingleway.					3	10	3
302 0 Repair defective pipe over copper, 2 ft. new pipe, wiping joint and refix tap. 131, Squires La.	-	16	7				-
TOTAL.	£	16	15	1	103	13	5
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

9TH JUNE, 1927.

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1 " "
3 " "
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1 doz.
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GENERAL PROPOSES COMMITTEE

REQUISITIONS - JUNE 1927.

Estimate for year	28893. - . -.
Amount previously requisitioned	4175.13. 1.
<u>Ordered since last meeting</u>	
5 quires analysis paper	1. 5. -.
Repairs & elements - radiators.	1.10. -.
60,000 bostich fasteners.	5. . -.
500 bowls tickets.	4. 6.
150 " season tickets.	10. 6.
1 attacho case for receipt books &c.	18. -.
1 pair breeches - Messenger.	1.15. -.
40 receipt books - Electricity.	12. - . -.
20 " - tennis courts.	2. 5. -.
1 ordnance map.	7. 6.
200 allotments agreements.	10. -.
100 forms L.L.C.	3. 6.
Advertising - Asst. Road Foreman.	3.10. -.
" - Town Planning Scheme (2 papers)	3.15. -.
Engraving testimonial - Mr. Wildash.	2. 2. -.
Binding index Council Minutes.	1.5. -.
500 account forms - Fire extinguishment.	1.5. -.

New Requisitioned.

Clerk's Department.

Printing Minutes & Reports - June, 1927.	20. - . -.
Binding General Letter Book.	1. 1. -.
Binding Interdepartmental Letter Book.	1. 1. -.
2 reams draft typing paper (Inglewood)	1. 5. -.
1 ream brief dc.	
1 box draft carbons	12. 6.
Binding case for Committee reports	5. -.

Surveyor's Department.

150 wages sheets.	8. 5. -.
150 stores sheets.	9. -.
2 doz. "Slip In" files.	13. 6.
3 " Ideal pocket book refills.	5. -.
1 " soft rubbers.	5.12. -.
3 " time book refills.	3.10. -.
5 reams 1/2o headed notes.	1.15. -.
10 quires Cabro stencils.	5. -.
1 doz. Halden's green erasers.	2. 3. -.
2 letter books.	19. 6.
1000 Requisition sheets.	10. 5. -.
1000 building plan forms.	2.12. 6.
3 manifold reinstatement books.	1.14. 6.
1 popular binder.	3. - . -.
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2 rolls printing linen No. 5413.	2.13. -.
1 50 ft. patent metallic tape No. 2070.	7. 3.
1 cake burnt umber	7.
1 cake Payne's grey	7.
1 cake Cadmium yellow	10.
1 cake violet carmine	1. 3.
2 rolls stout Ferre-gallic paper	14. 4.
1 roll 30" Imperial tracing cloth.	3. 4. -.

Public Health Department.

Repairs to car - M.O.H.	19.11.
2 tyres, 1 inner tube & sundries & cycles.	1.15. -.
1 rubber stamp.	6. 3.
2 notification books - P.H. (Meat) Regs.	14. 6.

Finance Department.

6 rubber stamps - Allotment names.	9. -.
2 do. - Gulton Way & Hill Top.	3. -.
1 do. "Poor Rate"	2. -.
1 register of advances - Small Dwgs. Acquisition Acts.	17. 6.
4 hand books - Electricity Collector.	3.15. -.
3000 "Final Notice" Rates.	1.10. -.
500 Licence deposit receipts.	12. -.
200 rate statement forms.	6. 6.

Stores.

1 gross pen nibs.	3. 6.
2 reams blotting paper.	4.12. -.
1 doz. H Royal Sovereign pencils.	3. 9.
2 doz. H.B. "	7. 6.
3 sequence files.	10. -.
40,000 Windsor envelopes.	13.10. -.
Franking do. 1/2d.	83. 6. 8.
Overhauling lighting in basement.	4. -.
6 packets gummed slips.	- 8. -.
1 gallon black ink.	11. 8.
1 qt. red "	4. -.
4 reams faint ruled foolscap	1. 4. -.
2 doz. pen holders.	4. -.
1 Fire Record book (5 years)	5. 2. 6.

Valuation Department.

2 springback files.	11. -.
Telephone instrument.	2. 7. -.
1 doz. 2nd series representation - Central) Valuation Committee.	1. 6.

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These (together with the two preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in the General Purposes Committee's Report of the 14th June 1927. (Paragraph 354.)

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The National Playing Fields Association was formed in 1895 following a speech by H.R.H. the Duke of York, in which he deplored the scarcity of playing fields for children. The Duke of York became President, and the Duke of Sutherland Vice-President of the Association, which has been intimately supported by H.M. the King and Queen. The King commanded the Lord Lieutenant of each County to convene a meeting for the purpose of establishing a County Branch of the National Playing Fields Association. The London and Greater London Branch was duly formed, with the Marquis of Crewe, K.G., P.C., as President.

The Committee will remember that the Prince of Wales on Wednesday of this week broadcast an appeal in connection with the million pounds which the National Playing Fields Association is organising this month.

The London and Greater London Branch has on its Committee the Mayors and Chairmen of Urban District Councils as ex-officio members, in addition to each Authority being represented by another of its members. The Finchley Council has appointed the Chairman for the time being of its Town Planning Committee, and in that capacity we have received a request to organise the appeal for funds in Finchley.

The Chairman of the Appeals Committee for Greater London is the Member for Finchley, Major Cadogan, C.B.

We have given the matter very careful consideration, so that we might be in a position to make recommendations to the Committee as to the steps, if any, which the Council should take with reference to the appeal. The matter should be considered from three standpoints :-

(1) The Desirability of Supporting the Appeal.

This cannot be questioned in view of the very high influential support which the movement has, and, speaking generally, the urgent need for playing fields.

(2) Local Applicability.

While we would not in any way minimise the large number of acres of open spaces which the Council has secured, it is necessary in this connection to distinguish between open spaces and playing fields, and we are of the opinion that an increase in the number of playing fields is needed now, and will be so with future development of the district.

We believe it will be the desire of the Council to give support to the appeal, and consequently we are of the opinion that a local appeal should be made for local needs.

(3) Ways and Means.

We think it is desirable that an ^{un}official Committee should be formed, with the support of the Council, to organise the appeal in the district, and to make suggestions as to possible additions to the playing fields already in possession of the Council.

Many Local Authorities are supporting their local appeals by a £ to £ contribution. The Committee should be representative of donors rather than users of any field when given, and need not therefore be a very large Committee.

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We understand that an unofficial Committee is looked upon with more favour by the W.P.F.A. than would be a Committee of the Council, as the latter would be liable to the charge that it was throwing on to the appeal that which it would not do out of rates. We, therefore, wish to recommend :-

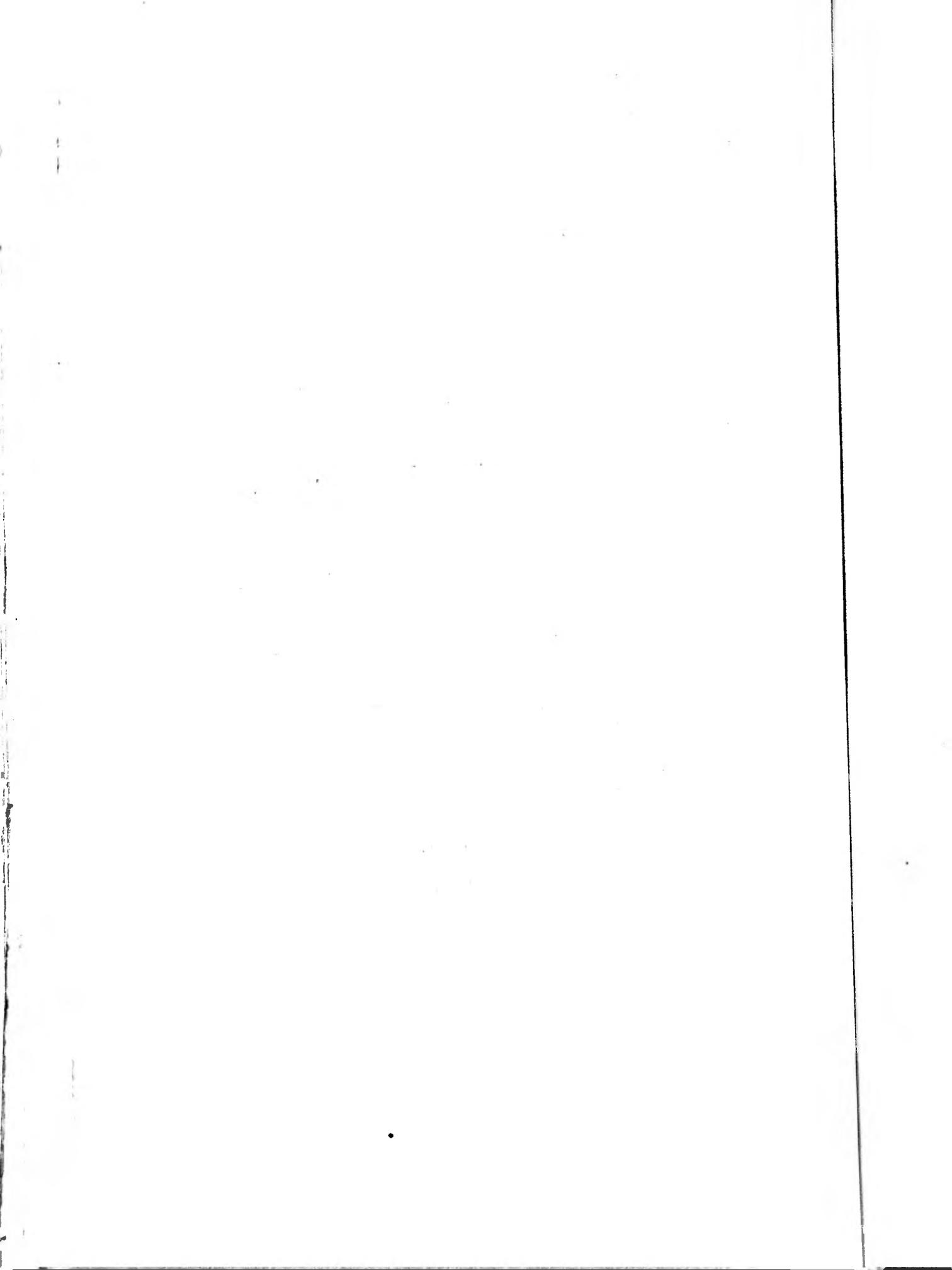
- (1) That the appeal of the London and Greater London Committee of the National Playing Fields Association be supported by this Council;
- (2) That an independent Appeals Committee be formed, consisting of, in the first instance,
 - The Chairman of the Council,
 - The Chairman of the Town Planning Committee,
 - The Chairman of the Education Committee,
 - Sir Charles Morgan-Webb,
 - The Rector,
 - The President of the Finchley Rotary Club,
 - Stanley Wildash, Esq.,
 - The Manager of the Midland Bank, Ltd.,
 - John Boggon, Esq.,
 - Rev. J. Middleton,
 - Dr. T.W.Hicks, J.P., C.C.
- (3) That if sufficient support is forthcoming, arrangements be made to acquire :-
 - (a) Land adjoining North Road Schools, provided it is possible to acquire an additional area carrying the strip through to the Hornsey boundary.
 - (b) A site fronting or in close proximity to the East End Road - Brackenbury Road area.
 - (c) A site in the Hampstead Garden Suburb for later development.

H. O. SYRETT.

A. T. PIKE.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report referred to in paragraph 357 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 14th June 1927.

M. J. Pitt
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (5) that the Clerk of the Council be authorised to convene the first meeting of the Appeals Committee for a date to be fixed at the Council meeting.

358 PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS—9, THE HAWTHORNS.—The Clerk reported that, he and the Surveyor had interviewed Mr. H. C. Cole (Trustee) on the 2nd instant, when the question of the consent of the Lessees of Greta House to the additions proposed to be made by the Council to the above premises, was discussed; that Mr. Cole had stated that he would shortly be seeing his co-Trustee, and that the Council could take it that the Trustees would consent to the Council's proposals, subject to an Agreement providing that :—

- (1) The wall of the addition nearest to Greta House be not a party wall, but that they have the right to use it in connexion with any erection which they might build there, subject as regards the latter, to the Council's By-laws;
- (2) The top portion of proposed addition be used as offices only and the under portion for storage of bicycles;
- (3) No chimney stack be erected, but any smoke shaft be connected to the flue of the existing building at No. 9, The Hawthorns;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council be directed to prepare an Agreement embodying the above terms, subject as regards No. 2 to the words " motor cars or " being inserted before the word " bicycles."

359 EMPIRE DISPLAY WEEK FOR LONDON—JULY 18th—23rd, 1927.—Reference was made to a communication received by the Chairman of the Council from the Chairman of the Empire Display Week Committee in connexion with the above;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that the Council are in sympathy with the proposal and will be prepared to support same so far as they are able.

360 THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ASSISTED HOUSING SCHEMES) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS, 1927.—A print of the above, extending the date for revision of the Exchequer Subsidy to the 31st March, 1928, was submitted.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

361 EX-TREASURER OF THE COUNCIL.—The Clerk reported that the testimonial to Mr. Stanley Wildash had now been engrossed and was ready for sealing by the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the testimonial be presented to Mr. Wildash at the Council meeting;
- (b) that the expenditure in connexion with the engrossing and framing of the testimonial be borne by the Members of the Council.

362 STAFF.—

- (a) Clerk's Department—Typist.—It was reported that Miss A. E. Sharp had written expressing her thanks to the Council for the extension of holiday granted to her.
- (b) Finance Department—Typist.—It was reported that the Medical Officer of Health had examined Miss E. Thom and had found her to be in good health and of sound physique.
- (c) Clerk's Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—The Clerk reported that he had found it necessary to employ a temporary typist in his department from the 18th May, 1927, at a cost of 12/6 a day, owing to depletion in the staff caused through the resignation of Miss Coombes.

The Committee approved the Clerk's action, and also authorised him to retain the services of the temporary typist until the 18th June, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that the expenditure in connexion with the matter be approved.

- (d) Finance Department—Junior Clerk.—

RECOMMENDED that Mr. R. D. Channon be appointed as a Junior Clerk in the above department on three months' probation at an inclusive salary of £65 per annum.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

(e) Finance Department—Junior Clerk.—

RECOMMENDED that the salary of Mr. A. Philpot, a Junior Clerk in the above department, be increased by 5/- per week with effect from the 27th June, 1927.

(f) Surveyor's Department—Draughtsman.—The Surveyor reported that Mr. H. R. Anstee, who was appointed in October, 1926, to assist in connexion with the Town Planning Scheme No. 2 and with the Private Street Works, etc., had obtained another appointment and was leaving the service of the Council on the 18th instant ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that Mr. A. S. Hamilton, a pupil in the department, be appointed to fill the position vacated by Mr. Anstee ;
- (b) that the appointment have effect as from the date of the termination of his Articles in September next ;
- (c) that the Surveyor report further on the matter at a later date.

363 ALEXANDRA PALACE AND PARK.—The following resolution was submitted from the Hornsey Borough Council, who asked that this Council would consider the advisability of making a representation to the County Council similar to that contained in the second paragraph thereof :—

“ That the Council make a contribution of £500 per annum for a period of three years towards the maintenance of the Park, on condition that such an amount is contributed by other local authorities as will, with the Council's contribution, be sufficient to maintain the Park as an Open Space during the period referred to.

The Committee also **RECOMMEND** that, with a view to the preservation of the open space referred to and of obviating the necessity for continued appeals by the Trustees of the Palace and Park, the County Authority be requested to take into consideration the possibility of promoting, by agreement with the Trustees and the neighbouring Local Authorities, a scheme for the re-organisation of the trust on a permanent and self-supporting basis.”

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter for the following reasons, viz. :—

- (1) that, beyond a contribution towards the purchase of the Palace and Park, the Council has never entered into any further financial obligation ;
- (2) that it has no representative on the Governing Body.

364 HOARDINGS. — An application was submitted from Messrs. Walton Harvey, Ltd., for permission to erect a panelled hoarding on the frontage of the land at Woodhouse Road (at the junction of Summers Lane), and on the Glebe land ;

RECOMMENDED that such application be not entertained.

365 LAND JUNCTION OF WOODHOUSE ROAD AND SUMMERS LANE.—The District Valuer's report in connexion with the above was submitted.

366 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND OTHER OFFICERS' SUPER-ANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

- (a) Retirements.—It was reported that a number of officers and servants in the employ of the Council would shortly be due for retirement, and the Committee considered each case separately in conjunction with references from the various Committees concerned ;

RECOMMENDED that the recommendations of the Committee as shown in the last column of the under-mentioned statement be adopted :—

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

Name of Office or Servant.	Department and position.	Date due to retire.	Committee's recommendation.
1. Shepherd, F.	Electricity Department— Public Lighting Foreman.	30th June, 1927 (by extension).	that as from the 30th June, 1927, Mr. Shepherd be granted the superannuation allowance to which he is entitled under the Act.
2. Scruton, E. J.	Electricity Department— Clerk.	26th November, 1927. N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mr. Scruton's services be retained until the 31st March, 1928.
3. Billimore, D.	Surveyor's Department— Sweeper.	7th September, 1927.	that as from the 7th September, 1927, Mr. Billimore be granted the superannuation allowance to which he is entitled under the Act.
4. Hutchings, A. H.	Surveyor's Department— Roller Ganger.	14th July, 1927. N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mr. Hutchings' services be retained until the 30th June, 1928.

(b) Vacant Designated Post—Outdoor Assistant and Chief Building Inspector — Surveyor's Department.—The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee, he had been in communication with the Ministry of Health hereon, who had written stating that if the Council proposed to appoint Mr. Tabor to a post which had already been designated, the provisions of Section 4 (1) of the Act would not be applicable;

RECOMMENDED that, as from the 27th June, 1927, Mr. R. F. Tabor occupy the designated

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

post of Outdoor Assistant and Chief Building Inspector in the Surveyor's Department.

367 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS.—

- (a) W. Messeter.—The Clerk reported that the Council had resolved that payment of full wages to this employee be continued until the date of the ordinary Council meeting in June, 1927, and submitted a letter, dated 30th May, 1927, from the Insurance Company on the matter;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Company be informed that the Council have no light work which they can offer Messeter; and
- (2) that as and from the 28th June, 1927, he be paid a sum of 30s. a week (including therein compensation of 27s. 6d. a week).

- (b) J. H. Betts (deceased).—

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 1950 (1926-27) be continued pending settlement of the claim.

368 GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.—Communications were submitted from the Chief Gas Examiner forwarding copy of his determinations made under Section 9 (a) of the above Act in respect of the Barnet District Gas and Water Company and the North Middlesex Gas Company.

369 AVENUE HOUSE—ATTORNEY-GENERAL v. THE COUNCIL AND OTHERS.—The Clerk submitted the Deed of Transfer herein to which three alterations had been made by the Registrar. He also stated that upon the transfer being completed the Solicitors to the Executors would require payment of the sum of £692 11s. 3d. as per account already submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Deed of Transfer as now submitted be approved;
- (2) that the said sum of £692 11s. 3d. be paid, subject to the account being verified.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

370 PRESENTATION OF TABLET—SITE OF COBLEY'S FARM.—
The Chairman of the Council reported upon an offer which had been made by Major Cadogan, M.P., to present a tablet to be placed near to the site of the above farm, once the literary retreat of Charles Dickens;

RECOMMENDED that such offer be accepted with thanks by the Council.

371 GLEBE LAND—ENTRANCE—OPPOSITE TO SQUIRES LANE.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to arrange for the erection of at least four posts at above; to erect a chestnut fencing; to fill in the gaps in the hedge, and to carry out certain repairs to the path, at an estimated cost of £15.

372 MORTUARY KEEPER.—A communication was submitted from Mr. F. Shepherd stating that, as he was due to retire on the 30th June, 1927, he would be glad to know whether he would be required to relinquish his position as Mortuary Keeper;

RECOMMENDED that his services as Mortuary Keeper be retained for the time being on the present terms.

373 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—COMPASSIONATE GRANTS.—

(a) J. Wood (deceased).—

RECOMMENDED that a gratuity at the rate of 7s. 6d. a week be granted to the widow of the above ex-employee for a further period of six months from the date of the last payment.

(b) J. Bowman (labourer).—The Surveyor reported receipt of a letter dated 3rd June, 1927, from Mr. G. T. Roberts, step-son of the above, asking the Council to grant some financial assistance to his step-father; that Bowman had been absent, owing to illness, since 13th December, 1926; that he was a road labourer, aged 67 years; that he had been in the service of the Council for 24 years, his present wages being £2 18s. 2d. a week, and that during the period of his illness he had received a sick allowance of 13 weeks' half pay, less National Health Insurance benefit;

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that an allowance of £1 a week be granted to the employee in question until the 31st December, 1927.

374 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND.—

- (a) New Bowling Green—Pavilion.—As a matter of urgency the Surveyor reported hereon, and instructions were given to him to provide 50 lockers this year instead of 100 (as estimated), and to bring the matter up again next year for further consideration ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (b) Proposed Putting Green.—This matter was discussed and Councillor Pike undertook to raise it at the Council meeting.

375 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman (*pro tem*)

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

15th June, 1927.

Present : Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Agar, Bowen, Ryan and H. O. Syrett and Mr. R. A. Marples.

376 MINUTES.—The Minutes of meetings held on the 20th April and on the 11th May, 1927, respectively, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

377 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

378 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

379 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 550 tons as compared with 300 tons at last meeting; that the stock of Bohemian Brown Coal had been reduced by about 20 tons and was now 440 tons; further, that there was a tendency for the price of coal to stiffen;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer be approved:—

141 tons Scotch Washed Peas,
100 tons Pooley Hall Beans,
48 tons Arley Peas,
14 tons Yard Slack.

Annexed

380 FUEL OIL.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that the contract for this commodity expired on the 31st March, 1927, leaving a balance of 147 tons to be taken; he further reported that he had been successful in arranging for a continuance of deliveries on advantageous terms;

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

381 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had examined the new boiler after the renewal of defective rivets and had stated that these rivets had been satisfactorily renewed;

ELECTRICITY (continued).

and that the boiler was subjected to hydraulic test up to 175 lbs. a square inch.

382 TURBINE.—It was reported that No. 2 (3,000 K.W. turbine) had been partially dismantled and the blade system removed and that everything appeared to be satisfactory.

383 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

Applications for supply	8024 = 363839 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	7973 = 356701 „ „ „
Increase	51 = 7138 „ „ „
Lamps connected	308002 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1437)	4530 „ „ „
High c.p. lamps (45)	796 „ „ „
Total	313328 „ „ „
Last meeting	309747 „ „ „
Increase	3581 „ „ „
Applications in hand but not yet connected	*57 = 4523 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 57 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

384 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (a) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had, since last meeting, been laid in portions of St. Margaret's Avenue and Dollis Road.
- (b) Feeder Diversion.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that he was arranging for the feeder pillar at the junction of Long Lane and Ballards Lane to be removed to a position on the north side of Princes Avenue and that the additional cost involved was approximately £60;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such amended position be approved;

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500 gallons tar.....	18.18.	7.
50 carboys distilled water.....	11.	5. 0.
Boiler parts.....	10.	0. 0.
Meters.....	500.	0. 0.
Testing meters.....	10.	0. 0.
100 pairs house cut-outs.....	81.	5. 0.
10 cwt. box compound.....	32.13.	4.
Premium - motor car insurance.....	6.11.	6.
Rental of cable drums.....	10.	0. 0.
120, 4", 2 way conduits.....	20.	1. 4.
300, 4" single way conduits.....	23.10.	0.
Cleaning 6 gross sponge cloths.....	3.	0. 6.
200 gallons petrol.....	10.16.	8.
500 tons of coal.....	825.	0. 0.
Carting 500 tons of coal.....	56.	5. 0.
10 gallons aluminium paint.		
4 gallons indestructible paint.		
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1,000 yards .0225 concentric cable...	144.	0. 0.
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2, 4 way network boxes.....	63.11.	0.
3, 3 way network boxes.....	84. 7. 6.	£ 627.15. 2.

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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 377 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 15th June 1927.

G. J. Pett
Chairman.

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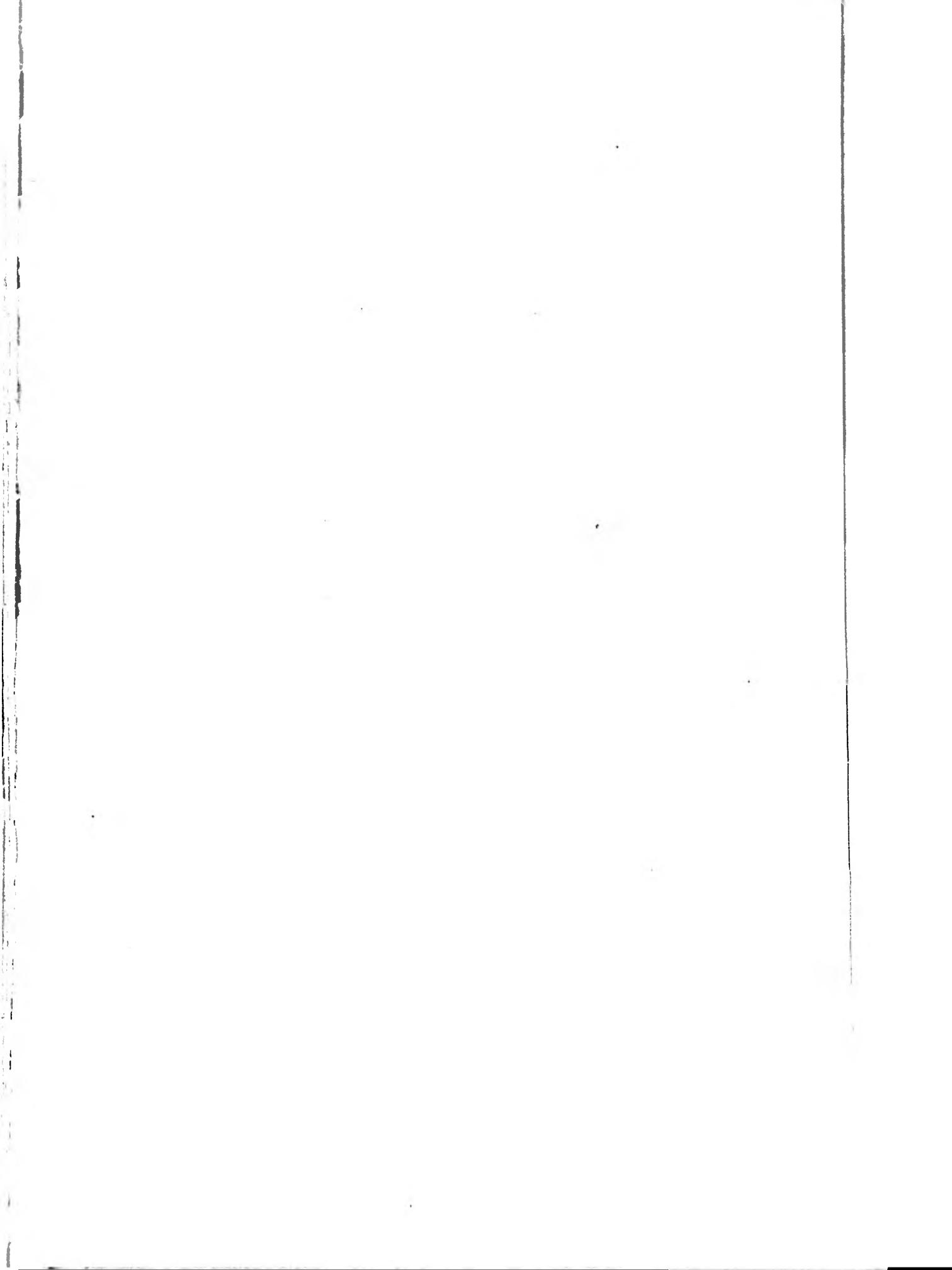
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48	Arloy Peas	@	20/- " "
14	Yard Slack	@	

The above is an extract from the Electrical Engineer's report relating to prices of the coal referred to in paragraph 379 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 15th June 1927.

M. Syrett
Chairman,



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

- (2) that the Highways and Fire & Water Committee be charged the additional expenditure incurred in connexion with the matter.
- (c) Extension Boiler.—It was reported that this boiler had again been put under steam, although a few matters still required to be completed by the contractors.
- (d) High Tension Feeder and Sub-Station Extensions, 1926—Percy Road Site.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, as he understood that no difficulties had arisen in connexion with this site, he had instructed the contractors to proceed with the laying of the necessary high tension mains so as to avoid delay and interference with Ballards Lane after road construction.

The Clerk reported that the Electricity Commissioners had sanctioned the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £500 representing the amount of the purchase price of the site, repayable within a period of sixty years; further, that the completion of the purchase of the site was fixed for the 24th instant.

- (e) Proposed Sub-Station—Cherry Tree Wood.—
- (1) It was reported that the formal approval of the Minister of Health to the use by the Council of a small part of the above Open Space as a site for an Electricity Sub-Station had now been received.
- (2) The following resolution received from the Middlesex County Council was submitted :—
- “ That, subject to the erection of a verandah for the use of the public on the three sides fronting on to the Open Space, no objection be raised by the County Council to the erection by the Finchley Urban District Council of a small electricity distributing sub-station at Cherry Tree Wood not exceeding 40 feet by 20 feet in area, in the position indicated on the plan now submitted.”
- (3) A letter was submitted from Messrs. Clutton stating that the Ecclesiastical Commissioners had referred to the Official Solicitor the matter of the release of the covenant, who agreed that it might be carried

out by an endorsement on the original conveyance and that the draft would be forwarded in due course; further, that as regards costs they understood that the Official Solicitor's charges would be three guineas plus stamps and that they proposed to place their own charges at two guineas;

RECOMMENDED that payment of the charges mentioned above be approved.

- (4) The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, in his opinion, it was desirable that instructions should be given for the manufacture of the necessary plant and apparatus to be put in hand, and submitted the following quotations received by him:—

Callenders Cable & Construction Co., Ltd. High Tension and Low Tension Cable Works (approximately)	£3140
Universal Housing Co., Ltd.— Sub-Station Building, including verandah	756
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd.— Rectifier Plant	3850
Reyrolle & Co., Ltd.— High Tension Switchgear	947
	£8693

RECOMMENDED—

- (i) that the Chief Electrical Engineer be authorised to accept the above quotations; that he interview the Electricity Commissioners and ascertain when the sanction to the loan will be issued, and that he report to the Council in Committee with a view to the works being put in hand forthwith;
- (ii) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contracts.

385 REVENUE ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEET—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The above-mentioned accounts were submitted;

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that the accounts and balance sheet be received and adopted;
- (b) that, as from the commencement of the September quarter, 1927 :—
- (1) the increase of 20 per cent. made by the Council in the charges for supply of electrical energy for all purposes be discontinued;
 - (2) that the charges for electrical energy for Private Lighting and for Power, Heating and Cooking Purposes be at the under-mentioned rates, viz. :—

PRIVATE LIGHTING—a flat rate of 4½d. per unit for all units consumed or the maximum demand rate of 6d. per unit for the first hundred hours' use per quarter of the maximum demand and 3d. per unit for all subsequent units consumed during that quarter;

POWER, HEATING AND COOKING PURPOSES—at the rate of 2d. per unit for the first 90 hours' use per quarter of the maximum demand and 1d. per unit for all other units consumed in that quarter. Consumers with a load factor of 33⅓ per cent. and upwards a flat rate of 1d. per unit.

- (c) that the Clerk of the Council be instructed to give public notice under the provisions of the Finchley Electric Lighting Order, 1899, of the Council's intention to make the above-mentioned revision in the charges for electricity.

386 ELECTRICAL ENGINEER'S TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.
—The above was submitted and instructions were given for the report, accounts and balance sheet to be printed and circulated to the Members of the Council;

Annexed

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be approved;
- (b) that the action taken with regard to the printing of the report, accounts and balance sheet be approved.

387 ELECTRICITY CHARGES—IRRECOVERABLE ARREARS.—

RECOMMENDED that the following amounts be written off as irrecoverable :—



Electricity Undertaking.

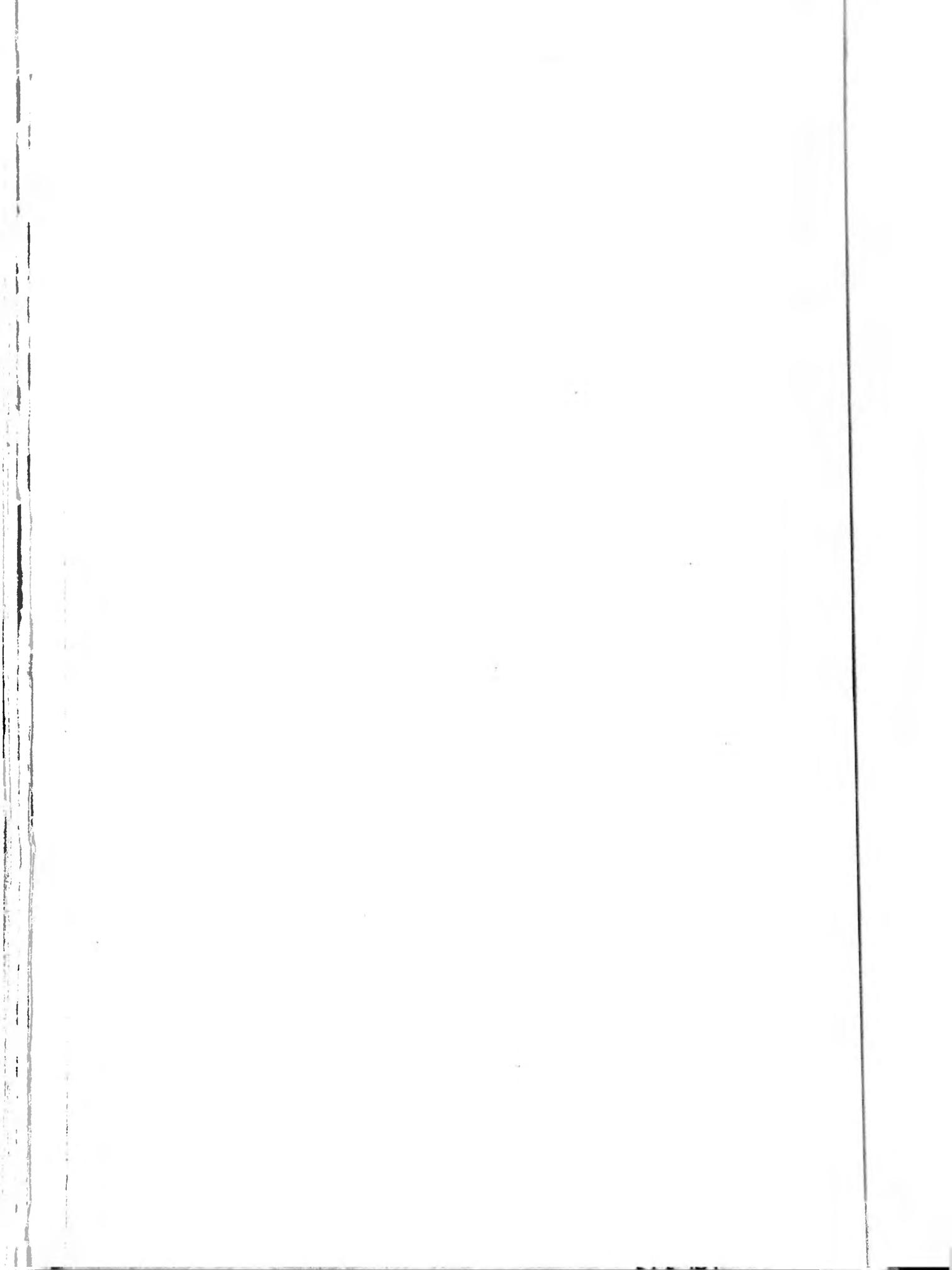
ENGINEER'S REPORT, ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEET

FOR

Year ended 31st March, 1927.

E. H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.



The Electrical Engineer submitted his Annual Report as under-printed:—

TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,

1. I have pleasure in presenting you with my Annual Report for the twenty-third complete year of your Electrical Undertaking ending the 31st March, 1927.

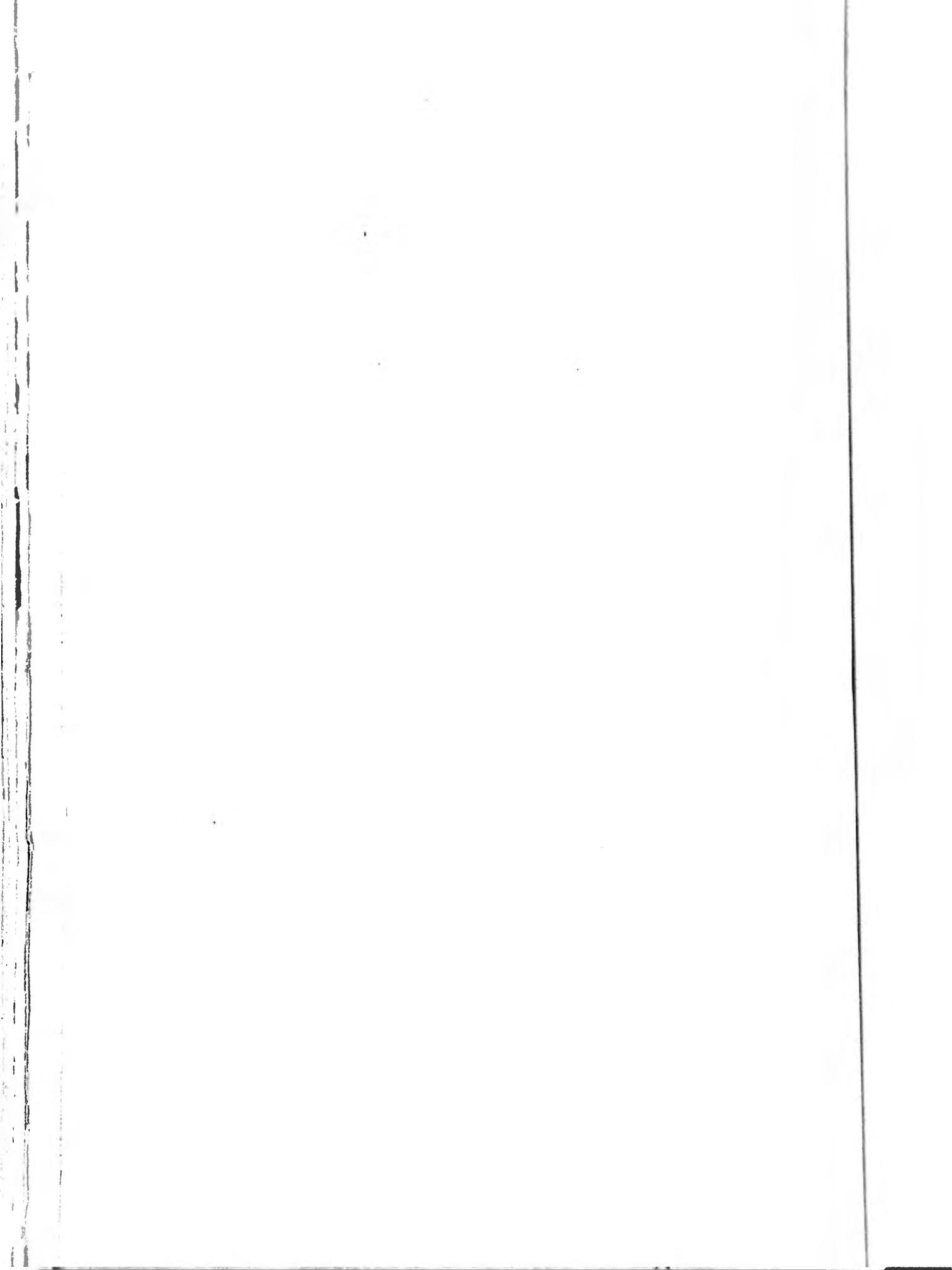
2. CAPITAL A/C. EXTENSIONS.

- (a) *Loans.* Application was made to the Electricity Commissioners and their sanction obtained for the borrowing of £16,120 for the general extension of mains and consumers' connections.

Application was also made for the sanction to a loan of £24,000 for an extension 2,900 kilowatt turbine.

The sanction of the Electricity Commissioners was obtained for a loan of £24,575 for high tension feeder and sub-station equipment, this forming part of an application for £29,000, any balance to be adjusted on completion of the work.

- (b) *Feeders, Mains and Consumers' Services.* During the year about 3,820 yards of new distributing mains and about 14,000 yards of service cable were laid by direct labour, in addition about 13,850 yards of high tension feeders, low tension feeders and pilot cables were laid by contract. 553 services were laid or laid and connected and 270 connected only.
- (c) *Sub-stations.* The sub-station at Hill Rise (Hampstead Garden Suburb) was built, equipped and put into temporary use on December 23rd. It was unfortunately not possible to proceed with the proposed North Finchley sub-station owing to the difficulty of acquiring a suitable site. The Ballards Lane sub-station building was extended but the equipment was not completed during the financial year. The extension equipment at the Whetstone sub-station was practically completed and the new 500 kilowatt rotary converter was run experimentally on the 23rd and 24th March.



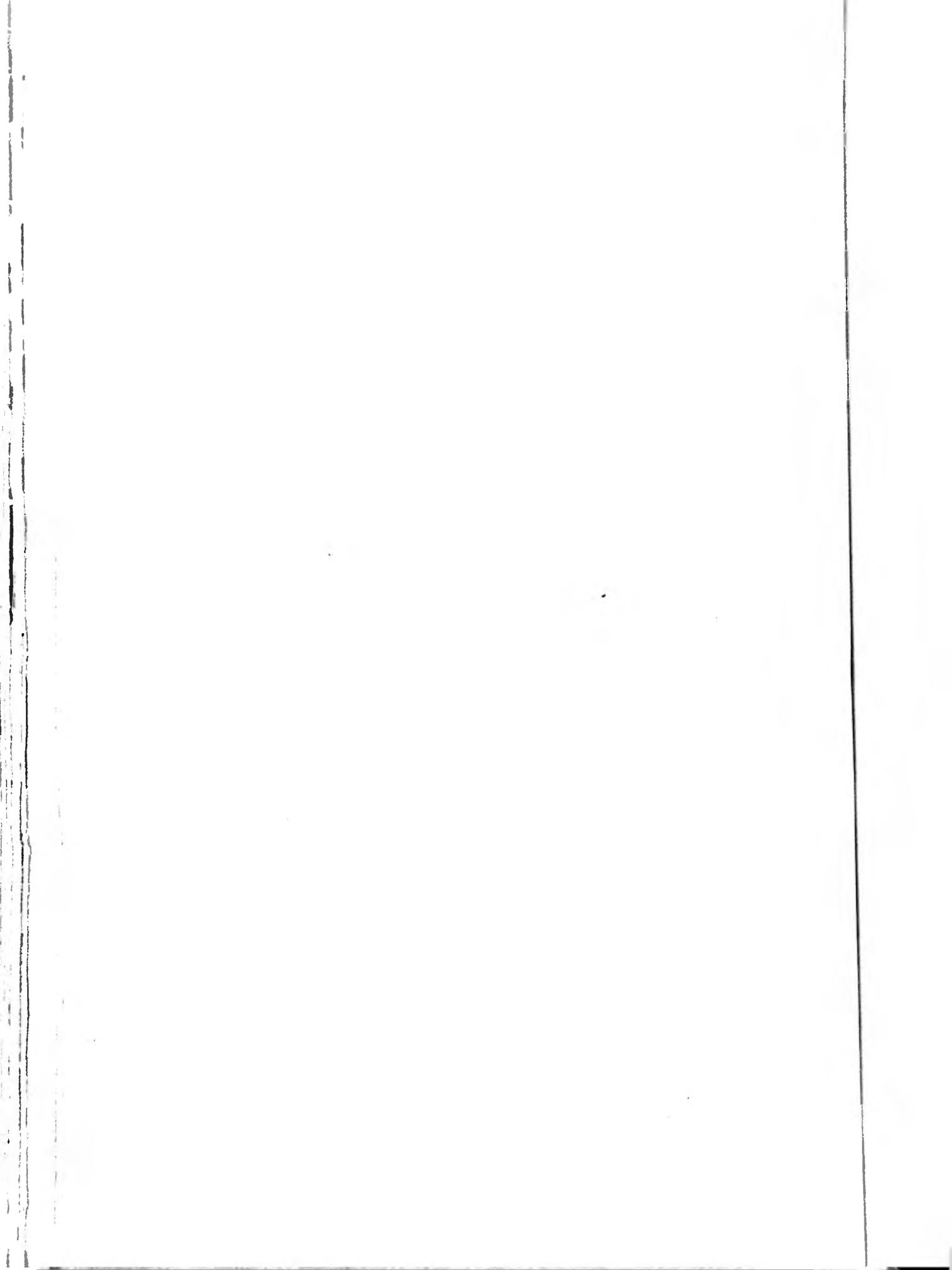
- (d) *New Boiler.* The work of dismantling your original boilers Nos. 1 and 2 commenced on the 25th May. The contract for the new boiler, which was placed during the previous year, specified completion not later than the end of August; unfortunately, owing to the abnormal circumstances which prevailed during the greater part of the year, it was not possible to complete this boiler during the financial year but steam was available, as a matter of urgency, about the middle of February.

3. PUBLIC LIGHTING.

During the year 41 new columns have been erected and put into lighting and many minor improvements have been made in the public lighting generally. Although there have been 135 cases where public lamps have been damaged, in most instances the damage has been small and you will be pleased to learn that only 3 cases of wilful damage have been reported to the police as compared with 102 three years ago.

4. REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE.

- (a) *Plant.* Owing to the general disorganization, due to the critical industrial situation, it was not possible to carry out extensive repairs, your No. 1 turbine was dismantled and overhauled and any other matters of an urgent nature received attention. Unfortunately the foreign coal obtainable, was, in many instances, of such an inferior character, that a greater number of boilers were required in use and this reduced the possibility of executing boiler repairs which could only be carried out with exceptional difficulty. As I reported last year your Nos. 3 and 4 boilers have now been in use for about 24 years and should be replaced without undue delay.
- (b) *Mains.* Your distributing system has been properly maintained but, as I have previously reported, more extensive repairs may be anticipated in the future, particularly in consequence of the many excavations now being made for various purposes. The modern construction of roads will increase the cost of repair work.
- (c) *Meters.* As you are aware, a considerable number of meters are in use (about 10,300), many of which have become so old, or obsolete, that they are hardly worth overhauling. I anticipate, therefore, renewals will be desirable on a somewhat more extensive scale.



5. INTERRUPTIONS OF SUPPLY.

I regret to report that the supply was interrupted on four occasions. Fortunately these interruptions all occurred during the summer months and were not of a serious nature. The pressure of the supply was abnormally low, during the hours from sunset until about 8 p.m., in East Finchley throughout the winter and in the Hampstead Garden Suburb until Christmas, and was somewhat low in other parts of the district owing to the great strain under which the undertaking was working, due to the abnormal demand for heating supplies.

6. CHARGES.

- (a) From the commencement of the September quarter, the charge for lighting supply was reduced from 4½d. to 4¼d. per unit.
- (b) From the commencement of the December quarter, all charges were increased by 10 per cent.
- (c) From the commencement of the March quarter, all charges were increased by 20 per cent. in place of the previous 10 per cent.

The above increases were made in order to meet, to some extent, the very high cost of coal in consequence of the disorganization in the coal mining industry.

7. PROGRESS.

- (a) During the year 1,147 new consumers were connected, 594 of these were in new premises and 553 changes of tenancy, deducting 567 disconnections there is a nett increase of 580 new consumers, this compares with 606 last year.

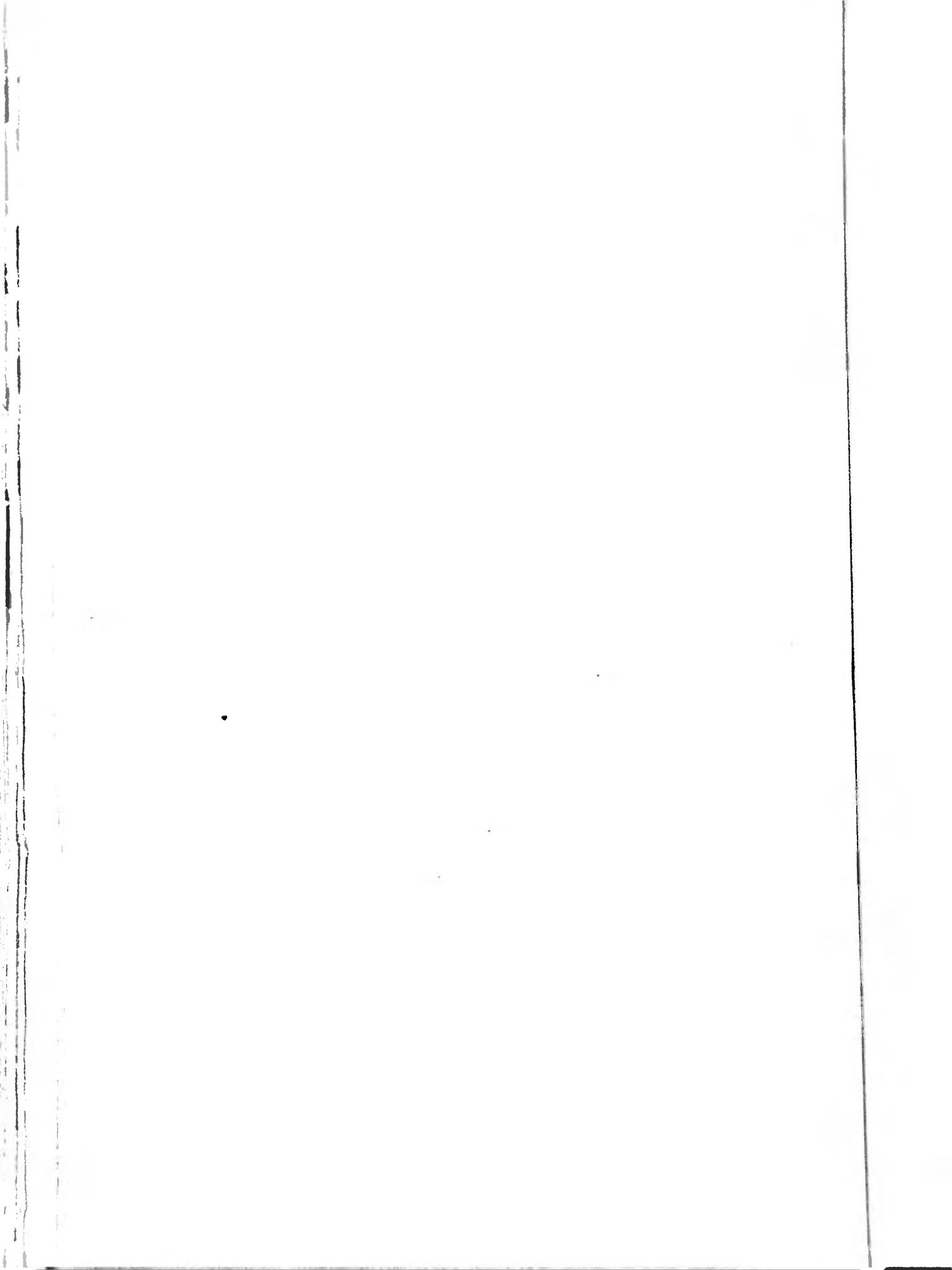
- (b) I append figures indicating the general progress of your undertaking.

On the 1st April, 1927, you had 7,926 Applications, equal to 350,093 lamps of 33 watts.

On the 1st April, 1926, you had 7,375 Applications, equal to 314,608 lamps of 33 watts, an increase of 551 Applications, equal to 35,485 lamps of 33 watts.

On the 1st April, 1927, you had connected 300,039 lamps of 33 watts.

On the 1st April, 1926, you had connected 269,029 lamps of 33 watts, an increase of 31,010 lamps of 33 watts.



On the 1st April, 1927, Public Lamps 1,482 equal to 5,326 lamps of 33 watts.

On the 1st April, 1926, Public Lamps 1,441 equal to 5,103 lamps of 33 watts, an increase of 41 equal to 223 lamps of 33 watts.

During the year several consumers discontinued receiving a supply owing to their leaving the neighbourhood and from other causes; in most instances the premises have been re-let and a consumer regained. Particulars as follows:—

No. of premises disconnected during the year 567, equal to 18,245 lamps of 33 watts.

Disconnected at the commencement of the year 211, equal to 8,022 lamps of 33 watts. Total: 778 equal to 26,267 lamps of 33 watts.

No. of premises reconnected during the year 553 equal to 17,949 lamps of 33 watts.

Premises still disconnected 225 equal to 8,318 lamps of 33 watts.

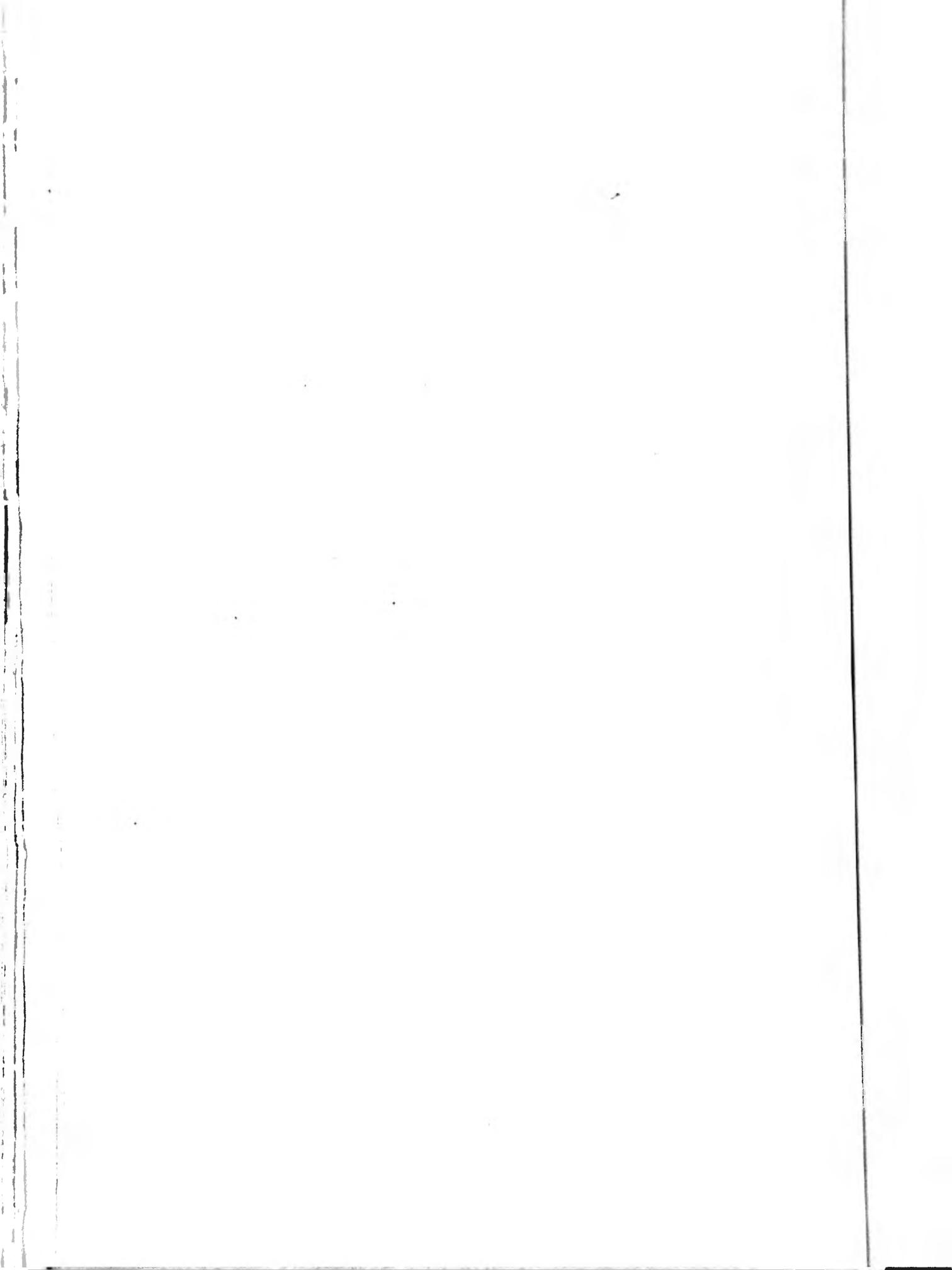
Analysis of premises still disconnected at 31st March, 1927, (cumulative since the commencement of the Undertaking):—

Premises vacant	...	...	106
" pulled down, etc.	...	...	27
" using oil	...	...	20
" using gas	...	...	38
Installations not in use	...	...	25
Services removed	...	...	9
			225
		Total	...
			225

The nett numbers of connections on the 1st April, 1927, were:—

Private supply	...	300,039	lamps of 33 watts.
Public Lamps	...	5,326	" " " "
		305,365	" " " "
		305,365	" " " "

Total lamps connected	1st April, 1927	...	305,365	lamps of 33 watts.
" " " "	" " 1926	...	274,132	" " " "
			31,233	" " " "
		Increase	...	31,233
			31,233	" " " "



8. STATISTICS AND ACCOUNTS.

For comparison I have pleasure in placing the following particulars before you; the annual statement of accounts is issued herewith.

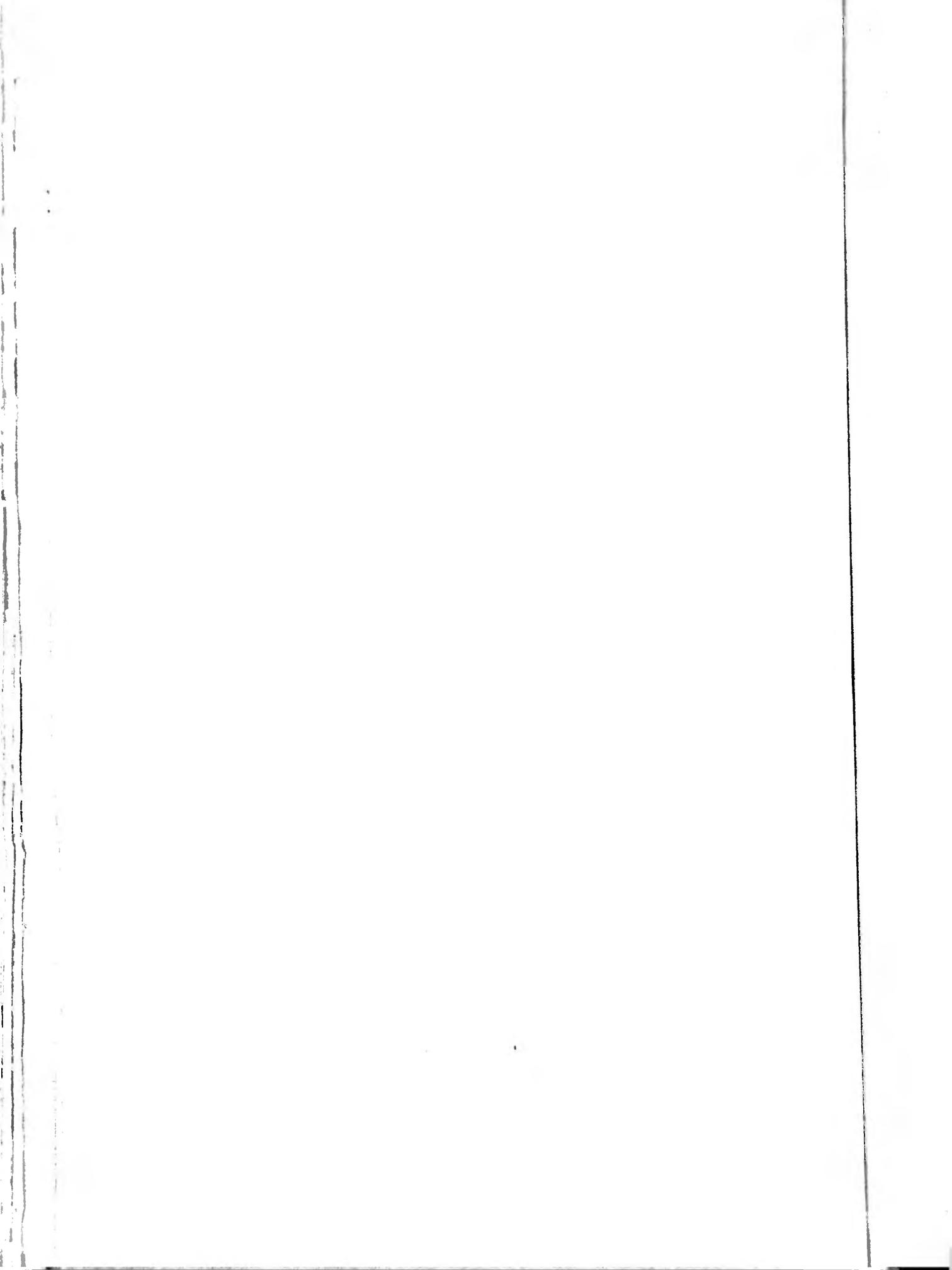
	1924-25	1925-26	1926-27
Units Generated ...	4,800,000	5,700,000	6,550,000
Total Sold ...	3,620,096	4,306,362	4,999,213
Units Sold Consumers ...	3,142,617	3,799,234	4,464,363
Sold Public Lighting ...	477,479	507,128	534,850
Used on Works, Battery and Well	265,403	378,215	454,795
Used on Conversion ...	373,614	435,326	531,796
Used Sub-Station ...	30,446	31,703	34,586
Used on Distribution ...	510,441	548,394	529,610

Works Costs in Pence per Unit Sold for year ending:—

	March 31st, 1924	1925	1926	1927
Fuel ...	.657	.635	.590	.945
Oil, Waste and Stores	.107	.067	.047	.046
Wages ...	.212	.187	.182	.191
Repairs and Maintenance	.242	.205	.173	.166
Works Costs	1.218d.	1.094d.	.992d.	1.348d.
Distribution ...	.350	.344	.331	.336
Establishment Charges—				
Rent, Rates, Salaries, Insurances, Law Charges, &c.	.485	.422	.426	.415
Total Costs	2.053d.	1.860d.	1.749d.	2.099d.
Maximum Load ...	2,041k.w.	2,250k.w.	2,720k.w.	2,982k.w.
Load Factor (Units sold)	17.5%	18.35%	18.07%	19.13%

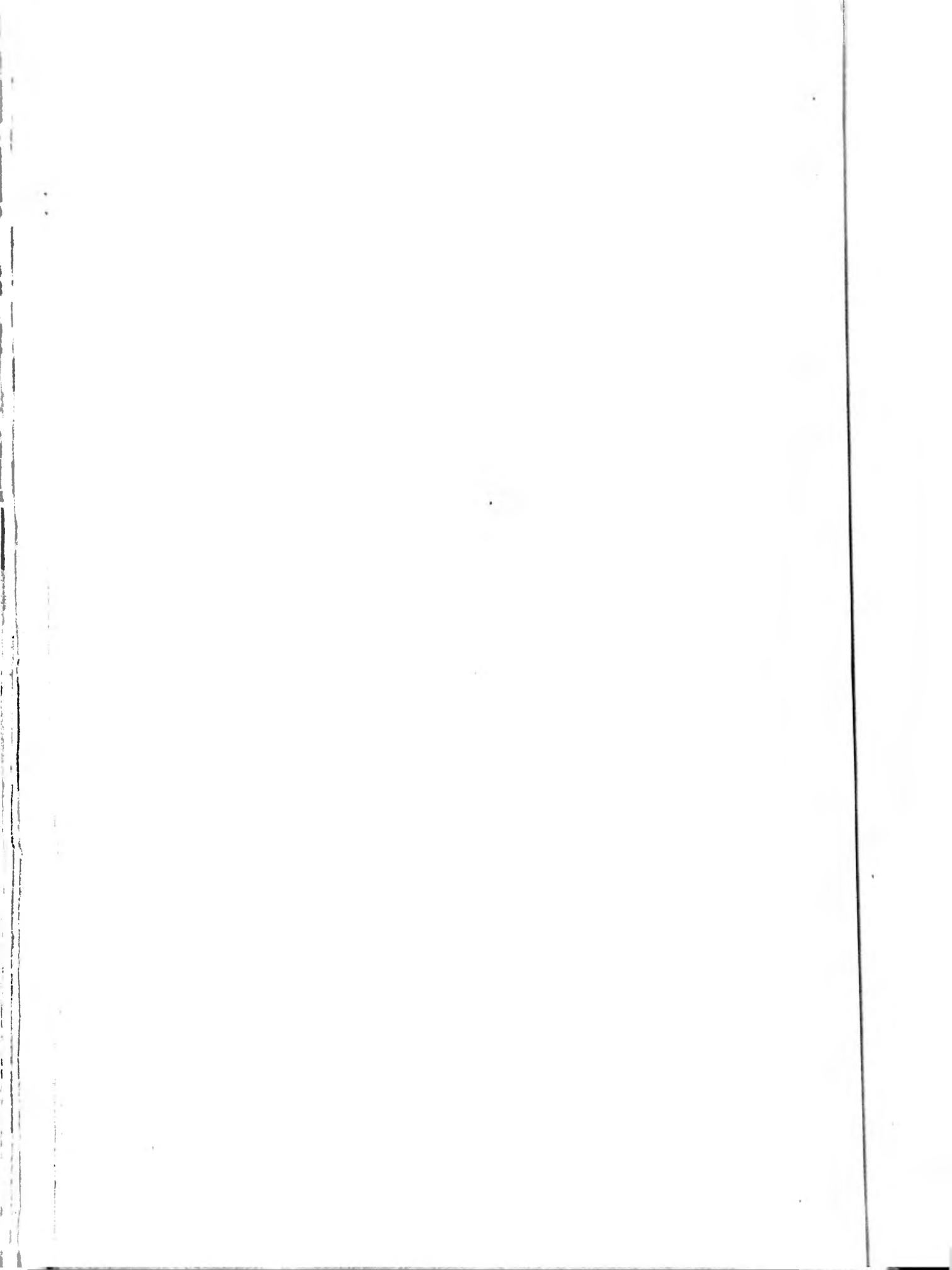
9. COMMENTARY.

- (a) From the commencement of the year there were difficulties in the coal mining industry, these difficulties developed into a crisis early in May when a national strike was declared which, unfortunately, involved your own workmen for a short period. Although the largest possible stock of coal was obtained prior to the strike, the difficulties of the coal industry continued until after Christmas and it was necessary to purchase foreign coal at extraordinarily high prices increasing almost day by day until ultimately 74 - per ton was actually paid for very inferior coal. The effect of this dispute was far reaching and so delayed the installation of the new boiler and other apparatus that they



were not available for the winter load, in the meantime applications for electric heating apparatus were received in such numbers that it soon became evident that it would not be possible to supply all of them; steps were taken in October to advise consumers of the difficulty and further applications for heating apparatus were refused, for the time being.

- (b) The cost of general materials has remained comparable with the previous year, some having increased and others decreased in price. There has been an increase of 7d. per ton on the railway rates for coal.
- (c) During the year your Undertaking has been re-assessed for rating purposes, the new assessment being approximately double the old one.
- (d) The average price paid for coal used during the year was 43/3 as compared with 27/3 last year, a difference of 16/-, equivalent to an addition of about £6,900.
Fuel Oil has averaged 108/8 as compared with 111/- or a saving of 2/4 per ton, equal to about £21.
The increased cost of fuel has, therefore, increased the cost of production by about £6,880.
- (e) The increase in the cost of fuel per unit sold of .355d. is equivalent to about £7,400, partly due to the lower efficiency of working, this sum practically represents the total increase of works costs and the total increase of all comparative costs.
- (f) The total units sold have increased by 692,851 or approximately 16 per cent. (468,000 power and heating, 197,000 for private lighting and 28,000 for public lighting).
- (g) The reduction in charges for lighting supplies resulted in a saving to consumers of about £1,850, the 10 per cent. and 20 per cent. temporary increases referred to in paragraphs 6 (b and c), produced about £5,000, deducting the saving from the decrease, your consumers have been called upon to pay about £3,200 more for their supplies as compared with last year.
- (h) The total increased revenue from the sale of electricity amounts to about £9,430.

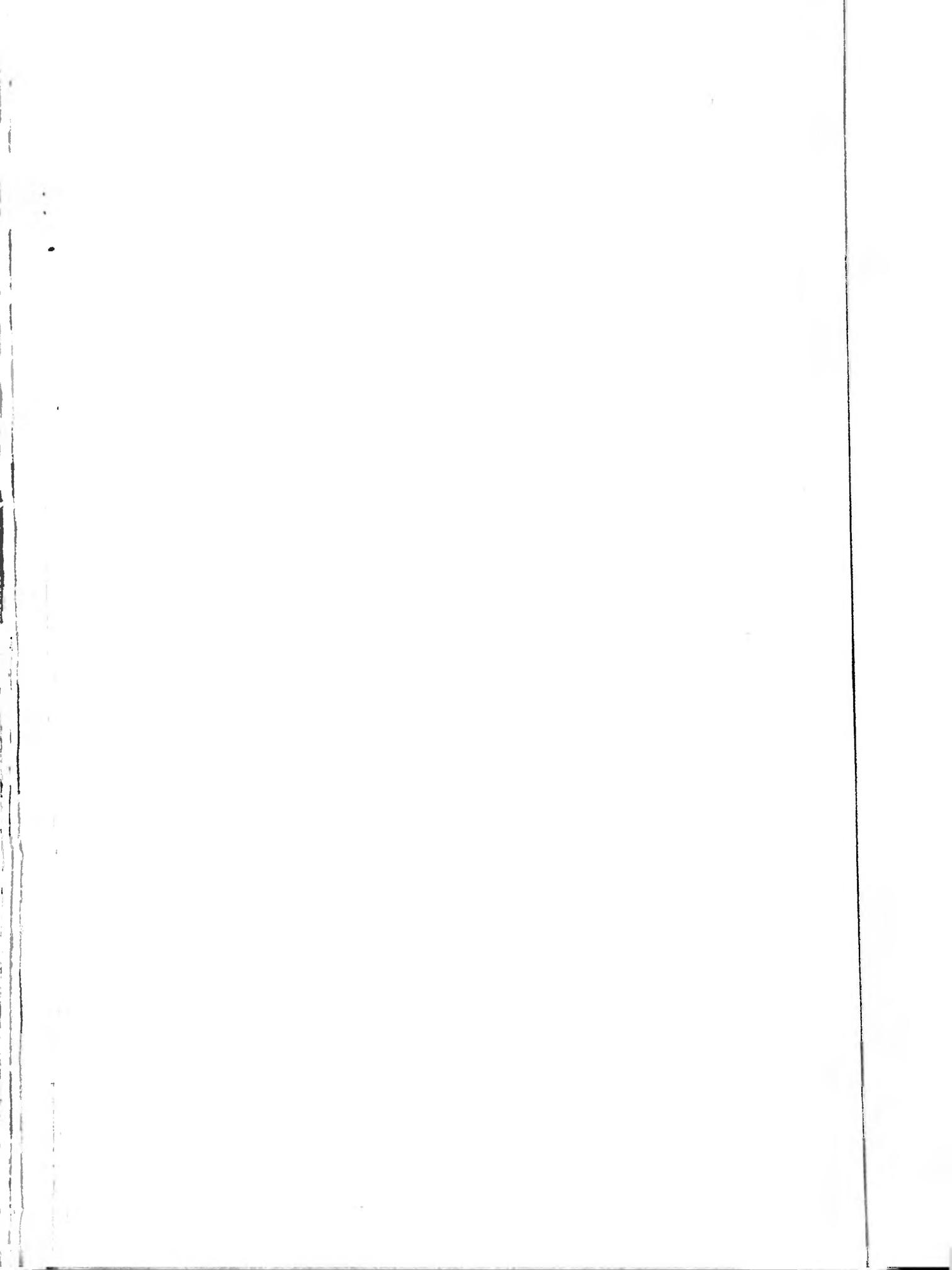


- (i) After crediting the amount received for the hire of meters, works executed and other sundry revenue and writing off the small sum of £23 13s. 0d., there remains a gross trading profit of £18,494 5s. 10d. Interest on loans (£7,296 12s. 11d.) and on consumers' deposits (£35 8s. 1d.) have required the sum of £7,332 1s. 0d., leaving a balance of £11,162 4s. 10d.
- (j) Capital has been repaid, either directly or by way of sinking fund, to the amount of £10,050 19s. 0d. leaving a sum of £1,111 5s. 10d. to which must be added interest on current account and investments (£228 8s. 2d.) giving a balance of £1,339 14s. 0d. After providing £1,429 9s. 4d. for Income Tax "Schedule D." and £1,690 17s. 9d. for three store sheds, there is a debit balance of £1,780 13s. 1d. on the year's trading.

It will be noted that the superannuation fund has been dealt with in No. 1 Revenue Account, as part of the working expenses.
- (k) The credit brought forward from last year's accounts was £16,099 14s. 11d. this is now reduced by the debit balance above (£1,780 13s. 1d.) plus depreciation on the foreign coal in stock (£480) to £13,839 1s. 10d. nett carry forward.

10. GENERAL.

- (a) During the year the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926 was passed by Parliament under which a new Central Electricity Board is to deal with the problem of the production and main transmission of electricity in Great Britain.
- (b) 8,633 tons of coal were consumed during the year, together with 178 tons of fuel oil.
- (c) The maximum load was 2,982 kilowatts and owing to the difficulty of maintaining steam this load was carried with difficulty.
- (d) The greatest daily output was 32,912 units, of which 30,500 were generated by the two turbines.
- (e) It is interesting to note that the average price obtained for all electricity supply during the year was 2.84d. per unit sold as compared with 2.77d. in the previous year.



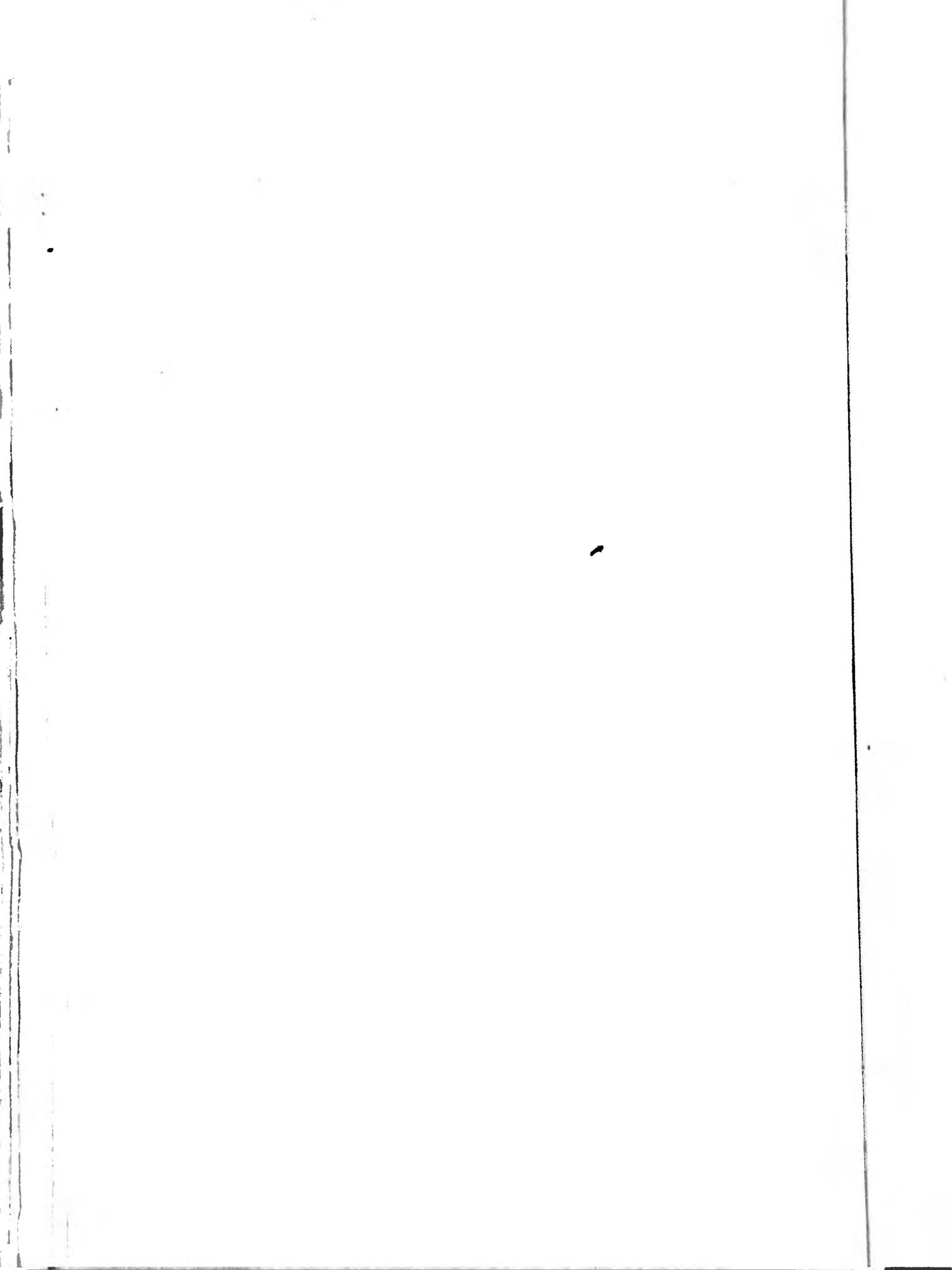
- (f) The interconnecting main between your generating station and that of Hornsey again proved very valuable during the critical winter and although the financial advantage of reciprocating units was speculative, owing to the rapid fluctuation of coal prices, it was an undoubted help and benefit. A reciprocal supply was furnished to Hornsey on 96 occasions and received from Hornsey on 86 occasions.
- (g) The abnormal conditions of working during nearly the whole of the year, coupled with the rapid development of the business, was a severe strain on the members of my staff, not only the generating side of the undertaking but the distributing system was equally severely taxed owing to the belated completion of various works and it is to be hoped that the new North Finchley and East Finchley sub-stations, which you have in contemplation, will be completed before the following winter.
- (h) In my opinion the question of coal handling and coal handling plant in some form will require early consideration. It will also be a wise policy to acquire sites suitable for sub-stations when opportunities occur. The question of transporting heavy materials to different parts of the district will also require consideration as the light van at present in use is often overtaxed and the purchase of a 5 ton lorry will be an economic proposition.
- (i) The high tension rectifier sub-stations functioned satisfactorily during the last winter, the plant having been modified and amended in many essential details.
- (j) It is with pleasure that I take this opportunity of thanking the chairman of the committee for the year under review, not only for the interest he has taken in the work but also for his assistance and advice during a difficult period, in addition I have much pleasure in thanking my staff for their loyal and able assistance and support during a trying year.

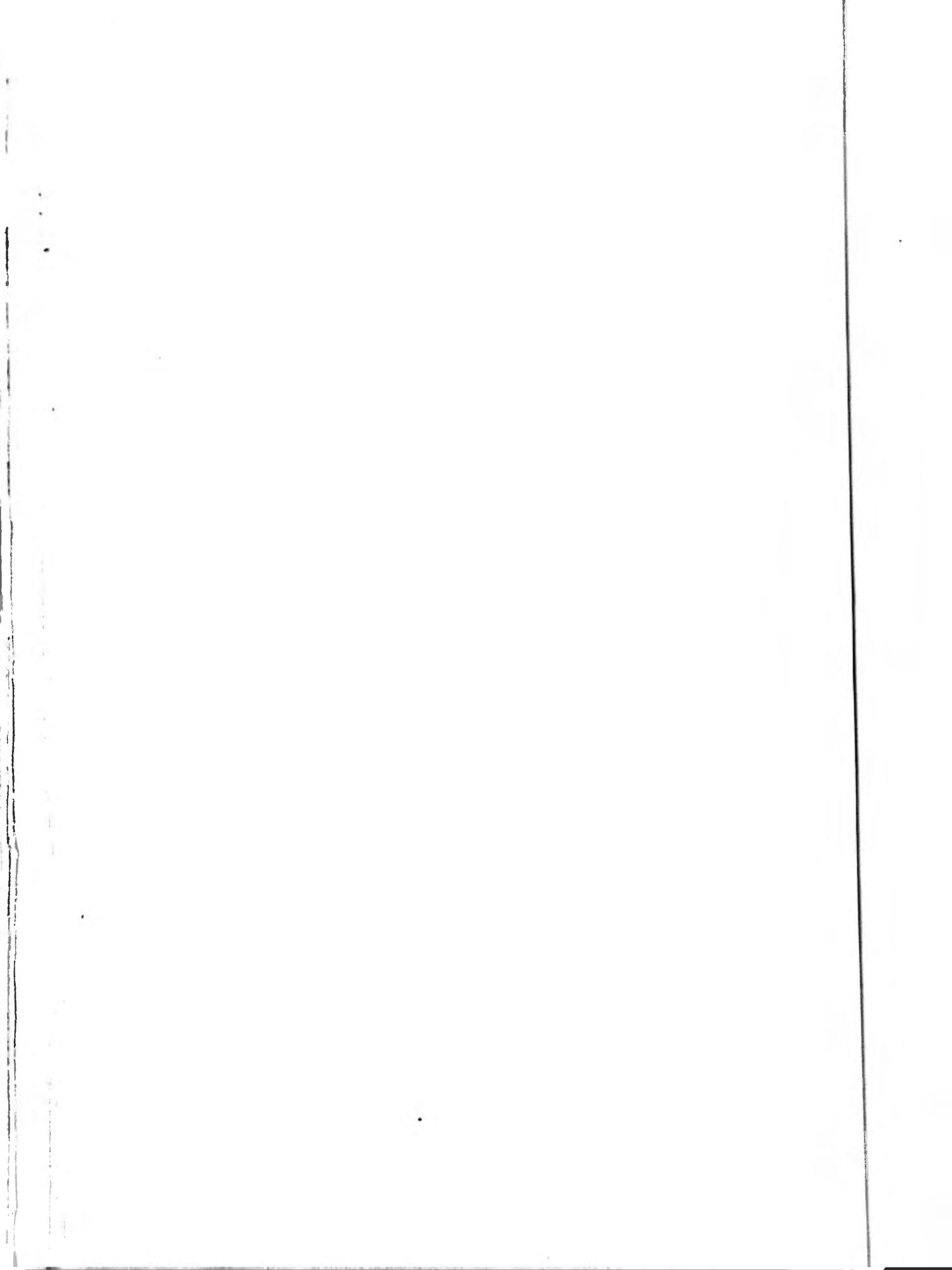
I am, Gentlemen,

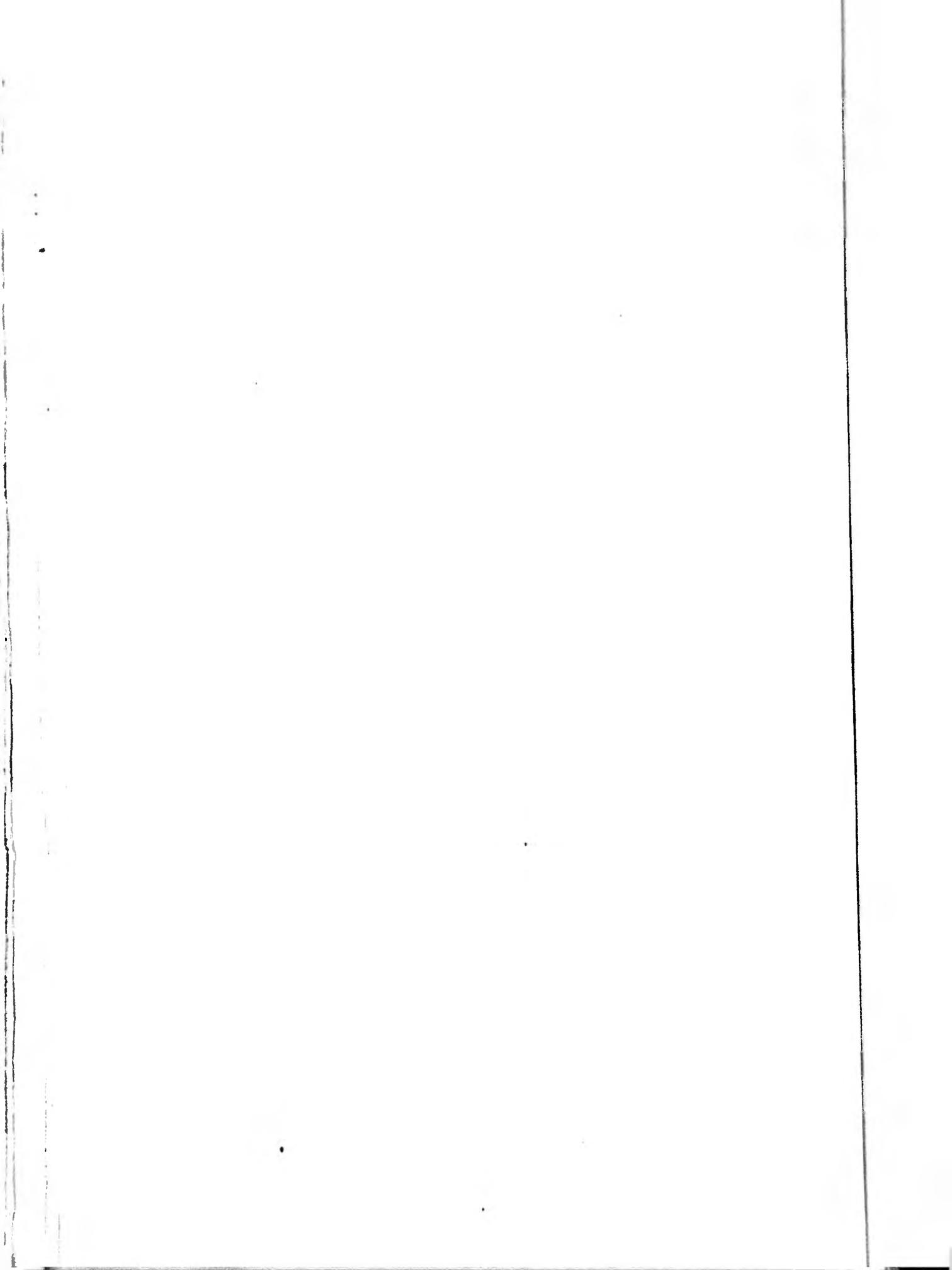
Yours faithfully,

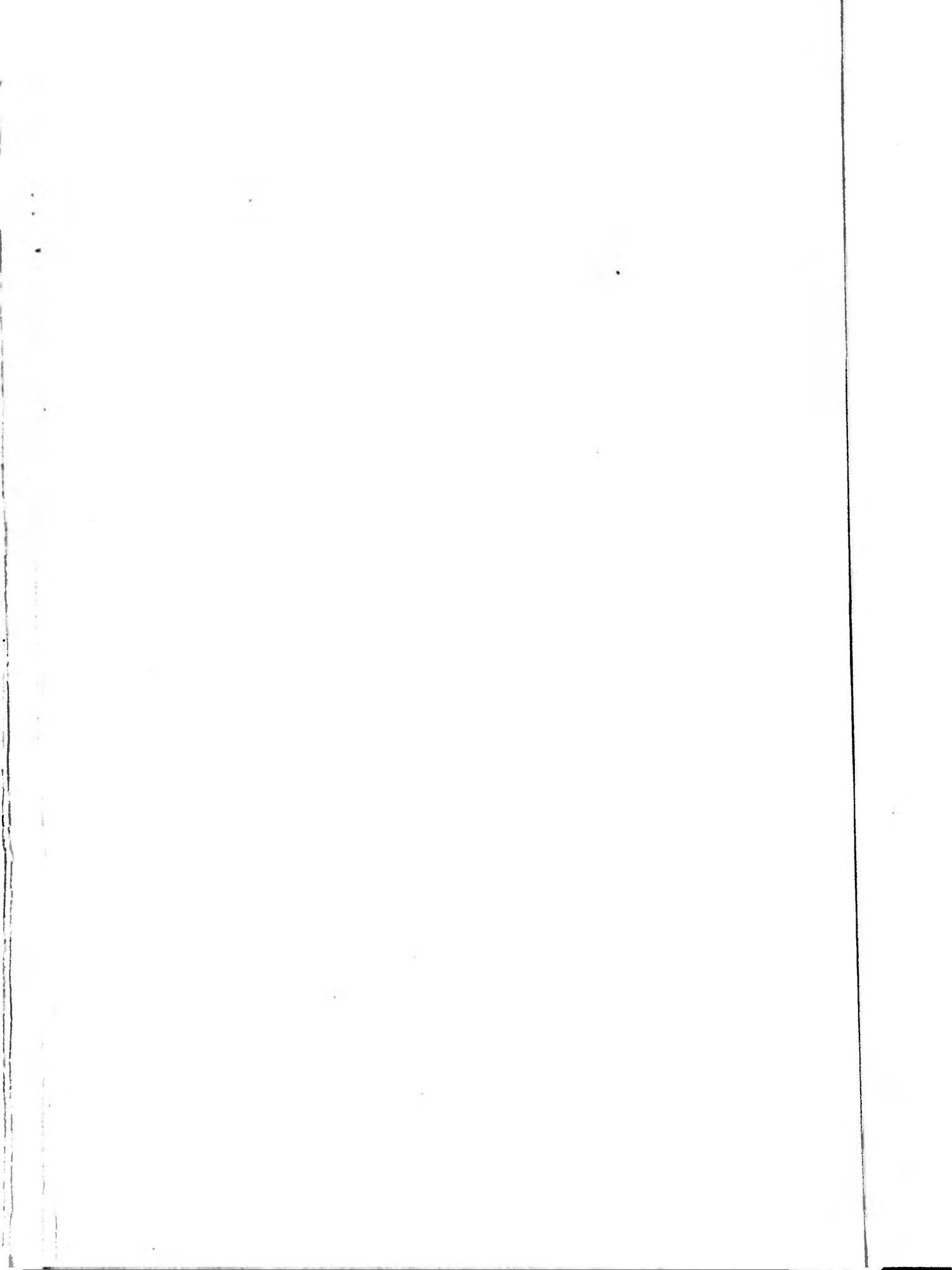
EDWARD CALVERT,

Chief Electrical Engineer.









Loan and Revenue Accounts and Balance Sheet

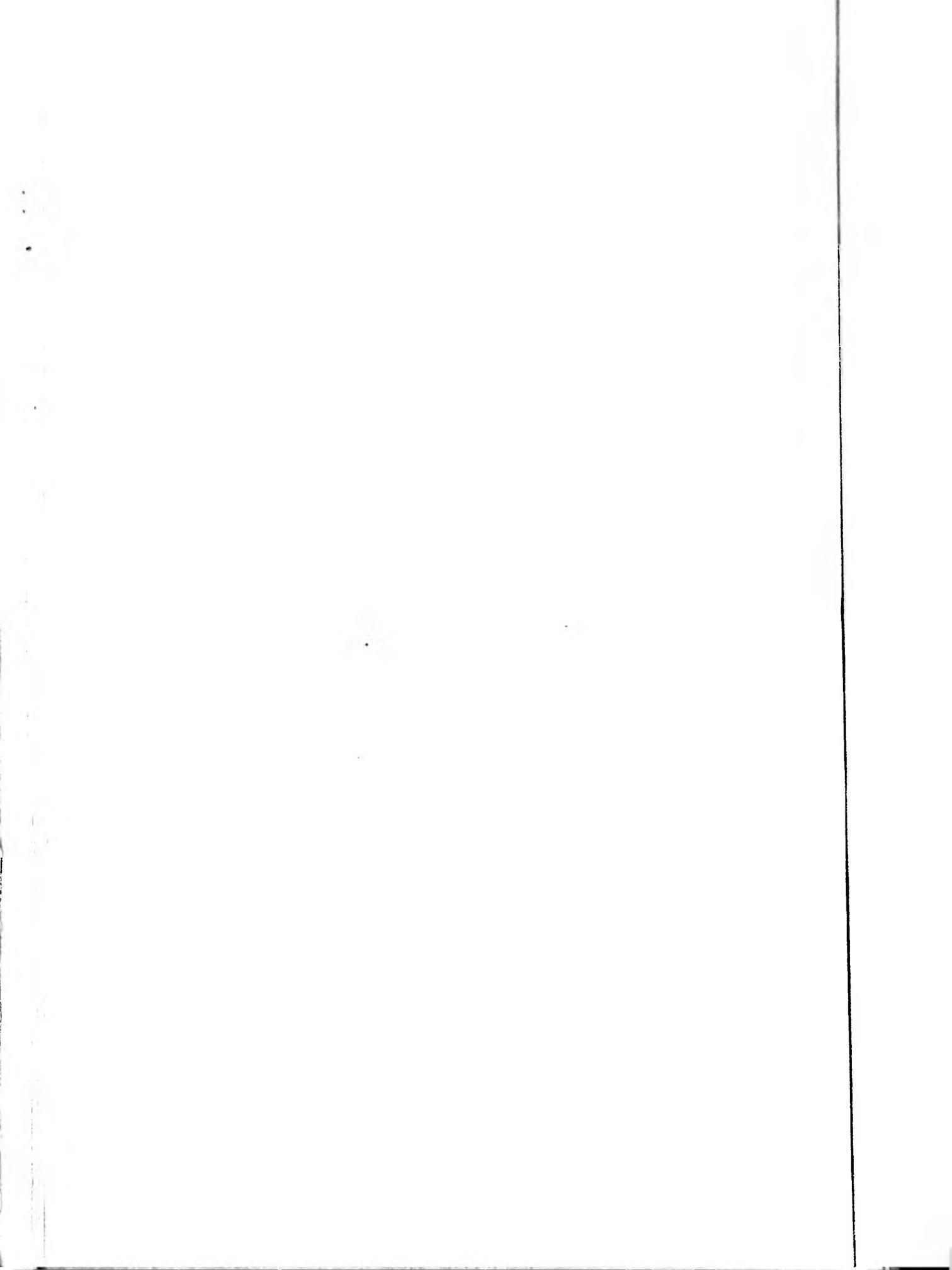
Year ended 31st March, 1927.

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—LOAN EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Land for Generating Station (Loan £700) ...				700	0	0
Original Loan, £35,000.						
Section.						
I. & II. Buildings	9522	15	9			
III. Boilers	1304	17	6			
IV. Machinery	2478	5	4			
V. Battery	875	17	3			
VI. Mains	14164	13	0			
VII. Piping	3389	17	3			
VIII. Switchboard	2102	11	7			
IX. Meters	596	12	8			
X. Public Lighting	431	14	7			
XI. Loan Charges	132	15	1			
				35000	0	0

Extension I. Loan £16,600.

Section.						
I. & II. Buildings	1173	9	1			
III. Boilers	1136	0	7			
IV. Machinery	308	12	10			
V. Battery	0	9	9			
VI. Mains	8596	9	6			
VII. Piping	232	19	1			
VIII. Switchboard	630	10	3			
IX. Meters	974	12	2			
X. Public Lighting	315	13	1			
XI. 350 K.W. Set	3095	0	1			
XII. Instruments	53	19	5			
Consumers' Connections	4	6	8			
Loan Charges	77	17	6			
				16600	0	0



Extension II.—Loan £23,360.

Section.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
XIII.	Switchboard	...	...	573 7 4	
XIV.	350 K.W. Set	...	...	3201 12 5	
XV.	Piping	...	...	769 13 2	
XVI.	Buildings	...	...	1089 0 0	
XVII.	Mains	...	...	5740 9 7	
XVIII.	Boilers	...	...	3139 1 5	
XIX.	Consumers' Connections	...	...	384 14 0	
XX.	Public Lighting	...	...	182 1 4	
XXI.	Sub-Station Buildings	...	...	1646 19 0	
XXII.	Instruments	...	...	104 15 9	
XXIII.	Sub-Station Machinery	...	...	775 1 5	
XXIV.	Tank	...	...	364 0 6	
XXV.	Sub-Station Battery...	...	...	2754 17 8	
XXVI.	Meters	...	...	978 15 2	
XXVII.	Water Softening Plant	...	...	624 13 11	
XXVIII.	Sub-Station Land	...	...	102 1 5	
	Contingencies	...	...	96 11 0	
					22530 15 1
	Amount repaid to Lenders				829 4 11
					<u>£23360 0 0</u>

Extension III.—Loan £12,000.

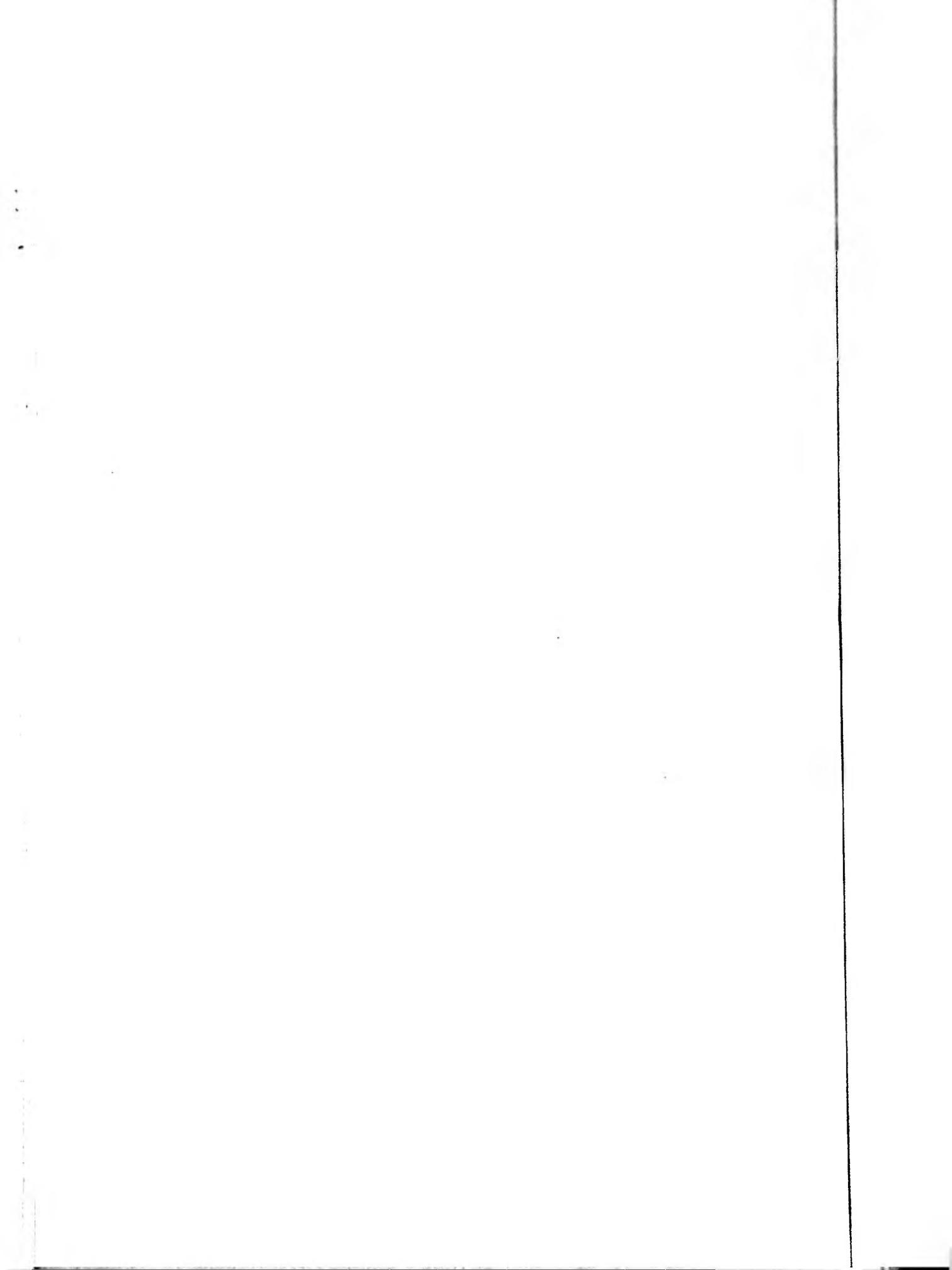
Section.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
XXXIV.	Mains	...	...	10849 5 9	
XXXV.	Consumers' Connections	...	...	337 2 1	
XXXVI.	Meters	...	...	750 0 0	
	Contingencies	...	...	63 12 2	
					<u>£12000 0 0</u>

Extension IV.—Loan £23,859.

To 31/3/26	1926/1927	Total.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
23145 1 8	Nil	23145 1 8
	Balance	713 18 4
		<u>£23859 0 0</u>

Extension V.—(Mains) Loan £4,500.

Section.						
XLVI.	Mains	...	...	...	...	£4500 0 0



Extension V.—(Consumers' Connections) Loan £8,660.

Section.							
XLVII.	Consumers' Connections	...	...	...	...	£8660	0 0

Extension V.—(Meters) Loan £2,250.

Section.							
XLVIII.	Meters	...	...	...	...	£2250	0 0

Extension VI.—(Deep Well) Loan £1,920.

Section.		To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total.			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
XLIX.	...	1757 8 1	Nil.	1757 8 1			
			Balance	162 11 11			
				<u> </u>	£1920	0 0	

Extension VII (Mains) Loan £7,500.

Section.							
LI.	...	...	...	...	...	£7500	0 0

Extension VII (Consumers' Connections) Loan £6,000.

Section							
LII.	...	...	...	...	...	£6000	0 0

Extensions VII (Meters) Loan £1,500.

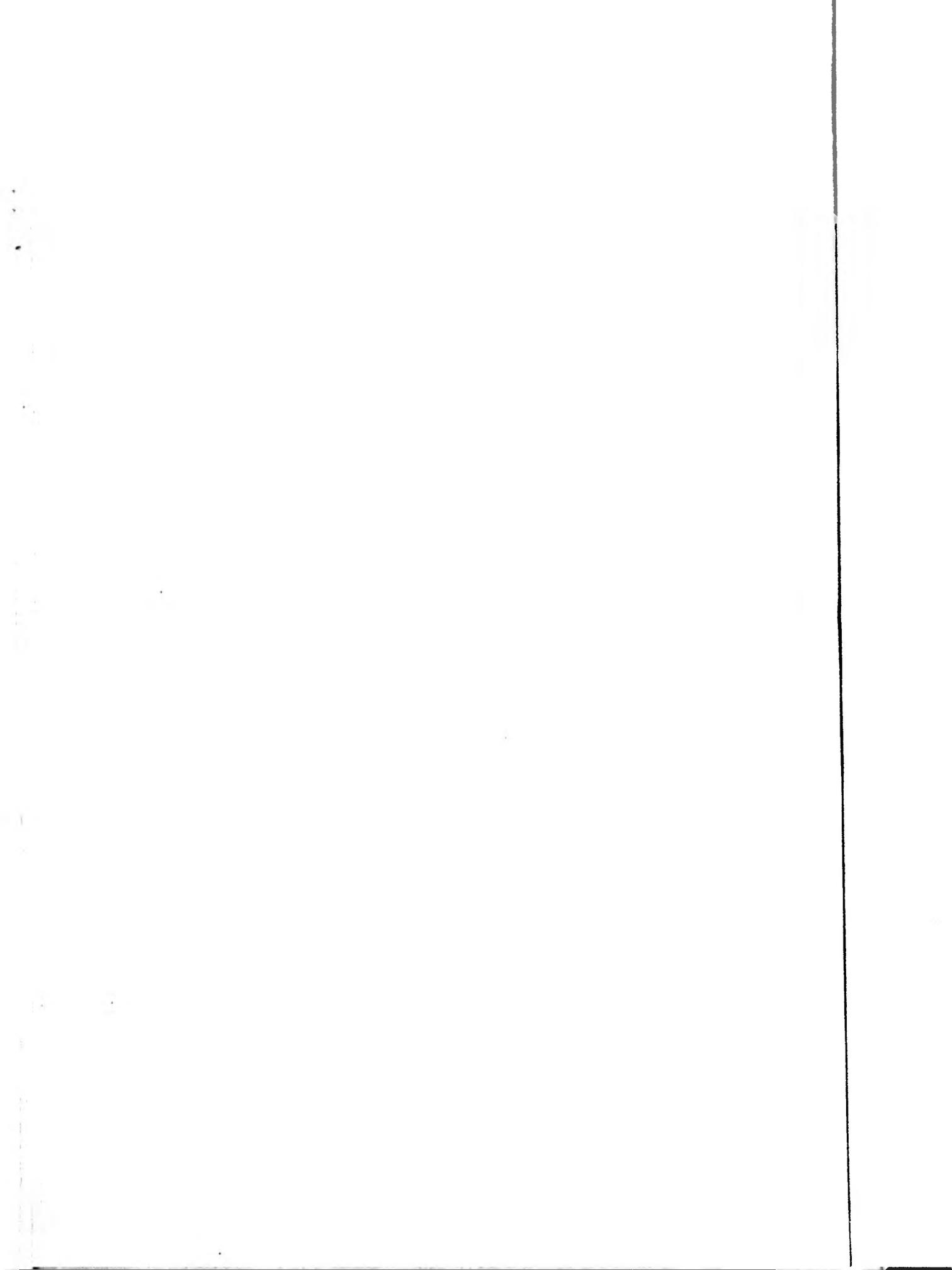
Section.							
LIII.	Meters	...	...	...	...	£1500	0 0

Extension VIII (Mains) Loan £10,000.

Section.							
LIV.	...	...	...	...	...	£10000	0 0

Extension VIII (Consumers' Connections) Loan £9,565.

	To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
	9565 0 0	Nil.	9565 0 0		
			<u> </u>	£9565	0 0



Extension IX.—(Reservoir) Loan £1,150.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1174 4 0	Nil.	1174 4 0
		<u>1174 4 0</u>

Extension X (Machinery) Loan £53,650.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
49471 7 2	Nil	49471 7 2
	Balance	4178 12 10
		<u>£53650 0 0</u>

Extension XI (Kay's Land)

To 31/3/26	£ s. d.	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1319 13 11	Nil.		1319 13 11
			<u>£1319 13 11</u>

Extension XII (Linking-up Main) Loan £7,350

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
7066 4 2	Nil	7066 4 2
	Balance	283 15 10
		<u>£7350 0 0</u>

Extension XIII.—(Feeders, Rectifiers, etc.) Loan £20616 16s. 9d.

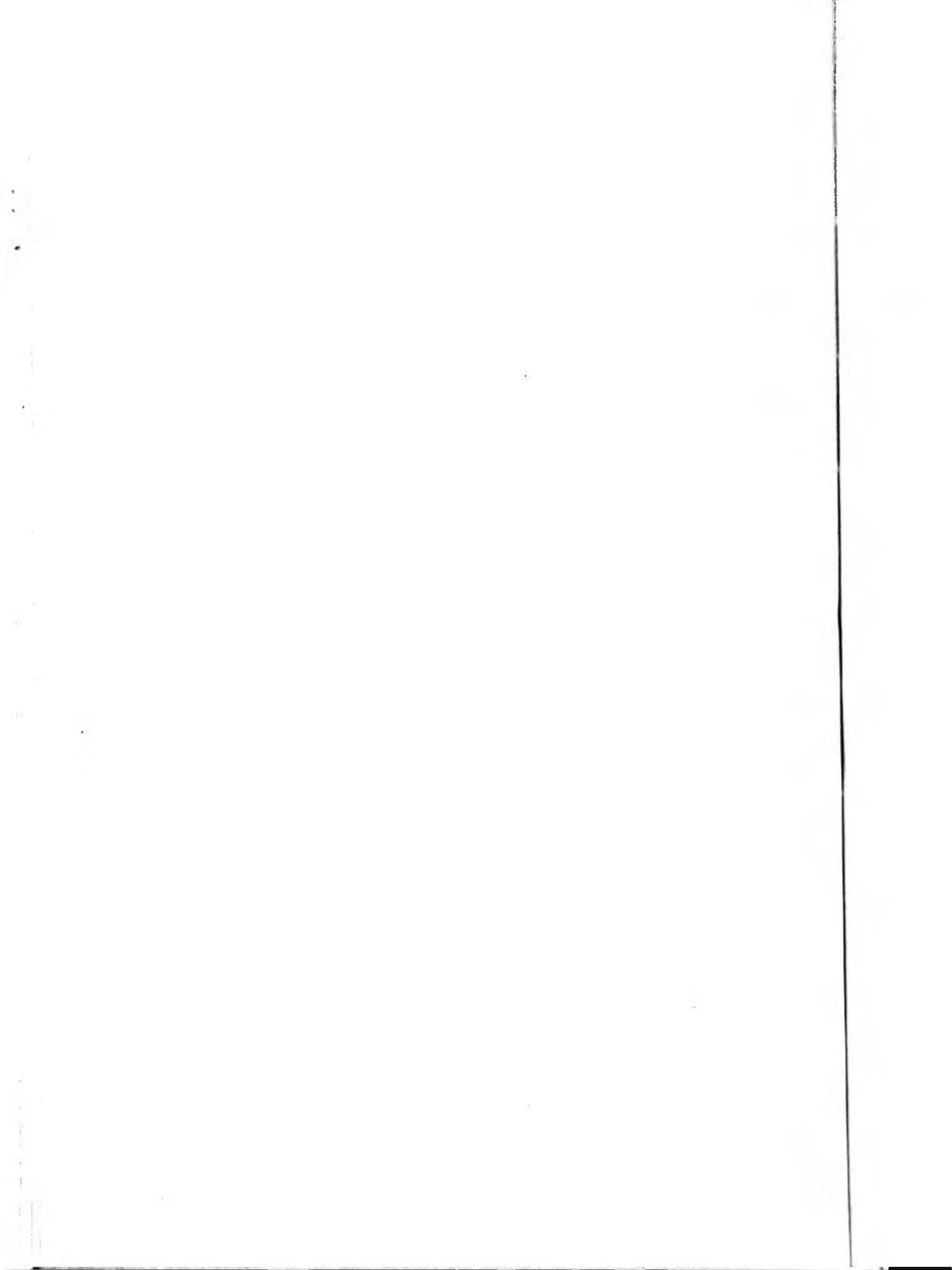
To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
15870 1 4	4418 15 3	20288 16 7
	Balance	328 0 2
		<u>£20616 16 9</u>

Extension XIV.—(Turbine, Boiler, etc.) Loan £33,300.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
19965 5 0	11513 0 5	31478 5 5
	Balance	1821 14 7
		<u>£33300 0 0</u>

Extension XV.—(Mains) Loan £6,050.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
6050 0 0	Nil.	6050 0 0
		<u>£6050 0 0</u>



Extension No. XVI.—(Feeders, Rectifiers, etc.) Loan £29000.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
—	17299 4 11	17299 4 11
	Balance	11700 15 1
		£29000 0 0

Extension No. XVII.—(Mains & Consrs. Services) Loan £16120.

To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1643 1 8	7185 2 4	8828 4 0
	Balance	7291 16 0
		£16120 0 0

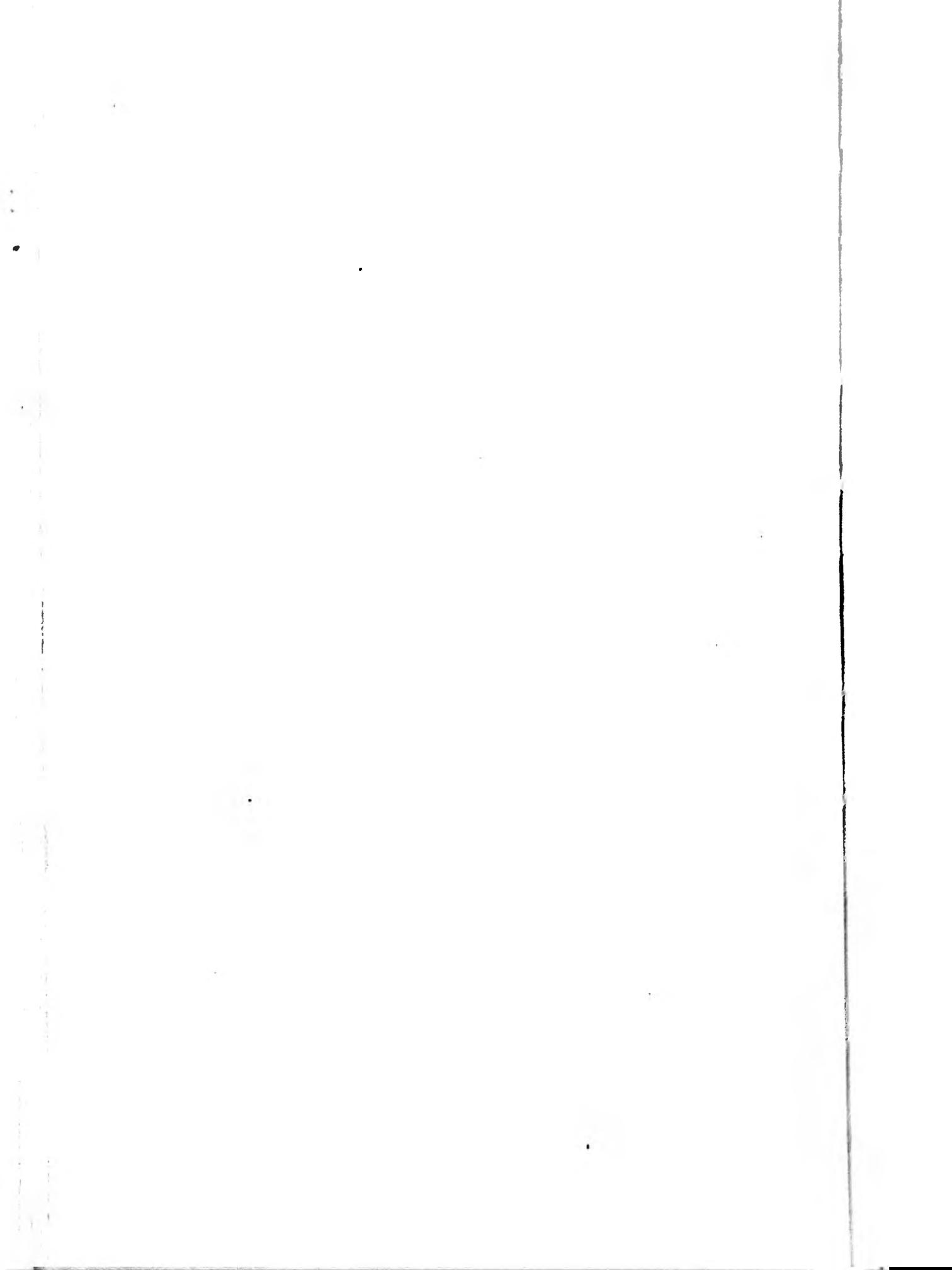
SUMMARY OF LOAN EXPENDITURE.

Loan :	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	To 31/3/26	1926/27	Total
Land for Station ...	700 0 0		700 0 0
Original Loan :			
Electric Lighting ...	35000 0 0		35000 0 0
Extensions No. I ...	16600 0 0		16600 0 0
Do. No. II. ...	22530 15 1		22530 15 1
Do. No. III. ...	12000 0 0		12000 0 0
Do. No. IV. ...	23145 1 8		23145 1 8
Do. No. V. ...	15410 0 0		15410 0 0
Do. No. VI. ...	1757 8 1		1757 8 1
Do. No. VII. ...	15000 0 0		15000 0 0
Do. No. VIII. ...	19565 0 0		19565 0 0
Do. No. IX. ...	1174 4 0		1174 4 0
Do. No. X. ...	49471 7 2		49471 7 2
Do. No. XI., Land	1319 13 11		1319 13 11
Do. No. XII. ...	7066 4 2		7066 4 2
Do. No. XIII. ...	15870 1 4	4418 15 3	20288 16 7
Do. No. XIV. ...	19965 5 0	11513 0 5	31478 5 5
Do. No. XV. ...	6050 0 0		6050 0 0
Do. No. XVI.		17299 4 11	17299 4 11
Do. No. XVII.	1643 1 8	7185 2 4	8828 4 0
	£264268 2 1	40116 2 11	304684 5 0
Amount of Loans sanctioned ...	...	...	£329004 0 0
Loans raised to 31st March, 1927	...	...	£277750 0 0

RECOMMENDED that the Accounts and Balance Sheet be received and adopted.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.



Consumer's No.	June, 1924. £ s. d.	March, 1925. £ s. d.	March, 1926. £ s. d.	June, 1926. £ s. d.	Sept., 1926. £ s. d.	Dec., 1926. £ s. d.	March, 1927. £ s. d.	Total. £ s. d.
N. 614	1 7 1	1 5 5	2 12 6
N. 803	1 0 3	13 11	...	...	...	1 14 2
N.1526	1 6 7	1 6 7
N.2288	1 7 0	12 9	18 8	...	...	2 18 5
N.2360	18 7	...	...	...	...	18 7
N.2622	2 2	...	...	2 2
N.2623	2 2	...	...	2 2
N.2702	2 18 5	15 7	3 14 0
N.2730	15 16 5	...	15 16 5
N.4132	2 18 3	...	2 18 3
N.4675	2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6
N.5036	13 5	...	13 5
S. 81	12 5	...	12 5
S. 289	...	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	15 2
S.2380	1 11 2	...	1 11 2
S.2920	5 6	...	5 6
S.3354	8 11	...	...	8 11
S.3915	6 6	...	...	6 6
S.4282	9 8	11 5	...	1 1 1
S.4429	...	3 0 8	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 8
	<u>2 6</u>	<u>3 15 10</u>	<u>3 5 10</u>	<u>1 6 8</u>	<u>2 8 1</u>	<u>26 14 1</u>	<u>3 7 7</u>	<u>41 0 7</u>

Irrecoverable summons fees (North District) ... £4 13 6.
 Irrecoverable summons fees (South District) ... £2 1 3.

ELECTRICITY (continued).

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

388 ELECTRICITY—SUPPLY OF.—The Committee had before them a petition signed by 90 ratepayers residing at Nos. 231 to 279, Squires Lane (formerly known as "Heatherton Terrace") drawing the attention of the Council (*inter alia*) to the need for the laying of an electricity cable in order that a supply of electricity might be afforded to the premises occupied by them;

RECOMMENDED that the Chief Electrical Engineer be directed to make the usual canvass and to report the result thereof.

389 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

15th June, 1927.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillors Pocock, C. S. Syrett, H. O. Syrett and Wells and Councillor Bowen (non-member).

390 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

391 TREASURER AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.— These were submitted.

392 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£1,705.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £1,705 being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

Annexed

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council, it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £1,705.

(b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting, the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £314,525.

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- (c) 8, Court House Road.—The Clerk reported that Mr. Bedingham, the Proprietor of the above-mentioned premises, had died on the 15th December, 1926; that his widow had written asking if the house might be let or sold, and that in view of the provisions of the Act of 1899 he had informed her that the proper course to be adopted was for the house to be sold in the course of the ordinary administration of her husband's estate; further, that it had been intimated to him that she would endeavour to do this;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk's action be approved.

- (d) 48, Hervey Close.
22, Hayward Road.
23, Summerlee Avenue.

The Accountant reported that applications for permission to sell or to transfer the above premises had been received from the Mortgagors;

RECOMMENDED that the permission desired be granted subject, in the case of a sale, to the principal outstanding being repaid to the Council together with interest to date.

- (e) Ashton, Woodberry Gardens.—It was reported that the balance in respect of this Mortgage together with all interest charges had been paid.
- (f) 14, Stanhope Avenue.—A letter dated the 13th June, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Merton, Jones & Lewsey, Solicitors, enclosing Notice of Second Charge on the above premises.
- (g) 19, Hamilton Way.—

RECOMMENDED that the transfer of the interest in the above premises from Mr. G. Wilkie to Mr. G. H. Littlewood be approved.

- (h) Advance No. 427.—The Clerk reported that the deeds of the property in respect of which the above-mentioned advance had been made related also to other property, No. 96, Fallowcourt Avenue, which was being sold to a Mr. Davey who required the usual acknowledgment of his right to production of the deeds; that at the special

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APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

No.	Name	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	years.	£.	£.	
460 ^a .	Hill, G. H.,	Ridgeview Road	F	750	20	1,000	940	80%
461.	Mahoney, Mrs.M.E.,	16, St. Margaret's Ave.	F	730	20	925	915	80%
462.	Pilcher, T. F.,	8, Westway, Willow Lodge Estate.	F	900	20	1,150	1,125	80%

Deduct amount in hand not required No. 19.

2,380
675

£1,705

Transfer from G. Wilkie (No. 73)
to G. H. Littlewood
re No. 19, Hamilton Way

L
90 yrs.

J. C. Spitt
Chairman.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 392 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June 1927.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.

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request of Messrs. Chambers & Garnett, who desired to expedite completion, he had signed the acknowledgment without waiting for it to be sealed by the Council as in the ordinary course.

RECOMMENDED that Clerk's action be approved.

393 **AUDIT (LOCAL AUTHORITIES) BILL.**—The Clerk reported that the above Bill had been introduced into the House of Commons by the Minister of Health to amend the law with respect to the effect of surcharges by District Auditors, appeals from decisions of District Auditors and the recovery of sums certified to be due by District Auditors. The Urban District Councils' Association had asked to be favoured with the Council's observations on the Bill, copies of which were circulated to the members of the Committee;

RECOMMENDED that action be not taken in the matter.

394 **MAIN, LIGHT RAILWAY AND SUBSIDISED ROADS—REGENTS PARK ROAD AND THE GREAT NORTH ROAD.**—It was reported that the Middlesex County Council had approved of $5\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. per annum as the rate of interest on the loan to be raised by this Council to meet the cost of carrying out certain wood paving works in the above roads referred to in the resolution of the County Council of the 25th March, 1926.

395 **REFUSE DESTRUCTOR—ADDITIONAL WORKS.**—The reference from the Public Health Committee hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £2,519, made up as follows:—

Cost of additional works	£2500
Loan charges	19
	£2519

396 **LOW LEVEL SEWER—CYPRUS GARDENS.**—A reference from the Public Health Committee hereon was reported;

FINANCE (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Clerk make application to the Minister of Health for consent to the sum of £1,763 (Cost of works, £1,750; Loan charges, £13), part of the unexercised portion of his sanction dated the 9th October, 1925, issued in respect of sewerage scheme, Lyndhurst Gardens and from Waverley Grove to Regents Park Road, being borrowed and applied to the purposes of the above works.

397 NEW PUMPING STATION—BROUGHTON AVENUE.—The recommendations of the Public Health Committee were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £5,542 made up as follows:—

Cost of works	...	...	...	£5500
Loan charges	...	...	...	42
				£5542

398 STREET WIDENINGS—FRIERN BARNET LANE.—The recommendations hereon of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee were submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that application for sanction to the necessary loan be deferred pending acceptance by the Council of a tender for the execution of the work in question.

399 HAMPSTEAD LANE WIDENING—BISHOP'S AVENUE TO THE HORNSEY BOUNDARY.—It was reported that the Highways and

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Fire and Water Committee were recommending the acceptance of a tender of £697 19s. 9d. for the carrying out of the above works.

The Clerk intimated that the Surveyor's original estimate of the cost of the works was £625, in respect of which amount the Ministry of Health had sanctioned a loan of £469 and the Ministry of Transport had agreed to make a contribution of £156;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection on financial grounds be raised to the recommendation of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee;
- (2) that application be made at a later date for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £73, being the excess expenditure involved.

400 ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE—NEWCOMEN ROAD.—The Clerk reported that he had duly submitted to Messrs. Chambers and Garnett the effect of the resolution passed at the last meeting of the Council, namely, that they were prepared to pay to Messrs. Chambers & Garnett's client the sum of £64 15s. 0d. on the above-mentioned road's being taken over by the Council; that Messrs. Chambers & Garnett, however, had subsequently written him demurring and stating that they did not think that the proposal was one which their client would accept; further, that he had then obtained an interview with the Solicitors, when it had been arranged as follows:—

- (1) that they would see their client on the Council's suggestion with a view to ascertaining how far he was able to agree thereto;
- (2) that failing this they would see the Solicitors for the Purchasers of Essex House (in respect of the Ballards Lane frontage of which, negotiations had been commenced between the Surveyor of this Council and the owners) as to an arrangement whereby the payment of the cost of erecting a fence on the Newcomen Road frontage could be made the subject of an agreement relating to the Ballards Lane frontage;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Clerk be approved.

FINANCE (*continued*).

401 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—ADDITIONAL WIDENING—WEST SIDE.—The reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to make application :—

- (i) to the Middlesex County Council for a contribution of the sum of £1,028, being 25 per cent. of the estimated cost of the above-mentioned improvement;
- (ii) to the Ministry of Transport for a grant of the sum of £2,056, being 50 per cent. of such estimated cost;
- (iii) to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,036, calculated as follows :—

Acquisition of land—west side—		
Arden Estate frontage	£1200	
Ditto west side—Express Dairy Company's frontage	300	
Alteration to Express Dairy Company's entrance	162	
Road works	2450	
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Total estimated cost	£4112	
Less :		
Anticipated contribution from Middlesex County Council	£1028	
Ditto Grant from Ministry of Transport	2056	
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	3084	
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Balance to be borne by this Council	£1028	
Loan charges	8	
		<hr/>
	£1036	
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FINANCE (continued).

402 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS.—The recommendations of the Allotments Committee with regard to the above were reported;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be considered by the Council in Committee and that the Clerk and the Accountant respectively submit thereat the information indicated at this meeting.

403 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE (GLEBE LAND).—The recommendations of the Allotments Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that subject (a) as regards No. 5 of the suggested terms mentioned in such recommendations, to the several claims being agreed by the Council, and (b) to the Surveyor's confirming the cost of the work referred to in No. 8 of such terms as not exceeding £600, no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that in the event of such terms being accepted by the North Finchley Allotments League, the cost thereof be allocated to Town Planning and Open Spaces.

404 ALLOTMENTS—GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT CHARGES.—The Accountant submitted particulars of the various sums allocated to the several allotments societies as establishment charges.

405 RATE SUMMONSES.—

RECOMMENDED that Thursday, the 7th July, 1927, be the last day for the payment of rates.

406 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars were submitted from the Branch Employment Office of the Ministry of Labour of the number of Finchley unemployed registered in May, 1927, as follows: Men, 117; Women, 30. The figures on the return dated 26th April, 1927, were: Men, 119; Women, 29.

407 BOILER INSURANCES.—Referring to paragraph 206 (a) of the Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927, the Accountant reported that, after consultation with the Surveyor, he had agreed

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with the National Boiler and General Insurance Company the amendment of certain policies with a consequent reduction on the premiums of £6 2s. 9d.—Approved.

408 MAIN ROADS—MAINTENANCE.—Letter was read from the Accountant to the Middlesex County Council hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left in the hands of the Accountant of this Council.

409 EDUCATION—PAYMENT OF TEACHERS' SALARIES.—

RECOMMENDED that in view of the mid-summer vacation, the teachers be paid two months' salary at the end of July.

410 LOANS.—

(a) Education—£5,635.—It was reported that the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society were prepared to advance to the Council the above mentioned sum at 5½ per centum per annum ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the sum of £5,635 be borrowed from the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society whose Chief Offices are situate at Victoria House, Southampton Row, in the City of London, at 5½ per centum per annum interest, and that the said sum together with interest at the rate aforesaid be repaid by equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined in the under-mentioned periods :—

As to { £460 }
 { £525 } in 20 years.

- (2) that the Clerk be and he is hereby authorised to agree and approve all documents in connexion with the said loan ;
- (3) that after the approval by the Clerk of the Mortgage for securing the said sum of £5,635 so agreed to be borrowed by the Council from the Liverpool Victoria Friend-

FINANCE (continued).

ly Society as authorised by sanctions of the Minister of Health dated as to the sum of £460, 4th March, 1926; as to the sum of £4,650, the 17th March, 1926, and as to the sum of £525, the 29th October, 1926, the seal of the Council be affixed to such Mortgage and that it be handed to the said Society on their paying the said sum of £5,635 by banker's draft made payable to the Treasurer of the said Council.

(b) Refuse Destructor.—	£ 4,821
Electricity.—	£ 5,225
Depôt Cottages.—	£ 1,250
Street Improvements.—	£24,406

It was reported that the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society were prepared to advance to the Council the above mentioned sums at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per centum per annum interest;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the sum of £35,702 be borrowed from the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society whose Chief Office is situate at Victoria House, Southampton Row, in the City of London, at $5\frac{1}{4}$ per centum per annum interest and that the said sum, together with interest at the rate aforesaid be repaid by equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined in the under-mentioned periods:—

As to { £ 4,821 } in 15 years.

As to £ 5,225 in 20 years:

As to £ 1,250 in 30 years;

- (2) that the Clerk be and he is hereby authorised to agree and approve all documents in connexion with the said loan;
- (3) that after the approval by the Clerk of the Mortgage for securing the said sum of

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£35,702 so agreed to be borrowed by the Council from the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society as authorised by sanctions of the Minister of Health dated as to the sum of £4,821, the 19th March, 1926; as to the sum of £5,225, the 15th June, 1926; as to the sum of £1,250, the 10th September, 1926, and as to the sum of £24,406, the 18th November, 1926, the seal of the Council be affixed to the said Mortgage and that it be handed to the said Society on their paying the said sum of £35,702 by a banker's draft made payable to the Treasurer of the said Council.

- (c) Bank Account.—The Accountant submitted letters from Messrs. Barclays Bank, Ltd., on the above subject, when he was instructed to circulate copies of the communications to the members of the Committee, and in the meantime to reply thereto furnishing particulars of the loans for which the Council were in negotiation.

411 PRIVATE STREET WORKS.—

Annexed **RECOMMENDED** that the several amounts mentioned in the list of undischarged accounts submitted by the Accountant be written off or dealt with as directed.

412 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting:—

Mrs. E. C. Baker (1, Park Parade)—

Premises vacated 18th May, 1927.

General District Rate	...	£3 11 4
Poor Rate	... ..	£5 0 8

Mrs. K. E. Gardner (16, Cyprus Road)—

Premises vacated 10th June, 1927.

General District Rate	...	£2 10 0
Poor Rate	... ..	£4 2 0

Date.

July, 1907

Jan'y, 1911

May, 1911

July, 1913

April 1914

April 1914

April 1914

April 1914

Sept. 1914

Sept. 1914

Sept. 1914

PRIVATE STREET WORKS.

OUTSTANDING CHARGES.

Date.	Name	Amount.	Road.	Remarks.
July, 1907.	Lawson, R.,	9.15.10.	Holden Road.	The total amount of exp ^{mt} ment was paid, but int ^{erest} accrued to the date of) = £9.15.10.
Jany, 1911.	Kessler, F. W.,	18. 6. P. 9. 0. I.	Grosvenor Road.	Bankrupt and left dist ^{ric}
May, 1911.	Unknown.	39.12. 1.	Lankaster Gdns.	Vacant plot.
		39. 8. 0.	Ditto.	Ditto.
July, 1913.	Edridge, T. H.,	2. 4. 6. I.	Briarfield Ave.	Half interest accept ^{ed}
April 1914.	Linthwaite, A.,	13.11. 3. P. 5.15. 6. I.	Dudley Road.	Disputed. Mr. Jenkin ^{son} Mr. Catchpole had in ^{terest}
April 1914.	Carr & Bartlett.	31.17. 3. P. 13. 8. 8. I.	Limes Avenue.	A counterclaim has be ^{en} susp ^{ended} in this case.
April 1914.	Alliance Estates Development Co.,	18. 4. 7. I.	Woodgrange Ave.	Income Tax deduction ^{ed}
April 1914.	Wall, Mrs.,	3.18. 5. P. 1.13. 0. I.	Holdenhurst Ave.	
	(Harding, A.,	9. 7.	part mutual	
	(Muggins, S.,	8. 1.	entrance, Queens Avenue.	
Sept. 1914.	Williamson, J. C.	33.11. 9. P. 4.16. 5. I.	Cyprus Avenue.	Total amount of exp ^{mt} paid but interest ^{ed}
Sept. 1914.	Unknown.	6.14. 0.	Land, Fairlawn Ave.	Unable to trace ^{ed}
Sept. 1914.	Unknown.	7.11. P. 3. 5. I.	Ditto.	Ditto.

£ 227. 7. 7.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 411 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June 1927.

W. J. P. [Signature]
Chairman of the Council.

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FINANCE (continued).

Mr. M. M. Downton (23, Lyndhurst Gardens)—
Premises vacated 9th June, 1927.

General District Rate	...	£2	7	5
Poor Rate	... ..	£3	17	9

413 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

414 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £3,895 1s. 6d., made up as follows:—

		£	s.	d.		
Balance overdrawn per last report		12691	0	0		
Cr. (May 1st—31st) on account of—						
	Rates.	Summonses.				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	1403	8	4			
Collector, South	1145	16	7			
Cashier	13904	6	10	3	17	9
	£16453	11	9	3	17	9
				16457	9	6
By Barclays Bank, interest on current account to March 31st	...	...	...	128	12	0
				16586	1	6
Leaving balance in hand	...			£3895	1	6

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Middlesex County Council, on account of precept	...	6699	10	5
Barnet Guardians, ditto	...	4997	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council (Education Account) on account of precept	... ..	3462	10	0
General District Fund, transfer—				
Proportion salaries, etc., June	...	205	0	4
Invoices and Petty Cash	...	49	12	10
		254	13	2
		£15413	13	7

FINANCE (*continued*).

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	3895	1	6
Cheques recommended for payment ...	15413	13	7
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£11518</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1</u>

415 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £9,443 7s. 0d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report	5218	0	1
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund.—			
Employees' contributions	85	4	0
Council's contributions	173	5	8
	<u>258</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>8</u>
Less superannuation payments and refunds of contributions ...	63	7	9
	<u>195</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>5413</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>

Cr. (May 1st—31st) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	862	7	10			
Collector, South	692	19	1			
Cashier	8475	11	9	5	9	0
	<u>10030</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>
				10036	7	8
By Cashier (May 2nd—31st), general receipts				1247	15	5
„ Farm Clerk (May 19th)				1	17	6
„ Bath Supt. (May 4th—31st)				109	16	3
„ Treasurer, from Ministry of Transport— On a/c of District Rds. 1926/7—						
Class I	166	0	0			
Class II.	17	0	0			
				<u>183</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Ditto from Ministry of Health grant re Unemployment Loan Schemes	1025	15	6			
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, pro-						

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		£	s.	d.
portion salaries and office expenses	205	0	4	
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages and petty cash, from—				
Poor Rate Account	49	12	10	
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	653	6	0	
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	1025	4	8	
Genl. Loan Accounts	318	12	10	
	<u>2046</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>	
				14856 9 0
Leaving balance in hand	...	£9443	7	0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Acme Flooring and Paving Co. (1904), Ltd., creosote	5	5	0
Adams Bros. (Raunds), Ltd., boots	1	15	0
Adocks, Ltd., carbolic powder	6	10	0
Angus, G. & Co., Ltd., hose	34	18	0
Archer, W. & F., brooms	55	12	0
Associated Asphalte Co., Ltd., reinstatement	4	12	6
Eaines & Hennen, towels	40	7	1
Earclays Bank, Ltd., fees	4	0	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., fire hydrants	50	19	0
Beecham Estates & Pills, Ltd., toilet paper ...	5	14	7
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., repairs	5	3	2
Blundell, Spence & Co., Ltd., paint	16	11	1
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., paraffin	4	17	6
British Reinforced Concrete Engineering Co., Ltd., road fabric	8	3	4
Brown Bros., Ltd., plugs, etc.	4	7	11
Bryson, J. G., binding	3	8	0
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	26	0	9
Butterworth & Co., Ltd., digest	1	2	0
Caribonum, Ltd., stamp pads, etc.	3	18	0
Carpenter, C. F., jury list schedules	15	2	3
Charringtons, Ltd., coke	17	10	0
Clarke, H., Ltd., coal	27	6	0
Cluttons, rent	18	8	2
Congregational Hall Trustees, rent	12	10	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement	2	5	0
Corbould, F., repairs	3	7	6

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	£	s.	d.
Cornwall, E. A., coal	2	17	6
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., scythes, etc.	2	12	6
Dawson & Co., Ltd., bricks	18	8	0
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Death, C., rent	5	0	0
Dick, R. & J., Ltd., belting, etc.	1	17	3
Dodd, J., fish	3	16	4
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., printing	14	4	10
East, E., rent	9	4	2
Endersby, W. A., timber	3	7	1
Farrow, H., reinstatement	15	0	0
Finchley Charities, rent	37	10	0
Finchley Urban District Council, rates and electricity	2393	0	8
Freeman & Sons, rent	45	0	0
Friend, A., fruit, etc.	10	0	2
Friern Barnet Urban District Council, rates	141	10	1
Gas Light & Coke Co., tar	674	7	6
General Electric Co., Ltd., telephone fittings	4	2	8
Gibb, J. & Co., Ltd., tubes, etc.	16	6	2
Glico Petroleum Ltd., motor spirit	3	11	6
Gray Bros., Ltd., coke	41	18	0
Green, T. & Son, Ltd., tennis marker	1	13	3
Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., kerb, etc.	716	3	7
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., drawing materials	2	11	9
Hall Bros., certificate	72	15	9
Hall, H. & Co., aprons	1	2	6
Hammond, S. & Co., wire, etc.	16	7	0
Hatchett, J., fodder	8	8	6
Hill-Jones, T., Ltd., flux	481	0	9
Hockey, L. G., shears, etc.	2	0	4
Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., blocks	74	6	0
Joyce & Co., timber	24	7	11
Kalamazoo, Ltd., binder	2	0	9
Keene's Stores, cleaning materials	1	16	10
Kenrick & Jefferson, Ltd., cost sheets	2	16	0
Kent, G. B. & Sons, Ltd., brushes	5	5	9
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., cupboards	12	6	6
Knowles, J. & Co. (London), Ltd., lime	25	6	0
Learner, E. J., dungarees	10	2	6
Lees & Co., costs <i>re</i> bill	159	0	2
Libraco, Ltd., cabinet, etc.	4	18	0
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	17	0	11
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., minutes	50	8	0

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	£	s.	d.
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves ...	2	13	0
London Varnish & Enamel Co., Ltd., enamel ...	3	0	0
Manders, W. & Co., sewer connections ...	135	15	8
Manor Farm Dairy, milk	10	17	3
Mills & Morley, costs <i>re</i> Avenue House ...	692	11	3
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisements ...	2	12	6
Mosers, Ltd., valves, etc.	12	4	0
Miudd, W. R. & Son, meat	12	5	3
McGarry & Cole, staples	4	11	10
National Boiler and General Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	23	9	5
Norton & Gregory, Ltd., photographic paper ...	1	4	4
North British Rubber Co., Ltd., tyres ...	4	9	6
Orchard, C. & Co., printing	4	8	9
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving ...	123	6	8
Peake, W., rent	8	0	0
Peake, Bird, Collins & Co., rent	36	5	3
Peek, W. & E., charging accumulator ...	2	12	6
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	5	18	11
Plowman, C. W., rent	14	0	6
Pocock Bros., boots	6	18	3
Pollard, C., Ltd., weighing machine ...	5	8	0
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., petrol	2	1	8
Postmaster-General, wayleaves	16	3	6
Roneo, Ltd., stencils	7	0	0
St. Pancras Burial Board, rent	50	1	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., paraffin	2	18	4
Ditto cleaning materials	6	15	1
Sampson, T., Ltd., washers, etc.	8	16	9
Shanks, A. & Son, Ltd., mowing machine ...	129	4	0
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	11	2	6
Silvertown Tarmacadam Co., Ltd., tarmac ...	28	8	0
Smart's Tar Distillery, Ltd., pitch	5	5	0
Spence, P. & Sons, Ltd., aluminoferric ...	1	0	0
Steele & Son, A., repairs	9	8	7
Taylor, T., bowls	7	16	5
Tollit & Harvey, Ltd., analysis paper ...	1	5	0
Tyler, H. J., rent	5	10	0
Vosper, W., wipers	2	16	0
Walker, J., team labour	691	0	1
Wight, E. & Co., maintenance of telephone ...	5	0	0
Williams Bros., groceries	22	4	3
Willmott, T. H. & Co., Ltd., overalls ...	3	17	6

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Wilme Collier, A., Ltd., paste	5	17	0
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance	242	3	4
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Total Invoices	£8377	10	6
Refunds of Deposits—Hampstead Lane and Woodside Lane—			
Mowlem, J. & Co.	2	0	0
Farrow, H.	2	0	0
Ball, C.	2	0	0
The Roads & Public Works, Ltd.	2	0	0
Carter, C.	2	0	0
Adams, T.	2	2	0
Tarmac, Ltd.	2	0	0
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	14	2	0
E.L. Revenue Account—transfer, wages	29	18	2
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans 237/255 and 260	1161	0	0
Bank of England—repayment of loans	1708	15	0
Salaries—June.—			
Clerk	98	1	5
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	41	11	8
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	11	11	3
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay Staff	1099	11	9
Ditto Firemen	124	2	4
Accountant to pay Fire Expenses	10	0	0
Accountant's Wages Account	1100	0	0
Ditto ditto	1100	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	573	12	9
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	£15566	15	6

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	9443	7	0
Cheques recommended for payment	15566	15	6
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£6123	8	6

FINANCE (continued).

416 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £21879 1 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

A.C.E.C., certificate	...	...	221	5	0
Clarke, Chapman & Co., Ltd., certificate (final)	...	...	502	10	0
Morris, H., Ltd., certificate (final)	...	...	7	0	1
Universal Housing Co., Ltd., certificate (final)	...	...	16	7	3
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, invoices and wages	...	...	1025	16	1
					<u>1772 18 5</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	...			<u>£23651 19 5</u>

417 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £261 16 6
Cr. by Cashier (May 2nd—25th) amount received from Consumers' Services

...	...	...	305	0	6
					<u>£566 17 0</u>

418 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £3305 9 1
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—

Employees' contributions	...	...	39	12	1
Council's contributions	...	...	62	5	5
					<u>101 17 6</u>
					<u>3407 6 7</u>

Cr. (May 2nd—June 1st) by—

Cashier	...	...	9327	9	1
Collector	...	...	989	6	2
					<u>10316 15 3</u>

Transfers for invoices, wages, etc., from—

General District Fund (gas lamps)	29	18	2
E.L. Loans A/c	1025	16	1
					<u>1055 14 3</u>
					<u>11372 9 6</u>

Leaving in hand			<u>£7965 2 11</u>
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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Deduct cheques drawn June 15th, to—			
Biram & Co., coal	132	16	3
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	351	13	5
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	314	7	11
Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal	350	5	4
		1149	2 11
Leaving in hand	£6816	0	0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Albion Clay Co., Ltd., conduits ...	21	4	9
Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., paraffin, etc.	12	18	4
Beldam Packing & Rubber Co., Ltd., rings	3	7	0
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., acid, etc. ...	28	7	6
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin ...	8	11	2
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire ...	3	18	0
British Thomson-Houston Co., Ltd., meter	8	0	0
Buck & Hickman, Ltd., brushes ...	3	7	3
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cables, etc.	727	13	1
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., books	35	1	0
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, lamps	18	4	7
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., fittings	7	9	0
Ferranti, Ltd., meters, etc.	180	19	6
Finchley Urban District Council, rates	770	0	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., fuel	20	15	0
Hall, J. P. & Sons, Ltd., rings ...	2	18	0
Haynes, G., coal, etc.	79	4	1
Hendon Urban District Council, rates	1	7	11
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning cloths	5	2	6
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters ...	216	0	0
Jackson Electric Stove Co., Ltd., radiator	1	17	4
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., cement, etc. ...	9	10	8
Low's Typewriter Co., paper	1	17	6
Municipal Mutual Insurance Ltd., insurance	2	13	1

FINANCE (continued).

National Boiler & General Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance	350	10	3	
Porter Patent Safety Seals, Ltd., lead seals	1	15	4	
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	4	0	0	
Rowell, D. & Co., Ltd., chequer plating	32	10	0	
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	22	7	8	
Soldo Co., "Soldo"	2	16	0	
Straker, W., Ltd., books, etc.	4	3	0	
Tudor Accumulator Co., Ltd., plates	72	14	7	
Universal Housing Co., Ltd., cement, etc.	69	14	3	
Walpamur Co., Ltd., paint	3	16	9	
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	2	10	0	
Willcox, W. H. & Co., Ltd., tools ...	4	11	3	
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards ...	11	15	6	
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance	128	16	9	
Total Invoices	£2882	8	7	
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	115	11	1	
Electrical Engineer's Wages Account	800	0	0	
Ditto ditto	800	0	0	
Ditto Petty Cash A/c	60	0	0	
				4657 19 8
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Leaving balance in hand	£2158	0	4	
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419 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £8818 6 6				
Cr. by Cashier (May 2nd—20th) amount received				
from frontagers				126 11 8
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Leaving balance in hand	£8944	18	2	
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420 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—				
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £699 19 0				
Cr. by Collector (May 4th—June 1st)—				
Rents	176	7	3	
Allotments		5	0	
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				176 12 3
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				876 11 3

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

	£	s.	d.
General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	201	1	4
Leaving balance in hand ...	£675	9	11

421 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—

The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2381 2 11

Cr. by Collector (May 4th—June 1st)—

Rents	340	11	4
Rent of land	10	4	
	341	1	8
	2722	4	7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	452	4	8
Leaving balance in hand ...	£2269	19	11

422 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £8823 19 4

Cr. by Collector (May 4th—June 1st)—

Rents	906	18	11
	7917	0	5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	1025	4	8
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£8942	5	1

423 ARTERIAL ROADS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per report of 25th Oct., 1926, was £11 3 0

Cr. amount received (May 30th) from Middlesex County Council—balance of expenditure ...

... ..	11	3	0
Leaving balance	NIL.		

This account is now closed.

FINANCE (continued).

424 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £5800 14 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Farrow, H., certificate (final)	1101 11 9	
Hartley, R. H. & Co., certificate (final)	37 6 1	
General District Fund, transfer, invoice	15 0 0	
		<u>1153 17 10</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn		<u>£6954 12 3</u>

425 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £30500 5 5
Cr. amount received (May 16th) from Ministry of Transport on account of grants—

East End Rd. Improvement— Manor Cottage to Hamilton Rd.	337 0 0	
Hampstead Lane Improvement	27 0 0	
		<u>364 0 0</u>
		30136 5 5
Add cheque drawn June 15th, to— Mosses, G. C., purchase of land		200 0 0
		<u>30336 5 5</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Manders, W. & Co., certificates	3912 6 11	
Rainbow, T. A., certificate	214 2 5	
Shelvoke & Drewry, Ltd., certificate ...	860 0 0	
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc	203 11 6	
		<u>5190 0 10</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn		<u>£35526 6 3</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

426 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £7752 14 9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Tarslag (1923), Ltd., certificates	...	851	9	8	
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	...	51	11	4	
					<u>903 1 0</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...				<u>£8655 15 9</u>

427 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was £28090 0 0

Cr. amounts received from Public Works Loan Board on mortgage—

May 11th	...	9335	0	0	
May 21st	...	6610	0	0	
					<u>15945 0 0</u>
					12145 0 0

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under :—

Chambers & Garnett—

re Hill, G. H.	...	750	0	0	
Ditto re Mahoney, Mrs. M. E.	...	730	0	0	
Ditto re Pilcher, T. F.	...	900	0	0	
					<u>2380 0 0</u>

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £14525 0 0

428 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £4171 19 8

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Heenan & Froude, certificate ...	1410	16	9
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	36	0	0
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	1446	16	9
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Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£5618	16	5
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429 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £573 5 8

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Compton Bros., certificate	180	8	10
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	12	10	0
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	192	18	10
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Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£766	4	6
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430 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £287 1 0

Cr. by Treasurer (May 16th), interest on India $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Stock ...	100	16	0
Transfers received (May 31st) from—			
General District Fund	195	1	11
E.L. Revenue Account	101	17	6
Education Account	37	6	6
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	334	5	11
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	435	1	11
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Leaving balance in hand ...	£722	2	11
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	Present Actual Balance 31st May, 1927		Recommended per Report, 13th June, 1927.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
	CR.	DR.	Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques. DR.	CR.	DR.
			CR.	DR.			
Poor Rate	£ 3895	£ ...	£ ...	£ 255	£ 15159	£ ...	£ 11519
General District Fund	7192	...	2252	30	15537	...	6123
Private Street Works Fund	8945	...	...	...	...	8945	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	876	...	...	201	...	675	...
" " " " No. 2	2722	...	...	452	...	2270	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	7017	...	1025	...	...	8942
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans ... ..	...	5801	...	15	1139	...	6955
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	30136	...	204	5186	...	35526
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	7753	...	51	852	...	8656
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	800	...	...	...	...	800	...
Hospitals Loans	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Refuse Destructor Loan ... ..	...	4172	...	36	1411	...	5619
Public Conveniences Loans	68	...	...	...	...	68	...
Allotments Loans	21	...	...	...	...	21	...
Public Offices Loans	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Storeyards Loans ... ..	...	573	...	13	180	...	766
Electric Lighting Revenue	6909	...	1056	...	5807	2158	...
" " Capital Suspense	567	...	...	...	...	567	...
" " Loans ... ..	...	21879	...	1026	747	...	23652
Education ... ..	...	125	...	...	5558	...	5683
" Loans ... ..	...	5559	...	...	456	...	6015
	£ 31998	83915	3308	3308	52032	15507	110456

Net Debit ... £103,949

FINANCE (continued).

432 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement :—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	1013	17	2
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	44100	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	10030	18	8
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	33375	4	2
	<u>£44420</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£44420</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	1660	4	11
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	72907	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ..	16453	11	9
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	55143	3	4
	<u>£73257</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£73257</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

433 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account is the sum of £125 7s. 6d., made up as follows :—

Balance overdrawn per last report	...	£2308 19 0
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—		
Employees' contributions	...	13 15 9
Council's contributions	...	23 10 9
		37 6 6
		2346 5 6
Cr. by Cashier (May 2nd—31st)—		
Contributions to Special		
School fees	... 21 12 0	
Medical Treatment	... 10 15 0	
Cookery Sales	... 5 14 7	
Needlework Sales	... 1 17 10	
Use of rooms	... 2 19 6	
Managers' proportion cost		
of fuel, light, etc.	... 64 4 7	
Other Authorities for		
Institutional Children	124 2 1	
Unemployment Claims—		
Juvenile Employment		
Bureau	... 1 3 3	
		232 8 10
By Ministry of Health—grant under		
Agricultural Rates Act, 1896	...	38 9 2
By Board of Education—Instalment		
of Substantive Grant	... 1950 0 0	
		2220 18 0
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£125 7 6

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books, etc.	431 4 9
Bennet Furnishing Co., Ltd., furniture	30 8 6
Brodie, A., apparatus	14 2 11
Bryson, J. G., printing	4 7 0
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses	6 8 11
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	29 9 10
Davis & Moughton, Ltd., registers	9 18 0
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., medical supplies	1 15 4

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Finchley Urban District Council, rates, etc.	563	2	11
Finchley, Hornsey & Wood Green Joint Special School, precept ...	138	7	11
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., apparatus	1	18	10
Gray Bros., Ltd., fuel	11	6	6
Halls, C. & Sons, certificate	27	8	5
Hendon Urban District Council, border children	506	6	0
Institutional Children—			
Congleton Borough Council ...	1	19	11
Hendon Urban District Council ...	2	4	
Joyce & Co., timber	24	17	7
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., needlework materials	50	5	6
London County Council, extra-district children	12	13	6
London & North-Eastern Railway, way- leave	10	0	
Managers, Christ Church School, fuel, etc.	18	15	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	1	2	6
National Boiler & General Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	34	17	7
Newton Chambers & Co., Ltd., Izal ...	2	3	6
North Finchley Congregational Church, rent	4	7	6
North Middlesex Window Cleaning Co., cleaning	19	12	6
Rooke, W. S., fees	10	10	0
Royal National Orthopædic Hospital, fees	8	11	4
Shaftesbury Society & R.S.U., fees ...	21	12	0
Sheldrake, J., coke store	13	10	0
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas ...	16	10	0
Townson & Mercer, Ltd., apparatus	1	0	6
Wight, E. & Co., repairs	12	6	
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	152	8	6
	£2172	8	1
Total Invoices			
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans Nos. 23 and 26	25	10	0
Salaries, June.—			

FINANCE (*continued*).

Turner, A. A.	...	...	...	...	...	37	12	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
Cogdale, J.	54	1	1
Stevens, H.	25	0	0
Eduaction Salaries Account	3207	1	3
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						£5557	12	3
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SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn	125 7 6
Cheques recommended for payment	5557 12 3
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£5682	19	9
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434 EDUCATION LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per report of 28th March, was £5558 13 3

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Stevens & Sons, certificates (final)	456 3 11
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£6014 17 2
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F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
29th July, 1927.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL will be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 25th day of July, 1927, as follows :—

SPECIAL MEETING at 7.25 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider report of the Public Health Committee of the 5th July, 1927, recommending the granting of Game Licences.

ORDINARY MEETING at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of meeting held on the 27th June, 1927.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 4th July, 1927;
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 5th July, 1927;

- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 6th July, 1927;
- (d) **Allotments** of the 7th July, 1927;
- (e) **Education** of the 11th July, 1927;
- (f) **General Purposes** of the 12th July, 1927;
- (g) **Electricity** of the 13th July, 1927;
- (h) **Finance** of the 13th July, 1927.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

6. Vacation—Motions :—

- (a) that the Council do go into vacation for the month of August, 1927;
- (b) that an emergency meeting of the Council to deal with any matter of pressing importance be summoned on the instructions of the Chairman of the Council if three clear days' previous notice be given;
- (c) that the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council be empowered to deal, subject to report, with any matter of urgency during the vacation which may not be of sufficient importance to justify the calling of an emergency meeting of the Council;
- (d) that any plans which may be deposited for the Council's approval prior to the ordinary meeting of the Council in September next be referred to the Plans Sub-Committee with power to act, subject to report to the Council.

7. Payment of Accounts—Motion.—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 13th July, 1927.”

8. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.
9. Tenders—Surface Water Sewer Works—Great North Road, South of Christ Church.
10. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

11. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Housing (Special)** of the 24th February, 1927, and 30th June, 1927 (circulated to members on the 9th July, 1927).
 - (b) **General Purposes** of the 12th July, 1927.
 - (c) **Electricity** of the 13th July, 1927 ;
 - (d) **Finance** of the 13th July, 1927.
12. Reports of Officers.
13. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
27th June, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
27th day of June, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair,
The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pateman, G. H.
Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
England, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

435 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

436 EX-TREASURER OF THE COUNCIL.—The Chairman, on behalf of the Council, presented to Stanley Wildash, Esq., the ex-Treasurer of the Council, a sealed testimonial and, in doing so, asked that he would accept it as a token of the esteem and regard in which he (Mr. Wildash) was held by the Council and as a mark of appreciation of his work as Treasurer of the Council extending over so many years.—Mr. Wildash suitably responded.

437 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 30th May, 1927.
Arising out of paragraph 266 (3) (c) (Open Spaces—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Victoria Recreation Ground—Unorganised Games)—

- (1) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Briant and duly seconded "that the figures ' 14 ' be substituted for ' 16 ' in the last line of the recommendation."

On being put the amendment was carried, ten voting in favour and four against—

- (2) it was suggested by the Vice-Chairman of the Council that the playing of cricket in that part of the Recreation Ground, between the Etchingham Park Road entrance and the tennis courts, be prohibited except with a soft ball ;

RESOLVED that the matter be referred to the Committee for consideration with power to act.

Arising out of paragraph 265 (b) (Town Planning Scheme No. 2—Draft Preliminary Statement)—

- (1) the Chairman of the Committee made a statement on the matter ;
- (2) it was **RESOLVED** that the figure ' 2 ' be substituted for ' 2a ' in recommendation (2) contained in such paragraph.

Arising out of paragraph 270 (a) (Plans—Approved), it was **RESOLVED** that the word ' Smith ' be substituted for ' Smiter ' as the name of the owner in connexion with plan No. 6161.

- (b) **Public Health** of the 7th June, 1927, with the exception of Licences Nod. 21 & 45 mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (1) (Sanitary Inspector's Report—Petroleum Licences) and the licence mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (2) (b) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 286 (a) (Plans—No. 6167—Lay-out—Kimbolton's Estate) it was

RESOLVED that same be considered in conjunction with paragraph 326 (a) of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June, 1927.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 8th June, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 300 (Standposts for Petroleum), 310 (Street Widening—Regents Park Road—Additional Widening West Side) and 326 (a) (Plans—No. 6167—Lay-out—Kimbolton's Estate), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration (the latter paragraph to be considered in conjunction with paragraph 286 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June, 1927).

Arising out of paragraph 309 (Highways—Main Roads—Traffic) it was

RESOLVED that the word ' Inspectors ' be substituted for the word ' Inspector ' in the second line of the recommendation and that the words " particularly in the shopping areas " be added at the end of the recommendation.

- (d) **Allotments** of the 9th June, 1927, with the exception of recommendation (i) (8) contained in paragraph 333 (a) (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land)) and paragraph 333 (b) (Allotments—Lonsdale Meadows), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 333 (a) (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land))—

- (1) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Merry and seconded by Councillor Briant " that ' £5 ' be substituted for ' £10 ' in recommendation (i) (5)."

On being put the amendment was lost, four voting in favour and eight against.—

- (2) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Briant and seconded by Councillor C. S. Syrett " that the words ' consequent on ' be substituted for the words ' in consideration of ' contained in recommendation (i)."

On being put the amendment was carried.—

- (3) it was **RESOLVED** that the procedure indicated in recommendation (i) (7) be applied to recommendation (i) (5) as regards the question of compensation only.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).(e) **Education** of the 13th June, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 341 (Physically Defective Children) it was

RESOLVED that the words ' the name appearing in the Minute Book ' be inserted after the word ' child ' in the third line of the recommendation.

Arising out of paragraph 349 (Proposed Roman Catholic School) it was moved by Councillor Agar and seconded by Councillor C. S. Syrett :—

“ That this Council desires to place on record its grave concern that the Board of Education should have given their sanction to the erection of a Roman Catholic School in Finchley contrary to the considered opinion of the elected representatives of the ratepayers and flagrantly ignoring the report of the Inspector appointed by the Board who, after hearing evidence from all parties, stated that the erection of the school was not in the interests of secular education or of economy of the rates.”

After full discussion the motion was carried, ten voting in favour (Councillors Broadbent, Agar, Merry, Knowlman, Pocock, Briant, Sommerfield, Wade, C. S. Syrett and Toyne) and seven against (Councillors Wells, England, Bowen, Pateman, Ryan, Grocott and Pike).

It was thereupon moved by Councillor Agar and seconded by Councillor C. S. Syrett :—

“ That copies of this and the previous resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, to the President of the Board of Education and to the Member of Parliament for Finchley, and that the latter be asked to press for and, if possible, obtain an explanation of the extraordinary action of the Board of Education in the matter.”

On being put the motion was carried, ten voting for and seven against as above.

It was thereupon proposed by Councillor Wells and duly seconded :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

“ That, in transmitting the resolutions in question to the parties mentioned, particulars of the voting be given.”

On being put the motion was lost, six voting in favour and eleven against.

(f) General Purposes of the 14th June, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 374 (b) (Victoria Recreation Ground—Proposed Putting Green) Councillor Pike made a statement on the matter;

RESOLVED—

- (1) that the Council approve of the old Bowling Green being utilised for the purpose of a Putting Green and that an expenditure not exceeding £10 in connexion with the matter be also approved;
- (2) that the charge to be made for the use of the Green be at the rate of 3d. per round per player, except on Saturdays and Bank Holidays, when the charge be 4d.

(g) Electricity of the 15th June, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 384 (c) (4) (Extensions of Plant—Proposed Sub-Station—Cherry Tree Wood) it was

RESOLVED—

- (1) that application be made to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £106, representing the difference between the estimated cost of the Sub-Station building, and the amount of the quotation;
- (2) that the Chief Electrical Engineer be authorised to arrange for the work to be put in hand so soon as the necessary sanctions are received.

Arising out of paragraph 385 (Revenue Accounts and Balance Sheet—Year ended 31st March, 1927), it was

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that the Standing Orders be suspended in order to enable the Chairman of the Electricity Committee to make his statement in regard to the Revenue Accounts and Balance Sheet therein mentioned.

The Chairman of the Committee thereupon made his statement and the thanks of the Council were accorded to him therefor.

- (h) **Finance** of the 15th June, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 402 (Allotments—Lonsdale Meadows) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration in conjunction with paragraph 333 (b) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 9th June, 1927, and paragraph 403 (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land)) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration in conjunction with recommendation (i) (8) contained in paragraph 333 (a) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 9th June, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 410 (a) (Loans—Education—£5,635) it was

RESOLVED that the words ' as to £4,650 in 30 years ' be inserted at the end of recommendation (1).

438 GLEBE LAND—REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.—The above report, dated 18th March, 1927 (referred from the Council Meeting held on the 28th March, 1927), was placed before the Council;

RESOLVED that the consideration thereof be deferred until the whole matter is again before the Council.

439 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND—OPEN AIR DEMONSTRATION.—Letter, dated 10th June, 1927, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the North Finchley Branch of the League of Nations Union thanking the Council for giving them permission to hold a meeting in the Recreation Ground, and stating that the Union would have to abandon the holding of the meeting for this year owing to the difficulty of finding a suitable date.

440 CHERRY TREE WOOD.—Letter, dated 15th June, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the Junction Road Congrega-

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

tional Church, Upper Holloway, making application for permission to take about seventy or eighty children from the Primary Department to the above open space for an Outing on the 16th July, 1927;

RESOLVED that such application be granted.

441 ARDEN PLAYING FIELD—FINCHLEY CRICKET CLUB—AL FRESCO CONCERTS.—Letter, dated 14th June, 1927, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the Finchley Cricket Club making application for permission to hold Al Fresco Concerts in the above open space on Thursday, the 7th July, 1927, and on Saturday, the 9th July, 1927, and for permission to charge one shilling for chairs in the reserved enclosure;

RESOLVED that no objection be raised to the proposal subject to the same conditions as were imposed when a similar application was granted last year.

442 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—Letter, dated 19th June, 1927, was submitted from Mr. E. Outhwaite (Lord Rothermere's agent) stating that his Lordship approved of the amended site and the proposed fencing and that he was quite prepared to leave the whole matter in the hands of the Council upon whom no part of the cost would fall; further that the statue and the pediment were in London and that the completion of the work was entirely a matter for the Council to deal with;

RESOLVED that a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and the Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee, together with the Surveyor, be appointed for the purpose of completing the necessary arrangements in connexion with the matter.

443 UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920 — THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—The Clerk reported that the Inquiry herein had been adjourned until the 13th July, 1927, and that this adjournment was necessitated by reason of the fact that the Middlesex County Council were contemplating an alternative route east of the Great North Road in order to meet the various objections which had been made in respect of the construction of the North Circular Road as originally proposed;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that authority be given to the appropriate committee and to the Officers to deal with the matter.

444 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS—THIRTEENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE—LONDON—30th JUNE, 1st JULY and 2nd JULY, 1927.—It was reported that the Council had been invited to appoint delegates to attend the above-mentioned conference;

RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Public Health Committee or the Medical Officer of Health be so appointed.

445 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—It was reported that the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee would be unable to attend the conference in regard to this matter to be held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 1st July, 1927;

RESOLVED that, in the circumstances, the Deputy Surveyor attend, if possible, with Councillor Wade.

446 PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871 to 1925—APPLICATION FOR LICENCE.—The Petroleum Inspector reported that an application had been received from Mr. Thomas Simmons, of Dollis Park Farm, Nether Street, N. 3, for a licence to keep sixty gallons of petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins and that it was proposed to keep the petroleum spirit in galvanised iron receptacles placed in a small open brick enclosure at the rear of the premises;

RESOLVED that the application be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject to—

- (a) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of the Council's Petroleum Inspector;
- (b) the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

447 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order, in writing, be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927, amounting to £56,370 9s 3d

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

448 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents:—

- (1) Deed of release of Covenant by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners to enable the Council to erect an Electricity Sub-Station in Cherry Tree Wood.
- (2) Endorsement on Conveyance from the Whitehall Estates Co., Ltd., and others of Windsor Open Space as to release of Covenant to enable the Council to erect additional Pumping Installation on the land.
- (3) Petroleum, etc., licences (in duplicate) for period ending 30th June, 1928, to Applicants mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) of the Public Health Committee report of the 7th June, 1927.
- (4) Contract with C. Carter for the carrying out of Improvement Works in Hampstead Lane, between the Bishop's Avenue and the Hornsey Boundary.
- (5) Contracts with the undermentioned in connexion with the proposed Electricity Sub-Station, Cherry Tree Wood, viz. :—
 - (a) Callenders Cable & Construction Co., Ltd.—High Tension and Low Tension Cable Works.
 - (b) Universal Housing Co., Ltd.—Sub-Station Building, including Verandah.
 - (c) Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd.—Rectifier Plant.
 - (d) Reyrolle & Co., Ltd.—High Tension Switchgear.
- (6) Agreement with H. C. Cole and another, in connexion with proposed alterations and additions at No. 9, The Hawthorns.
- (7) Deed of Transfer from The Executors of the late H. C. Stephens to the Council of the Avenue House Estate.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (8) Deed as to the payment of Death Duties and the production of Documents (*re* Avenue House).
- (9) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts to A. W. Brown in respect of 63, Brent Way.
- (10) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts to E. H. Roberts in respect of "Ashton," Woodberry Gardens.
- (11) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £4,318, from Public Works Loan Board, being residue of Mortgage No. 273 (Sewerage, Lyndhurst Gardens, and from Waverley Grove to Regents Park Road).
- (12) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927.
- (13) Mortgage to the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society to secure repayment of the sum of £5,635, together with interest at the rate of 5¼ per centum per annum.
- (14) Mortgage to the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society to secure repayment of the sum of £35,702, together with interest at the rate of 5¼ per centum per annum.
- (15) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £1,705 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts).
- (16) Precept upon the Council, as the Rating Authority, for the sum of £27,700, being the amount required for purposes of elementary education for the year ending 31st March, 1928.
- (17) Petroleum Licence (in duplicate) to Thomas Simmons to store petroleum at Dollis Park Farm, Nether Street, N. 3.
- * (18) Licences to the under-mentioned for the use of pumps for supply of petroleum :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (a) Eades & Co.,
 - (b) H. Pope & Sons, Ltd.,
 - (c) North Finchley Motors & Metals, Ltd.
- * (19) Conveyance from the Aerated Bread Co., Ltd., of strip of land for the widening of East End Road.
- * (20) Contract with the undermentioned for annual repairs to schools :—
- (a) Hall Bros.,
 - (b) C. Halls & Son.
- * (21) Contract with Gray Bros., Ltd., for the supply coal.
- * (22) Contract with Cockerell & Co. for the supply of anthracite.
- * (23) Contract with the North Middlesex Gas Co. for the supply of coke.
- * Subject to report of Council in Committee.

449 TENDERS—CONSTRUCTION OF PAVILION—CHERRY TREE WOOD.—It was reported that one tender only in respect of the above had been received but that two more were expected;

RESOLVED—

- (a) that, in the circumstances, the date for the receipt of tenders be extended to 30th June, 1927;
- (b) that the Chairman of the Council be authorised to open the tenders and to accept one of them, subject to report.

450 ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.—

RESOLVED that authority be given for the Victoria Recreation Ground to be opened at 5.30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 29th June, 1927.

451 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

452 PETROLEUM LICENCES.—Licences Nod. 21 and 45 mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (1) and also the licence mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (2) (b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June, 1927, were considered in conjunction with paragraph 300 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that paragraph 300 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June, 1927, be not adopted;
- (b) that the licences previously referred to (Nod. 21 and 45 mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (1) and the licence mentioned in paragraph 274 (a) (2) (b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June, 1927) be granted;
- (c) that the applications received from the North Finchley Motors & Metals, Ltd., Messrs. H. Pope & Sons, Ltd., and Messrs. Eades & Co. severally, for renewal of their licences relating to the standposts for petroleum be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928;
- (d) that the licences be added to the list of documents for sealing.

453 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—ADDITIONAL WIDENING—WEST SIDE.—Paragraph 310 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June, 1927, was considered and the Surveyor reported that it was possible that he would be able to agree with the Express Dairy Company for the figure of £300 in connexion with the acquisition of their frontage to be reduced to £250;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that, in the event of the figure of £300 above-mentioned being reduced to £250, the necessary amendment be made in the applications for contributions and for sanction to the loan, etc.;
- (c) that the words ' or the vendors' consent to proceed be given ' be added at the end of recommendation(2).

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

454 PLAN No. 6167—LAY-OUT—KIMBOLTON'S ESTATE.—Paragraph 326 (a) of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th June, 1927, was considered in conjunction with paragraph 286 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th June, 1927, and the Surveyor reported on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the plan in question be approved, subject to the owner's agreeing to bear the expense of putting the surface water sewer in order.

455 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE (GLEBE LAND).—Recommendation (i) (8) contained in paragraph 333 (a) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 9th June, 1927, was considered in conjunction with paragraph 403 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that recommendation (i) (8) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 9th June, 1927, be adopted, subject to the deletion of the word ' drain ' therein;
- (b) that paragraph 403 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927, be adopted, subject to ' £700 ' being substituted for ' £600 ' in the sixth line of recommendation (1);
- (c) that the Surveyor be directed to prepare an estimate of the cost of converting the portion of Site " G " to be vacated by the Allotment Holders for use as a Playing Field.

456 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS.—Paragraph 333 (b) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 9th June, 1927, was considered in conjunction with paragraph 402 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th June, 1927; the information mentioned in the latter paragraph was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that such paragraphs be received and adopted.

457 EAST END ROAD WIDENING—AERATED BREAD COMPANY'S FRONTAGE.—The Surveyor reported hereon and intimated that the Aerated Bread Company had written agreeing to convey to the Council the land coloured pink on plan No. 5981 for the sum of £400, subject to the Council (a) setting back the fence to the new

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

line of frontage; (b) making up the widened portion as part of the highway free of cost to the Company; and (c) paying the Company's Solicitors' charges in the matter;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the offer of the Company be accepted;
- (2) that the Clerk be directed to take all necessary steps with regard to the conveyance to the Council of the strip of land in question;
- (3) that the deed of Conveyance be added to the list of documents for sealing.

458 RAILWAY SIDING—UNITED DAIRIES, LTD.—The Surveyor presented an application received from the above Company for permission to run a railway siding into their East Finchley works across the public footpath leading to East Finchley Station;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

459 EDUCATION COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 13th June, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

REPAIRS AND DECORATIONS TO SCHOOLS.—Tenders have been received and considered.

RECOMMENDED that the tenders submitted by the undermentioned firms be accepted, namely:—

School.—		£	s.	d.
Long Lane	Messrs. Hall Bros.	159	19	0
Albert Street	„	42	15	6
North Road	„	78	10	0
Squires Lane	Messrs. C. Halls & Son	205	2	6
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		£486	7	0

SUPPLY OF COAL AND COKE.—Tenders for the supply of coal and coke for the year commencing 1st August, 1927, have been received and considered;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the quotations submitted by the undermentioned firms be accepted:—

	Delivered	
	before Oct. 15th, per ton.	after Oct. 15th, per ton.
Messrs. Gray Bros.—		
Butterley Ormonde Kilburn House coal	35/6	36/6
Messrs. Geo. J. Cockerell & Co.—		
Anthracite nuts	61/6	67/6
Messrs. North Middlesex Gas Co.—		
Coke	30/0	32/6

(The quotations above will apply to all services of the Council).

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be received and adopted;
- (b) that the contracts mentioned therein be added to the list of documents for sealing.

460 APPOINTMENTS.—

- (a) Assistant Road Foreman.—
- (b) Store-keeper and Yard Foreman.—

The Surveyor reported as follows:—

“ I have to report that in accordance with the instructions of the Council, the Sub-Committee interviewed the selected candidates for the position of Assistant Road Foreman (designated post) and appointed Mr. S. H. Barnett, Divisional Inspector, Highways and Works Department, to the County Borough of Southend-on-Sea, subject to satisfactory medical examination, at a wage of £4 10s. 0d. per week and the tenancy of one of the new cottages, for which a rental of 15s. 0d. per week will be charged.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The Sub-Committee also interviewed Mr. T. C. Judge, Deputy Store-keeper and Yard Foreman to the Borough of Wimbledon, and recommend his appointment as Store-keeper and Yard Foreman at the Central Depot, on the same terms as those approved for the Assistant Road Foreman, viz., £4 10s. 0d. per week and the tenancy of one of the new cottages, for which a rental of 15s. 0d. per week will be charged. The Sub-Committee recommend that the position should be designated."

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the report be received and adopted;
- (2) that Mr. S. H. Barnett be appointed to fill the vacant designated post of "Assistant Road Foreman" as from the date he enters the service of the Council;
- (3) that the creation of the designated post of "Store-keeper and Yard Foreman" be referred to the General Purposes Committee.

461 RATE SUMMONSES.—The Chairman of the Finance Committee reported that the following dates had been provisionally fixed :—

Application for summonses	Friday, 5th August, 1927;
Hearing	Friday, 2nd September, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that such dates be approved, subject to the same being convenient to the Court.

462 ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE—NEWCOMEN ROAD.—The Clerk reported fully hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the draft agreement as now submitted be approved;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(b) that payment of interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the sum of £64 15s. 0d. be also approved until such time as the land is conveyed to the Council.

463 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Pateman voting against paragraph 455).

H. S. P. H.
Chairman

25th July 1927.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

4th July, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, H. O. Syrett and Toyne.

464 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

465 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

466 OPEN SPACES.—

(1) Glebe Land—Site G (Part of).—

(a) Contribution by County Council.—The Clerk reported that he had duly communicated with the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council on the lines indicated in paragraph 43 (1) of the Committee's report of the 2nd May, 1927, and had received a reply to the following effect :—

1. that it was the intention of the County Council that the 25 per cent. net revenue should only be payable while the financial relations between the two Councils remained unaltered ;
2. that with regard to the suggestion that the County Council repay to this Council any sum received by the former in respect of the proportion of the net revenue in the event of the financial relations of the Councils being altered, the Committee dealing with the matter were unable to recommend the County Council to agree to this course, inasmuch as they considered that any sums received by that Authority under clause 6 (b) would be in the nature of revenue derived from the use of the capital contribution of the County Council.

The Clerk pointed out that although the general expression " capital contribution " was

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

used in the foregoing communication, the County Council had never intimated that they were prepared to contribute towards the cost of **laying out** land acquired for sports purposes, although they were empowered to do so by Section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1925; that the County Council's resolution merely indicated that subject to certain conditions they were prepared to contribute towards the cost of **acquiring** land for such purposes;

RECOMMENDED that the Middlesex County Council be informed that this Council is prepared

(1) to forgo reimbursement by the County Council of the moneys paid to that Authority under clause 6 (b) of their resolution if the County Council agree to contribute under Section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1925, not only towards the cost of acquiring land, but also towards the cost of **laying out** such land for sports purposes;

(2) to pay to the County Council 25 per cent. of the net revenue derived from the use of the land only after recoupment of the amount of the capital expenditure incurred in laying out the land, if the County Council do not agree to contribute towards such capital expenditure.

(b) Cost of laying out the land.—The Surveyor presented a preliminary estimate, totalling £2,500, of the cost of laying out and fencing that portion of the above area proposed to be utilised for playing fields;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be considered in detail by the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Committee and reported to the next meeting of the Committee.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

4TH JULY, 1927.

REQUISITION - 7TH JULY TO 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE

EXTRA ITEMS:-	Recreation Ground, Pavilion, Bowling Green.	350	0	0	2191	0	0
	Putting Green.	10	0	0			
	Glebe Land - entrance opp. Squires Lane.	15	0	0			
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"C" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1001 11 1

Req. Item
No. No.

RECREATION GROUND.

303		Pavilion - Bowling Green.	350	0	0		
304		Forming Putting Green.	10	0	0		
305	1	Wages.	140	0	0		
306	3	Petrol, oil, etc. for mower.	2	10	0		
307	7	2 wire guards, Park View Rd gate.	1	10	0		
308		Paint fencing, main entrance and repair shelter roof.	4	10	0		
309	10	32 yds. fencing near main entrance	7	0	0		
310	13 0	Repair water service to fountain, main entrance.	1	14	10		
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CHERRY TREE WOOD.

311		Wages.	37	0	0		
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WINDSOR OPEN SPACE.

312	0	Cutting Grass.	5	6	5		
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GLEBE LAND.

313	0	Forming entrance opposite Squires Lane.	15	0	0		
314	3,5,8, 13,25,	Transfer from stores, coke, tools, oil, etc.	1	19	8		
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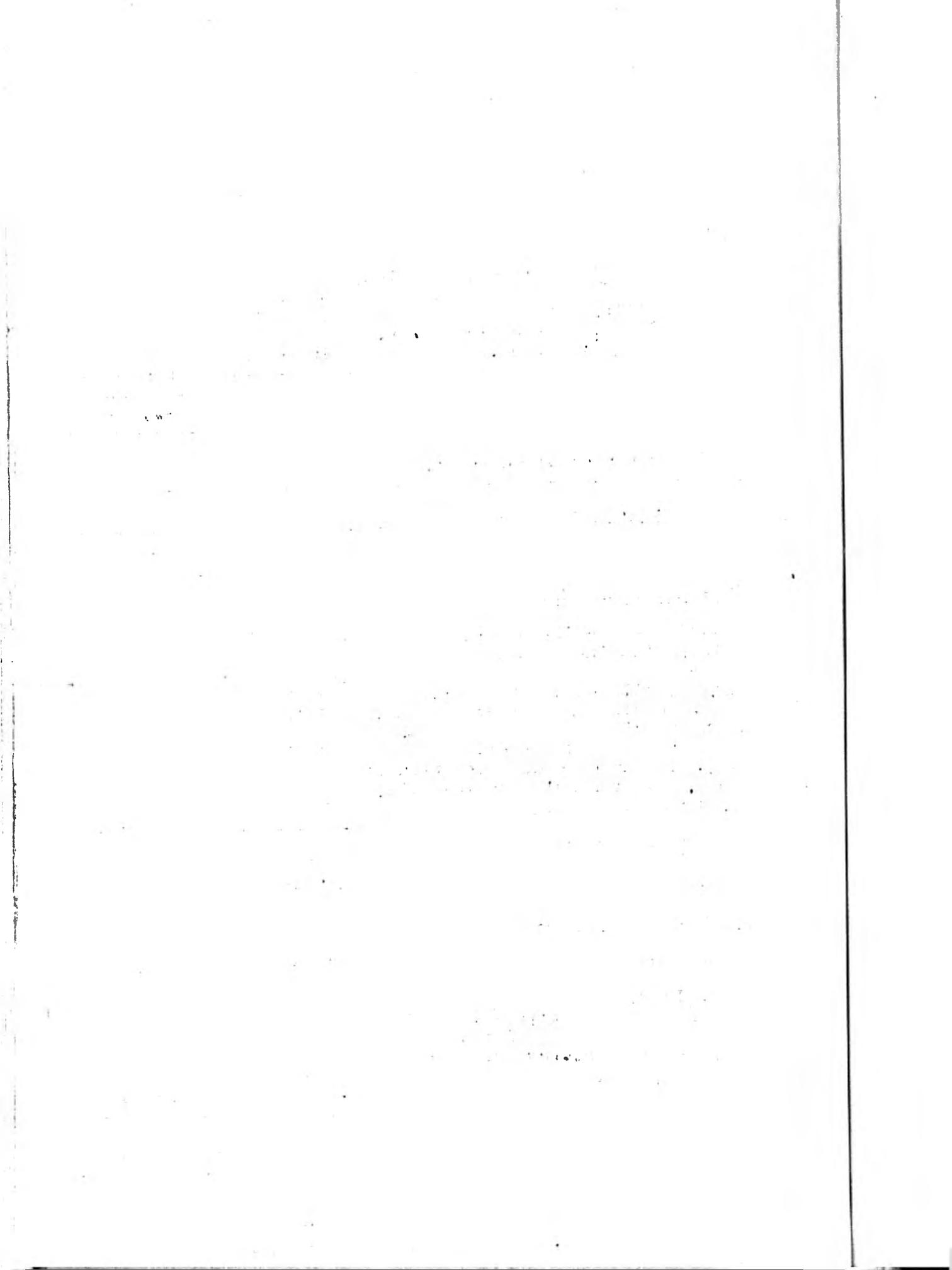
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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 465 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 4th July 1927.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH JUNE, 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

(2) Cherry Tree Wood.—

- (a) Pavilion.—The Chairman of the Council reported that in accordance with authority delegated to him at the last meeting of the Council, he had opened the tenders received for the erection of the above, and had accepted that of Messrs. J. Harrison & Co. at the sum of £202 10s. 0d. ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Chairman be approved.

- (b) Metropolitan Water Board Act, 1921.—Referring to paragraph 43 (4) (d) of the Committee's report of the 2nd May, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter from the Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board stating (1) that so far as the above open space was concerned the proposed operations of the Board under the said Act would not in any way affect the user or occupation by the Council except during the actual progress of the work ; (2) that he was prepared to recommend the Board to allow the Council's claim to stand over until the work had actually been completed, when both parties could no doubt arrive at a satisfactory figure in respect of disturbances ; and (3) that the Board's Contractors would reinstate the ground to as near to the original condition as possible, but that he would be quite prepared to come to an arrangement whereby the Council would take over the surface immediately the Board's Contractors had finished their work, and be responsible for the treatment of the surface for a certain period or pay an agreed amount in this respect ;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor of this Council be instructed to interview the Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board to discuss the above terms and report.

- (3) Brook Farm—Football Pitches—1927/28 Season.—The Surveyor reported that he had allocated football pitches to the under-mentioned Clubs :—

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

Pitch No.	Club.	Rent.
1	Albertians F.C. Reserves	15/-
2	St. Mary's F.C., East Finchley	15/-
3	St. Mary's Old Boys, Finchley	15/-
4	8th Finchley Troop, St. John's F.C.	15/-
5	2nd Finchley Old Boys' F.C.	15/-
6 6a }	St. Mary's Boys' Club	22/6
7	Woodhouse F.C.	15/-

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Surveyor be approved.

- (4) Manor Playing Field—Football Pitch—1927/28 Season.—The Surveyor reported that he had allocated the football pitch on the above open space to the Squires United Football Club at a rental of 5/- for the season; further, that it was understood that the scholars of Long Lane School would play on this ground as desired on schooldays;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Surveyor be approved.

- (5) Victoria Recreation Ground—Cricket.—The reference from the Council hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the playing of cricket with a hard ball be not allowed in the recreation ground;
- (2) that a notice be exhibited in the recreation ground to the above effect.

Amended 467 NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.—The Chairman submitted for the information of the Committee a report (circulated) on main road communications which had been presented at the last meeting of the above-mentioned Committee by the Town Planning consultants.

RECOMMENDED that the report be adopted.

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NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING
COMMITTEE.

The Joint Committee at its quarterly meeting held at the Guildhall on June 14th last, had under consideration the first interim report submitted by the Town Planning Consultants. This report dealt exclusively with Main Road communications.

The problem of making suitable provision for the traffic needs of the future is, in the main, one of improving the London end of radial arteries, both by widening the arteries themselves and by improving the distributory feeders in the built-up areas.

The Ministry of Transport Census on Class "A" Roads taken in 1935 as compared with that taken in 1928, shows an increase from 21% to 205%, an average increase of 92%. On Class "B" Roads, the increase is from 3% to 124% - an average of 77%. The greatest volume of traffic is carried by Road A500 and the Great North Road (A1) as far as Barnet.

The proposals of the Joint Committee which affect Finchley or its contiguous areas, are as under:-

NEW ARTERIAL ROADS.

A local Barnet By-pass Road to avoid High Street, Barnet. In view of the wide detour made by the main Barnet By-pass this local bye-pass is urgently needed. But as the greater volume of traffic turns at Barnet into the St. Albans Road (A6), it is considered that the new bye-pass should be continued to join (A6) about 3 miles from Barnet.

ROAD WIDTHS AND BUILDING LINES.

A co-ordinated policy with regard to road widths and building lines is important. In built-up areas, although the traffic needs are greater, the expense of widening streets may be very heavy and it will frequently be impossible on financial grounds to undertake improvements. The maximum width should therefore be obtained by the prescription of improvement and building lines and requiring compliance therewith when the re-building takes place.

This may be accomplished under the Town Planning Schemes or, where such land is not included, under the Road Improvements Act 1935, and the consideration of this matter by the Highways Committee should be invited.

The proposals of the Joint Committee under this heading are:-

Main Trunk Roads.

A width of not less than 100 feet with a building set back of not less than 20 feet or 70 feet from the centre of the road.

Other First Class Roads.

A width of 80 feet with a building set back of 20 feet or 60 feet from the centre of the road.

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Second Class Roads

A width of 60 feet with a building set back of 30 feet or 50 feet from the centre of the road.

The Joint Committee consider it important that all buildings should comply with the general building line laid down for a road. It is sometimes suggested that shops and business premises would be injuriously affected by being set back too far from the road and that they should accordingly be allowed to come forward in front of the normal building line. We suggest, however, that instead of bringing these buildings nearer to the road it is obviously better to bring the road nearer to them. Shops and business premises inevitably give rise to increased traffic, both vehicular and pedestrian, and they, therefore, require wider footpaths and wider carriageways in front of them. The most effective method of meeting these requirements is to maintain a uniform building line and utilise the forecourts of the shops for a footpath 20 feet wide, thus allowing space for a subsidiary carriageway to accommodate vehicles stopping in front of the shops without interference with the through traffic using the road.

SCHEDULE OF ROAD PROPOSALS.

No.	Description.	Local Author-ities affected.	Suggested width, in feet.	Building set back where possible, in feet.
A1.	Great North Road (London to Edinburgh).	Hornsey Borough, Finchley Urban, S. Mimms Rural.	100	30
A.109.	Tottenham - Wood Green - Friern Barnet - Whetstone Road.	Tottenham Urban Wood Green Urban, Friern Barnet Urban, Finchley Urban.	80	20
A.406.	North Circular Road.	Wembley Urban Willesden Urban Hendon Urban Finchley Urban Hornsey Borough F. Barnet Urban Wood Green Urban Southgate Urban Edmonton Urban.	100	30
A.500.	Hampstead - Finchley Road.	Hendon Urban Finchley Urban.	100	20
A.504.	Finchley - Muswell Hill - Hornsey - Tottenham Road.	Finchley Urban Hornsey Borough Tottenham Urban.	80	20

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No.	Description.	Local Authorities affected.	Suggested width, in feet.	Building set back where possible, in feet.
A.1103	Finchley - Friern Barnet - Southgate Road.	Finchley Urban F. Barnet Urban Southgate Urban.	80	20
A5000	Hendon - Finchley Road.	Hendon Urban Finchley Urban.	60	20
B550	Highgate - Muswell Hill - Friern Barnet - Whetstone Road.	Hornsey Borough F. Barnet Urban Finchley Urban.	60	20
B553	Egware - Totteridge Whetstone Road.	Hendon Rural Hendon Urban Finchley Urban.	60	20
1.	Barnet Bye-Pass	Hornsey Borough Finchley Urban Hendon Urban S. Mimms Rural.	100	20

As an advisory body the Joint Committee has no direct means of carrying out its proposals. To make them effective, it will be necessary for each of the constituent Local Authorities to include such proposals as affect their areas in their statutory town planning schemes. In this connexion it is recommended that Local Authorities should work in close collaboration with the County Council and the Ministry of Transport (or whatever Government Department assumes the functions of this body) and make such arrangements with them as may be possible for securing financial assistance in the event of claims for compensation arising out of the prescription of land both for the widening of existing main roads and for new main routes.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the report referred to in paragraph 467 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 4th July 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

Arising thereout the Clerk was instructed to bring before the Highways and Fire and Water Committee the question of considering the provisions of the Roads Improvement Act, 1925, with a view to improvement and building lines being laid down by negotiation with owners;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

468 TEMPORARY BUILDING—15, FREDERICK'S PLACE.—A JOHNSON.—It was reported that the above-named had erected a garage in front of the building line and that plans of the temporary structure had not been submitted for the approval of the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Public Health Committee with a view to notice being served upon the owner requiring him to pull down and remove the said building.

469 BUILDING LINES—ETON AND FALLOW COURT AVENUES.—A letter, dated the 9th May, 1927, was read from Mr. Paul Sainsbury, asking the Council to approve building lines in the above-mentioned streets of a depth of 10 feet, instead of a depth of 12 feet as shewn on drawing No. 5954.

RECOMMENDED that the proposal be not approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

470 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

Annexed - **RECOMMENDED** that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

(1) General.—

No. of Plan.	Premises	Where situate	Owner
✓ 6112	Store shed	Rear of 6-9, Grove Terrace, Regents Park Road	Messrs. Price Bros.
✓ 6150	Lock-up shop	Park Parade, North Finchley	Messrs. F. W. Woolworth & Co.
✓ 6160	Addition to out-building	Ramsay, Fitzalan Road	Mr. S. Blofield.
✓ 6163	Garage	Shakespeare Road	Mr. E. F. Harveyson
✓ 6172	One house	Plot 0194, Hill Top	Mr. H. J. Stoue.
✓ 6173	Garage	36, Westbury Road	The Misses Handscombe.
✓ 6174	Garage	45, Brent Way	Mr. W. H. E. Fransham.
✓ 6176	Tool shed	30, Friern Park	Mr. Killingback.
✓ 6177	Work-shop and coal shed	36, High Street, North Finchley	Mr. W. A. Edwards.
✓ 6178	Tool shed	1, Rosemont Terrace, High Rd., North Finchley	Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd.
✓ 6179	Staff cloakroom	New Bohemia Cinema, Regents Park Road	The National Electric Theatres, Ltd.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

4TH JULY, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 26 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	34
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	5
GARAGES.	5
MISCELLANEOUS	7
LOCK-UP SHOP.	1
TEMPORARY BUILDINGS.	2

- ✓ 6150. Lock-up Shop.
22. 6. 27. Park Parade, North Finchley.
Messrs. F. W. Woolworth & Co.,
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting,
is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6160. Addition to out-building.
28. 6. 27. Ramsay, Fitzalan Road.
Mr. S. Blofield.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting,
is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6172. One house.
3. 6. 27. Plot G194, Hill Top.
Mr. H. J. Stone.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6173. Garage.
2. 6. 27. 36, Westbury Road.

The Misses Handscombe.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6174. Garage.
4. 6. 27. 45, Brent Way.
Mr. W. H. E. Fransham.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6175. Coal and Coke Shed.
1. 6. 27. 23, Willow Way,
Mr. R. V. Jones.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
- ✓ 6176. Tool Shed.
7. 6. 27. 30, Friern Park.
Mr. Killingback.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6177. Work shop and coal shed.
10. 6. 27. 36, High Street, North Finchley.
Mr. W. A. Edwards.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

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1, Rosemont Terrace, High Road, N. Finchley.
Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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15. 6. 27. Staff Cloak-room.
New Bohemia Cinema, Regents Park Road.
The National Electric Theatres, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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15. 6. 27. Cattle Pens.
Park Farm, East End Road.
Mr. P. A. Vivers.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6181.
15. 6. 27. Alterations.
Valley View, Hendon Lane.
Mr. J. E. Key.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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16. 6. 27. Two Houses.
17 & 19, Ridgeway,
Messrs. Burdett & May,
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6183.
16. 6. 27. 4 Houses.
Osmiton Way.
The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6184.
17. 6. 27. One house.
East End Road, by Squires Lane.
Mr. H. C. Brown.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6185.
17. 6. 27. Garage,
92, High Street, North Finchley.
Miss B. A. Richards.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6187.
22. 6. 27. Conservatory.
37, Alexandra Grove.
Mr. E. Bradshaw.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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22. 6. 27. Garage.
Babeary
Mrs. Underwood.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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23. 6. 27. Garage.
Between 68 & 70, Lichfield Grove.
Mr. Edward Fitz-Edward Seaman, and Mr. E. Wright.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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24. 6. 27. Tool Shed.
9, St. Margarets Avenue.
Mrs. B. B. J. Cocks.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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24. 6. 27. 22 Houses.
Road proposed to be known as Chesterfield Road.
Mr. G. C. Mosses.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

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24. 6. 27. 2 Houses.
Wentworth Avenue,
Mr. W. T. Hayward.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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25. 6. 27. Alterations.
2, Minor Parade, Regents Park Road.
Mr. Davidson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6194.
27. 6. 27. Conversion of Dwelling House into two Flats.
45, The Grove.
Mr. F. L. Linzell.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6195.
28. 6. 27. Two Houses.
Plots X 800 and X 801, Litchfield Way.
Mr. G. Taylor.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

TEMPORARY BUILDINGS.

- ✓ 863 T. Two Builders' sheds.
Cypus Avenue.
Messrs. Tharo Bros.
This application MAY BE SANCTIONED for a period
ending 1st January, 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH JUNE, 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

4TH JULY, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

since my last report 13 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	2
GARAGES	6
MISCELLANEOUS.	5

- ✓ 6112. Store Shed.
Rear of 6-9, Grove Terrace, Regents Park Road.
Messrs. Price Bros.
This plan was disapproved at the Council meeting on the 20th April, 1927, and I will report thereon at your meeting.
- ✓ 6163. Garage.
Shakespeare Road.
Mr. E. F. Harveyson.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting, is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6177. Workshop and Coal Shed.
2. 7. 27. 35, High Street, North Finchley.
Mr. W. A. Edwards.
Since the issue of my report on the 29th June, 1927, an amended plan has been received, and I will report thereon at your meeting.
- ✓ 6186. Pavilion.
18. 6. 27. Sports Ground, Crossway.
Middlesex Education Committee.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6196. House.
29. 6. 27. Plot X 633, Middleway.
Mr. L. C. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6197. Garage.
28. 6. 27. Between 11 and 13, Finchley Avenue.
Mr. F. G. Cooper.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
- ✓ 6198. Garage.
30. 6. 27. Heathfield, Holden Avenue.
Mr. W. J. F. Thomas.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6199. Garage.
30. 6. 27. 17, Hetherfield Road.
Mr. C. F. Day.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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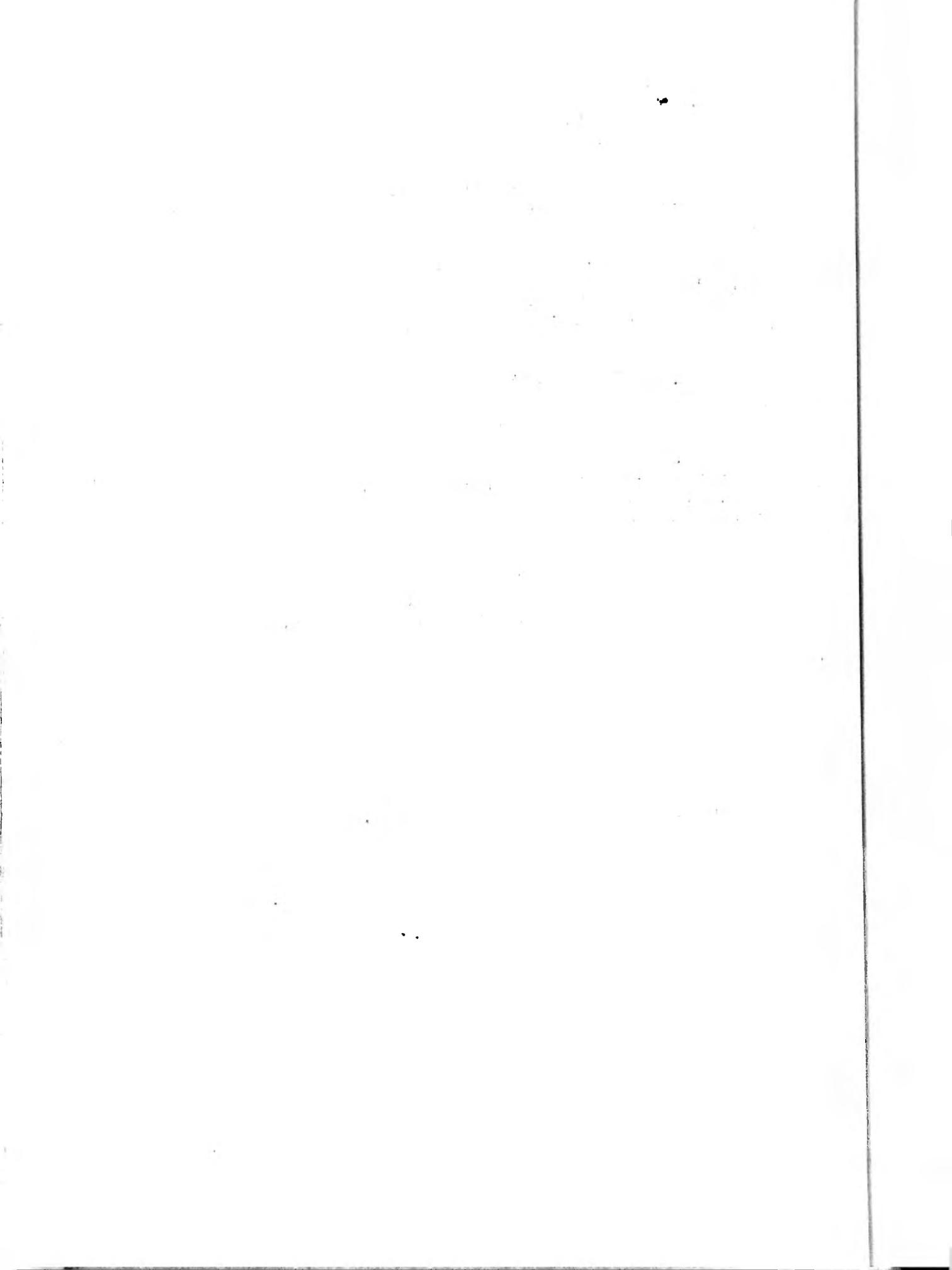
6200. One house.
 ✓ 2. 7. 27. Hervey Close.
 Mr. A. P. Roy.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6201. Garage with room over.
 ✓ 2. 7. 27. Adjoining house, Hendon Avenue, near Lyndhurst Gardens,
 Messrs. Aird & Baldwin.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6202. Electricity sub-station and public Shelter.
 ✓ 1. 7. 27. Cherry Tree Wood.
 Finchley Urban District Council.
 I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6203. Garage.
 ✓ 2. 7. 27. Rear of St. Heliers, Nether Street.
 Mr. E. E. Raynes.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6204. Cloak-room.
 ✓ 4. 7. 27. Rear of the Devonia Bakery, Long Lane.
 Messrs. J. & B. Clunos.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
 Engineer and Surveyor.

4TH JULY, 1927.

This (together with the four preceding pages)
 is the report of the Surveyor referred to in
 paragraph 470 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces
 Committee's report of the 4th July 1927.

H. Smith
 Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6180	Cattle pens	Park Farm, East End Road	Mr. T. A. Vivers.
✓ 6181	Alterations	Valley View, Hendon Lane	Mr. J. E. Key.
✓ 6182	Two houses	17 and 19, Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6184	One house	East End Road by Squires Lane	Mr. H. C. Brown.
✓ 6185	Garage	92, High Street, North Finchley	Mrs. B. A. Richards.
✓ 6186	Pavilion	Sports Ground, Crossway	Middlesex Education Committee.
✓ 6187	Conservatory	37 Alexandra Grove	Mr. E. Bradshaw.
✓ 6188	Garage	"Babcary," Nether Street	Mrs. Underwood.
✓ 6189	Garage	Between 68 and 70, Lichfield Grove	Mr. E. Fitz-Edward Seaman and Mr. E. Wright.
✓ 6190	Tool shed	9, St. Margaret's Avenue	Mrs. B. B. J. Cocks.
✓ 6192	Two houses	Wentworth Avenue	Mr. W. T. Haward.
✓ 6193	Alterations	2, Manor Parade, Regents Park Rd.	Mr. Davidson.
✓ 6194	Conversion of dwelling house into two flats	46, The Grove	Mr. F. L. Linzell.
✓ 6195	Two houses	Plots X800 and X801 Litchfield Way	Mr. G. Taylor.
✓ 6196	House	Plot X633, Middleway	Mr. L. C. Gibson.
✓ 6197	Garage	Between 11 and 13, Finchley Avenue	Mr. F. G. Cooper.
✓ 6198	Garage	Heathfield, Holden Avenue	Mr. W. J. F. Thomas

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6199	Garage	17, Netherfield Rd.	Mr. C. F. Day.
✓ 6200	One house	Hervey Close	Mr. A. P. Rey.
✓ 6201	Garage with room over	Adjoining house, Hendon Avenue, near Lyndhurst Gardens	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6202	Electricity Sub-Station and public shelter	Cherry Tree Wood	Finchley Urban District Council.
✓ 6203	Garage	Rear of St. Heliers, Nether Street	Mr. H. E. Raynes.
✓ 6204	Cloak-room	Rear of the Devonian Bakery, Long Lane	Messrs. J. & B. Clunes.

(2) Temporary Buildings :—

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
5631	Two Builders' sheds	Cyprus Avenue	*1/1/28	Messrs. Sharp Bros.

* and such further period as the Council may approve.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

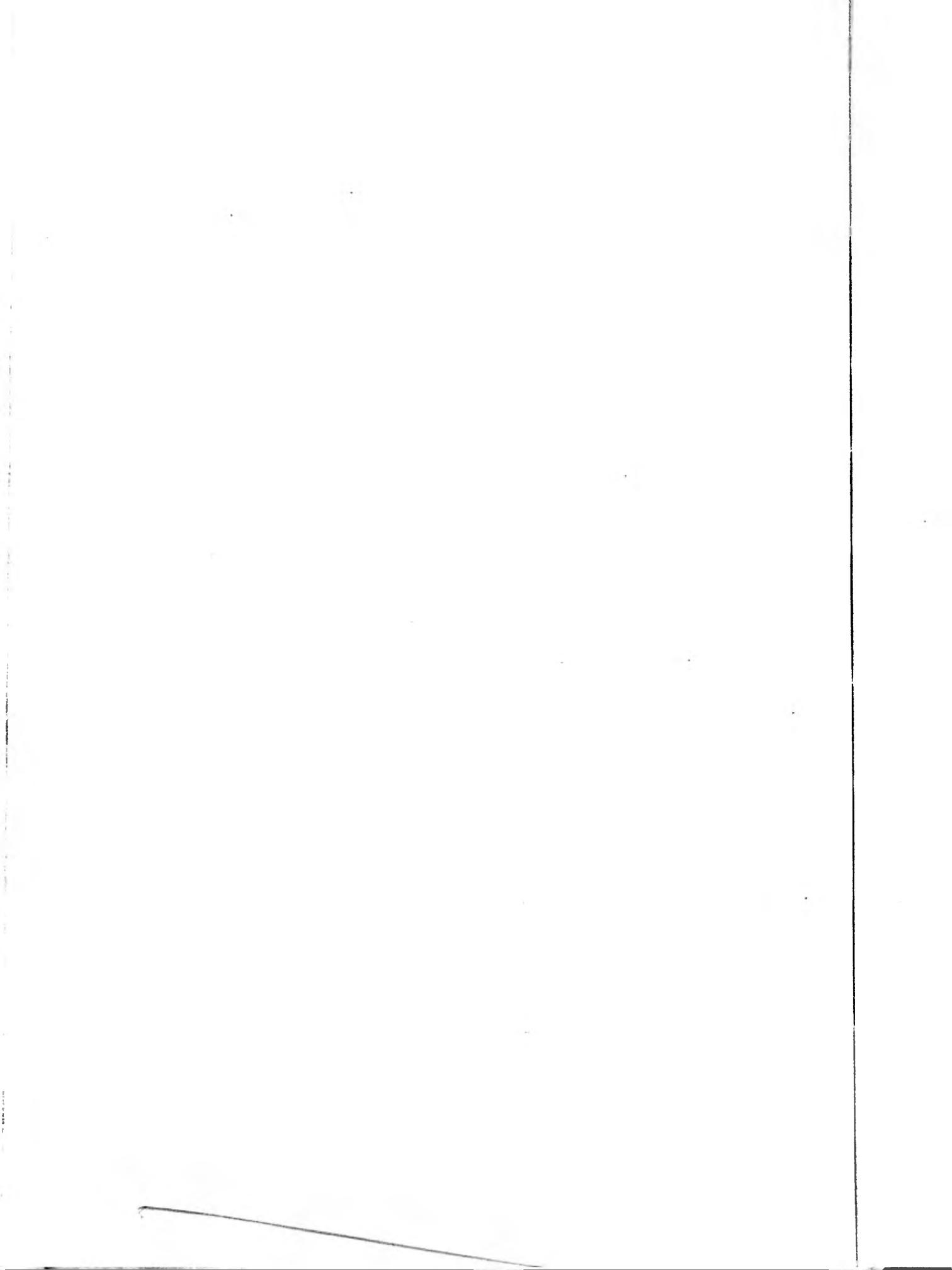
No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6175	Coal and coke shed	23, Willow Way	Mr. R. V. Jones.
✓ 6183	Four houses	Ossulton Way	The Oakwood Tenants' Ltd.
✓ 6191	Twenty-two houses	Road proposed to be known as Chesterfield Road	Mr. G. C. Mosses.

471 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in the Instruction Books, be approved.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

5th July, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pike, Pateman, and Ryan.

472 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

473 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

474 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the four weeks ended 25th June, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

475 MORTUARY KEEPER.—It was reported that at the last meeting of the Council it was resolved that Mr. Shepherd's services as Mortuary Keeper be retained for the time being on the present terms. The Committee considered a report by the Medical Officer of Health on the matter, and after discussion, it was decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee that in future the allowance to Mr. Shepherd be at the rate of £2 per month, to include cleaning of Mortuary, washing of towels, etc., plus 5/- for each case dealt with, and that the services of the assistant (5/- a case for bodies of persons over 2 years of age) be dispensed with.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

476 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:—

Annexed

(a) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

(b) Game Licences.—

RECOMMENDED that Licences to deal in game for the period to the 30th June, 1928, be granted to the undermentioned persons or firms at the premises set opposite to their respective names.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Name.	Address.
George Richard Elder Brown	8, The Broadway, Finch- ley, N. 3.
James Henry Dodd	74, High Road, East Finch- ley.
Thomas Henry Lee	68, High St., North Finch- ley.
London Co-operative Society, Ltd.	10 and 11, Cornwall Parade, N. 3.
MacFisheries, Ltd.	12, Princes Parade, N. 3.
MacFisheries, Ltd.	126, High Road, N. 2.
MacFisheries, Ltd.	32, High Road, N. 12.
John Benjamin Sainsbury	8, Princes Parade, N. 3.
John Benjamin Sainsbury	35, High Street, N. 12.
John Benjamin Sainsbury	64, High Road, East Finch- ley.
Thomas Edward Stroud	8, Victoria Parade, Hen- don Lane
Waitrose, Limited	104, High Road, N. 2.

477 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—

A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 5th July, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, and Ryan, and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing and Mrs. Reeves.

(a) ANTE-NATAL CLINIC—PART-TIME MEDICAL OFFICER.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had approved the appointment of Dr. Phyllis Dixon as Medical Officer of the Ante-Natal Clinic.

Annexed (b) MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the nine weeks ended 25th June, 1927, was submitted.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH. JULY, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 26TH. JULY TO 26TH. SEPT. 1927, INCLUSIVE.

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost.	Amt. of Est.	Amt. of Req. already passed.
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<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>				
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>				
26.	1 dandy brush.	1. 6.	52.	10.13. 6.
27.	Repairs to mare's head collar.	3. 0.		
28.	8 shoes for mare.	1. 0. 0.		
29.	½ cwt. bran.	4. 6.		
30.	¾ load hay.	2.10. 0.		
31.	½ ton oats.	5.10. 0.		
32.	14 lbs. linseed.	3. 6.		
33.	2 tins metal polish.	1. 6.		
34.	1 sponge - for vehicles.	4. 6.		
35.	2 galls. methylated spirit.	10. 6.		
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<u>General.</u>				
36.	7 lbs. formalin tabloids.	2.12. 6.	25.	16. 3. 0.
37.	2 suits overalls.	1. 8.10.	30.	14. 6.
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THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 7TH JULY to 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD				
Req. No.	Item No.			2313 19 10
315	1.	2 tons carbolic powder	13 0 0	
316.	2.	Refuse removal - July and August.	967 13 4	
317.	3.	<u>FLUSHING</u> - Team labour	45 0 0	
318.	4.	do. water	15 0 0	
319.	5.	do. wages.	25 0 0	
320.	6.	<u>TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS.</u>		
		wages.	100 0 0	
321.	8	6 flexible cane rods.	1 6 0	
322		6 - 4" and 6 - 6" drain testing plugs.	9 6 0	
323		Transfer from stores-waste etc.	1 17 2	
	11.	<u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>		
324.		Wages.	105 0 0	
325		260 gals. petroleum.	9 15 0	
326		5 " engine oil.	- 16 3	
327.	0	2 fuse bridges.	14 0	
328.		Transfer from stores - oil waste etc.	2 5 3	
	13.	<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>		
329		Wages.	134 0 0	
330		Transfer from stores-toilet paper, cleaning sundries, etc.	5 4 11	
331	0.	Repair lighting installation, Tally Ho.	- 4 11	
332		Repairs etc. do.	25 0 0	
333.		do East Finchley.	10 0 0	
334.	16.	Transfer from stores - sewer smock.	1 2 3	
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			£ 3786 4 11	

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH JUNE, 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 7TH JULY, TO 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD

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Req. No.	Item No.				
335.	1	Wages, Sewage Disposal.	612	0	0
336.	2.	do Refuse Disposal.	200	0	0
337	3	16 tons coke.	24	0	0
338	4	Horse hire	5	0	0
339	8.	Overhaul and renew where necessary hot water pipes, Lower Cottage.	8.	0	10
340.	10.	6 - 4 tine forks, 1 distemper brush.	1	19	3
341.		Transfer from stores, sundry tools.	2	4	11
342	11.	Rat destruction to 30th June.	10	0	0
343	13.	Salaries.	36	10	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH JUNE, 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 7TH JULY TO 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 674 10 10

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344.	1.	Wages.	155 0 0
345.	2.	60 tons coke.	90 0 0
346.	5	2 cwt. chloride of limo.	1 14 0
347.	6 0	Repairs fault on circulating motor and repair fuse box men's slipper baths.	- 12 5

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH JUNE, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 473 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July 1927.

H. D. Smith
Chairman.

To the Chair
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Mr. Chairman
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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the four weeks ended
the 25th June, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

1st July, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows :-

Population census 1921-46,716.

	N.	E.	1927. W.	TOTAL.	1926.
1. DEATHS.					
Number	3	9	5	16	22
Infants under one year	-	-	-	-	3
Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	-
2. BIRTHS.					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Act 14	14	26	20	60	48
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.					
Number of cases notified ...				12	27
Scarlet Fever	2	3	2	7	18
Diphtheria	3	-	-	3	5
Pneumonia ..	-	1	-	1	1
Influenzal Pneumonia	-	-	-	-	2
Erysipelas	-	-	1	1	1
4. TUBERCULOSIS.					
Pulmonary cases	3	-	1	4	3
Non-Pulmonary cases	-	1	1	2	-
5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.					
Number in hospital on the 3rd June				6	6
Number admitted				5	14
Number discharged				4	7
Number of deaths				-	-
Number in hospital on the 1st July				7	15

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

This is the report
of the Medical Officer
of Health referred to in
paragraph 474 of the
Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
Regents Park Road,
N.3.

1st July, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) HOUSING ACT, 1925 - CLOSING ORDER.

Ivy Cottage, Red Lion Hill.

Consider letter received from the owner's agents asking for permission for the re-occupation of the above premises as a dwelling-house.

(2) RENT & MORTGAGE INTEREST RESTRICTIONS ACTS, 1920 & 1923.

(a) 15, Park Hall Road, N.2. - Application for Sanitary Certificate.

Consideration of this matter was deferred at your last meeting.

The whole of the works mentioned in the schedule supplied to the owner, with the exception of one minor item which is in hand, have been carried out.

(b) 39, Chandos Road.

An application for a sanitary certificate under the above Acts has been received from the tenant, Mr. H. W. Keridge.

A schedule of the repairs which, in my opinion, should be carried out was sent to the owner on the 23rd June, 1927.

I have since met the owner at the premises and he has stated in a letter dated the 29th June, 1927, that he will carry out the works specified in the before-mentioned schedule, commencing not later than the 21st July, 1927.

(3) UN SOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

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2 Mesenteries.	"
1 Forequarter & Brisket of Beef (weight 210 lbs.)	"
3 Livers.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
	"

Swine.

2 Heads.	
1 Mesentery.	(Tuberculosis)
1 Carcase and offal.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
2 Livers.	"
1 Heart.	"

Sheep.

3 Livers.	
1 Carcase.	(Other diseases)
	"

(4) GAME LICENCES.

The following applications have been received for licences to deal in game:-

NAME.	ADDRESS.
George Richard Elder Brown.	8, The Broadway, Finchley, N.3.
James Henry Dodd.	74, High Road, East Finchley.
Thomas Henry Lee.	68, High Street, North Finchley.
London Co-operative Society, Ltd.	10 & 11, Cornwall Parade, N.3.
MacFisheries, Ltd.	12, Princes Parade, N.3.
MacFisheries Ltd.	126, High Road, N.2.
MacFisheries Ltd.	32, High Road, N.12.
John Benjamin Sainsbury.	8, Princes Parade, N.3.
John Benjamin Sainsbury.	35, High Street, N.12.
John Benjamin Sainsbury.	64, High Road, East Finchley.
Thomas Edward Stroud.	8, Victoria Parade, Hendon Lane.
Waitrose, Limited.	104, High Road, N.2.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

This (together with your obedient servant,
the preceding page)
is the report of the
Sanitary Inspector
referred to in
paragraph 476 of the
Public Health
Committee's report of
the 5th July 1927.

E. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

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FINCHLEY

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Report of the

To the Chairman
Maternity

Mr. Chairman,
I beg to

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 5TH. JULY, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the nine weeks ended the 25th. June, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

1st. July, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

	<u>1927.</u>			<u>1926.</u>		
	<u>North Finch.</u>	<u>East Finch.</u>	<u>Church End</u> (10 Wks.)	<u>North Finch.</u>	<u>East Finch.</u>	<u>Church End.</u>
1. ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.						
Children under 2 yrs.	605	627	251	-	-	-
Children over 2 yrs.	131	92	81	-	-	-
Total attendances.	726	719	332	626	681	-
Number seen by doctor.	286	217	187	-	-	-
New babies.	17	43	37	30	45	-
2. ATTENDANCES AT CRECHE.						
Total attendances.	1561			1156		
Average attendance per day.	35			26		
Receipts from mothers	£53. 5. 8			£42. 11. 0		
3. ATTENDANCES AT ANTE-NATAL CLINIC.						
(5 sessions.	80			26 (4 sessions)		

I am, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

This is the report
of the Medical Officer
of Health referred to
in paragraph 477 (b) of
the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July 1927.

A. TURNER.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 5TH. JULY, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 26TH. JULY TO 26TH. SEPTEMBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated cost.</u>			<u>Amt. of Est.</u>			<u>Amt. of Req. already passed</u>		
		<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>		

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17.	Food - August and September.	<u>40.</u>	<u>0.</u>	<u>0.</u>	325.	120.	0.	0.
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BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL.

18.	Cleaning Materials - Aug. & Sept.	<u>3.</u>	<u>0.</u>	<u>0.</u>	140.	8.	0.	0.
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THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL.

19.	14 lbs. Ronuk.	19.	10	}	140.	8.	0.	0.	
20.	2 tons coke.	<u>3.</u>	<u>8.</u>						<u>0</u>
		<u>4.</u>	<u>7.</u>						<u>10</u>

CENTRES.

21.	1000 weight cards.	1.	12.	6	}	10.	1.	12.	6
22.	1000 continuation cards.	1.	12.	6					
23.	6 sets of alphabetical index cards.		12.	0					
		<u>4.</u>	<u>3.</u>	<u>0</u>					

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 477 (c) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July 1927.

H. V. Smith
Chairman.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

(c) REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the addition of the following item:—

One cupboard for North Finchley Centre £4 4s. 0d.

(d) INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the Surveyor to the Council, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted.

478 BURIAL BOARD LAND.—Referring to Minute No. 278, the Clerk submitted a letter dated 4th June, 1927, from Mr. Barton on the matter.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) That Mr. Barton be informed that the Council must look to him to carry out the terms of his Agreement;
- (2) that, without prejudice, the Surveyor be authorised to arrange for Mr. Barton to be supplied with a quantity of timber from the Sewage Works, for the purpose of assisting him in the repair of the fences;
- (3) that a further report be made on the matter at next meeting.

479 REGISTRATION OF STILL BIRTHS.—A circular letter dated 20th June, 1927, received from the Ministry of Health hereon was submitted.

RECOMMENDED that the Medical Officer of Health be instructed to give all possible assistance to the Registrars in the manner indicated therein.

480 PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—CHURCH END.—A communication was submitted from the Finchley Chamber of Trade, asking the Council to consider the question of the provision of a Public Convenience at Church End;

Amended

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the further consideration of the matter be adjourned until the meeting of the Committee in October next.

481 PETROLEUM ACT, 1926.—A print of the Petroleum Spirit (Conveyance) Regulations, 1927, was submitted, and it was reported that the matter had been referred to the Petroleum Inspector for attention.

482 UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—The Committee considered the amended proposals of the County Council in connexion with the proposed route of the North Circular Road east of the Great North Road, and it was decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee that the objections already lodged be supported, and that no portion of the permanent sewage farm land should be utilised for purposes of the road.

483 PUBLIC HEALTH (SMOKE ABATEMENT) ACT, 1926.—

(a) A letter, dated 27th June, 1927, was submitted from the Clerk of the London County Council, stating that the appropriate Committee of his Council had had under consideration the provisions of the above-named Act, and that before recommending the Council as to the form of the Bye-Laws to be made under Section 2 thereof, they would be glad to receive the views of this Council on the following suggestions:—

- (1) " That emission of black smoke for two minutes
" in the aggregate within any continuous period
" of thirty minutes should be deemed to be an
" offence."
- (2) " That a permanent Committee of representatives
" of the London County Council, the City Corporation, the Metropolitan Borough Councils,
" neighbouring authorities within the area of
" Greater London and important industrial associations intimately connected with smoke consumption, should be set up to act in an advisory
" capacity."

RECOMMENDED that the suggestions above mentioned be supported by this Council.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) The Clerk submitted print of Model Bye-Laws issued by the Ministry of Health under Section 2 of the Act.

RECOMMENDED that the Committee consider at a later meeting the question of the desirability of Bye-Laws being made by the Council under such section.

484 PUBLIC HEALTH ACT, 1925.—Referring to Minute No. 158, the Committee considered the sections of the above Act affecting their work, which had not yet been adopted, and also a reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee on the matter.

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council be instructed to take the necessary action, with a view to the adoption by the Council of the undermentioned sections of the Act.

PART II.—STREETS AND BUILDINGS.—

Section 18. Alteration of name of street.

- 22. For preventing soil, etc., from being washed into streets.
- 23. Lopping of trees overhanging highways.
- 25. Restriction on placing rails, beams, etc., over streets.
- 29. Continuation of existing street.
- 30. Declaration of street as a new street.
- 31. Width of streets in certain cases.
- 32. Width of street where buildings erected on one side of street.
- 33. Power to prescribe improvement line for widening streets.
- 34. Extension to county councils of preceding section.

PART III.—SANITARY PROVISIONS.—

Section 37. Power of local authority to lay drains in private streets.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

- 38. Execution by local authority of drainage works.
- 42. Ventilation of soil pipes.

485 TEMPORARY BUILDING—15, FREDERICK'S PLACE—A. JOHNSON.—A reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was considered.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that notice be served upon Mr. Johnson to remove the above-mentioned structure within fourteen days, and
- (b) that, failing compliance with such notice, legal proceedings be instituted under Section 27 of the Public Health Acts (Amendment) Act, 1907.

486 PUBLIC BATHS.—

Amended

- (a) A Statement (circulated) was submitted, showing the number of bathers and receipts for the four weeks ended 26th June, 1927;
- (b) Additional lavatory accommodation.—The Surveyor reported that this work was nearing completion.

487 CONVENIENCE—SWAN & PYRAMIDS.—The Surveyor reported that this work was proceeding satisfactorily.

488 SOIL SEWER—NETHER STREET.—The Surveyor reported that the laying of this sewer had been completed.

489 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
STATEMENT SUBMITTED NUMBER OF BATHERS

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 26TH JUNE, 1927.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH.		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Bathers.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Crspdg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. Receipts.	
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.				£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.
BRT FWD.	2837	1457	1350	618	445	6791	13498	17	12	6	145	7	6	132	12	2	22	-	10	9	5
June 5.	411	250	262	108	58	1008	2097	10	-	-	29	8	4	24	11	4	4	17	0	-	-
" 12.	540	174	156	84	92	665	1511	1	5	-	17	10	9	23	11	8	-	-	-	6	-
" 19.	481	261	221	88	41	1044	2136	1	7	6	21	17	9	29	9	7	-	-	-	7	11
" 26.	398	243	174	78	45	1060	1998	1	5	-	17	18	6	30	2	1	-	-	-	12	3
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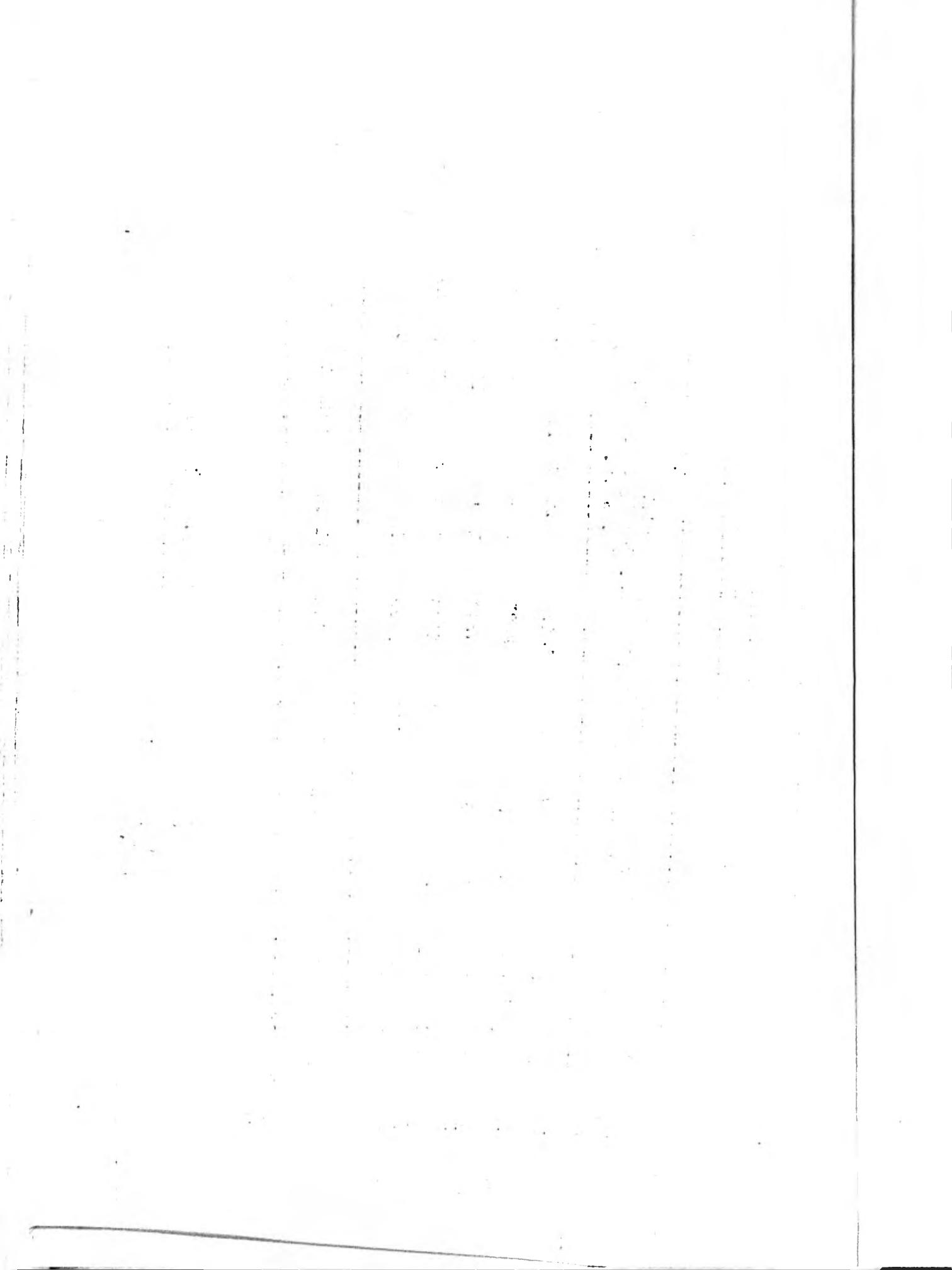
NETT DECREASE. £ 8 4 -

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 486 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July 1927.

A. Smith
Chairman.

1ST JULY, 1927.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

6th July, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

490 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

491 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

492 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
1927.			
6th June	4.18 a.m.	Dukes Avenue, N.3. Public Highway	A temporary tarpaulin watchman's shelter, containing several workmen's tools, etc., burned out and fallen down.
29th June	5.13 p.m.	48, Brackenbury Road, Finchley, N. 2.	Window curtains burned and paintwork scorched by fire in front bedroom on first floor, rest of contents in same slightly damaged by smoke and water.

493 FIRE BRIGADES—STREET COLLECTIONS.—The Clerk reported receipt of resolution from the Sunbury-on-Thames Urban District Council asking this Council's support to their proposal that the regulations of the Commissioner of Police be amended so as to permit Sunday street collections in the Metropolitan Police Area on the occasion of a properly organized Fire Brigade Hospital Parade.

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

494 **AMBULANCE.**—The Committee had before them a statement prepared by the Accountant of the outstanding amounts due in respect of the use of the above, and instructions were given for same to be referred to the Finance Committee.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

495 **THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.**—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting, and dealt with.

496 **DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.**—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting, and that the matters had been dealt with, viz:—

- Paving—Westbury Road.
- Roadway—Entrance to Brook Farm.
- Ornamental tree—High Road, Whetstone.
- Public street lamp column—Hendon Lane.

497 **INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—W. OAKLEY.**—It was reported that the above employee had, since last meeting, met with an accident, and that the case had received attention.

498 **IMPROVEMENT WORKS—EAST END ROAD—MANOR COTTAGE TAVERN TO HAMILTON ROAD—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.**—Referring to Minute No. 302, it was reported that the meeting therein referred to had taken place on site on the 14th June, 1927, and a communication dated 16th June, 1927, was submitted from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone, asking for certain information, which he stated the Cemetery Committee were promised at such meeting. Instructions were given by the Committee for the information desired to be transmitted forthwith.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

Amended

499 **STREET WIDENINGS—HENDON LANE BY CHRIST'S COLLEGE.**—A report of the Clerk hereon, dated 2nd July, 1927 (circulated) was submitted and considered.

RECOMMENDED that the attention of the Middlesex County Council be drawn to the resolution passed by this Council

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 6TH JULY, 1927.

REQUISITION - 7TH JULY TO 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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ADDITIONAL ITEMS:-

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Nether Street, by Scout's hut - footpath,	30	0	0	
Crooked Usage - surface water sewer.	49	0	0	
Bayward Road. - piping ditch.	40	0	0	
East End Road by Nazareth House-footpath,	15	0	0	
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Seq. Item
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RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

248	0	144 yds super repair Asphalt, Great North Road.	180	0	0	
349	1	300 yds super relay wood paving, Great North Road.	367	10	0	
350	14	1500 yds sup: relay slab paving, Great North Road.	225	0	0	
351	19	Manual Labour, scavenging.	325	0	0	
352	20	Team Do. Do.	20	0	0	
353	25	Transfer from stores - tools.	6	4	9	
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PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

354	32	½ retention money, East End Road, Manor Cottage to Hamilton Rd,	266	17	9	
355	35	20 tons tarmac patching, East End Road.	87	7	6	
356	0	Path by Nazareth House, East End Rd.	16	0	0	
357		Scavenging, East End Rd and Totteridge Lane.	27	0	0	
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

358	26	Water for fountains, 2 quarters.	2	10	0	
359	68	1275 tons old macadam. Churchfield Av; Clifton Av; Hendon Av; Red Lion Hill, Redbourne Av; Station Road.	796	17	6	
360	71	18 tons fine old macadam, Prospect Place.	14	17	6	
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72	1401 yds sup. relay slab paving. Netherfield Road and Granville Road.	192	12	9	
76	248 ft. run new kerb on concrete. Church Lane.	68	10	0	
78	Manual Labour, scavenging.	750	0	0	
79	Team Do. Do.	90	0	0	
85	Transfer from stores - tools.	8	0	5	
86 0	Build retaining walls to 4 houses, Nether Street.	36	0	0	
	Nether St. by Scouts' hut, footpath.	30	0	0	
	Crooked Usage - surface water sewer.	49	0	0	
	Hayward Road - piping ditch.	40	0	0	
89	Repair scavenging trucks.	50	0	0	
93	Transfer from stores, fuel and sundries.	6	2	1	
95 0	G.P.O. trench reinstatement, Barons- mere, Ingram Road and Sedgemere Av;	17	1	7	
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PUBLIC LIGHTING.

98	Electric Lamps.	1000	0	0	
99	Gas lamps wages.	60	0	0	
101	5 gross gas mantles.	14	3	0	
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST JULY, 1927.

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 5TH JULY, 1927.

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Req. No.	Description	Quantity	Price	Total
376	25 - 6'6" 5" x 4"; 60 - 12ft. 2"x 2".		6 15 0	
377	2 1/4 cwt. barbed wire.		1 19 5	
378	650 ft. 2" galv: water pipes, 2-2" bends.		32 7 10	
379	4 tons 8 cwt. 2 1/4" tarmacadam.		6 19 9	
380	30 tons 3/8" Do.		49 12 6	
381	20 " 1 1/2" Do.		31 11 8	
382	10 " lightning cement.		52 1 6	
383	100 yds. paving sand.		45 0 0	
384	100 " stone ballast.		46 5 0	
385	100 " shingle.		55 0 0	
386	200 tons coke.		300 0 0	
387	5000 4" wood blocks.		46 8 9	
388	2000 3 1/2" Do.		15 18 0	
389	3 tons pitch.		15 15 0	
390	80 gals. creosote oil.		5 0 0	
391	80 " paraffin oil.		2 18 4	
392	40 " metal polish.		6 10 0	
393	5 " lubricating oil.		- 16 8	
394	1 ton carbolic powder.		6 10 0	
395	1 cwt. 2 1/2" wire nails.		- 12 3	
396	5000 Lingfield wire cut bricks.		23 5 0	
397	20 tons 4" x 4" granite setts.		74 10 0	
398	30 " 3/8" tarmac.		49 12 6	
399	20 " 1 1/2" Do.		31 11 8	
400	3 doz. sets Carron Copper fire bricks.		4 16 0	
401	100-12ft. 3"x 2"; 30 - 6'6" 5" x 4".		9 18 1	
402	3 doz. dusters.			
403	1 " tins large tins Old Dutch Cleanser.		1 9 6	
404	3 Street Nameplates, Clifton Rd.(2) and Leopold Road (1)		2 11 9	
405	1 fan belt; 12 fan belt links.			
406	12 bars 1 1/4" x 1/2" flat iron.			
407	2 waste paper baskets - Depot Office.		2 7 6	

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST JULY, 1927.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - MEETING - 6th JULY, 1927.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS

Amount of estimate £3,474. 0. 0.

Item No.	Amount previously requisitioned	
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1	Accountant to pay Firemen's Wages	125. 0. 0.
6	Rewind 2 Telephone ear-pieces	11. 0. 0.
8	2 Telephone transmitters - renewals	1.10. 0.
11	1 Gallon Varnish	1. 4. 0.
"	1 do. Blundell's water paint thinners	4. 3. 0.
"	2 do. Turps	9. 0. 0.
"	4 paint kettles	3. 6. 0.
12	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ branch nozzles	18. 0. 0.
13	Overhaul No. 1 Motor Combination	12. 6. 0.
14	Supply & fix 5 New Fire Hydrants at Hill Top, Hampstead Garden Suburb	52.10. 0.

Ambulance Service.

62	4 dozen Sterile Dressings	- .10. 0
"	1 do. 1" Bandages	1. 2
"	1 do. 2" do.	2. 4
"	1 do. 3" do.	3. 6
63	5 gallons Lubricating Oil	15. 0
"	1 Box Schrader tube valves	1. 3

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These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 491 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 6th July 1927.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

Clerk's Office,
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2nd July, 1927.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE HIGHWAYS
AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.

C L E R K ' S R E P O R T

re
HENDON LANE WIDENING - CHRIST'S COLLEGE
FRONTAGE.

Gentlemen,

I beg to report as follows:-

By a Deed of Covenant dated the 25th day of March, 1902 an arrangement was made between the County Council and this Council for the purchase from Mr. Phillipson of the property known as Christ's College, Finchley for the sum of £3,500, payable as follows:- £2,200 by the County Council and the balance by the District Council.

This Deed provided that the Conveyance to the District Council should be submitted to and approved by the County Solicitor, and that the school should be carried on as a technical and secondary school in accordance with the provisions of a Scheme which had already been agreed upon between the two Councils. Such Scheme, dated the 20th March, 1902, has been duly carried out except as modified by resolutions of the County Council of the 17th June, 1919 and 19th May, 1925 respectively.

The property was duly conveyed to the Council on the 29th October, 1903, and the County Council are defraying the whole of the costs in connexion with the School.

On the 22th January, 1924 this Council passed a resolution to the effect that Christ's College should be transferred to the County Council subject to the following conditions:-

- (1) that if and when this Council became a Part II Authority the property would be re-conveyed to them; and
- (2) to the reservation of a strip of land along the frontage to Hendon Lane for the purposes of widening that road.

The purport of this resolution was duly transmitted to the County Council, but it happened at such time that there was a change in the personnel in the County Solicitor's Department, and the previous documents relating to the matter could not be traced. Furthermore, a little later on the transfer

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of the Woodhouse Central School to the County Council was dealt with, and the County Council desired that the transfer of this school should be completed before that of Christ's College.

No doubt the erection of new buildings at Christ's College and the desire of the County Council to erect a new wall and railings along the Hendon Lane boundary have now prompted the County Council to desire a Conveyance of the property to them.

I am asked to advise as to whether there is any statutory obligation upon this Council to convey the property to the County Council. There does not appear to be any statutory obligation to this effect, but the County Council could no doubt refuse to maintain the school unless the property were conveyed to them, or they might take steps to compel the District Council to convey the property to them.

The County Solicitor has forwarded a draft Agreement and embodied in same is a reference to the widening in Hendon Lane, and one term of the agreement purports to impose upon this Council the cost of erecting a wall and railings to the satisfaction of the County Council. From the plan it would appear that this would be a very costly matter. So far as I am aware, however, this Council has never undertaken to erect any wall or railings whatever, particularly of such a costly nature, but of course it is usual when road widenings are effected for the Council to re-erect the wall or fence (if any) along the new line of frontage.

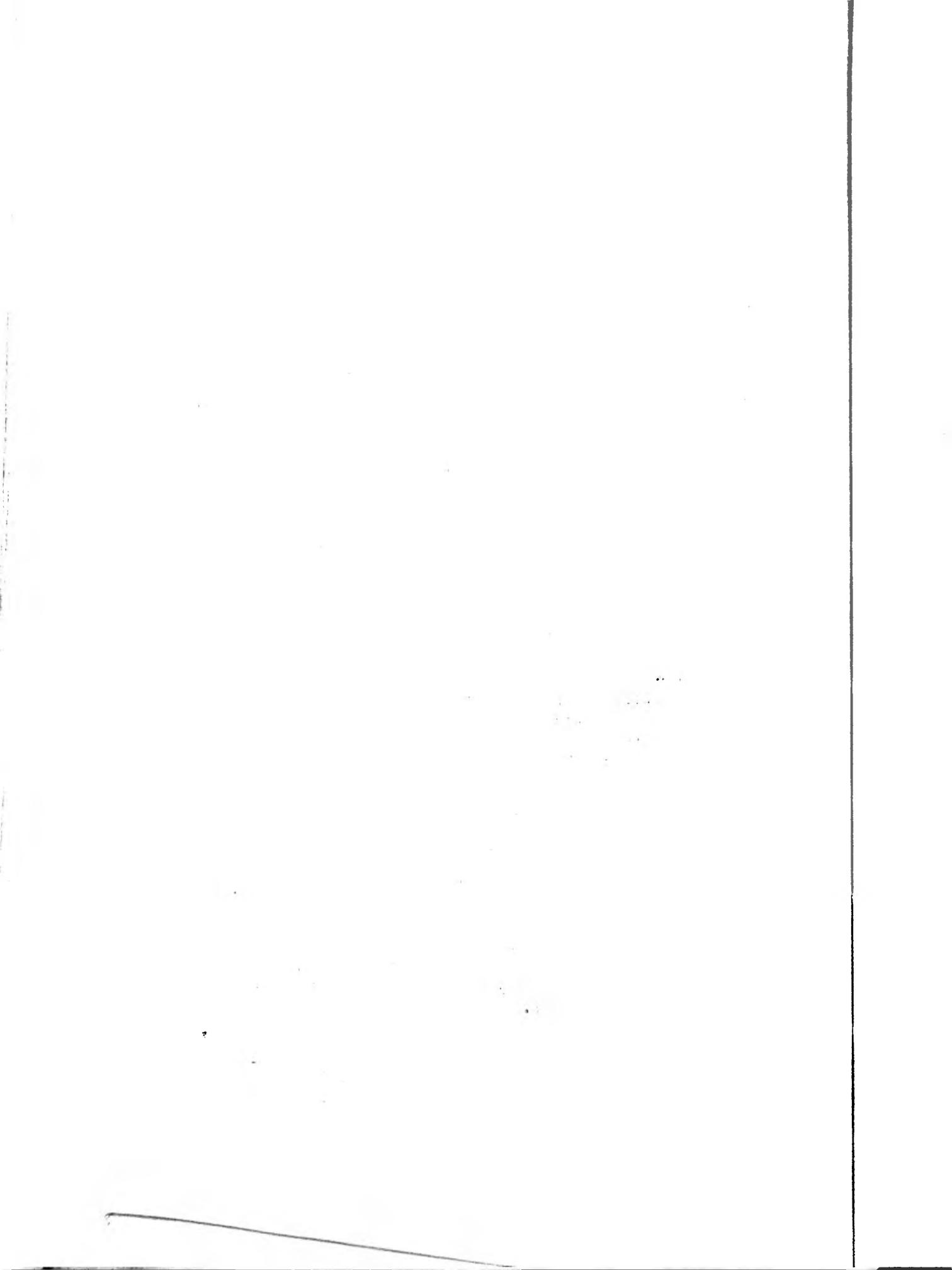
Yours obediently,

E.H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Clerk referred to in paragraph 499 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 6th July 1927.

E. H. Lister
Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

on the 28th January, 1924, and that they be informed that this Council will be prepared to take down and re-erect the present wall when the widening works are carried out.

500 STREET WIDENINGS—FRIERN BARNET LANE.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Friern Barnet Council stating that, subject to his Council obtaining the necessary approval of the Ministry of Transport and grant in connexion with this matter, they would be prepared to proceed with the widening, at the same time as the portion of the work in this district is carried out.

501 PUBLIC WORKS CONCILIATION BOARD FOR LONDON AREA, LOCAL AUTHORITIES SECTION.—It was reported that application had been made by the Honorary Secretary of the above Board for the Council's contribution of £2 2s. for the ensuing year, and that the Ministry of Health had intimated to the Board that they sanctioned the payment by Local Authorities of the above amount.

RECOMMENDED that payment of the contribution in question be approved.

502 PUBLIC WORKS ROADS AND TRANSPORT CONGRESS AND EXHIBITION, 1927.—A letter was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the above, inviting the Council to appoint delegates to the forthcoming Congress and Exhibition to be held at the Royal Agricultural Hall, London, from the 14th to the 19th November next, and stating that a small charge of £1 1s. would be made for the sets of papers to be read at the Congress, etc., in respect of each delegate appointed, payment of which amount the Minister of Health had sanctioned;

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Committee and the Surveyor be appointed this Council's delegates to the Congress and Exhibition.

503 NATIONAL "SAFETY FIRST" ASSOCIATION.—

RECOMMENDED that payment of the Council's annual subscription of £2 2s. to the above Association for the current year be approved.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

504 ROAD TRAFFIC BILL.—Reference was made to a letter received from the Honorary Secretary of the Federation of Rate-payers and Kindred Associations of Middlesex, forwarding copy of a resolution passed by that Association in regard to the above, and asking for the Council's support thereto. The Clerk reported that the matter was receiving the consideration of the Urban District Councils' Association;

RECOMMENDED that in the circumstances no action be taken by this Council in regard thereto at the moment.

505 UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920, THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—The Committee considered the amended proposals of the County Council, in connexion with the suggested route of the North Circular Road east of the Great North Rd., and it was decided to report to the General Purposes Committee that the Committee had no observations to make on the matter.

506 HIGHWAYS—MAIN ROADS—TRAFFIC.—The Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Local Sub-Divisional Inspectors of Police hereon, and had, in reply, received a telephonic message from the Police Station at Barnet, to the effect that five additional Patrols and two additional Beats had been established between Tally Ho! Corner and the County Boundary; that he had received a similar message from the Church End Police Station, as regards Regents Park Road, between Tally Ho! Corner and the Mutton Brook; further, that the Sub-Inspector of the "Y" Division had stated that the matter was receiving attention so far as the Great North Road from Tally Ho! Corner to the Hornsey boundary was concerned.

507 HIGHWAYS—TRAFFIC—HIGH ROAD, EAST FINCHLEY.—A letter, dated 1st July, 1927, was submitted from the Finchley Labour Party, enclosing copy of communication addressed by them to the Commissioner of Police, emphasizing the need for some form of traffic control to be set up in the above road, especially on Sundays, near to the entrance to St. Pancras and Islington Cemeteries, and asking for the Council's support in the matter;

RECOMMENDED that they be informed that the question of the need for greater police supervision of traffic in the main roads in this district is one upon which the Council are already in communication with the Police Authorities.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

508 LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924, SECTION 4—CLOSING OF STREETS FOR WORKS.—It was reported that a circular letter, dated 2nd July, 1927, in regard to this matter, had been received from the Ministry of Transport, and that the same was receiving the attention of the Surveyor.

509 WOOD PAVING WORKS—MAIN ROADS.—The Surveyor reported that further progress had been made in connexion with these works.

510 COTTAGES—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—The Surveyor reported that the work in connexion with these Cottages was nearing completion.

511 SURFACE WATER SEWER—NETHER STREET.—The Surveyor reported that the work of laying this sewer had now been completed.

512 IMPROVEMENT WORKS—SUMMERS LANE.—The Surveyor reported that a commencement had been made with this work.

513 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted :—

1. Underground line north side of Percy Road, from " Backlands " to No. 26.
2. Underground line east side of Great North Road, from Woodhouse Road to Stanhope Road.
3. Underground line north-east and south-east sides of Clifford Road, from a point about 40 yards south-east of Squires Lane to Nos. 18/16.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) That such applications be approved, subject :—
 - (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor, and;
 - (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction.
- (2) That as regards No. 3, the cost of trenching and reinstatement be borne by the Council.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

514 TELEPHONE KIOSKS.—It was reported that an application, dated 14th June, 1927, had been received from the London Telephone Service, for permission to place Telephone Kiosks in the under-mentioned positions :—

- (a) Ballards Lane, by the Joiners Arms ;
- (b) Ballards Lane, by Regents Parade ;
- (c) Crescent Way by Ingleway ;
- (d) High Road, North Finchley, by Woodside Lane ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that applications (a) and (b) above be not granted ;
- (2) that applications (c) and (d) be granted on the terms of the existing arrangement, subject, as regards (c) to the necessary lines being placed underground.

515 RESURFACING WORKS—NETHER STREET.—The Surveyor reported that provision had been made in the estimates for repairing the above road with 500 tons of old Macadam ; that as the traffic was very heavy, owing to building operations, he suggested that half this quantity be used in patching repairs, and that the balance of the money be expended in tar dressing ;

RECOMMENDED that the suggestion of the Surveyor be adopted.

516 PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING—EAST FINCHLEY—FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—The Surveyor presented a letter, dated 23rd June, 1927, received from Mr. W. G. Lane, Director of the United Dairies, Ltd., in connexion with the above matter, which was referred to the Committee for consideration at the last meeting of the Council ;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be dealt with by the Council in Committee, when the Clerk report as to the legal position.

517 STREET WIDENINGS—GREAT NORTH ROAD—JUNCTION OF CLIFFORD ROAD.—The Surveyor presented a communication, dated 5th July, 1927, from Mr. R. J. Muir, stating that he was prepared, on behalf of his Clients, to accept the sum of £250 for

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

the land required by the Council in connexion with this widening, on the conditions mentioned in his letter of the 8th December, 1926. The report of the District Valuer was also submitted, and the Surveyor intimated that the cost of the Road Works was estimated at £200;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the offer above-mentioned be accepted, subject to the Solicitors' and Surveyor's costs, to be payable by the Council, being agreed;
- (b) that the Clerk be directed to obtain a Conveyance of the strip of land in question, and
- (c) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

518 ASSISTANT ROAD FOREMAN.—

RECOMMENDED that an allowance of £5 per annum be made to the above for the use, in connexion with his official duties, of a motor bicycle belonging to him.

519 ROAD FOREMAN.—

RECOMMENDED that the allowance of £52 per annum at present made to the above in respect of the use in connexion with his official duties of a light motor-car owned by him be increased to £75 per annum, with effect from the date of the Council meeting.

520 HIGHWAYS—REMOVAL OF TREES.—

- (a) Holden Avenue.—The Committee considered a request from Mr. A. H. Howe (Dental Surgeon) for the removal of certain trees opposite to his premises, to enable him to be afforded more light in connection with the carrying out of his work, and it was reported that an inspection had been made by the Outdoor Sub-Committee, who, after interview with Mr. Howe, considered it desirable that, in the first instance, one tree should be removed, in order that it might be seen what effect that would have;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (b) High Road, East Finchley.—It was reported that the Outdoor Sub-Committee had interviewed Mr. W. Bramble, in regard to his request for the removal of a tree opposite to his garage at 139, High Road, East Finchley; that Mr. Bramble was desirous of making application for an alteration in the crossing, and that, in connexion therewith, it was necessary for the tree to be removed; further, that the Sub-Committee was of the opinion that the cost of the removal of the tree might be included in the estimate of the cost of the alteration in the crossing, in the event of a formal request for the carrying out of the work being received from Mr. Bramble;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

521 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

7th July, 1927.

Present : Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors England, Grocott and Wells, and Messrs. Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

522 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

523 ALLOTMENTS.—

- (a) Lonsdale Meadows.—A letter, dated the 6th July, 1927, was read from Messrs. Humbert & Flint stating that their clients were willing to accept £600 for the land the subject of the recent negotiations, subject to Contract and free of all Surveyor's and legal costs.

The Surveyor reported that he estimated the cost of erecting a chestnut pale fence along the line of the foot-path on the western side of the land at £23 ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such expenditure be approved ;
- (2) that the whole matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to the necessary financial arrangements being made ;
- (3) that the Clerk communicate with the owner's solicitors on the question of preparation of the necessary Contract.
- (4) that consideration of the question of fencing the eastern frontage of the land to be acquired be deferred ;

(b) Vacant Plots.—

- (i) Whetstone Stray.—Referring to paragraph 125 (c) of the Committee's report of the 5th May, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 27th ultimo, received from the Whetstone Stray Allottees' Associa-

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

tion stating that their anxiety to procure tenants was as great as that of the Council, but that circumstances beyond the control of the Association had combined to counteract their efforts in that direction; that they would, however, continue to let as many plots as possible.

- (ii) General.—A statement was presented giving particulars of the unlet plots on the various allotment areas; the figures showed an improvement on those submitted at the meeting of the Committee held on the 5th May, 1927.

524 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

**REPORT OF MEETING OF THE EDUCATION
COMMITTEE.**

11th July, 1927.

Present: Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Councillor F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, Mr. R. Williams.

525 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £9,090 17s. 11d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

526 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the requisitions as set out in the list circulated to members be approved.

Annexed

527 MATTERS OF URGENCY.—

RECOMMENDED that discretionary powers be given to the Chairman of the Education Committee to take executive action in matters of urgency during recess, subject to report.

528 ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended the 17th June, 1927, the returns were as follows:—

Schools	Official recognized accom.	Accom. per Council's policy	Average No. on books	Average Attendance	Percentage
Council	4096	3369	2949	2608	88.4
Voluntary	1719	1484	1457	1247	85.5
	5815	4853	4406	3855	87.5

529 SCHOOL ACCOMMODATION.—The official recognised accommodation of the several schools determined by the Board of Education when the schools were built or, in the case of non-provided schools, in the early days of official administration, includes many class-rooms calculated to accommodate up to 60 children or over.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

In March, 1922, the Council approved the policy of providing for classes of 45 children.

Your Committee now propose that the Board of Education shall be asked to sanction the revision of the official recognised accommodation and to calculate the accommodation in accordance with the Council's policy.

RECOMMENDED—

- Annexed*
- (1) that the Board of Education be requested to recognize the revised accommodation of the several schools as set out in column 3 of the schedule circulated to members, in lieu of accommodation shown in the second column thereof;
 - (2) that in respect of the four non-provided schools the application of the foregoing resolution shall be subject to the approval of the Managers of each individual school.

530 WOODHOUSE SCHOOL—DOMESTIC SUBJECTS.—By arrangement with the Middlesex Education Committee the pupils from the Woodhouse Secondary School have attended for instruction at the special subjects centres (Handicraft and Cookery) at the North Road School. When the additions to the Woodhouse Secondary School, now in course of construction, are completed in September next, the pupils can be accommodated on those premises, and the existing arrangements between the two authorities will terminate. The Middlesex Education Committee will, however, be glad to avail themselves for a time of the services of the domestic subjects mistress serving at the North Road School, on two half-days each week, for services at the Woodhouse Secondary School, and will be prepared to continue to contribute to the Finchley Authority one-fifth of her annual salary.

RECOMMENDED that this revised arrangement be approved.

531 CENTRAL CLASSES.—The Committee propose to require the parents of children to be admitted to the central classes in future to sign an undertaking that the children shall continue in attendance until they have completed the four years' course or until they reach 16 years of age.

RECOMMENDED that this action be approved.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Requisitions - July 1927.

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School Medical Service:	Drugs and apparatus...	6.17. 9
Albert Street School:	1 Vacuum cleaner, not exceeding	14.10. -
	1 Dustbin.....	10. -
Long Lane School:	Repairs to six radiators, in hot water service.....	9. 9. -
North Road School:	Installation of electric light in latrines.....	7.15. -
St. Mary's School:	1 Piano.....	19. -- -
Administration:	3 doz. copies "Suggestions to Teachers", issued by the Board of Education.....	3.12. -

This is the list of requisitions referred to
in paragraph 526 of the Education Committee's
report of the 11th July 1927.

A. J. Smith
Chairman.

(1)

School

COUNCIL:

Long Lane

Albert St.

Squires L.

North Rd.

VOLUNTARY:

St. Mary's

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Christ Ch.

Trinity

Total

* Includes
St. Mary's

290.13.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Schedule of the public elementary school
accommodation in Finchley.

(1) School	(2) Dept.	(3) A c c o m m o d a t i o n		(4) Year ended 31/3/27	
		Official - recognized by Board of Education	Calculated in accordance with Council's policy	Average number on books	Average attendance
<u>COUNCIL:</u>					
Long Lane	Mixed	720	540	409	362
	Infants	382	270	203	173
Albert St.	Senior	594	459	460	416
	Junior	410	315	351	297
Squires L.	Boys	300	265	273	244
	Girls	300	265	295	257
	Infants	390	355	290	241
North Rd.	Senior	500	450	259	237
	Junior	500	450	351	307
		4,096	3,569	2,891	2,534
<u>VOLUNTARY:</u>					
St. Mary's	Mixed	354	294	265	254
	Infants	180	170	157	155
St. John's	Mixed & Infants	324	294	274	243
Christ Ch.	Mixed & Infants	429 ^x	366	438	385
W. Trinity	Mixed	248	225	195	175
	Infants	184	135	114	97
		1,719	1,484	1,441	1,267
T o t a l s		5,815	4,853	4,532	3,801

x Includes classroom at
Stephen's Memorial Hall.

This is the schedule referred
in paragraph 529 of the Education
Committee's report of the 11th
July 1927.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

532 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—The following supply teachers, previously approved, are serving as under :—

Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. Collison ...	L.L.I. ...	1/5/25
Mrs. Barrett ...	A.S.J. ...	13/4/26
Mrs. Martin ...	S.M.I. ...	22/4/26
Mrs. O'Donnell ...	S.J. ...	1/4/27
Miss Smyth ...	S.L.I. ...	25/4/27

RECOMMENDED that the appointment of the following supply teachers in the whole-time service of this Authority, to serve during the temporary absence of members of the staff, at salaries in accordance with the Scale, be approved :—

Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. Gunn ...	S.M.M. ...	23/6/27
Mrs. Popley ...	A.S.J. ...	8/6/27
Mrs. Strawson ...	H.T.M. ...	6/7/27
Miss Franklin ...	S.M.M. ...	11/7/27
Mrs. Burnard ...	A.S.J. ...	11/7/27
Mrs. Nicklin ...	L.L.I. ...	11/7/27

533 STUDENT TEACHER—APPOINTMENT OF.—

RECOMMENDED that Miss G. A. Quayle be appointed a student teacher in a Finchley elementary school during the year commencing the 1st August, 1927, under the terms and conditions of the Committee's Scale of Salaries, and subject to the requirements of the Board of Education.

534 LONG LANE SCHOOL—SPECIAL SUBJECTS CENTRE.—

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the estimate of Messrs. E. Wight and

EDUCATION (*continued*).

Co., for installing electric light in the special subjects centres at the Long Lane School, amounting to £77 12s., be accepted.

Amended
535 CENTRAL CLASSES, NORTH ROAD SCHOOL.—A copy of a report by His Majesty's Inspector, received from the Board of Education, has been supplied to each member of the Authority. The recommendation contained in the report relating to the numerical strength of the staff attached to the Central Classes has received consideration.

Your Committee, subject to the approval of the Authority, propose to adopt the suggestion of a five-teacher standard for these classes. It is therefore

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that one member of the staff of the senior department of the Long Lane School, Mr. S. N. Clarke, be transferred to serve on the staff of the Central Classes;
- (b) that Mr. F. S. Welch, B.Sc., be transferred from the boys' department of the Squires Lane School to serve on the staff of the Central Classes.

It is intended that Mr. Lelean, the assistant master appointed recently, shall commence duties at the Squires Lane School, to take the place of Mr. Welch.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Report by H.M.I. Mr. F. O. Mann, on North Road
Council School; inspected on 16th May, 1927.

SENIOR MIXED AND CENTRAL CLASSES.

This school, working under one Head Master consists of two distinct divisions, (a) an elementary Senior Mixed Department and (b) Central Classes organised for a four years' course of advanced work. The following report deals with each division separately.

(a) The Elementary Senior Mixed.

The work has distinctly improved during the last two or three years. The children as a whole are satisfactorily responsive. Obvious progress has been made in eliminating the previously somewhat high percentage of backward pupils. The teaching, generally conscientious, is at its best in Standard VII and weakest in Standard Va.

Arithmetic is not at all strong in either accuracy or ingenuity; some recovery is however made in the top class.

Composition is much better; the general level is satisfactory and the work of Standard VII is quite creditable. The wider facilities for private reading available for the older children partially no doubt explain this superiority.

Somewhat similar facilities could no doubt be arranged for the younger children with useful effect on the whole of the English work.

In History the children's information is too vague and nebulous. Geography is fairly satisfactory.

The Needlework done by the girls is thorough, conscientious, and sensible.

(b) Central Classes.

The central classes, first opened in January 1925, aim at providing a four years' course of instruction for children entering them at the age of "eleven plus." The pupils are selected mainly upon the results of the annual examination for Entrants to Middlesex Secondary Schools; a certain number are however admitted upon the recommendation of their elementary school Head Teachers acting under the close scrutiny of the Authority. In 1926 176 secondary school places were available for the 388 children, who took this Entrants' Examination. It is therefore obvious that the Classes do not by any means receive the best material leaving the ordinary Finchley elementary schools at the age of "eleven plus." None the less, the children in the classes seem of a calibre fit to profit from the advanced instruction, which the course provides.

Hitherto the parents of children entering the classes have not been asked to sign any undertaking to keep them at school until the end of the course, that is, till 15 plus. Of the 33 children admitted upon the first opening of the classes (January and February 1925) 2 left for employment on the day they reached 14, 5 at the end of the term in which they became 14 and 2 others at later ages but also without completing the course. Cases of this sort are regrettable, because on the one hand children in question fail to reap the benefit of the full course as planned, and on the other hand, because their admission must involve the exclusion of other children, who might have stayed to complete the course. The wastage seems sufficiently high to suggest the institution of some form of parents' undertaking similar to that required by nearly all authorities with similar Central Classes.

Special difficulties attended the classes at the beginning. The first form (now Form III) was admitted in January and February 1925, that is half way through the educational year, and as their average age was then found to be 12 years and 6 months, a course covering three instead of the usual four years had to be arranged for them.

Other difficulties have inevitably arisen from the fact that the number of children has hitherto hardly been sufficient to warrant a staffing up to the standard usually considered necessary in Central Schools. At present there are 3 teachers for some 98 children. While this is not illiberal, having regard to the mere number of the children, it still leaves the teaching power insufficient for effective specialization. Next autumn a further group of children will be admitted, bringing the total number of pupils up to something near 140. For a department of this size, attempting Central School work, it is suggested that 5 teachers, generally with specialist attainments, will be required.

There is no doubt that in the actual circumstances the work of instruction has imposed a considerable burden upon the Head Master and his staff. They have responded to the demands made upon them with industry and good will and if the results do not always seem to correspond with their efforts, the discrepancy is to be attributed to occasional limits in their qualifications rather than to any lack of zeal on their part.

It is clear that considerable improvement has taken place in the general tone of the school during the last 12 or 13 months. The children are now responsive and interested and put real effort into their school exercises. The standard of attainment in the various subjects remains however rather low.

The chief general weaknesses at the moment are (a) a lack of co-ordination in the planning and supervision of progress in the various subjects and (b) occasional failures in effectiveness in the teaching itself, which are not always explicable by the difficulties already pointed out.

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English.

The responsibility for English is divided among the 3 teachers. The teaching has been quite successful in interesting the children in good general reading, and this interest in its turn has done much to widen the children's vocabulary and outlook.

The Composition is on the whole quite satisfactory. In Form I and Form III English Literature has been studied with some enjoyment and understanding. Further progress in English as a whole must involve attempts at more complicated and difficult exercises on the part of the children and more accuracy and discrimination in dealing with language on the part of children and teachers alike.

French.

The instruction in French has been undertaken by a teacher whose qualifications lie in other directions. He deserves credit for gallantry and industry, but, as he himself readily admits, his knowledge of the language is insufficient for the task. The subject should be dropped entirely unless it can be put into the hands of a properly qualified teacher.

Mathematics.

In mathematics the need for co-ordination and specialist teaching is especially felt. In geometry e.g. there is not always agreement as to how the subject should be taught in the earlier stages. In Arithmetic the children seem to start reasonably well equipped but to develop weaknesses as the work becomes more exacting. Both in Arithmetic and Algebra an effort should be made to keep the subject matter more obviously in touch with reality. Straightforward exercises are usually fairly well done, but in simple applications of rules and principles the children often show surprising gaps in their knowledge.

Science.

(a) Boys' Course.

Hitherto this subject has not been begun till the second year. The second year boys answered fairly well upon what they had studied. The third year boys have probably distributed their attention over too wide a field. It might be well to concentrate for some weeks or perhaps a term upon a series of closely allied topics, allowing of continuous development along some definite line of scientific thought.

It would be well too if the boys could earlier master the language of the subject sufficiently to use it with reasonable familiarity and ease.

(b) Girls' Course.

The botany course is carefully and intelligently planned. The subject is made attractive and the girls work to a thoroughly good standard of effort and achievement.

Geography.

The teaching of this subject needs some reconsideration. It should be easily possible to develop the work so that the fundamental principles are kept constantly before the minds of the children, but the answering of the third year children showed a very imperfect understanding of the commonplaces of the subject.

Insufficient effort seems to have been demanded from the pupils.

History.

The syllabus covers a wide range of time and perhaps lacks perspective and definition; it suggests a danger lest in an imperfectly related collection of details the main lines of historical development may be missed.

There is ample evidence that the responsible teacher has given much diligent care to the subject. The children's ready response to questioning shows clearly that many of them have been led to take a genuine interest in the study.

Chronology is rather weak. There is a tendency to treat 'Social History' and 'Citizenship' overmuch in isolation from the main stream of the subject. The preparation of systematic plans for private study would afford the children more definite training in the use of books.

Needlework.

The scheme in this subject is sensible and practical and the methods of carrying it out are sound and thorough. The girls work with interest and valuable self reliance; the articles they make are well finished.

This is a copy of the report referred to in paragraph 535 of the Education Committee's report of the 11th July 1927.


Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

12th July, 1927.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

536 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

537 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed.

538 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—It was reported that the Chairman of the Council was arranging for a meeting of the Sub-Committee, appointed to make the final arrangements in connexion with the above, to be held at an early date.

539 FREDERICK'S PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS—DISPOSAL OF.—

(a) The Chairman of the Electricity Committee reported hereon, and submitted a letter dated 12th July, 1927, received by him from the Electrical Engineer, suggesting that certain portions of the above sites should be reserved for purposes of the electricity undertaking;

RECOMMENDED that the proposal be approved in principle and that the matter be referred to the Surveyor for consideration and report in conjunction with the Electrical Engineer.

540 VACATION.—The Committee considered this matter and instructions were given for the usual Notices of Motion to be placed on the Council Agenda.

541 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

(a) Further Designated Posts.—

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that, subject to the approval of the Minister of Health, the additional posts mentioned below be

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

designated as established posts in the Council's scheme under the Act;

- (2) that such posts be occupied as from the 25th July, 1927, respectively, by the persons whose names are set opposite thereto, excepting as regards Mr. T. C. Judge, who occupy the post set opposite to his name on completion of three months' satisfactory service;

Additional Posts.	Names of Persons to occupy the posts.
Clerk to the Valuation Committee	H. W. Barter.
Housing Estate Manager	A. N. Halstead.
Typist—Finance Dept.	Miss E. M. Thom.
Clerk—Finance Dept.	A. Philpot.
Junior Clerk—Clerk's Department	D. Blakey.
Storekeeper and Yard Foreman—Surveyor's Department	T. C. Judge.
Health Visitor and School Nurse	Miss S. Hacking.

(b) Vacant Designated Post.—

RECOMMENDED that as from 25th July, 1927, Mr. A. Blake occupy the designated post of Fireman in the Fire Brigade, vacated by Mr. C. R. Clayton.

542 PAWN-BROKERS' ACT, 1872—PAWN-BROKERS' CERTIFICATE.—It was reported that Mr. A. E. Garrud had made application for renewal of his Licence to carry on the business of Pawn-Broker at No. 9, Market Parade, High Road, North Finchley;

RECOMMENDED that such Licence be renewed for the period ending 31st July, 1928, subject to the statutory requirements being complied with.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

REQUISITIONS - JULY 1927.

Amount of estimate	£8895. - . -.
Amount previously requisitioned	£4426. 8. 2.

Ordered since last meeting

500 forms L.L.C. (1a)	18. -.
100 copies Year Book	9.10. -.
50 notices 'Unpaid Rates	17. 6.
Advertising do. (2 papers)	1.12. 6.
1,975 notices - 8 sorts - Notice to make)	
up Private Streets)	8.10. -.
5,000 Final Call Cards - Rates	2.10. -.

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Clerk's Department -

Printing Minutes and Reports -July 1927	33. - . -.
Binding Case for Committes' reports	5. - .
500 forms L.L.C. (1a)	18. - .
19 Copies Minutes of Proceedings -	
U.D.C. Annual Conference 1927	3. 1. - .
1 Copy Evidence by Sir A. Robinson to	
Royal Commission on Local Government	
16th and 17th June	7. 6.
Binding Local Government Reports (Statutes separately)	1. 5. - .
1 "Sequence" File - Council Papers	7. - .
1 "Spring-back" File	5. - .
1 "Sequence" File - Maternity and Child Welfare	7. - .
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Surveyor's Department -

1 "Kalamazoo" Binder	2.10. - .
Engraving on bar	1. - .
1 A/Z Index -26 tabs	9. - .
250 sheets of Paper (ruled and printed each	
side different)	2. 1. - .
1 "Kalamazoo" Binder	4.15. - .
1 A/Z Index of 26 tabs	14. 9.
300 sheets (ruled both sides alike)	2.11. 9.
12 yearly rainfall charts	4. - .
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1 box assorted grey rubber bands	4. 6.

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1 French curve No.2444 Celluloid 10"	5. 6.
4 rolls stout ferro gallic paper	1. 8. 8.
1 roll 30" Imperial Tracing cloth	3. 4. --
1 50 ft. Chesterman Steel tape	1.15. --
1 dozen small Fibrene cleaners	4. 9.
1 box (doz.) Pearl pliable erasers	4. --
1 cz. tin "Diamond" erasing paste	1. 6.
2 maps consisting of 5 sheets each of 25" Ordnance sheets Nos: - X13, X14, X17. XXI.8. X1.12 joined and mounted on linen to fold - lined brown cloth and lettered as directed	8. --. --

Public Health Department -

100 birth enquiry cards	1.10. --
300 Intimation notices - letter form	17. 6.
$\frac{1}{2}$ dozen "Swift" binding cases (foolscap)	1. 1. --
$\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (quarto)	17. --
Cleaning car (M.O.H.) July - September	2. 5. --
3 tins "Grip-fix"	3. 9.

Finance Department -

4 Private Street Works Demand Books	2. --. --
500 Cut off notices - Electricity	7. --
Rubber stamp "Arrears"	2. 6.

Stores

6 dozen flat files	2. 5. --
6 glass inkwells	12. --
6 boxes seals (small)	6. --
6 do. (large)	9. --
2 gross "Waverley" pens	9. --
2 do. "Ivanhoe"	7. --
3 cards Green tape	7. 6.
2 doz. "Venus" pencils	10. --
2 gross "Plexograph" pens	11. --

Valuation Department -

2 "Spring-back" files	11. --
Telephone instruments	2. 7. --
1 dozen copies - 2nd series of Representations of Central Valuation Committee	1. 6.
6 months subscription to 'Income Tax and Rating'	1. 2. --

Total

£4558.18.10.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 12TH JULY, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 12TH JULY, 1927.

WORKMENS' DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

"0" = expended or on order.

		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.	WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			TOTAL
			1st Scheme.	Assisted Scheme.		
		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. ss. d.		£. s.
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209 5 0	404 5 0	1028	8 0	1641 18
Req. REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD		16 15 1	103 13 5	87	14 9	208 3
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408	C Wages and team labour - 26th May to 29th June, 1927.	12 4 5	2 17 5	53	8 3	68 10
409	C Stores.	5 15 7	4 17 5	10	1 7	20 14
410	O Supply and fix new 1½"- 6 lbs. sink trap - 75, Crescentway.			-	12 3	- 12
411	C Remove old H.W. boiler and 1" pipes, provide and fit new 10" H.W. boiler, new 1½" flow and return pipes from boiler to ceiling, testing and making good.....139, Summers La.)			5	8 10	5 3
412	O Supply and fix new 1½"- 6lbs sink trap....145, Do.			-	12 3	- 12
413	O Do. Do. 45, Crescentway.			-	12 3	- 12
414	O Open ground, re-washer and pack stop cock, filling in and testing. 8, Queens Road.		-	12	11	- 12 11
415	O Open ground, renew water service from step cock to coal cellar, wiping joints, testing, filling in, 29ft. ½" 30 lead pipe... Do.	3 12 6				3 12
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SQUIRES LANE WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.
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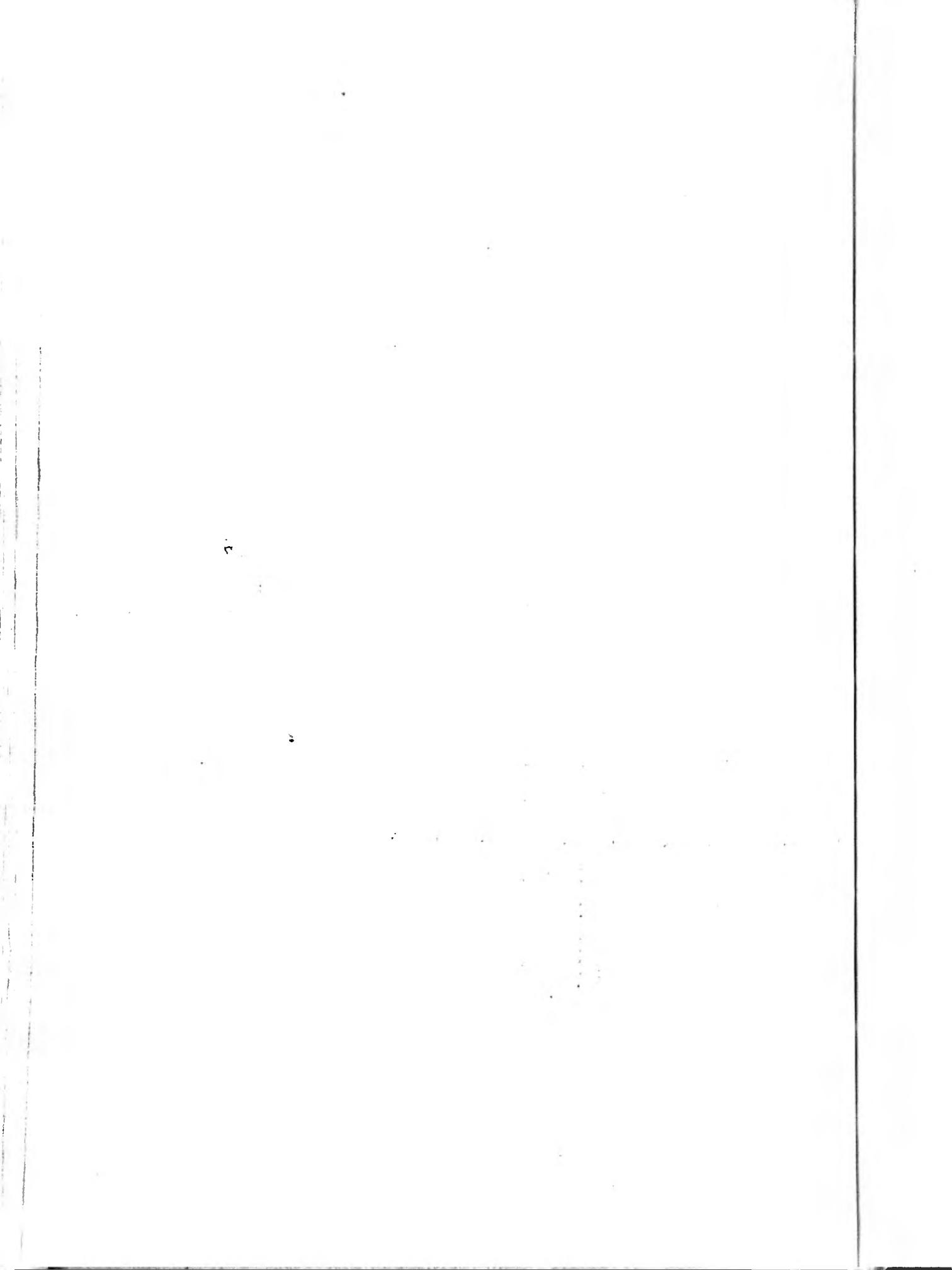
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		£.	s.	d.	1st Scheme.	Assisted Scheme.	£.		s.	d.			
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416	C Repair sink waste, 2'6" - 1 1/4" lead pipe, Provide and fix new 1 1/4" - 6 lbs sink trap..... 36, Ingleway.							1	3	7	1	3	
417	C Remove old, supply and fix new 20 gal. 3/8" plate hot water tank..... 82, Do.							3	10	3	3	10	
418	C Do. Do. 51, Do.							3	10	3	3	10	
TOTAL.		£	39	-	6	111	8	3	166	14	3	317	3

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 537 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 12th July 1927.

Percival T. Harrison
Chalrigan.

7TH JULY, 1927.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

543 STAFF.—

(a) Valuation Department.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that a youth be appointed for service in the above Department to assist generally, and in the preparation of plans, etc., at a salary of from 16/- to £1 a week, on the understanding that the appointment is a temporary one only, and that the matter will be again brought before the Council in six months' time;
- (2) that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of this Committee to make the appointment, subject to report.

(b) Finance Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—It was reported that the Accountant had found it necessary to employ a temporary typist in his department from the 9th July, 1927, at the cost of 12/6 a day, owing to depletion in the staff caused through holidays. The Committee approved the Accountant's action, and also authorised him to retain the services of the temporary typist until 23rd July, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that the expenditure in connexion with the matter be approved.

- (c) Absence through illness.—The name of one member of the Staff who had, since last meeting, been absent through illness was submitted.
- (d) Surveyor's Department—Store-keeper & Yard Foreman;
- (e) Surveyor's Department—Assistant Road Foreman.—

The Surveyor reported that Mr. T. C. Judge and Mr. S. H. Barnett, who were recently appointed respectively to the above positions, had passed satisfactorily medical examinations, and would commence their duties on the 2nd August, 1927.

544 HOUSING (RURAL WORKERS) ACT, 1926.—A letter, dated 16th June, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health, stating that the Minister had been in communication with the County

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

Council of Middlesex on the subject of the application of this Council, under the proviso to Section 5 (1) of the above Act, to be constituted the local authority for the purposes of the Act; that he was informed that the County Council were formulating a scheme under the Act for the County, and that they did not consider that this Council should be excluded therefrom; that the Minister had carefully considered this Council's application, but that he did not see sufficient reason for declaring that this Council should be the local authority for the purposes of the Act within the area of this district.

The letter added that at the same time the Ministry desired to refer to the provisions of Section 5 (2) of the Act, under which the County Council might enter into arrangements with District Councils for securing their assistance in the administration of the Act, and they trusted that this Council would be willing to co-operate with the County Council if necessary, with the view to securing the efficient working of the scheme;

RECOMMENDED that the consideration of the matter be deferred, as the subject generally is under review by the Urban District Councils' Association, and that the Clerk be directed to report further thereon at a later meeting.

545 POOR LAW REFORM.—The Clerk reported that this matter had recently been before the Urban District Councils' Association, and he drew the attention of the Committee to certain proposals which had been made in connexion therewith.

546 CONFERENCE OF URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILS.—

(a) 1927.—The Clerk reported that he had attended this Conference as the Council's representative, and that a printed report of the proceedings would be circulated to the members of the Council in due course.

(b) 1928.—It was reported that the Association would be pleased to receive invitations from members for the holding of the Annual Meeting and Conference of Urban District Councils in June, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

547 GLEBE LAND.—A letter was submitted from Mr. H. W. Partridge, stating that he was at present renting the garage of the farmhouse opposite to 123, Summers Lane, belonging to Mr. Barton; that he had an option to purchase the bungalow, and that he would be glad to know if he could either purchase or rent the ground on which the bungalow stands for his own residential purposes;

RECOMMENDED that he be informed that the Council are not desirous of letting or disposing of the land in question.

548 AVENUE HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE.—The following report of a meeting of the above Sub-Committee held on the 7th July, 1927, was submitted and considered.

Present: Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P. (in the Chair), Councillors Broadbent and Pike.

The Clerk submitted a report (circulated) and also a letter from Messrs. Lees & Co. of the 5th July, 1927, in which they explained that the items in the first account submitted by the Executors with respect to the payments made to the Caretaker until May, 1919, were necessary owing to the fact that although the military authorities commandeered the premises under the Defence of the Realm Act in November, 1918, they did not enter into actual occupation until May, 1919. They also pointed out that the account already submitted amounting to £692 11s. 3d. should be £691 4s. 7d., owing to the fact that the sum of £1 6s. 8d. had been wrongly added at the end of such account; further, that they had now verified the payment of all the items of such account.

Annexed

The matters mentioned in the report of the Clerk were considered and fully discussed, and it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that payment be made of the said sum of £691 4s. 7d.;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to request Messrs. Lees & Co. to take exception to the payment of any items which in their view should be disputed in the further account submitted by the Executors' Solicitors amounting to £110 17s. 1d.;

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (3) that as regards the sum of £1,154 3s. 7d. the amount of costs in the Action certified upon taxation as payable out of the Avenue House Estate, the Clerk be instructed to enquire if the Minister of Health is prepared to sanction a loan to cover the same;
- (4) that the Clerk enquire of the Inland Revenue Authorities whether or not under the circumstances they would be prepared to remit either the whole or part of the payment of interest upon the death duties payable by the Council in respect of the property;
- (5) that the Clerk communicate with the War Office and press for a settlement of the claim in respect of rent, dilapidations, etc.;
- (6) that the resolution passed at a meeting of the Council held on the 23rd May, 1927, and contained in paragraph 255 (6) (a) be rescinded;
- (7) that the Avenue House Estate be not opened to the public until such time as the grounds are put into a proper condition for the use and enjoyment of the Public;
- (8) that the Clerk draft Regulations as to the care and upkeep of the grounds and submit same to the General Purposes Committee.

H. O. SYRETT,
Chairman.

549 COBLEY'S FARM—BOW LANE.—The Clerk submitted a framed sketch of the above, which, he stated, had been presented to the Council by the proprietor of the " Finchley Press ";

RECOMMENDED that the best thanks of the Council be accorded to the donor therefor.

550 MORTUARY KEEPER.—The Committee considered a reference from the Public Health Committee hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the resolution passed by the Council on the 27th June, 1927, as contained in Minute No. 372, be rescinded;

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

Clerk's Office
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4th July, 1927.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AVENUE HOUSE
SUB-COMMITTEE

Gentlemen,

Avenue House - Attorney General v.
the Council and Others.

The several points which I think require the consideration of the Sub-Committee are as follows:-

- (1) the payment by the Council of the Executors' expenses as to upkeep, etc.;
 - (2) the costs payable by the Council in the Action;
 - (3) the costs in the Action payable out of the Estate;
 - (4) the payment of Death Duties in respect of the property;
 - (5) the claim made by the Council for rent and dilapidations in respect of the occupation by the Air Ministry;
 - (6) the carrying out of the terms of the devise to the Council under the Will of the late Mr. Stephens.
- (1) The payment by the Council of the Executors' expenses as to upkeep, etc.

The Sub-Committee will no doubt remember that the Council have already approved the payment of the sum of £692.11. 3. subject to the verification of the various items in the account which has been submitted by the Executors' Solicitors. The said amount of £692. 11. 3. is mainly for payments made by the Executors for wages and upkeep of the premises. Messrs. Lees & Co. have inspected the vouchers for the payments set out in the Executors' account, but they take some exception to the fact that wages were paid to a Mr. Welch as caretaker during the occupation of the Air Ministry. There would appear to be no necessity for the Executors to pay for a caretaker during such occupation, and I have asked Messrs. Lees & Co. to take this point up further with the Executors' Solicitors.

Messrs. Mills & Morley have also submitted a further account for charges and disbursements amounting to the sum of £110.17.1. There appear to be many items in such account to which exception could be taken, and I shall be glad if the Sub-Committee will instruct me to request Messrs. Lees & Co. to negotiate with Messrs. Mills & Morley with regard thereto. These expenses it would appear are to be paid by the Council and not out of the Avenue House Estate as in the case of the majority of the taxed costs.

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(2) Costs payable by the Council in the Action.

It would appear that the only costs payable by the Council were those of Messrs. Lees & Co. and of the Official Trustees of Charity Lands, the latter of which upon taxation amounted to £72. 5. 9. This item is included in that of £692.11. 3. referred to in (1) above.

(3) Costs in the Action payable out of the Estate.

The costs of the parties to the Action which were ordered to be paid out of the Estate appear below, together with the amounts which have been certified on taxation:-

1.	Plaintiff's costs, charges and expenses	£9.18. 5.
2.	Plaintiff's costs of Action	511.15. 8.
3.	The Defendants' (the Executors of the Will of Mr. Stephens) costs	363. 5. 6.
4.	The Defendants' (the Council) costs of Action since 13th June, 1925 ..	138.15. 0.
5.	The Defendants' (the Executors of the Will of Mr. Stephens) costs since 13th June, 1925	130. 9. 0.

£1,154. 3. 7.

These appear to be the total costs payable out of the Avenue House Estate, and the question immediately arises how are such costs to be paid?

The Council could, I think, if it were decided that these amounts should be raised directly out of the Avenue House Estate, apply to the Court for an Order for a charge upon the property or for sale or disposal of part thereof, and if such decision were arrived at, the Opinion of Counsel should be taken on the matter. It may be, however, that the Council would not wish this course to be adopted. The only other way of defraying such costs is either by payment out of rate or by raising a loan on the security of the rate in respect thereof. The District Auditor might probably accept the certificate of Taxation as sufficient evidence to warrant the payment, but perhaps the better course would be to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to a loan in order to pay such costs. I shall, however, be glad of the Sub-Committee's instructions in the matter.

(4) The payment of Death Duties in respect of the property.

These will probably exhaust the amount to be received in connexion with the claim for rent and dilapidations of the property, and therefore it would perhaps be advisable to defer the consideration of the payment of these duties until such claims have been settled.

(5) The claim made by the Council for rent and dilapidations.

I have not heard anything further since I last reported to the Council with regard to my interview with Mr. Failes of the War Office. The Council's claim was made such a long time ago, and it would appear is not receiving definite consideration, and I would be glad of the instructions of the Sub-Committee to press for a settlement of such claim.

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- (6) The carrying out of the terms of the devise to the Council under the Will of the late Mr. Stephens.

The Sub-Committee will no doubt remember that the Avenue House Estate was devised to the Council subject to the condition that the same shall be open for the use and enjoyment always of the public under such reasonable regulations as may be made by the Council from time to time for the care and upkeep thereof.

At the meeting of the Council held on the 23rd May, 1927 the Chairman of the Council reported upon this question, and it was resolved as follows:-

- (a) "that so soon as the property is conveyed to the Council the portion of the grounds outlined above (i.e. in the Chairman's report) be opened to the public;
- (b) that in the meantime the Surveyor with the approval of the Executors be directed to make the necessary preparations as indicated, so as to prevent inroads to the grounds by unauthorised entrances;
- (c) that the Avenue House Sub-Committee be authorised to deal with the question of the fencing, subject to report;
- (d) that the Sub-Committee also take into consideration the question of the provision of seats; the accommodation for refreshments etc. and the closing of the grounds during the coming winter;
- (e) that the Sub-Committee consider the question of drafting regulations for the care and upkeep of the Estate."

Finally, the Instrument transferring the property from the Executors to the Council has been sealed by the Council and it is expected that such transfer will be completed at an early date.

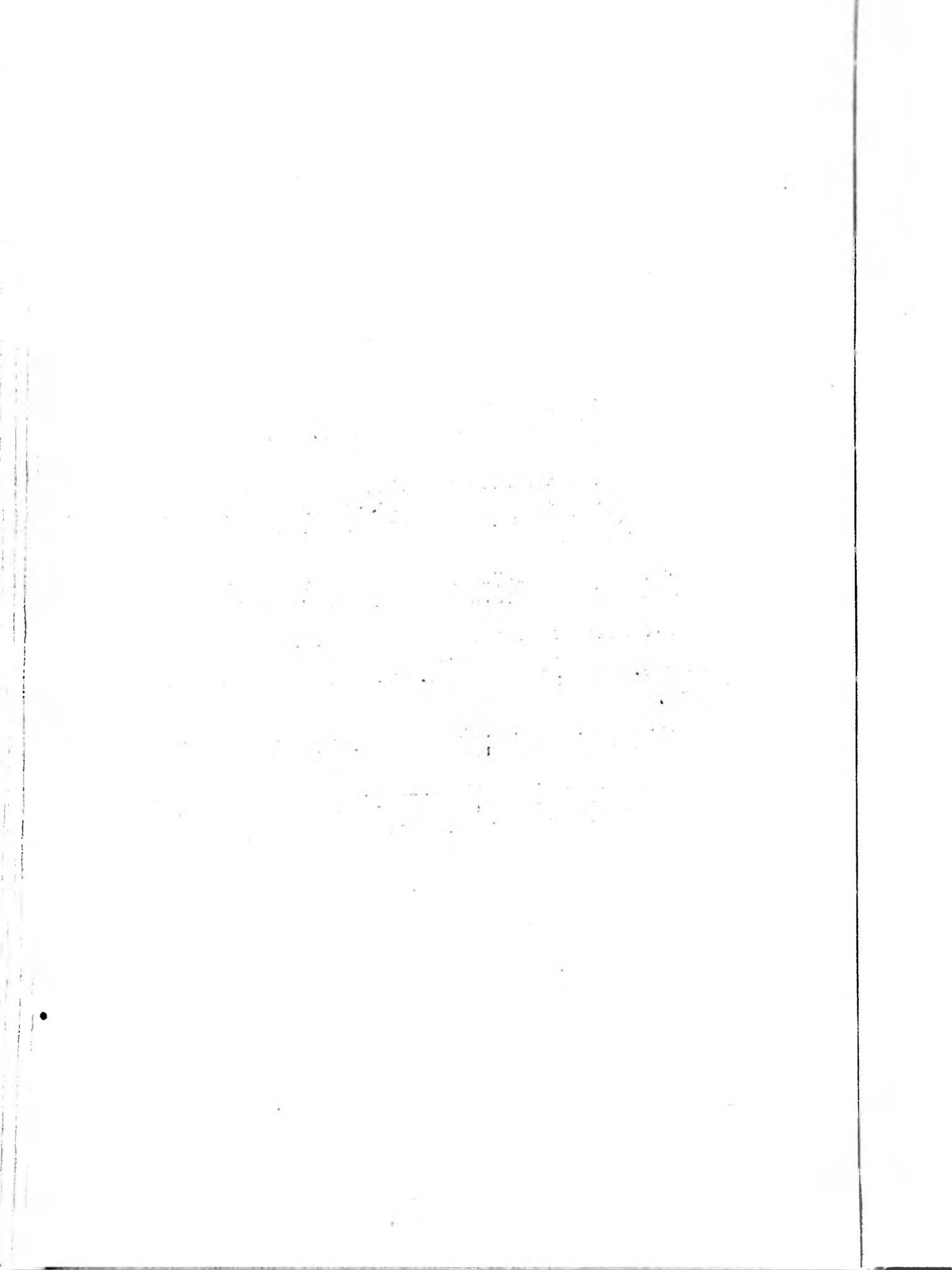
Yours obediently,

E.H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the report referred to in the Avenue House Sub-Committee's report of the 7th July 1927.

M. S. Lister
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (b) that the suggestion of the Public Health Committee be adopted by the Council.

551 UNEMPLOYMENT (RELIEF WORKS) ACT, 1920—COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER, 1927.—The references from the Public Health and the Highways and Fire and Water Committees respectively in connexion with the proposed amended route of the North Circular Road from the Great North Road to Southgate were placed before the Committee, and the Clerk reported receipt of letter dated 8th July, 1927, from the County Solicitor, stating that the Inquiry by the Ministry of Transport, which was adjourned until the 13th instant, would not proceed, as the County Council had decided not to continue with the promotion of the above Order. Further, that negotiations were now taking place for the purpose of prescribing a new line of route.

552 HOUSING.—A communication, dated 8th July, 1927, was submitted from the Farnworth Urban District Council, forwarding, for the consideration of the Council, copy of the following resolution passed by them:—

“That this meeting of the Farnworth Urban District Council draws the attention of His Majesty’s Government to the pernicious practices perpetrated by many unscrupulous owners of property, which are causing unnecessary hardship and suffering on poor and innocent tenants; and calls upon the Government to immediately introduce and pass into law such measures as will give proper protection and safeguards to occupiers against such practices, *i.e.*:—

- (a) The excessive increase in Rents after property is decontrolled.
- (b) The ejection of tenants for the purpose of converting houses into shops.
- (c) The selling of houses over the heads of occupiers, which practice is causing distress to many tenants.’

“That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all Urban District Councils in England and Wales, the Prime Minister, the Minister of Health and to the Member of Parliament for this Division.”

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

553 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—W. MESSETER.— Referring to Minute No. 367, the Surveyor reported that it had now been possible to find some light work at the Sewage Farm for this employee, and that arrangements were therefore being made for him to commence his duties at an early date;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the Insurance Company, with a view of ascertaining that the Council will not be in any way prejudiced in connexion with their claim under the Policy, in the event of Messetter being unable to continue such employment owing to his disability, caused through the accident which he sustained some time ago.

554 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES — COMPASSIONATE GRANT — W. CANNON, deceased.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity of 30/- a week granted to the widow be continued until the Ordinary Meeting of the Council in September, 1927, when the matter be considered further.

555 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS—EXTERNAL PAINTING.—

RECOMMENDED that tenders be invited for the external painting of the above dwellings in Schemes Nos. 1 and 2, being those in Squires Lane, Woodhouse Road, and Summers Lane respectively.

556 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

13th July, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Ryan, H. O. Syrett, and Wade, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

557 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

558 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

559 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

560 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 750 tons, as compared with 550 tons at last meeting. Further, that the stock of Bohemian brown coal had been reduced to about 370 tons;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots, at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer, be approved:—

Annexed

- 10 tons yard slack.
- 35 tons yard slack.
- 91 tons Eastwood washed nuts, and
- 110 tons Eastwood washed slack.

The Chairman of the Committee reported that the Chief Electrical Engineer had made arrangements for forward deliveries of coal (between 3,000 and 5,000 tons), at the price mentioned at the meeting, for delivery up to the 31st March, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

561 TURBINE.—It was reported that the No. 1 Turbine was at present dismantled, and was being overhauled. Further, that the blade system had been returned to the makers, for certain minor defects to be attended to. It was also reported that the Chief Electrical Engineer had visited Loughborough on the 23rd

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

and 24th June, and that he proposed to visit the Makers' Works during the present week, in connexion with this matter, and with the No. 2 Turbine.

562 PUBLIC LIGHTING FOREMAN.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported hereon, and expressed his high appreciation of the manner in which Mr. Shepherd had carried out his duties during the whole period (22 years) which he had been attached to the Electricity Department. He further reported that he was informed that Mr. Shepherd had served the Council in all for about 45 years;

RECOMMENDED that, in addition to his Superannuation allowance, Mr. Shepherd be granted a gratuity of 10/- a week, under the provisions of Section 70 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908, until such time as the aggregate of those payments is equivalent to one year's pay.

563 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

Applications for supply	S073 =	366851 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	S024 =	363839 " " "
		3012 " " "
Increase	49 =	3012 " " "
		310362 lamps of 33 watts
Lamps connected		310362 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1437)	4530	" " "
High c.p. lamps (45)	796	" " "
		315688 " " "
Total	315688	" " "
Last meeting	313328	" " "
		2360 " " "
Increase	2360	" " "
		5004 lamps of 33 watts
Applications in hand but not yet connected	*63 =	5004 lamps of 33 watts

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50 carboys distilled water.....	11. 5. 0.
Testing fuel.....	5. 0. 0.
5 tons coke.....	8. 5. 0.
12 swan neck fittings, complete.....	26.16. 0.
24, 7½" half collars.....	4.12. 0.
Rental of cable drums.....	10. 0. 0.
2,000 metal filament lamps.....	200. 0. 0.
Testing meters.....	10. 0. 0.
Meters.....	300. 0. 0.
3 meter lamp columns.....	15.15. 0.
12 plain lamp columns.....	39.18. 0.
23 lbs. insulating tape.....	6.14. 0.
Carbon brushes.....	15. 0. 0.
12 dozen meter boards.....	23.11. 0.
Spare parts for radiators.....	4.10. 0.
General cartage.....	20. 0. 0.
Carting 1000 tons of coal.....	112.10. 0.
1000 tons of coal.....	1350. 0. 0.
1 barrel cylinder oil.....	7.15. 0.
1 barrel turbine oil.....	7.15. 0.
500 gallons lubricating oil.....	70.16. 8.
3 barrels engine oil.....	13. 0. 0.
100 pairs house service cut-outs.....	81. 5. 0.
15 cwt. box compound.....	49. 0. 0.
56 lbs. block tin.....	8.15. 0.
120, 4" - 2 way conduits.....	20.10. 0.
300, 4" single way conduits.....	25. 0. 0.
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	6. 1. 0.
48 gross wood screws.....	4.17. 0.
400 gallons petrol.....	21.13. 4.
200 gallons paraffin.....	7.10. 0.
Extractor pump set.....	216. 0. 0.
5 gallons aluminium paint.....	4.10. 0.
2 gallons "Indestructible" paint.....	2. 5. 0.
12 hurricane lamps.....	2.14. 0.
2 tons cement.....	6.12. 6.
Fire insurance premium.....	65. 0. 0.
Insurance of motor cars.....	12. 3. 0.
Stoker links and spare parts for chain grate stokers.....	65. 0. 0.
Repairs to boiler brickwork.....	90. 0. 0.
Repairs to feed pump.....	10. 0. 0.
12 lbs. fuse wire.	
10,000 lead seals.	
1 cwt. soap.	
50 side pole globes.	
50 swan neck globes.	
6 stoker shovels.	
12 petty cash voucher books.	
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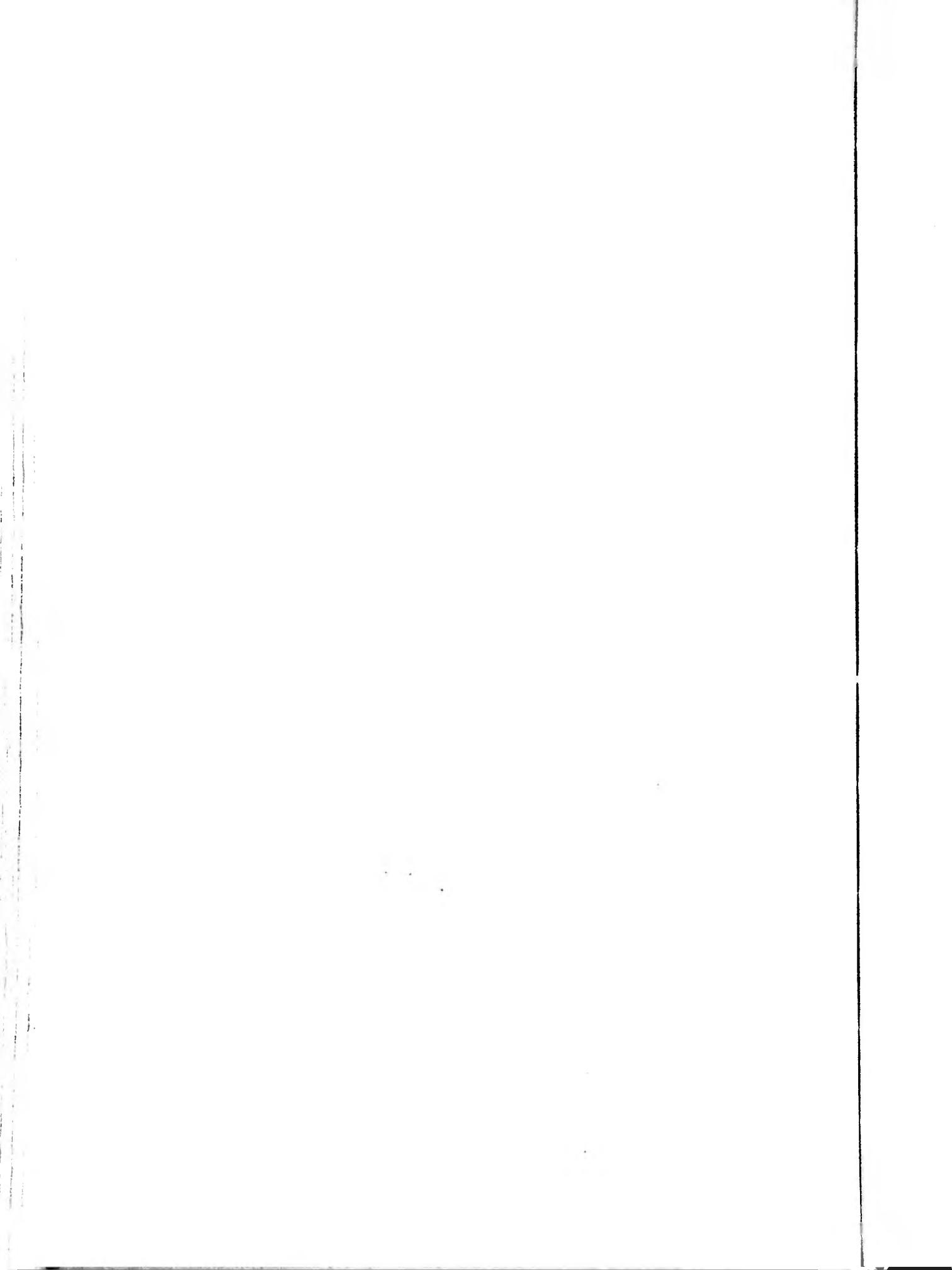
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558 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 13th
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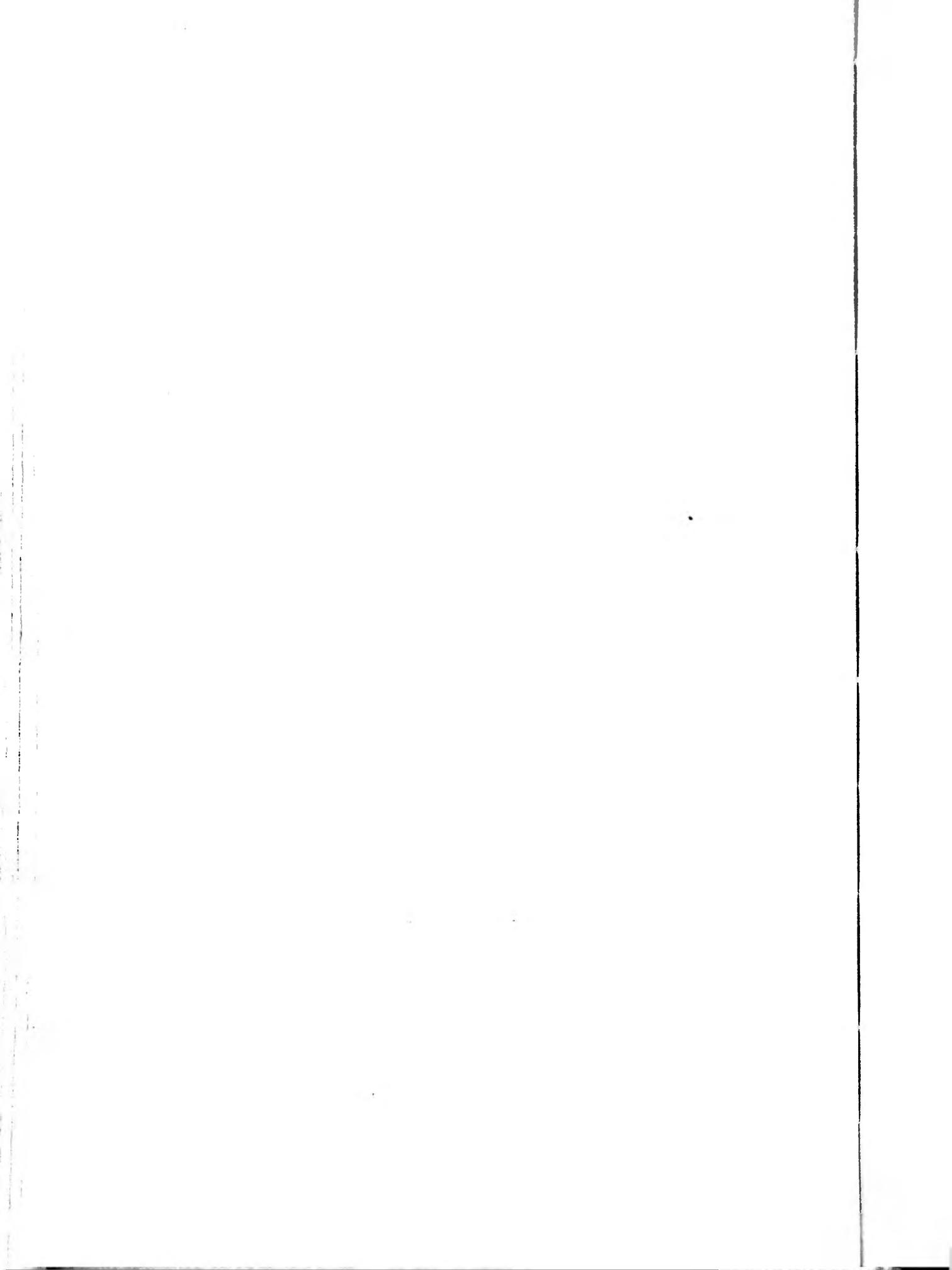
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10	Yard Slack	@	20/- per ton.
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91	Eastwood Washod Nuts	@	24/10d." "
110	Eastwood Washod Slack	@	21/10d." "

This is an extract from the Electrical Engineer's report dealing with the prices of the coal mentioned in paragraph 560 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 13th July 1927.

H. D. Spence
Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

564 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

(1) Mains.—

- (a) It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, Mains had, since last meeting, been laid in Ballards Lane, east side (near to Long Lane), in Westway, and in the Great North Road (west side, near Friern Lane);

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for mains to be laid in Sandringham Gardens (north of Summers Lane), at an estimated cost of £367, and in Oakfield Road, at an estimated cost of £168.

- (b) Feeder Diversion.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that the considerable diversion of feeders, high tension feeders, distributors, street lighting cables, etc., consequent upon the road improvements in Ballards Lane (near to Long Lane) was progressing, and that the work was well advanced.

(2) High Tension Feeder and Sub-Station Extensions, 1927.—

Sub-Station—Cherry Tree Wood, East Finchley.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, in accordance with instructions, he had placed orders for the necessary plant, and had instructed the building contractor to proceed. Further, that the actual site had now been staked out by means of white pegs, and had been agreed by the Chairman of the Town Planning & Open Spaces Committee. The Clerk reported that the Draft Deed, with regard to release of covenant in the Conveyance, had now been received from the Official Solicitor to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, and that the matter was having his attention. Further, that a communication had been received from the Electricity Commissioners, forwarding formal sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £8,620 in respect of mains and Sub-Station equipment, repayable as follows :—

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

Purpose.	Amount.	Period.
Mains	£3,297	25 years.
Plant, Sub-Station Equipment	£5,323	20 years.
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He also intimated that the Commissioners had pointed out that they were not satisfied that the whole cost of the building was properly chargeable to the electricity undertaking, but that further consideration would be given to the matter, upon receipt of particulars as to the amount included for the Verandah in the tender price of £756. The necessary information, he stated, had been supplied to the Commissioners, and that enquiry had also been made of them, as to why they had agreed to sanction a sum of £8,620 only in respect of mains, plant, etc., that being £30 less than the amount applied for.

565 FREDERICK'S PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS—DISPOSAL OF.—The Chairman of the Committee reported that he had brought this matter before the General Purposes Committee, and that, in accordance with the suggestion of the Chief Electrical Engineer, he had proposed to that Committee that certain portions of the above sites should be retained for purposes in connexion with the Electricity undertaking. Further, that that Committee had agreed in principle to the proposal, and had referred the matter to the Surveyor for consideration and report, in conjunction with the Chief Electrical Engineer;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

566 LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY (No. 2) BILL.—Inquiry was made by the Clerk as to whether the Committee desired any further action to be taken hereon at the moment. Instructions were given for the Chief Electrical Engineer to go into the matter with the Clerk, and to report thereon to the Chairman of the Committee, who would, if necessary, bring the question before the Council at next meeting;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

567 EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN, £24,000.—The Chairman of the Committee reported upon an interview which had taken place with the Electricity Commissioners in connexion with the application made by the Council early in 1926, for sanction to the borrowing of the above sum ;

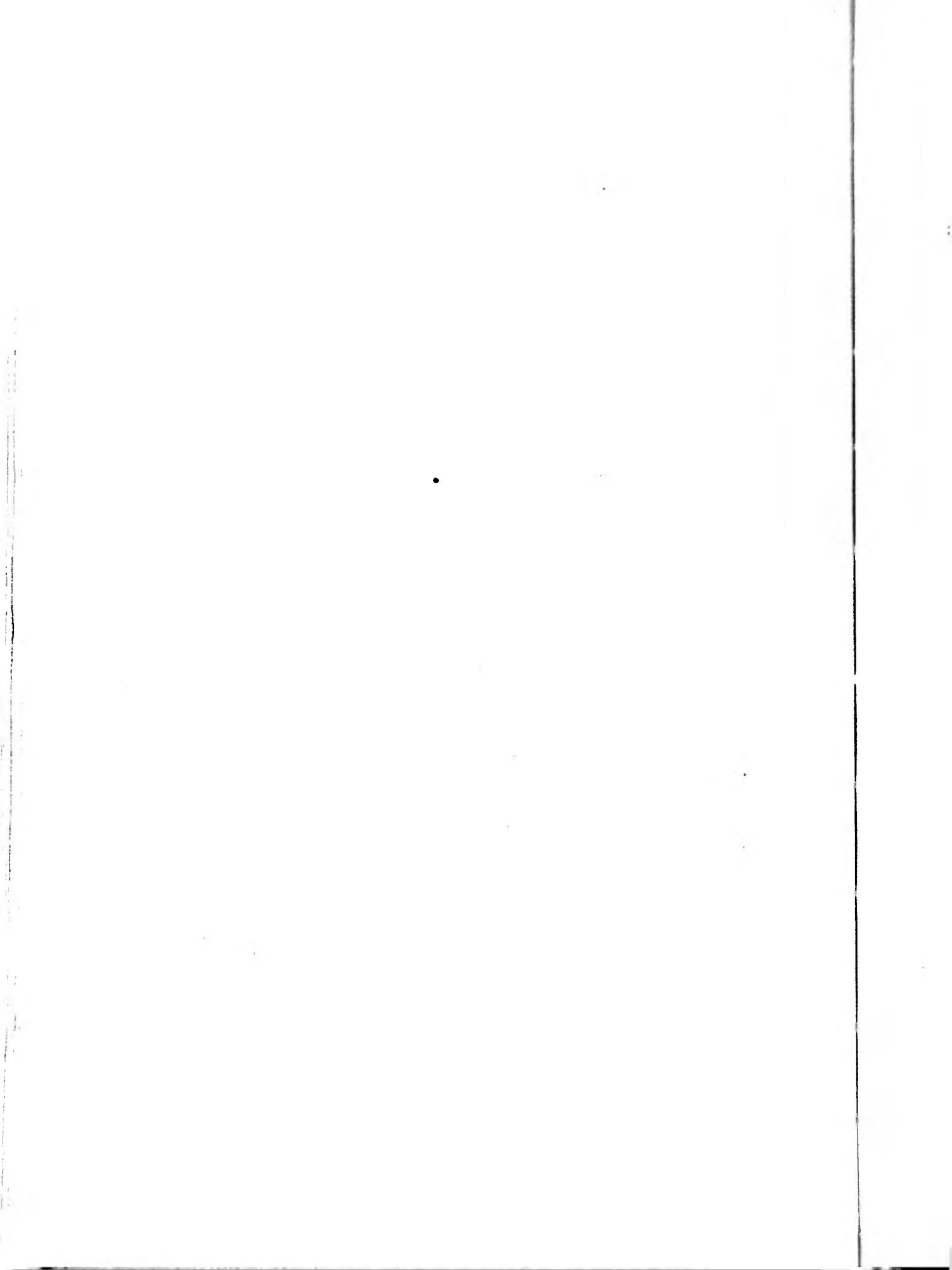
RECOMMENDED that a letter in the terms briefly mentioned by the Chairman be addressed to the Commissioners, and that the drafting of such communication be left to the Chairman of the Committee, the Chairman of the Council, the Clerk and the Chief Electrical Engineer to deal with.

568 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.



FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT

13th July, 1927.

Present : Councillor C. S. Syrett (in the Chair), Councillors England, Pocock, H. O. Syrett and Wells.

569 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

570 TREASURER AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

571 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£4,015.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £4,015 being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

Annexed

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £4,015.

(b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £318,540.

FINANCE (continued).

- (c) Advance No. 26—63, Brent Way.—The Accountant reported that the balance of the sum advanced on mortgage of the above-named premises, together with all interest charges, had been paid.
- (d) Advance No. 39—53, Brent Way.—The Clerk reported receipt of a letter from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett stating that the Second Mortgage on the above-named premises was paid off on the 29th June, 1927.
- (e) Advance No. 17.—

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to communicate with the Mortgagor informing him that in the event of his failing to pay by the 31st July, 1927, the amount of the quarter's instalment of principal and interest due on the 30th June, 1927, together with at least £10 in reduction of the arrears outstanding, the Council will proceed with the sale of the property in accordance with the provisions of the Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

- (f) Advance No. 386—No. 63, Summerlee Avenue.—Letter was submitted from the Mortgagor asking for permission to sell the above-mentioned premises and to repay the Mortgage, having regard to the circumstances mentioned in the communication;

RECOMMENDED that the desired permission be granted.

572 **AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—1925/26.**—The Committee had the Auditor's Report hereon under consideration;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that a letter containing the Council's observations on the Auditor's Report be transmitted to the Minister of Health;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to draft the communication on the lines indicated at this meeting and to submit such draft to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of this Committee for approval.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

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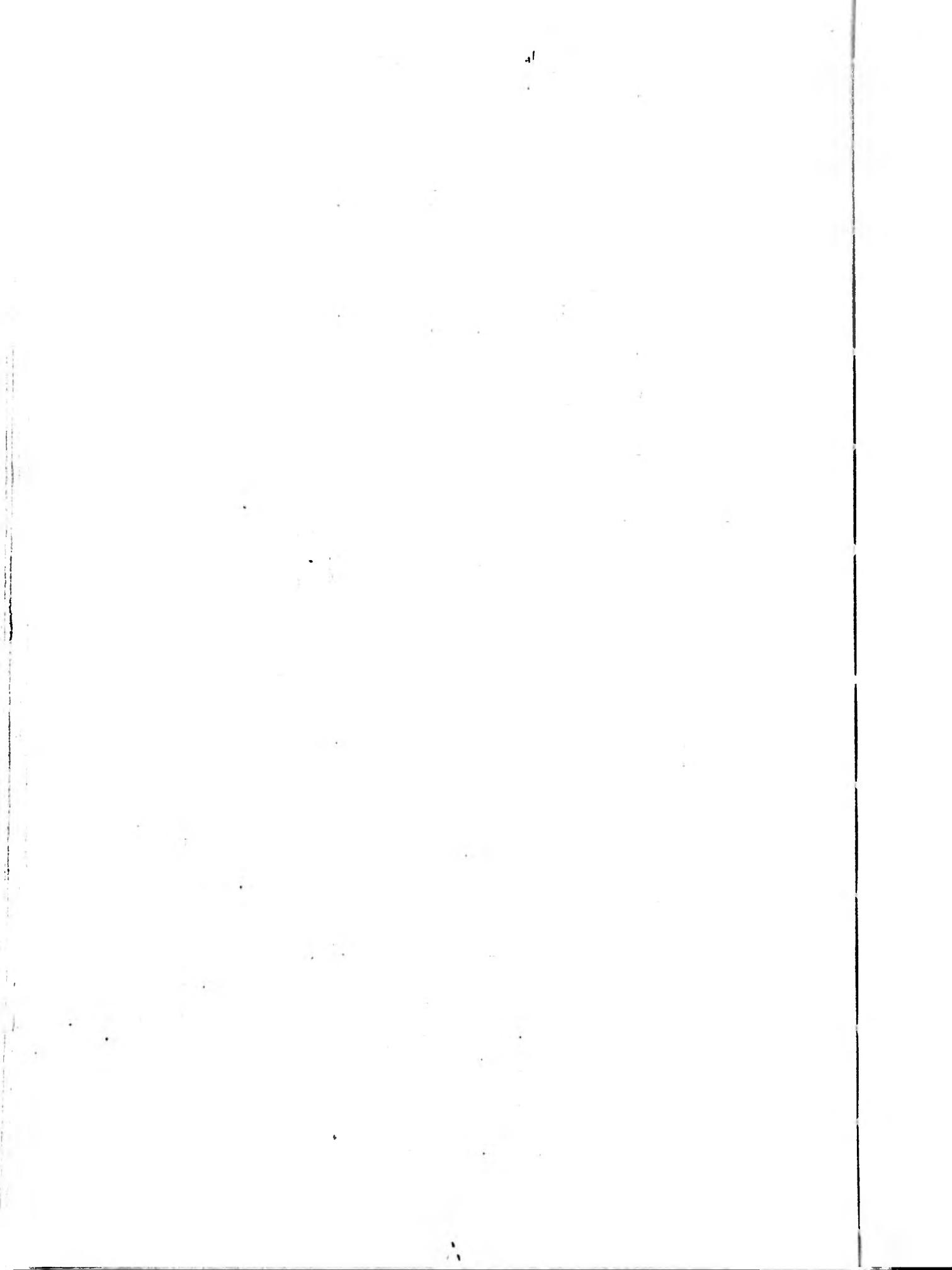
No.	Name.	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to Valuation.
				£.	years	£.	£.	
433.	Wood, G. C.	Broughton Avenue.	F	900	20	1,250	1,125	85.5 80
434.	Glass, C. W.	"Kincorth" Ridgeview Road.	F	740	15	925	940	78.7
435.	Pimpernell, E.	51, Courthouse Road.	F	800	20	1,060	1,000	80
436.	Puddefoot, E.	1, Fursby Avenue.	(L (99 years	675	20	860	840	80.4
467.	Northcote, A. S.	6, Wentworth Avenue.	F	900	20	1,150	1,125	80
				<u>£4,015</u>				

C. F. CARFENTER,
Accountant.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 571 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th July 1927.

Assistant
Chairman.

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FINANCE (*continued*).

573 STREET WIDENINGS—GREAT NORTH ROAD—JUNCTION OF CLIFFORD ROAD.—The reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds, subject to the usual contributions from the Ministry of Transport and the County Council.

574 EAST END ROAD IMPROVEMENT FROM OPPOSITE WINDERMERE AVENUE TO SQUIRES LANE.—The recommendations of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon were considered.

It was reported that in the estimates for the current financial year the sum of £710 had been included in respect of the purchase of land for this improvement, but that such figure had proved to be deficient to the extent of about £100; further, that provision had not been made for any works required to be executed on such land.

A letter was submitted from the Solicitors acting for the Aerated Bread Company, Limited, suggesting that completion should take place at about the end of July, failing which the Council should pay interest on the purchase money at the rate of 6 per cent. until completion;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase moneys for the pieces of land to be conveyed to the Council by Mr. H. C. Brown and by the Aerated Bread Company, Limited, respectively and legal and other charges in connexion therewith be paid out of rate pending submission of a comprehensive estimate on which may be based applications to the Ministry of Transport and the Middlesex County Council for contributions and to the Ministry of Health for sanction to a loan.

575 SEWERAGE—LYNDHURST GARDENS AND FROM WAVERLEY GROVE TO REGENTS PARK ROAD.—It was reported that the Ministry of Health had intimated that they would raise no objection to the unexpended balance of £3,313 arising out of a loan of £10,000 sanctioned in respect of Addison Way to Broughton Avenue Sewerage Works being applied towards the cost of the above scheme.

576 EDUCATION—INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC LIGHTING—SPECIAL SUBJECTS CENTRES—LONG LANE COUNCIL SCHOOL.—It

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was reported that the Education Committee desired to instal electric light in the handicraft and domestic subjects centres at Long Lane Council School at a cost of £77 12s. ; further, that such expenditure was not specifically included in the Education estimate for the current year, but that if same were approved the amount included in the Committee's estimate to cover repairs and renovations to be executed during the summer vacation would not be exceeded;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the proposal on financial grounds.

577 UNEMPLOYMENT GRANTS.—A circular letter was submitted from the Urban District Councils' Association stating that the Lancashire and Cheshire (Local Authorities) Unemployment Committee had drawn their attention to certain difficulties experienced by Lancashire and Cheshire Councils in connexion with unemployment works, and that the Executive Council desired to ascertain whether the experiences of those Authorities were so general throughout the country as to necessitate action being taken by the Association;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that the difficulties mentioned have not been experienced by this Council.

578 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS.—The recommendations of the Allotments Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £600 for the purpose of purchasing a portion of the above-mentioned land for allotments purposes;
- (2) that recommendation (1) of the Allotments Committee be referred back to that Committee for further consideration, from the financial standpoint.

579 ASCERTAINMENT OF RATEABLE VALUES ORDER (1927).—The above Order made by the Minister of Health was submitted, directing that the amount of percentage deduction to be allowed from net annual value for the purpose of ascertaining the rate-

FINANCE (continued).

able values of any hereditament in Finchley belonging to class (3) mentioned in Part II. of the second schedule to the Rating and Valuation Act should be 31.

580 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—The Accountant reported that the sum of £1,000 was available for investment;

RECOMMENDED that the sum of £486 be invested in Victorian Government 5 per cent. Stock 1945-1975, and that investment of the balance of £514 be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Council to arrange, subject to report.

581 TRANSFER OF £1,928 17s. 3d. 5% WAR STOCK, 1929-1947.—Referring to paragraph 200 of the Committee's report of the 11th May, 1927, the Chairman of the Council reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that the resolution passed at the meeting of the Council held on the 23rd May, 1927, as follows:—

“ that steps be taken to have such stock transferred into the joint names of Mr. C. F. Carpenter as Treasurer and the Clerk ”

be rescinded;

(2) that such stock be transferred into the Corporate name of the Council.

582 LOANS.—

(a) Refuse Destructor—£5,653.—It was reported that the Mortgage herein had been duly completed, and the sum of £5,653 advanced to the Council.

(b) Electricity—Mains and Services—£10,000.—It was reported that the Trustees of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank had agreed to advance to the Council the sum of £10,000 at £5½ per centum per annum;

RECOMMENDED that the sum of £10,000 be borrowed from the Trustees of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank of Westgate Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne at £5½ per centum per annum

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interest, and that the said sum together with interest at the rate aforesaid be repaid as to £1,196 in 24 years as to £8,804 in 25 years by equal half-yearly payments of principal and interest combined with a mutual provision for enabling the outstanding balance of the said sum of £10,000 to be repaid upon six months' notice expiring at the end of every third year from the date of the advance and with power for the said Bank to require repayment of the balance or any part of the principal for the time being owing on six months' notice, such notice not to be given unless extraordinary demand shall be made upon the said Bank;

- (2) that the Clerk be and he is hereby authorised to agree and approve all documents in connexion with the said loan;
- (3) that after the approval by the Clerk of the Mortgage for securing the said sum of £10,000 to be borrowed by the Council from the Trustees of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank as authorised by a sanction of the Electricity Commissioners dated the 10th day of March, 1927, the Seal of the Council be affixed to such Mortgage and that it be handed to the said Savings Bank on their paying the said sum of £10,000 into Barclays Bank, Ltd., at 1, The Broadway, Church End, Finchley, to the credit of the Treasurer of the Council.

583 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

584 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £10,977 17s. 6d., made up as follows :—

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£ s. d.
Balance overdrawn per last report	11518 12 1
Cr. (June 1st—30th) on account of—	

	Rates.		Summonses.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	1759	10	10			
Collector, South	1450	17	10			
Cashier	19229	3	1	2	19	3
	<u>£22439</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>3</u>
				22442	11	0
By Barclays Bank (June 29th) interest						
on current account				<u>53</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>
					22496	9 7
Leaving balance in hand					<u>£10977</u>	<u>17 6</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Bank of England (for Metropolitan Police), precept	11696	4	1
Middlesex County Council, on account of precept ...	6699	10	5
Ditto ditto	6699	10	4
Finchley Urban District Council (Education Account)			
on account of precept	3462	10	0
Ditto ditto	3462	10	0
Barnet Guardians ditto	4997	0	0
Ditto ditto	4997	0	0
General District Fund, transfer—			
Proportion salaries, etc., July			
and August	410	0	8
Invoices and Petty Cash	31	6	7
			<u>441 7 3</u>
			<u>£42455 12 1</u>

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	10977	17	6
Cheques recommended for payment ...	42455	12	1
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£31477</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>7</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

585 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £14,955 10s. 0d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report ...	6123	8	6
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions ...	94	14	2
Council's contributions ...	182	15	10
	277	10	0
Less Superannuation Payments ...	41	13	2
	235	16	10
	6359	5	4

Cr. (June 1st—30th) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	1070	6	1			
Collector, South	892	14	7			
Cashier	11597	13	3	4	19	0
	£13560	13	11	4	19	0
				13565	12	11

By Cashier (June 2nd—30th), general receipts ...	6236	19	11
„ Farm Clerk (June 2nd—23rd) ...	5	5	6
„ Bath Supt. (June 8th—28th) ...	86	15	4
„ Treasurer, interest on 5 per cent. War Stock ...	73	4	5
Ditto, from Ministry of Transport—			
Grant <i>re</i> Unemployment Loan Scheme ...	32	11	0
Balance <i>re</i> District Rds., 1926/7—			
Class I. ...	120	0	0
Class II. ...	10	0	0
	130	0	0
Transfer from Education Account, proportion Burchier House, etc., expenditure 1926/7 ...	267	13	4
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, proportion salaries and office expenses, 2 months ...	410	0	8

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages and petty cash from—			
Poor Rate Account	31	6	7
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	67	4	11
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	86	12	10
Genl. Loan Accounts	321	7	11
	<u>506</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>3</u>
		21314	15 4
Leaving balance in hand		<u>£14955</u>	<u>10 0</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Acme Flooring & Paving Co., Ltd., creosote	...	5	5	0
Adcocks, Ltd., powder, etc.	... ..	8	15	0
Amory, G. F., stationery	... ..	6	9	0
Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., oil	... ..	9	10	0
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement	... ..	111	15	9
Barclays Bank, Ltd., loan charges	... ..	201	5	10
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., fire hydrant	... ..	2	19	11
Blundell, Spence & Co., Ltd., distemper, etc.	... ..	25	14	3
Boden, Dr. J. S., fees	... ..	25	4	0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., water tubes, etc.	... ..	32	7	10
Bradshaw & Sons, bathing slips, etc.	... ..	7	19	0
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., oil	... ..	4	17	6
Bryson, J. G., cards, etc.	... ..	5	2	0
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	... ..	52	1	6
Callow, W. H. & Co., Ltd., wheels, etc.	... ..	27	5	9
Carter, J. H., bentwood chairs	... ..	2	5	0
Clark, Hoy & Co., clogs	... ..	4	8	6
Compton Bros., vent standards	... ..	48	12	0
Cunnington, Dr. P., fees	... ..	14	3	6
Deards, R., removal of refuse	... ..	483	16	8
Ditto ditto	... ..	483	16	8
Dodd, J., fish	... ..	1	14	11
Endersby, W. A., timber	... ..	18	6	2
Finchley Urban District Council, public lighting, etc.	... ..	527	12	1
Friend, A., fruit and vegetables	... ..	4	17	5
Gas Light and Coke Co., tar, etc.	... ..	49	12	7
Gibb, J. & Co., Ltd., shovels, etc.	... ..	17	6	10
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., spirit, etc.	... ..	3	5	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Gray Bros., coke	33	15	0
Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., granite chips	560	9	11
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., drawing materials, etc.	12	4	3
Hall Bros., repairs, etc.	20	8	4
Halls, C. & Sons, certificate	130	10	3
Herts Gravel & Brick Works, Ltd., paving, etc.	48	3	0
Hill-Jones, T., Ltd., flux	174	18	7
Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., paving	62	6	9
Joyce & Co., timber	2	5	1
Judd, W., Ltd., advertising	10	4	5
Kalamazoo (Sales), Ltd., binder	1	18	6
Keenes Stores, cleaning materials	3	5	5
Kerr, J. & Co., fire extinguisher	2	15	4
King, C. A., medical fees	27	6	0
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., envelopes	6	2	1
Knowles, J. & Co., pipes, etc.	107	16	11
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	17	6	3
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., carriage	1	15	4
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., reports, etc.	66	8	6
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk	5	5	4
Maxfield & Sons, Ltd., envelopes	9	18	9
Meggesson & Co., Ltd., disinfectant	1	6	6
Morgan-Webb, C. C., notices, etc.	19	11	0
Mosses, G. C., building wall	18	0	0
Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	5	0	1
Municipal Mutual Insurance, Ltd., premiums	70	6	0
New Alldays & Onions, Ltd., forge, etc.	62	0	8
North Finchley Motors & Metals, Ltd., repairs	1	1	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	32	19	3
North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee, grant	36	4	0
Orchard, C. & Co., stationery	46	16	0
Parkes, A. & F. & Co., Ltd., forks	1	6	9
Pilchers, Ltd., paint	2	5	0
Plowman, C., timber	1	0	11
Pooley, H. & Son, Ltd., repairs to weighbridge	20	17	6
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., petrol, etc.	6	13	9
Postmaster-General, rentals	30	14	0
Rego Clothiers, Ltd., breeches	1	10	0
Rodick, E. E., repairs, etc.	1	3	11
Salmon, J. & Sons, Ltd., paraffin	4	8	4
Sampson, T., tools, etc.	55	2	1

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	40	10	3
Shell Mex, Ltd., oil	9	0	4
Silvertown Tarmacadam Co., Ltd., tarmac	191	5	8
Smart's Tar Distillery, Ltd., coal tar pitch	15	15	0
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	24	16	11
Stevens & Sons, certificate	147	2	6
Tangyes, Ltd., repairs	1	19	6
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	74	16	8
Tottenham District Light Heat & Power Co., coke	4	17	6
United Alkali Co., Ltd., chloride of lime	2	9	5
Voluntary Welfare Association, grant	10	0	0
Walker, J., team labour, etc.	876	10	11
Wicksteed, C. & Co., Ltd., seats	36	0	0
Williams Bros., stores	9	16	8
Yorkshire Insurance Co., premiums	14	0	5
Total Invoices	£5369	2	2
Refunds of deposits <i>re</i> pavilion—Cherry Tree Wood.—			
Harbrow & Sons	2	0	0
Harrison, J. & Co.	2	0	0
Boulton & Paul, Ltd.	2	0	0
		6	0
<i>Re</i> Annual Repairs—Schools.—			
Stevens & Sons	1	1	0
Hall Bros.	1	1	0
Halls, C. & Sons	1	1	0
Compton Bros.	1	1	0
Turner & Payne	1	1	0
		5	5
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, wages	36	17	3
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans	863	19	6
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., repayment of loan No. 12	43	15	7
Ditto ditto	46	5	2
Ditto ditto	43/4/7	88	11
Salaries—July.—		107	10
Clerk		89	11
Surveyor		41	11
Medical Officer		23	15
Farm Manager		11	11
Farm Clerk		3	12
Dentist		0	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Salaries—August.—			
Clerk	102	5	1
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	41	11	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	11	11	2
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay staff salaries—July	1103	5	3
Ditto August	1104	17	11
Accountant to pay Firemen's wages	278	9	0
Accountant's Wages Account	1500	0	0
Ditto	1100	0	0
Ditto	1000	0	0
Ditto	1100	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	921	12	0
	<u>£15655</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>4</u>

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	14955	10	0
Cheques recommended for payment	15655	18	4
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£700</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>

586 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £23651 19 5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

E.L. Revenue Account, invoices and wages	885	2	0
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£24537</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>

587 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £566 17 0

Cr. by Cashier (June 3rd—28th) amount received from Consumers' Services	153	17	2
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£720</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>

FINANCE (continued).

588 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £2158 0 4

Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund.—

Employees' contributions	...	47	16	2	
Council's contributions	...	70	9	6	
					<u>118 5 8</u>

2039 14 8

Cr. (June 2nd—July 1st) by—

Cashier	...	4934	1	10	
Collector	...	508	0	11	

5442 2 9

Transfers for invoices, wages, etc., from—

General District Fund (gas lamps)	...	36	17	3	
E.L. Loans Account	...	885	2	0	

921 19 3

6364 2 0

Leaving in hand 8403 16 8

Deduct cheques drawn July 13th, to—

Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	460	16	1	
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	112	14	11	
Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal	14	18	3	

588 9 3

Leaving in hand 7815 7 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Albion Clay Co., Ltd., conduits	...	21	4	9
Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., oil	...	6	10	0
Babcock & Wilcox, Ltd., tools	...	5	5	0
Belliss & Morcom, Ltd., oil	...	6	0	7
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., acid	...	21	0	0
British Electric Development Association, subscription	...	19	16	0
Callenders' Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	...	637	12	7
Calvert, E., expenses	...	14	14	4

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Conference of Local Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings, subscrip- tion	10	10	0
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	2	8	3
Evershed & Vignoles, Ltd., tester	14	9	0
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	34	4	0
Finchley Urban District Council, rein- statement	118	3	9
Gray Bros., coke	3	6	0
Griffiths Bros. & Co. (London), Ltd., paint	11	15	11
Haynes, G., cartage	91	16	10
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters	162	0	0
Indestructable Paint and Standard Var- nish, Ltd., paint	10	19	5
James, Keith & Blackman Co., Ltd., fan	12	0	0
Kelvin, Bottomley & Baird, Ltd., volt- meter	3	5	0
Kilner, A. G., repairs	1	13	0
King, J. C., cabinet	1	15	0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast, etc.	6	10	11
London & Home Counties Joint Elec- tricity Authority, subscription	68	15	7
Measures Bros. (1911), Ltd., channels	3	5	5
Nalder Bros. & Thompson, Ltd., volt- meter	7	10	2
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd., alterations switchgear	45	17	9
Rowell, D. & Co., Ltd., channels	2	18	6
Tapp & Toothill, Ltd., meter cards	5	8	0
Tudor Accumulator Co., Ltd., positive plates	79	16	11
Underfeed Stoker Co., Ltd., stoker parts	50	16	7
Warren, F. & Co., coal	38	0	0
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	2	0	0
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	9	3	7
Total Invoices ...	£1530	12	10
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance ... (July)	115	11	2
Ditto ... (August)	115	11	2

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Electrical Engineer's Wages Account	950	0	0
Ditto ditto	950	0	0
Ditto ditto	750	0	0
Ditto ditto	750	0	0
Ditto Petty Cash ...	60	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	50	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	5	2	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., instal- ments of loans 71 and 72 ...	841	1	10
Ditto ditto loan 78 ...	301	15	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans 195, 196 and 199 ...	53	11	11
	<hr/>	6473	5 11
Leaving balance in hand ...	<hr/>	£1342	1 6
589 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £8944 18 2			
Cr. by Cashier (June 7th—30th) amount received from frontagers ...	161	5	5
	<hr/>	£9106	3 7
Leaving balance in hand ...	<hr/>	£9106	3 7
590 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.— The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £675 9 11			
Cr. by Collector (June 9th—29th)—			
Rents ...	140	17	6
Allotments ...	<hr/>	3	9
	<hr/>	141	1 3
	<hr/>	816	11 2
RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—			
General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	33	4	4
	<hr/>	£783	6 10
Leaving balance in hand ...	<hr/>	£783	6 10

FINANCE (continued).

591 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2269 19 11

Cr. by Collector (June 9th—29th)—

Rents	...	...	...	...	274 19 9	
Rent of land	...	...	...	...	15 0	
						<u>275 14 9</u>
						2545 14 8

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, stores, etc.	...	...	...	...	34 0 7	
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loan 202—1 quarter	...	...	...	...	1 6 5	
						<u>35 7 0</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...	...		<u>£2510 7 8</u>

592 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £8942 5 1

Add amount debited by Barclays Bank, interest on
current account

	...	...	...	...	...	89 19 3
						<u>9032 4 4</u>
Cr. by Collector (June 9th—29th) rents	...	...	...	...	...	728 0 10
						<u>8304 3 6</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Whiting, F. G., redemption of Bond and interest	...	...	...	...	25 10 0	
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loan 233, one quarter	...	...	...	...	177 12 9	
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, stores, etc.	...	...	...	...	86 12 10	
						<u>289 15 7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	...	...	...		<u>£8593 19 1</u>

FINANCE (continued).

593 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £6954 12 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoice	...	...	...	2	0	0
				<hr/>		
Leaving balance overdrawn	...			£6956	12	3
				<hr/>		

594 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £35526 6 3

Cr. amount received (June 3rd) from Ministry of Transport, balance of grants 1926/7—

East End Road Improvements	624	0	0			
East End Road—S.W. sewer	...	23	0	0		
Hampstead Lane Improvement	...	31	0	0		
				<hr/>		
				678	0	0

34848 6 3

Add cheque drawn July 13th to—

Brown, H. C., purchase money, land, Squires Lane 400 0 0

35248 6 3

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Manders, W. & Co., certificates	...	4455	7	7		
Rainbow, T. A., certificates	...	158	17	7		
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	...	151	18	7		
				<hr/>		
				4766	3	9

Leaving balance overdrawn ... £40014 10 0

595 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £8655 15 9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Carter, C., certificates	282	4	2
Tarslag (1923), Ltd., certificates	926	15	0
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	48	0	0
	<hr/>		
	1256	19	2
Leaving balance overdrawn	<hr/>		
	£9912	14	11

596 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was £14525 0 0

Cr. amount received (July 1st) from Public Works Loan Board on mortgage 12820 0 0

1705 0 0

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under:—

Chambers & Garnett—

	<i>re</i> Wood, G. C.	900	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Glass, C. W.	740	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Pimpernell, E.	800	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Puddefoot, E.	675	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Northcote, A. S.	900	0	0
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		4015	0	0
Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board		£5720	0	0

597 RECREATION GROUNDS & OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The balance in hand upon this account per report of May 23rd was £800 6 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	40	14	4
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Leaving balance in hand	£759	12	5

FINANCE (continued).

598 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £5618 16 5

Cr. amount received (June 28th) from London Savings Bank on mortgage	5653 0 0	
Leaving in hand	34 3 7	

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Heenan & Froude, certificate	855 8 8	
General District Fund, transfer, invoices and petty cash	66 15 0	
		922 3 8
Leaving balance overdrawn	£888 0 1	

599 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £766 4 6

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Compton Bros., certificate	217 8 3	
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	12 0 0	
		229 8 3
Leaving balance overdrawn	£995 12 9	

600 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £722 2 11

Cr. by Treasurer—

From Fife Education Committee, transfer value, R. S. Matthew	75 4 10	
From Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on current account	19 12 5	
Interest on Australia 5 per cent. stock, less tax	100 0 0	
Ditto on Victoria Government 5 per cent. stock, less tax	90 6 4	
		285 3 7

FINANCE (continued).

Transfers received (July 1st) from—

General District Fund	235	16	10
Electric Lighting Revenue A/c	118	5	8
Education Account	37	9	10
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			391	12	4
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			£1398	18	10

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Accountant, for investment	1000	0	0
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Leaving balance in hand	£398	18	10		
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	Present Actual Balance 30th June, 1927		Recommended per Report, 11th July, 1927.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
			Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques.		
	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.
Poor Rate	£ 10978	£ ...	£ ...	£ 442	£ 43014	£ ...	£ 31478
General District Fund	13771	...	1185	37	15619	...	700
Private Street Works Fund	9106	...	...	...	...	9106	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	816	...	...	33	...	...	783
" " " " No. 2	2545	...	...	34	1	2510	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	8304	...	87	203	...	8594
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans ... ..	...	6955	...	2	...	...	6957
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	34848	...	152	5014	...	40014
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	8656	...	48	1209	...	9913
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	800	...	...	40	...	760	...
Hospitals Loans	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Refuse Destructor Loan	34	...	...	67	855	...	888
Public Conveniences Loans	68	...	...	...	...	68	...
Allotments Loans	21	...	...	...	...	21	...
Public Offices Loans	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Storeyards Loans ... ..	...	766	...	12	218	...	996
Electric Lighting Revenue	7482	...	922	...	7062	1342	...
" " Capital Suspense	721	...	...	...	...	721	...
" " Loans ... ..	...	23652	...	885	...	...	24537
Education	3336	...	...	724	8467	...	5855
" " Loans ... ..	...	6015	456	...	...	...	5559
	£ 49681	£ 89196	2563	2563	80662	15314	135491

Net Debit ... £120,177

FINANCE (continued).

602 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement :—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	11044	15	10
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	44100	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	13560	13	11
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	19814	10	3
	<u>£44420</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£44420</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	18113	16	8
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	72907	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ..	22439	11	9
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	32703	11	7
	<u>£73257</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£73257</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

603 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £3,336 2s. 7d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report	5682	19	9
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	13	17	5
Council's contributions	23	12	5
	<u>37</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>
	5720	9	7
Cr. by Cashier (June 2nd—30th)—			
Contributions to Special			
School fees	20	17	4
Medical Treatment	18	7	0
Cookery Sales	7	1	1
Needlework Sales	1	1	2
Use of Rooms	1	14	6
Managers' proportion cost of fuel, light, etc.	3	0	0
Other Authorities for Institutional Children	9	15	6
Hendon Education Committee, contribution <i>re</i> border children	67	2	0
Middlesex County Council, refund of expenditure <i>re</i> special subjects, Woodhouse	86	14	4
Unemployment Claims—			
Juvenile Employment Bureau	19	3	
	<u>216</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>
By Poor Rate Account.—			
1st instalment of precept	3462	10	0
2nd ditto	3462	10	0
By Board of Education—			
Instalment of substantive grant	1525	0	0
Balance of substantive grant, 1925/6	390	0	0
	<u>9056</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>2</u>
Leaving balance in hand	£3336	2	7

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books and stationery, etc.	10	0	5
Bennet Furnishing Co., Ltd., cupboard	7	5	0
Besford Court Catholic Mental Welfare Hospital for Children, maintenance	22	10	0
British & Foreign Bible Society, bibles	1	7	0
Cansick, W. H., refund of weekly contributions	16	5	
Cogdale, J., apparatus, etc.	22	0	10
Coventry Mill Supplies Co., Ltd., dusters	1	14	6
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., dental supplies	4	14	5
East London Home and School for Blind Children, maintenance fees	31	5	0
Finchley, Hornsey & Wood Green Joint Special School, balance due	17	4	5
Finchley Schools Athletic Association, grant	20	0	0
Finchley Schools Swimming Association, grant	10	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council, repairs	15	2	0
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., terminals		3	0
Griffith, D. R., piano tuning and repairs	2	15	6
Hockey, L. G., fuel, light and cleaning	11	1	6
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., supplies	13	10	
Institutional Children, fees <i>re</i> —			
Brentford & Chiswick Urban District Council	20	4	11
Enfield Education Committee		3	9
Glamorgan County Council	3	13	0
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., apparatus, etc.	9	10	5
London County Council, education of deaf child	27	9	3
Managers, Holy Trinity Schools, wear and tear repairs	4	9	3
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisements	1	16	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	14	3	9
Prior, Dr. J. R., attendances at Clinic	25	4	0
Roneo, Ltd., stencils	3	10	0
Rooke, Dr. W. S., attendances at Clinic	8	8	0
Royal National Orthopædic Hospital, maintenance	8	5	8
St. Andrew's Home, maintenance	18	10	0
St. Elizabeth's School for Epileptic Children, main- tenance	16	17	6
St. Vincent's Orthopædic Hospital, maintenance	13	16	2
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., cleaning materials, etc.	20	1	2
Scarborough, Mitchell & Co., works and repairs	9	5	0
Shaftesbury Society and R.S.U., maintenance	23	0	0
Smith, W. H. & Son, books, etc.	16	1	
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	3	13	4
Warren, S. D. & Co., cleaning materials	4	12	0
Watson, R., lino	5	10	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

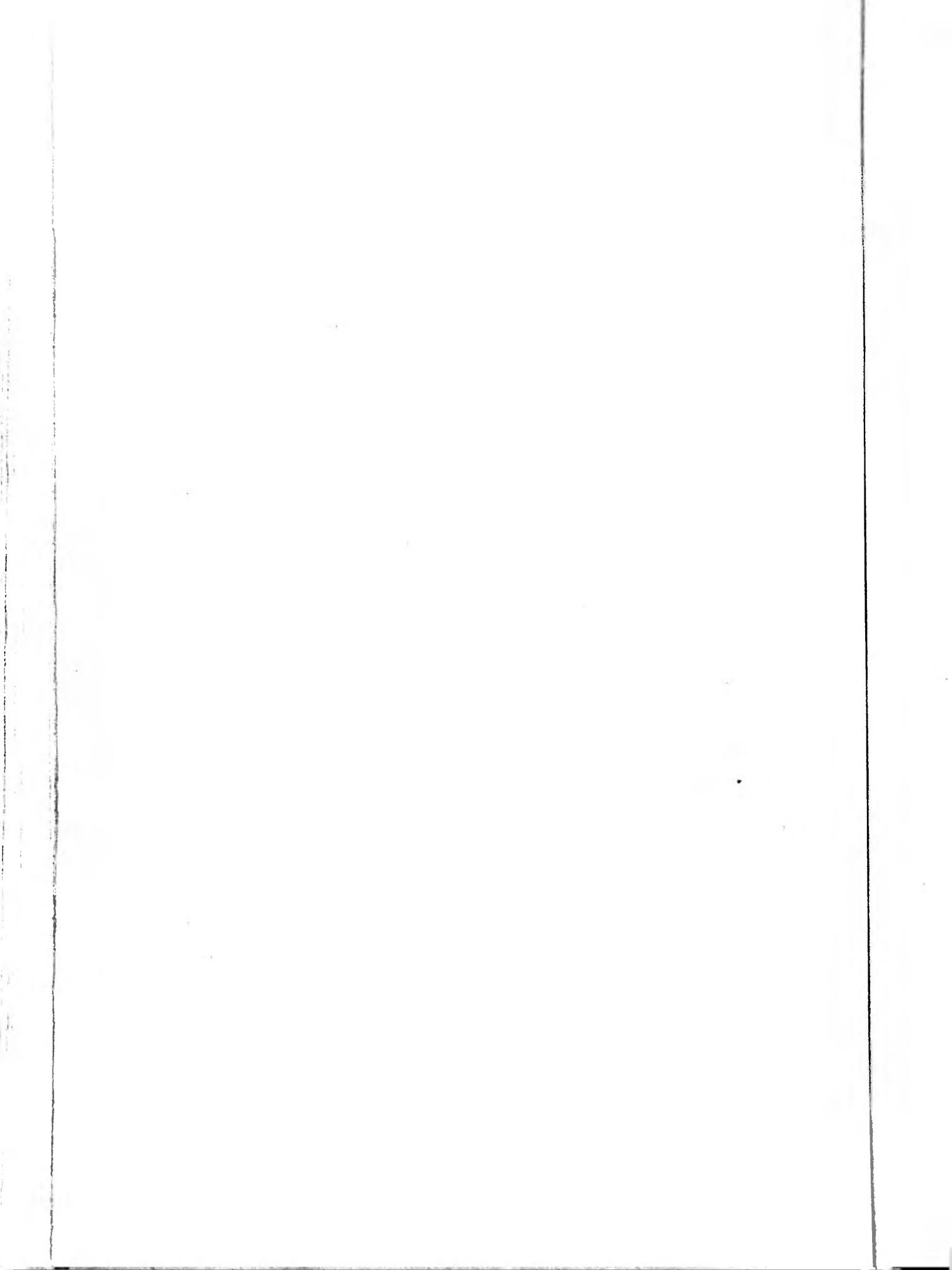
	£	s.	d.
Western Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., medical supplies		12	6
Wight, E. & Co., electrical repairs		8	6
Total Invoices	£422	14	1
Earclys Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans	548	8	10
Clerical, Medical and General Life Assurance Society, repayment of loans	177	9	7
London Savings Bank, repayment of loan	124	12	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., repayment of loan	246	17	7
Bank of England, repayment of loan	500	11	10
General District Fund, transfer, Bourchier House, etc., 1926/7	267	13	4
Education Loans Account, transfer, retention on contracts	456	3	11
Education Salaries Account (July and August)	6166	0	11
Salaries—July.—			
Turner, A. A.		37	12 1
Cogdale, J.		54	1 1
Matthew, R. S.		35	19 9
Salaries—August.—			
Turner, A. A.		37	12 1
Cogdale, J.		54	1 1
Matthew, R. S.		35	19 9
Accountant to pay petty cash		25	0 0
	£9190	17	11

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	3336	2	7
Cheques recommended for payment	9190	17	11
Leaving balance overdrawn	£5854	15	4

604 EDUCATION LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was	£6014	17	2
Deduct transfer from Education Account		456	3 11
Leaving balance overdrawn	£5558	13	3

C. S. SYRETT,
Chairman (*pro tem*)



Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3-
21st Sept., 1927.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 26th day of September, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of Ordinary and of Extraordinary Meetings held on the 25th July, 1927.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 5th September, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 6th September, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th September, 1927,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 8th September, 1927,
 - (e) **Education** of the 12th September, 1927,

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 13th September, 1927,
 - (g) **Electricity** of the 14th September, 1927,
 - (h) **Finance** of the 14th September, 1927,
 - (i) **Special Meeting re Clebe Land** of the 18th March, 1927. (Referred from Meetings of the Council held on 28th March and 27th June, 1927).
3. Correspondence.
 4. Reports of Officers.
 5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.
 6. Notice of Motion by Councillor J. Broadbent :—

“ That sections 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 contained in Part II. (Streets and Buildings); and sections 37, 38 and 42 contained in Part III. (Sanitary Provisions) of the Public Health Act, 1925, be adopted by this Council and that this resolution come into operation on the 15th day of November, 1927.”
 7. Payment of Accounts—Motion.—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's Report of the 14th September, 1927.”
 8. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.
 9. Tenders.—
 - (a) External Painting—160 Workmen's Dwellings;
 - (b) Low Level Sewer Works—Cyprus Gardens;
 - (c) Erection of 50 additional Workmen's Dwellings.

10. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

11. Reports of Committees :—

- (a) **Public Health** of the 6th September, 1927;
- (b) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th September, 1927;
- (c) **General Purposes** of the 13th September, 1927;
- (d) **Finance** of the 14th September, 1927.

12. Reports of Officers.

13. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
25th July, 1927.

At an EXTRAORDINARY MEET-
ING of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the 25th
day of July, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

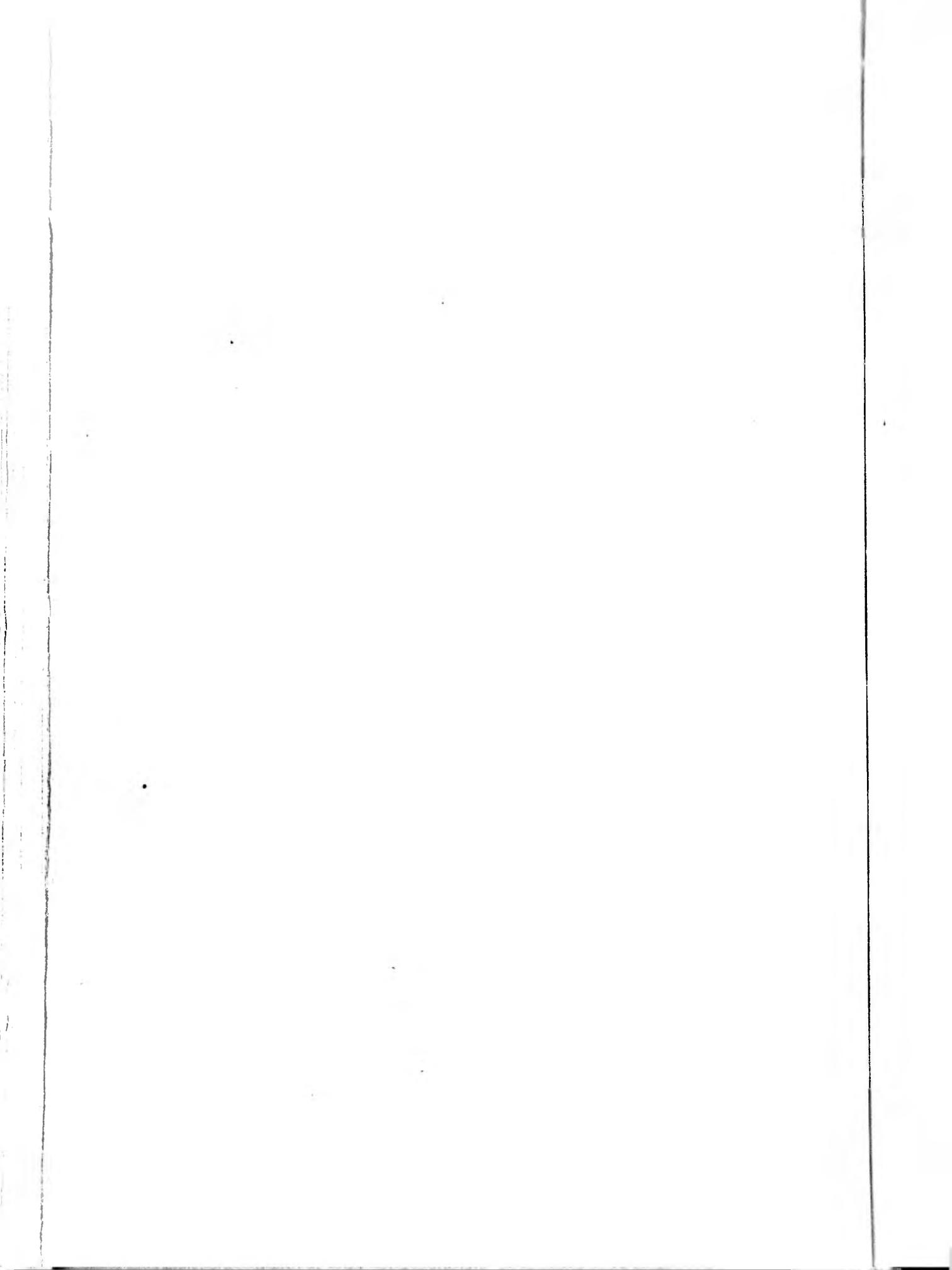
Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
Briant, A. J.	Ryan, C. G.
Broadbent, J.	Sommerfeld, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

605 GAME LICENCES.—

RESOLVED that licences to deal in game expiring on the 30th June, 1928, be granted to the several persons mentioned in paragraph 476 (b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July, 1927.

H. O. Syrett
Chairman.

26th September 1927.



Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
25th July, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
25th day of July, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
Briant, A. J.	Ryan, C. G.
Broadbent, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

606 MINUTES.—The Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 27th June, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed, subject to the word "Councillor" in the second line of the resolution contained in paragraph 463 being deleted and the words "Councillors C. S. Syrett and" being substituted therefor.

607 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted:—

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 4th July, 1927.
Arising out of paragraph 467 it was

RESOLVED that the Report therein mentioned be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

At this stage of the proceedings it was

RESOLVED, arising out of reports by the Chairman of the Committee :—

- (1) that the Chairman of the Council be invited to attend at the Victoria Recreation Ground on Saturday, the 30th July, 1927, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of formally unlocking the door of the pavilion by the new bowling green and opening the new putting green by playing the first stroke;
- (2) that the Finchley Victoria Bowling Club be granted the use of the whole of the lockers in the pavilion for the remainder of the Season at a charge of three guineas.

(b) **Public Health** of the 5th July, 1927.

At this stage of the proceedings a statement was made by the Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee arising out of the Council's application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loan and for the appropriation of a small part of the Windsor Open Space in connexion with the erection thereon of additional pumping installation: he intimated that the Ministry were anxious to know whether the proposals of the Council had been made public and, if so, whether any objection had been received thereto. After giving further particulars, he asked that the Members of the Press present at the Meeting would be good enough to see that publicity was given to the matter through the medium of their respective journals.

(c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 6th July, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 516 (Proposed Railway Siding—East Finchley—for Manor Farm Dairy) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 519 (Road Foreman) a discussion ensued, after which the paragraph was put to the vote and was declared to be carried, nine voting in favour and four against.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (d) **Allotments** of the 7th July, 1927.
- (e) **Education** of the 11th July, 1927, with the exception of
- (1) paragraph 529 (School Accommodation) which be referred to the Committee for further consideration; and
 - (2) paragraph 535 (Central Classes—North Road School) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (f) **General Purposes** of the 12th July, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 553 (Insurance of Workmen—Accident—Messetter) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration. Arising out of such paragraph it was

RESOLVED that the word "light" in the third line thereof be deleted.

Arising out of paragraph 539 (Frederick's Place and Hamilton Road Depôts—Disposal of—) reference was made by Councillor Wade to the question of the possible use of the Woodhouse Road Depôt as an open space;

RESOLVED that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration and report.

Arising out of paragraph 548 (Avenue House Sub-Committee) it was

RESOLVED—

- (1) that the report of the Sub-Committee contained therein be adopted;
- (2) that the Avenue House Sub-Committee be authorised, subject to report, to appoint a qualified gardener to assist in the clearing and re-conditioning of the grounds of Avenue House;
- (3) that Councillor Wells be added as a Member of the Sub-Committee;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(4) that, in framing the draft regulations as to the care and upkeep of the grounds, the Clerk consider the question of making provision in such regulations that part of the grounds be reserved for children.

(g) **Electricity** of the 13th July, 1927.

(h) **Finance** of the 13th July, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 571 (e) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Advance No. 17) and 572 (Audit of Accounts 1925/26) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

608 TENDERS—SURFACE WATER SEWER WORKS—GREAT NORTH ROAD—SOUTH OF CHRIST CHURCH.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened by the Vice-Chairman of the Council, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

609 ELECTRICITY SUB-STATION—PERCY ROAD SITE.—The Clerk reported that the purchase of this site was completed on the 13th July, 1927.

610 GLEBE LAND.—

RESOLVED that authority be given to the Clerk to make application to the Ministry of Health and to the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries for consent to the appropriation of—

(a) 11.75 acres of site " G " (existing Allotment land) for Playing Fields, and

(b) a similar area comprising sites " D " and " E " (Playing Fields) for Allotment Gardens.

611 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—The Clerk reported that, arising out of the resolutions passed by the Council at last meeting, he had received acknowledgment letters from the Secretary to the Prime Minister, the Secretary to the President of the Board of Education, and Major, the Honourable Edward Cadogan, C.B., M.P., and that the latter had stated that he would endeavour to have a talk with the President of the Board of Education on the matter;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that a communication be addressed to Major Cadogan enquiring whether he has now had an opportunity of discussing the matter as indicated.

612 TRAFFIC ON HIGHWAYS.—Letter, dated 15th July, 1927, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer of the Federation of Ratepayers and Kindred Associations of Middlesex forwarding copy of the following resolution :—

“ That this Federation calls the attention of the Minister of Transport, the Middlesex County Council, the Hendon U.D.C., the Finchley U.D.C. and the District Coroner to the danger to traffic from the condition in which the incompleted widening of the Finchley Road has been left at the junction of the Hendon and Finchley boundaries.”

Arising thereout, the Surveyor made a statement on the matter and it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be directed to forward a suitable reply.

613 MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS' JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BOARD.—Letter of the 14th July, 1927, was submitted from the Clerk to the above Board forwarding copies of the Annual Report of the Board for the year ended 31st March last, together with statement of accounts and balance sheet.

Annexed

614 HOARDINGS—CHURCH END RAILWAY BRIDGE.—Letter, dated 20th July, 1927, signed by the Rev. S. F. L. Bernays and the Rev. G. T. Dickin respectively was submitted drawing attention to the advertisement hoardings placed upon the top of the western parapet of the above bridge and asking that some action might be taken in the matter;

RESOLVED that the subject be referred to the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and that, in the meantime, a copy of the letter in question be forwarded to the London and North-Eastern Railway Company with an intimation that the Council desire to associate themselves with the expression of opinion contained therein.

615 ABSENCE FROM MEETING.—A letter was submitted from Councillor England regretting his inability to be present at the meeting due to the fact that he would be out of Town.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

616 EXCISE LICENCES—1, MANOR COTTAGES, LONG LANE.—Notice of application for transfer of licence in connexion with the above-mentioned premises was submitted.

617 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE.—Letter, dated 22nd July, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the North Finchley Allotments League stating that the League would meet the Council's representatives on site on the 28th July, 1927, at 6.30 p.m.; further, that particulars of the number of aged members would be forwarded as soon as possible.

618 VACATION.—

RESOLVED—

- (a) that the Council do go into vacation for the month of August, 1927;
- (b) that an emergency meeting of the Council to deal with any matter of pressing importance be summoned on the instructions of the Chairman of the Council if three clear days' previous notice be given;
- (c) that the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council be empowered to deal, subject to report, with any matter of urgency during the vacation which may not be of sufficient importance to justify the calling of an emergency meeting of the Council;
- (d) that any plans which may be deposited for the Council's approval prior to the ordinary meeting of the Council in September next be referred to the Plans Sub-Committee with power to act, subject to report to the Council.

619 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS—MOTION.—

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the sum of £87,562 2s. 4d. made up as follows:—

- (a) the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 13th July, 1927, amounting to £87,251 12s. 4d.
- (b) the several sums hereunder specified amounting to £310 10s. 0d. :—

MIDDLESEX

DISTRICTS JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BOARD.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1926-27.

The following is a list of Members of the Board on the 31st March, 1927, with their addresses :—

- TOTTENHAM—Mr. Thomas Inglis (*Chairman*), 24 Lordship Lane, Tottenham, N.17.
HAMPTON WICK—Mr. William Comley Lamb (*Vice-Chairman*), Cedar House, 2 Sandy Lane, Hampton Wick.
ACTON—Mrs. Gertrude Barnes, J.P., 40 Esmond Gardens, Bedford Park, W.4.
ACTON—Mr. John James Wade, 77 Grafton Road, Acton, W.3.
BRENTFORD—Mr. William James Bolton, 191 High Street, Brentford.
CHISWICK—Mr. Sidney Powell, Oak Dene, Woodstock Road, Bedford Park, W.4.
EDMONTON—Mr. Henry Barrass, 173 Church Street, Edmonton, N.9.
EDMONTON—Mrs. Mary Maud Coe, 7 Stanley Road, Edmonton, N.9.
ENFIELD—Mr. Vincent William John Burgess, 15 Chase Side, Enfield, N.
ENFIELD—Mr. Frederick James Spackman, Haulbowline, Derby Road, Ponders End, Enfield.
FELTHAM—Mr. Thomas Tinnelly, "Killarney," 39 Queen's Road, Feltham.
FINCHLEY—Mr. John Broadbent, 56 Holdenhurst Avenue, North Finchley, N.12.
FRIERN BARNET—Mr. Frederick Walter King, "Danecourt," Chandos Avenue, N.20.
HAMPTON—Mr. Edwin James Healey, Oldfield Road, Hampton, Middlesex.
HARROW-ON-THE-HILL—Dr. John Douglas Campbell White, J.P., "Beech Bank," Mount Park, Harrow.
HENDON (Urban)—Mr. Brook Flowers, 18 Leaside Crescent, Golders Green, N.W.11.
HENDON (Urban)—Mr. Reginald Marler Weeks, 25 Egerton Gardens, Hendon, N.W.4.
HENDON (Rural)—Mr. Owen Russell Serjeant, J.P., "The Glen," Stanmore, Middlesex.
KINGSBURY—Mr. John William Reeves, J.P., "Fden Lodge," Kingsbury, N.W.9.
SOUTHGATE—Dr. Arthur George Wells, J.P., "Orleans Lodge," 1 Compton Road, Winchmore Hill, N.
SOUTH MIMMS (Rural)—Mr. John Gerken, J.P., "The Cottage," South Mimms.
STAINES (Urban)—Mr. George Knight, 45 Gresham Road, Staines.
STAINES (Rural)—Mr. Leonard Montague Graves, "Harlington Lodge," Harlington, Hounslow.
SUNBURY-ON-THAMES—Mr. Frederick John Wright, 63 Thames Street, Sunbury-on-Thames.
TEDDINGTON—Mr. Harry Mayo Dale, 16-18 The Causeway, Teddington.
TOTTENHAM—Mr. Thomas Elderfield, 264 Philip Lane, Tottenham, N.15.
TOTTENHAM—Major Patrick Bernard Malone, J.P., M.P., 40 Belmont Road, Tottenham, N.15.
WEALDSTONE—Mr. William John Meller, 82 Nibthwaite Road, Wealdstone.
WEMBLEY—Mr. James White Comben, "Dagmar," 7 Park Lane, Wembley.
WOOD GREEN—Mrs. Jane Bolster, 133 Lordship Lane, Wood Green, N.22.
WOOD GREEN—Rev. William Winston Haines, J.P., 19 Park Avenue, Wood Green, N.22.
EX-OFFICIO—Mr. George William Barber, J.P., Park House, Englefield Green, S.O., Surrey.

For purposes of reference, the names of the Members for 1927-28 (and addresses of new Members) are appended :—

- ACTON—Mrs. Gertrude Barnes, J.P.
 ACTON—Mr. John James Wade.
 BRENTFORD AND CHISWICK—Mr. Albert Edward Moore, "Mona Lodge," The Butts, Brentford.
 BRENTFORD AND CHISWICK—Mr. Sidney Powell.
 EDMONTON—Mr. Henry Barrass.
 EDMONTON—Mrs. Mary Maud Coe.
 ENFIELD—Mr. Vincent William John Burgess.
 ENFIELD—Mr. Oliver Montague Proudlock-Dunbar, 13 Bycullah Road, Enfield, N.
 FELTHAM—Mr. Thomas Tinnelly.
 FINCHLEY—Mr. John Broadbent.
 FRIERN BARNET—Mr. Frederick Walter King.
 HAMPTON—Mr. Edwin James Healey.
 HAMPTON WICK—Mr. William Comley Lamb.
 HARROW-ON-THE-HILL—Dr. John Douglas Campbell White.
 HENDON (Urban)—Mr. Brook Flowers.
 HENDON (Urban)—Mr. Reginald Marler Weeks.
 HENDON (Rural)—Mr. Owen Russell Serjeant, J.P.
 KINGSBURY—Mr. John William Reeves, J.P.
 SOUTHGATE—Dr. Arthur George Wells, J.P.
 SOUTH MIMMS (Rural)—Mr. John Gerken, J.P.
 STAINES (Urban)—Mr. George Knight, J.P.
 STAINES (Rural)—Mr. Leonard Montague Graves, J.P.
 SUNBURY-ON-THAMES—Mr. Leonard Bertram Hirst, "Frith Grange," Upper Halliford, Sunbury-on-Thames.
 TEDDINGTON—Mr. George Anderson, 2 Cromwell Road, Teddington.
 TOTTENHAM—Mr. Thomas Elderfield, J.P.
 TOTTENHAM—Mr. Thomas Inglis.
 TOTTENHAM—Major Patrick Bernard Malone, J.P., M.P.
 WEALDSTONE—Mr. George Hullah, 45 Spencer Road, Wealdstone.
 WEMBLEY—Mr. James White Comben, "Dagmar," Park Lane, Wembley.
 WOOD GREEN—Mrs. Jane Bolster.
 WOOD GREEN—Rev. William Winston Haines.
 EX-OFFICIO—Mr. George William Barber, J.P.

MEMBERS.

By the Ministry of Health Provisional Order Confirmation (Ealing Extension) Act, 1926, the Greenford and Hanwell Urban Districts ceased to form part of the Joint Hospital District from the 30th September, 1926. The membership of Mr. A. W. Perkin, J.P., the representative of Greenford (Chairman of the Board since 1909) and of Mrs. E. S. Taylor (Hanwell) ceased.

The Vice-Chairman (Mr. Thos. Inglis, of Tottenham), was appointed Chairman, and Mr. Wm. C. Lamb (Hampton Wick) was appointed Vice-Chairman.

Dr. A. G. Wells, J.P., was appointed in November, 1926, as the representative of the Southgate Urban District Council, in the place of Mr. J. F. Walker, J.P., resigned.

COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES.

All the Members of the Board were appointed as Members of the General Purposes and House Committee and of the Finance Committee. Mrs. G. Barnes (Acton) was re-appointed Chairman of the General Purposes and House Committee, and Mr. Wm. C. Lamb (Hampton Wick) was re-appointed Chairman of the Finance Committee.

The former Committee appointed a Visiting Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Board, the Chairmen of the General Purposes and House Committee and of the Finance Committee, and Mrs. Taylor (Hanwell), Mr. L. M. Graves (Staines Rural), Rev. W. Winston Haines (Wood Green), Major P. B. Malone (Tottenham), Mr. W. J. Meller (Wealdstone), Mr. R. M. Weeks (Hendon Urban), and Mr. T. Elderfield (Tottenham), to visit the Hospital each

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month there was no Board Meeting, to inspect the premises, deal with urgent matters, pass accounts and issue orders on the Treasurer on the Emergency Account, and take action on any matters referred to them. Mrs. Barnes was re-appointed Chairman of the Sub-Committee.

They also appointed a Farm Sub-Committee consisting of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Board, the Chairmen of the General Purposes and House Committee and of the Finance Committee, and Mr. T. Elderfield (Tottenham), Mr. L. M. Graves (Staines Rural), Mr. W. J. Meller (Wealdstone), Mr. J. J. Wade (Acton), and the Rev. W. Winston Haines (Wood Green) to deal with all questions as to the Farm and Kitchen Garden, Livestock, etc. Mr. L. M. Graves was re-appointed Chairman of the Sub-Committee.

A Stores, etc. Sub-Committee, consisting of Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Taylor, the Rev. W. Winston Haines, Mr. T. Inglis, Mr. W. J. Meller, and Mr. A. W. Perkin, was appointed to consider all matters relating to Stores, Tenders for Supplies, etc.

A Special Committee, consisting of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Board, the Chairmen of the General Purposes and House Committee and of the Finance Committee, Major Malone (Tottenham), Mr. Brook Flowers (Hendon Urban), and Mr. R. M. Weeks (Hendon Urban), was appointed to negotiate with the Ministry of Health and the Middlesex County Council as to the charge for treatment of Tuberculosis patients, to consider statements of the cost of maintenance of patients, and the adjustment of the finances between the Borough of Faling and the Board with respect to the interest or share of the Greenford and Hanwell Districts in the property and liabilities of the Board.

A Sub-Committee consisting of Mrs. Bolster, Mr. H. Barrass, Mr. Brook Flowers, Mr. L. M. Graves, and Mr. T. Tinnelly, was appointed to consider questions as to overtime and their report, submitted at the April Meeting, was adopted.

ATTENDANCES OF MEMBERS, 1926—1927.

	Board.		General Purposes and House.		Finance.		Visiting Sub.		Farm Sub.		Special and other Sub.		
Number of Meetings	5	...	5	...	5	...	7	...	7	...	3†
§*BARNES, Mrs. G.	5	...	5	...	5	...	6	...	6	...	2
†BARBER, G. W.	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—
BARRASS, H.	2	...	2	...	2	...	—	...	—	...	—
BOLSTER, Mrs. J.	5	...	5	...	5	...	—	...	—	...	1
BOLTON, W. J. (1)	2	...	2	...	2	...	—	...	—	...	—
BROADBENT, J.	3	...	3	...	3	...	—	...	—	...	—
BURGESS, V. W. J.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	—
COE, Mrs. M. M.	5	...	5	...	5	...	—	...	—	...	—
COMBEN, J. W.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	—
DALE, H. M.	1	...	1	...	1	...	—	...	—	...	—
§*ELDERFIELD, T.	3	...	3	...	3	...	3	...	3	...	—
FLOWERS, B.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	3
GERKEN, J.	3	...	3	...	3	...	—	...	—	...	—
§*GRAVES, L. M.	5	...	5	...	5	...	6	...	6	...	2
§*HAINES, Rev. W. W.	4	...	4	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	—
HEALEY, E. J.	2	...	2	...	2	...	—	...	—	...	1
§*INGLIS, T.	5	...	5	...	5	...	7	...	7	...	1
KING, F. W.	3	...	3	...	3	...	—	...	—	...	—
KNIGHT, G.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	—
§*LAMB, Wm. C.	4	...	4	...	4	...	6	...	4	...	2
MALONE, Major P. B.	3	...	3	...	3	...	2	...	—	...	—
§*MELLER, W. J.	5	...	5	...	5	...	7	...	7	...	1
MOORE, A. E. (2)	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—
§*PERKIN, A. W. (3)	3	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	—
POWELL, S.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	—
REEVES, J. W.	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—
SERJEANT, O. R.	4	...	4	...	4	...	—	...	—	...	—
SPACKMAN, F. J.	2	...	2	...	2	...	—	...	—	...	1
§TAYLOR, Mrs. E. S. (4)	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	—	...	2
TINNELLY, T.	4	...	4	...	4	...	5	...	6	...	1
*WADE, J. J.	5	...	5	...	5	...	—	...	—	...	—
WALKER, F. J. (5)	—	...	—	...	—	...	6	...	2	...	—
§WEEKS, R. M.	5	...	5	...	5	...	—	...	—	...	—
WELLS, Dr. A. G. (6)	1	...	1	...	1	...	—	...	—	...	—
WHITE, Dr. J. D. C.	5	...	5	...	5	...	—	...	—	...	—
WRIGHT, F. J.	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—	...	—

§ Denotes Member of Visiting Sub-Committee. (2) Appointed in place of Mr. Bolton, 1st April, 1927.
 * Denotes Member of Farm Sub-Committee. (3) Ceased to be a Member, 30th September, 1926.
 † Denotes Ex-Officio Member. (4) Ceased to be a Member, 30th September, 1926.
 (1) Ceased to be a Member 31st March, 1927. (5) Ceased to be a Member, November, 1926.
 (6) Appointed in place of Mr. Walker, November, 1926.
 † Three different Sub-Committees of one of which only some were members.

STAFF.

Assistant Medical Officers.

July, 1926. Dr. R. H. Knight was appointed to act as locum tenens during holidays at salary of 21s. per day.

November, 1926. Dr. T. E. Banister resigned.

November, 1926. Dr. Reginald Vincent Cookes, L.M.S.S.A. (London), was appointed as locum tenens from 23rd November, and as Assistant Medical Officer from 1st January, 1927 at salary of £350 per annum.

February, 1927. Salary of Dr. G. G. Stewart, Senior Assistant Medical Officer, was increased from £350 to £400 per annum.

Steward's Office.

June, 1926. Salary of Mr. P. Penketh, Clerk in the Steward's Office, was increased from £2 10s. to £2 15s. per week.

Other Staff.

October, 1926. Salary of Laundry Superintendent (Miss E. Sherratt) increased from £55 to £60 per annum.

Salary of Sewing Maid (Miss V. Hovey) increased from £50 to £55 per annum.

December, 1926. Night-Watchman (A. Anstee) engaged in place of F. Alford, resigned, at wage of 50s. per week, with one night off each fortnight.

January, 1927. The engagement of J. K. Draper (Foreman) was extended to 31st December.

March, 1927. Wages of the Farm Foreman (F. H. Norman) increased by giving him free use of Cottage (previously charged 7s. 6d. for rent).

Wages of Gardener (W. Sirey) increased 1d. per hour to include certain necessary week-end duties.

During the year, the wages of several Stokers and a Gate Porter were increased.

Overtime.

A Special Sub-Committee considered the question of overtime, and their recommendations were adopted, that overtime be abolished as far as possible, that relief duties should be designated as such, and that certain regular work done out of ordinary hours should be made part of regular duties, and extra remuneration given therefor.

Obituary.

The late (and first) Clerk of the Board, Mr. Ernest F. Collins, died on the 23rd March, 1927, and the late Night-Watchman, F. Alford, on the 23rd February, 1927.

PATIENTS.

Number of Beds available	Male 120*	Female 66§	Total 186
* (66 Sanatorium, 54 Hospital)	§ (Sanatorium and Hospital).		
Number of Patients, 31st December, 1926 ...	Male 111†	Female 66‡	Total 177
† (46 Hospital, 65 Sanatorium).	‡ (31 Hospital, 35 Sanatorium).		
Patients admitted during 1926 ... ..	...	...	427
Patients discharged ... ..	...	...	256
Patients died ... ..	...	...	160
Patients treated during the year ... ..	...	...	593
Classification of discharged cases :—			
Very much improved ... ..	...	...	17
Much improved ... ..	...	...	100
Some improvement ... ..	...	...	77
In statu quo ... ..	...	...	18
Worse ... ..	...	...	17
Took own discharge ... ..	...	...	26
Dismissed ... ..	...	...	1
Since the opening for Tuberculosis on the 30th July, 1912, to the 31st December, 1926 :—			
Patients admitted ... ..	...	...	6,182
Patients discharged or died ... ..	...	...	6,005

The admissions during 1926 were from the following Districts:—

Acton	6	Hanwell	3	Staines (Urban)	2
Brentford	8	Harrow-on-the-Hill	6	Staines (Rural)	4
Chiswick	21	Hayes	3	Sunbury-on-Thames	5
Ealing	16	Hendon (Urban)	14	Teddington	3
Edmonton	36	Hendon (Rural)	2	Tottenham	61
Enfield	24	Heston and Isleworth	10	Twickenham	8
Feltham	3	Hornsey	23	Uxbridge (Urban)	2
Finchley	11	Kingsbury	1	Uxbridge (Rural)	1
Friern Barnet	4	Ruislip-Northwood	1	Wealdstone	5
Greenford	0	Southall-Norwood	3	Wembley	7
Hampton	0	Southgate	10	Willesden	109
Hampton Wick	0	South Mimms (Rural)	2	Wood Green	13
		Yiewsley	0		

FINANCES.

Statement of Accounts of the Board for the year ended 31st March, 1927, and Balance Sheet, appear on pages 11 and 12.

The precepts issued for calls upon the Constituent Authorities were as follows:—

Name of District.	Assessable Value.		Amount of Precept.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Acton	520,412	3 9	542	1 11
Brentford	127,496	10 0	132	16 2
Chiswick	306,379	0 0	319	2 11
Edmonton	245,983	10 0	256	4 8
Enfield	324,620	15 0	338	2 11
Feltham	37,734	11 3	39	6 1
Finchley	419,103	1 3	436	11 4
Friern Barnet	116,269	12 6	121	2 3
Greenford	43,382	12 6	45	3 9
Hampton	115,193	10 0	119	19 10
Hampton Wick	23,374	0 0	24	6 11
Hanwell	100,518	5 0	104	14 1
Harrow-on-the-Hill	191,362	0 0	199	6 8
Hendon (Urban)	800,875	16 3	834	4 11
Hendon (Rural)	212,395	19 3	221	4 11
Kingsbury	38,032	5 0	39	12 4
Southgate	368,022	5 0	383	7 1
South Mimms (Rural)	36,283	5 0	37	15 11
Staines (Urban)	60,218	0 0	62	14 6
Staines (Rural)	132,816	0 0	138	7 0
Sunbury-on-Thames	48,838	16 10	50	17 5
Teddington	127,844	12 6	133	3 5
Tottenham	639,094	15 0	665	14 5
Wealdstone	107,912	17 6	112	8 2
Wembley	284,300	18 9	296	2 11
Wood Green	310,868	15 0	323	16 5
TOTAL	£5,739,333	17 4	£5,978	8 11

SMALLPOX.

The extension of the Yeading Smallpox Hospital by the Uxbridge Joint Hospital Board was completed, the total cost being £2,836 9s. 10d. (£2,674 10s. Contract and £161 19s. 10d. Architect's fees) and two-thirds of the cost, viz., £1,931 2s. 2d. (including £40 2s. 4d. for this Board's Architect's fees) was paid by the Board, who now have an agreement with the Uxbridge Board for 35 years to provide 48 beds for smallpox cases, upon payment of a retaining fee of £175 per annum, and of the cost of maintenance of patients sent from time to time. The alterations and additions were inspected by a number of Members of the Board on the 19th June, 1926.

The agreement with the Edmonton Urban District Council for the use of their Smallpox Hospital at Claverings Farm Hospital, Edmonton, was terminated at Christmas, 1926, and a considerable quantity of furniture, beds and bedding was purchased from them for the sum of £80, most of which was transferred to the Yeading Hospital.

TUBERCULOSIS.

The Board negotiated with the Middlesex County Council on the question of the charge for maintenance of patients during 1925-26, and eventually the Minister of Health approved the charge at 60s. 4.4d. per patient per week, allowance being made therein for payment of a proportion of certain structural renewals and capital expenditure out of revenue, spread over a period of 10 years.

The number of patient-days' maintenance during the year 1926-27 was 63,830, and the average number of patients in the Hospital was 174.87 per day.

BUILDINGS, &c.

Structural works carried out during the year were of a minor character.

ELECTRICITY.

The sum of £95 was obtained by the sale of certain old plant.

The cost of electricity supplied during the year averaged 1.7938d. per unit, the higher cost of coal increasing the amount by over 10 per cent.

BOILERS, MACHINERY, &c.

Arrangements were made to replace the kitchen stove in the Staff quarters and add a boiling plate, at a total cost of about £65.

The supply of water from the well became reduced and a certain quantity had to be obtained from the Water Company.

The principle of installing a water softening plant was approved, but the work was not put in hand pending experiments with a new method of reducing scale in boilers, pipes, etc.

COAL.

When the coal stoppage occurred, the Board had about 500 tons of steam and house coal in stock and only small supplies of coal and coke had to be purchased during the period of difficulty and high costs.

PROVISIONS, &c.

Provisions (bacon, ham, cheese, butter, etc.) were purchased in the open market, and the saving compared with the lowest available tenders amounted to £220 during the year.

LIBRARY, &c.

Gifts of books and Magazines were obtained during the year from Members and ex-Members of the Board and others and from the Chiswick, Tottenham and Willesden Public Libraries.

RECREATION.

The British Red Cross Society loaned a three-quarter-size billiard table for the use of the patients, and games and playing cards were presented by a Member of the Board and by various firms. The stage in the Dining Hall was further improved with the assistance of some of the patients and a number of entertainments were given to the patients by various Concert Parties, Orchestras, Dramatic Societies and others.

WIRELESS.

An appeal for funds to instal Wireless in the Hospital was successful, the sum of £650 being obtained. The Golders Green and Hendon Radio Society assisted greatly in the scheme, Mr. Maurice Child making a 3-valve set which proved to be capable of providing for about 250 earphones and ten or a dozen loud speakers. Under the direction of the Board's Architect, the whole of the Hospital, staff quarters, and the Medical Superintendent's house, were wired (utilising two miles of cable); a special microphone attachment was provided to enable concerts, etc., in the Dining Hall to be locally broadcast throughout the Hospital; and the installation was opened in the presence of many subscribers and others by Mrs. A. W. Perkin, on the 8th December, 1926.

The installation, the expenditure on which to the end of March was £480, has proved to be a very great boon to all the patients, especially to those who are unable to leave their beds.

FARM, &c.

The value of the produce from the Farm used in the Hospital was £392 9s. 7d.

The new piggeries continued to be of much benefit, and the following are particulars of pigs during the year:—

No. of pigs at 1st April, 1926	...	...	63	
No. of litters born during the year	...	15	Total	163 (Average 11).
				226
No. of pigs lost	...	...	9	
No. of pigs sold	...	...	147	
				156
No. of pigs at 31st March, 1927	...	...	70	
The value of pigs at 1st April, 1926, was	...	...	...	£145 0 0
The value of pigs sold during the year was	...	...	...	£648 6 6
(Nearly all the pigs were sold at the Barnet Market, the average price obtained being				
£5 2s. 6d. for each porker, and 49s. for each store pig).				
The value of pigs at 31st March, 1927, was	...	...	...	£189 17 6

The grazing rights of about 20 acres of the grassland produced £40; services of boar, £13 16s.; and Barnet Show prizes, £4 15s., making a total income of £1,099 7s. 1d.

In addition, 15 tons of hay, valued at £45, was obtained and used for the horses.

A grey mare was purchased for £60.

A set of disc harrows and a pig float were added to the farm equipment, and the pig-wash cart was repaired.

The garden adjoining Blanche Lane was fenced at a cost of £48 5s., and the old apple trees were replaced with new cordons.

Three entries were made in the Barnet Christmas Show, and first prize (75s.) was obtained for a pen of 3 fat hogs; second prize (25s.) for the best pig; whilst the third entry was "highly commended." The four prize pigs were sold for £47 7s. 6d.

Instead of paying the pigman overtime for attention to litters, sick pigs, etc., it was decided that the sum of 1s. for each pig alive eight weeks after birth be paid to him.

The livestock at the 31st March, 1927 (2 horses, 1 boar, 8 sows, 19 porkers, 23 stores, and two litters of 10 and 9 pigs and 10 hens) was valued at £250 17s. 6d.; hay, £45; oats, straw, etc., £28 6s.; pig wire, £6 5s.; farm implements, £99 18s. 6d., making a total of £430 7s. compared with £310 16s. 2d. at the 1st April, 1926.

Statements of the Farm and Garden Account, and Trading and Profit and Loss Account for the year appear on page 10.

The following are some details in connection with the Farm, which may be of interest:—

No. of acres under cultivation	...	...	16
No. of acres under grass	...	...	41

Potatoes were raised on about 6 acres, greens, beans, peas, beet, onions, etc., on 8½ acres, and small fruit on 1½ acres.

One hundred and twenty-two cwts. of seed potatoes produced 16 tons 7 cwts., valued at £120.

The old fruit trees and those planted in 1920, produced about 494 lbs. of apples, pears, plums, etc., and the currant trees, raspberry canes, rhubarb, etc., produced about 1,060 lbs. of fruit.

CONSTITUENT AUTHORITIES.

Under the Ealing (Extension) Order, 1926, the Districts of Greenford and Hanwell ceased to be within this Joint Hospital District from the 1st October, 1926.

LANDS.

The negotiations for the purchase of the freehold of the 26 acres held on lease were not proceeded with, the Ministry of Health suggesting that the matter should be held over.

FINANCES.

It was decided that a working cash balance of between £3,000 and £4,000 was necessary to meet accounts falling due for payment in the early part of the financial year, the question of accumulating a sum to be available in the event of a smallpox epidemic being left in abeyance.

The claim of the Ealing Town Council in respect of the interest of the Greenford and Hanwell Districts in the property of the Joint Board was settled by payment of a sum of £1,500, in which amount were included sums for one-half of the precept paid for the year, and for the amount standing to their credit in the Ledger at the 31st March, 1926.

ASSESSABLE VALUES—PRECEPTS, &c.

The following statement shows the increase in the amount of the Assessable Value of the Joint Hospital District since its formation in 1905, and the amounts of the precepts raised:—

Year.	Precept in the £		Assessable Value	Amount of Precept.			Amount of £d. Rate.		
	£	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1906—7	2,231,824	3,489	10	0	2,326	7	0
1907—8	2,281,080	4,749	0	0	2,374	10	0
1908—9	2,372,741	4,492	19	0	2,471	9	6
1909—10	2,459,810	2,561	16	0	2,561	16	0
1910—11	2,643,855	5,508	0	10	2,754	0	5
1911—12	2,675,738	5,574	9	4	2,787	4	8
1912—13	2,724,703	4,257	6	8	2,838	4	5
1913—14	2,806,361	2,923	6	2	2,923	6	2
1914—15	2,858,748	2,977	17	3	2,977	17	3
1915—16	2,895,046	3,015	13	8	3,015	13	8
1916—17	3,039,875	4,944	17	6	3,329	18	4
1917—18	3,427,662	7,376	14	10	3,688	7	5
1918—19	3,577,123	3,726	3	4	3,726	3	4

Year.	Precept in the £		Assessable Value.	Amount of Precept.		Amount of £d. Rate.	
	£	d.	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1919—20	4,084,237	4,254	8 1	4,254	8 1
1920—21	4,236,955	8,747	4 2	4,373	8 1
1921—22	4,278,655	4,456	18 0	4,456	18 0
1922—23	4,385,610	4,568	6 1	4,568	6 1
1923—24	4,528,895	4,717	13 2	4,717	13 2
1924—25	5,230,685	5,448	12 3	5,448	12 3
1925—26	5,475,977	5,703	3 2	5,703	3 2
1926—27	5,739,333	5,978	8 11	5,978	8 11

NOTE.—For 1927-28 a precept has been issued for payment of 1d. in the £, on the Assessable Value of £5,926,997, producing £6,173 19s. 1d.

COST OF MAINTENANCE.

The following statement shows the approximate cost of maintenance of the Hospital (excluding Loan re-payment and interest, capital works charged to Revenue, rent, and smallpox expenditure) each year from 1913-1914 onwards, the total daily cost, the average daily number of patients and daily cost of each patient:—

Year.	Total Expenditure for year.	Total Cost per day.	Average Daily No. of Patients.	Daily Cost of each Patient.
	£	£ s. d.		d.
1913—14	9,704	26 11 7	104	61.355
1914—15	10,108	27 13 10	126	52.746
1915—16	12,788	34 18 10	129	65.008
1916—17	14,920	40 17 6	133	73.76
1917—18	18,407	50 8 7	153	79.105
1918—19	20,085	55 0 6	159	83.057
1919—20	28,424	77 13 1	172	108.69
1920—21	39,205	107 8 2	186	138.58
1921—22	33,285	91 3 10	180	121.58
1922—23	27,116	74 5 9	161.6	110.31
1923—24	27,108	74 1 3	176	101.0
1924—25	30,632	83 13 4	178.6	112.7
1925—26	31,708	86 17 5	177.79	117.26
1926—27	26,318	72 2 1	174.87	98.95

NOTE.—The reason for the increases in 1924-26 was the execution of special works of painting, removal of old buildings, replacement of ironing machine and hydro-extractor, alterations owing to change-over to a public supply of electricity, etc.

LOANS.

The following statements show (a) the loans raised and amounts outstanding at 31st March, 1927, and (b) the annual amount paid from 1907-08 onwards for principal and interest, and capital expenditure charged to Revenue Account:—

Purpose.	Raised.	Repayable in years.	Amount.	Principal outstanding
				31st March, 1927.
			£	s. d.
Purchase of Clare Hall	Jan., 1907	25	38,087	10,672 18 8
Alterations ...	May, 1910	15	500	—
Alterations to Heating Apparatus ...	May, 1913	10	1,450	—
Alterations and Additions to Furniture ...	April, 1914	10	2,976	—
Nurses' Home ...	Feb., 1915	30	9,200	5,480 0 0
Wellwork (£1,475), Furnishing (£1,200) and Nurses' Home charges (£680)	Mar., 1916	10	3,355	935 0 0
		30		
		15		
Furnishing ...	Jan., 1917	10	700	—
Wellwork ...	April, 1917	10	350	—
Wellwork (£4,000) and Sewage Disposal (£1,604)*	July, 1921	30	5,604	3,910 0 0
		15		
		15		
			<u>£62,222</u>	<u>£20,997 18 8</u>

* This Loan was underspent by £199 3s., which has been repaid to Lenders.

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LOAN REPAYMENTS AND INTEREST; AND CAPITAL CHARGED TO REVENUE.

Year.	Principal and Interest.			Capital charged to Revenue.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1906—7	Nil						
1907—8	2,360 16 10				2,360	16	10
1908—9	2,360 16 10				2,360	16	10
1909—10	2,360 16 10				2,360	16	10
1910—11	2,428 8 2				2,428	8	2
1911—12	2,460 16 10	(1)	415	0 5	2,875	17	3
1912—13	2,410 16 10				2,410	16	10
1913—14	2,674 7 4	(2)	1,177	6 0	3,851	13	4
1914—15	3,030 0 5	(3)	180	17 2	3,210	17	7
1915—16	3,773 2 2	(4)	1,207	0 0	4,980	2	2
1916—17	4,133 0 6	(5)	282	16 7	4,415	17	1
1917—18	4,182 9 5	(6)	317	0 0	4,499	9	5
1918—19	4,109 16 2				4,109	16	2
1919—20	4,097 5 4				4,097	5	4
1920—21	4,240 9 6	(7)	425	5 9	4,665	15	3
1921—22	4,289 17 3	(8)	2,249	6 10	6,539	4	1
1922—23	4,492 13 1	(9)	1,263	6 5	5,755	19	6
1923—24	4,676 15 0				4,676	15	0
1924—25	3,605 13 1	(10)	2,766	13 7	6,372	6	8
1925—26	3,649 14 5	(11)	813	5 5	4,462	19	10
1926—27	3,644 3 3	(12)	52	2 0	3,696	5	3
			<u>£68,981 19 3</u>		<u>£11,150 0 2</u>		<u>£80,131 19 5</u>		

- (1) Motor Ambulance.
- (2) Overspent Loans—Alterations, Furnishing, etc.
- (3) Overspent Loans—Plant, etc.
- (4) Electric Generating Plant, Alterations to Dining Hall, etc.
- (5) Overspent Loans—Furnishing, etc.
- (6) Overspent Loan—Furnishing.
- (7) Hut.
- (8) Steward's House, £1,582 17s. 10d. ; Hut, £370 19s. 9d. ; and Overspent Loan—Wellwork, £295 9s. 3d.
- (9) Farm Cottages.
- (10) Board Room, Offices, etc., £2,095 0s. 4d. ; Laundry Extension, £671 13s. 3d.
- (11) Board Room, Offices, etc., £85 2s. 8d. ; Electrical Work, £728 2s. 9d.
- (12) Electrical Work.

MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL, BOARD.

Statement of Income and Expenditure for the Year ended 31st March, 1927.

EXPENDITURE.				INCOME.				
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Salaries and Wages of Staff (except for Laundry, Farm and Garden and Ambulance)—					Balance in hand at beginning of Year—			
Medical Officers, Steward and Clerk of Board	2,333	0 4			General Account	4,217	5 6	
Nursing Staff	2,007	9 5			Capital Suspense Account	215	10 0	
Domestic and House Porters	1,906	4 4			Constituent Authorities under Precepts			4,432 15 6
Engineering Staff	612	5 1			Maintenance of Tuberculosis Patients—			5,978 8 11
Outside Staff	882	1 8			Middlesex County Council			28,071 16 6
Other Staff	484	14 2			Miscellaneous Receipts—			
Health, Pensions and Unemployment Insurance	74	12 4			Conveyance of Patients	41	2 0	
Superannuation, Equivalent Contributions	633	6 4			Rent of Cottage	18	7 6	
Superannuation, Annual Charge	234	0 0			Farm Produce (used in Hospital)	392	9 7	
Superannuation, Administration Expenses	18	4 0	9,185	17 8	Sale of Pigs, etc.	662	2 6	
					Prize Money (Barnet Show)	4	15 0	
Provisions—					Grazing Charges	40	0 0	
Meat, etc.	3,525	1 0			Workmen's Compensation	4	17 6	
Milk	1,602	1 10			Sale of Old Plant, etc.	106	10 3	
Eggs and Cheese	424	10 5			Bank Interest	150	0 1	
Butter, etc.	653	8 4			Sundries	5	12 4	1,426 5 9
Bread, etc.	538	11 3						
Groceries	1,131	15 6						
Fruit and Vegetables—								
Purchased	4,479	10 10						
Farm Produce	392	9 7						
Other Provisions	268	18 8	9,016	7 5				
Drugs and Medical Appliances—								
Drugs, etc.	468	15 2						
Malt and Oil	13	19 0						
Medical and Surgical Appliances	193	14 6	676	8 8				
Fuel, Light and Water—								
Coal, Coke, etc.	2,354	9 8						
Electric Light	435	13 5						
Lamps, Mantles, etc.	76	7 7						
Water	76	17 0	2,943	7 8				
Domestic Renewals and Repairs—								
Furniture, Bedding and Linen	452	3 8						
Crockery and Hardware	190	16 1						
Uniforms and Dresses	135	7 3						
Cleaning Materials	224	18 10						
Sundries	2	0 0	1,003	7 10				
Laundry—								
Wages	353	19 4						
Washing Materials	145	13 9	499	13 1				
Structural Renewals, Repairs and Painting—								
Boilers, etc.	33	0 1						
Machinery, etc.	61	19 7						
Building Repairs, etc.	424	9 7						
Plumbing Repairs	27	6 11						
Electric Lighting, Bells, etc.	64	14 8						
Stoves, etc.	48	17 0						
Miscellaneous	51	18 4	712	6 2				
Garden and Grounds			190	8 10				
Transport—								
Running Expenses (Including Wages)	460	13 1						
Travelling Expenses of Staff	11	8 9						
Hire of Transport	4	1 6	476	3 4				
Printing, Stationery, Postage and Telephone			406	6 7				
Rates, Taxes and Insurance			792	11 2				
Farm and Garden—								
Wages	608	9 10						
Repairs	54	10 0						
Rent and Rates	66	9 7						
Loan Charges	90	0 0						
Feeding Stuffs	261	10 0						
Seeds and Manures	183	0 0						
Implements and Carts	40	3 0						
Livestock	60	0 0						
Fuel, Light and Water	16	18 0						
Miscellaneous—								
Shoing	15	18 6						
Hire of Horses	15	10 0						
Vet. Surgeon's Fees	6	10 0						
Market Expenses	3	6 4						
Prize Money and Show Fees	3	10 0						
Sundries	5	4 9	1,431	0 6				
Less Increased Value of Stock in hand	119	10 10	1,311	9 8				
Carried forward			£27,214	8 1	Carried forward	£38,509	6 8	

Miscellaneous—				839	6	6
Stamp on Financial Statement	50	0	0			
Members' Travelling Expenses...	30	6	5			
Inventories	29	8	0			
Rat Destruction	9	18	0			
Plans	21	0	0			
Advertisements, etc.	20	11	1			
Books, etc.	14	3	3			
Cheque Books	6	5	0			
Carriage of Parcels	10	6	7			
Sundries	13	16	11			
				205	15	3
Ealing Town Council—						
Repayment of Greenford and Hanwell Councils	1,500	0	0			
Loans—						
Principal Repaid	2,578	18	3			
Interest	977	7	0			
				3,554	3	3
Capital Expenditure out of Revenue—						
Electric Lighting				52	2	0
Balance in hand at end of Year—						
General Account	4,095	10	1			
Capital Suspense Account	163	8	0			
				4,858	18	1
				<u>£38,509</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>8</u>

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MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BOARD.

Balance Sheet for the Year ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
To Mortgagees' Account:—				By Property Account (Capital):—			
Vendors				Clare Hall			
(Loan No. 1) 10,672	18	8		(purchase) 38,087	0	0	
Westminster				Alterations	500	0	0
Bank, Ltd.—				Heating Ap-			
Loan No. 5				paratus ...	1,450	0	0
£5,480				Alterations,			
No. 6 £935				Additions			
No. 9 £3,910	10,325	0	0	& Furniture	2,976	0	0
				Nurses' Home			
„ Surplus Assets Account (Capital)				(£9,200 £680)			
... ..				& Furniture			
				for same			
				(£1,200) ...	11,080	0	0
				Wellwork (£1,476,			
				£350 & £4,000)	5,825	0	0
				Furniture ...	700	0	0
				Sewage Disposal	1,404	17	0
							62,022 17 0
				„ Other Property Account (Revenue):—			
				Hut	796	5	6
				Steward's House	1,582	17	10
				Farm Cottages	1,263	6	5
				Offices ...	2,180	3	0
				Laundry ...	671	13	3
				Electricity ...	780	4	9
							7,274 10 9
„ Surplus Assets Account (Revenue)	7,274	10	9	„ Stock in hand			2,009 9 3
„ Sundry Creditors				„ Sundry Debtors			2,839 1 3
... ..				„ Officers:—Treasurer—			
				General A/c	1,309	3	6
				Capital Sus-			
„ Capital (Suspense) Account				pense A/c	163	8	0
... ..	163	8	0				
					1,472	11	6
				Less Emergency			
„ Constituent Authorities				Account o/d.	412	6	8
... ..	4,695	10	1				
					1,060	4	10
„ Superannuation Fund Account				Treasurer—Superannu-			
... ..	159	8	5	ation Fund A/c	159	8	5
							1,219 13 3
				Medical Officer			321 1 5
				Steward			10 4 2
				Clerk			9 8 3
							<u>£75,706 5 4</u>
							<u>£75,706 5 4</u>

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
General Account ...	228	19	6			
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	39	5	3			
Education Account ...	42	5	3			
				310	10	0

620 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents :—

- (1) Licences to deal in Game to persons mentioned in the Public Health Committee's report of the 5th July, 1927.
- (2) Conveyance from Messrs. Whitbread & Co., Ltd., of strip of land for widening Great North Road at its junction with Clifford Road, East Finchley.
- (3) Licence to Mr. A. Garrud to carry on the business of a Pawnbroker within the district.
- (4) Contract with Messrs. J. Harrison & Company for erection of pavilion, Cherry Tree Wood.
- (5) Conveyance from Mrs. Eliza Hayne of land fronting the North Circular Road, for allotments purposes.
- (6) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's Report of the 13th July, 1927, and the sum of £310 10s. mentioned in the preceding paragraph.
- (7) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £4,015 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts).
- (8) Mortgage to the Newcastle-on-Tyne Savings Bank to secure repayment of the sum of £10,000, together with interest (Electricity—Mains and Services).

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COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (9) Certificate in connexion with transfer of £1,928 17s. 3d. 5 per cent. War Stock, 1929, 47, at present standing in the joint names of Mr. Stanley Wildash and Mr. Edwin Hutchinson Lister, into the Corporate name of the Council.
 - (10) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts from Mr. M. E. Day to the Council in respect of No. 24, Mayfield Avenue.
 - (11) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. De Jong to the Council *re* 13, Hamilton Way.
 - (12) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. H. Clark to the Council *re* "Thorp," Trinity Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts).
 - (13) Conveyance from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of land for widening the Great North Road.
 - *(14) Contract with Messrs. Wm. Griffiths & Co., Ltd., with regard to the erection of Statue—La Délivrance.
 - (15) Certificate of Mr. E. J. Franklin as Chief Sanitary Inspector.
 - *(16) Contract with Mr. Thomas Adams in regard to Surface Water Sewer Works—Great North Road—South of Christ Church.
 - *(17) Release of Covenants *re* Arden Estate, East End Road.
 - *(18) Agreement with Mr. E. C. Arden to convey land for widening East End Road by Manor Lodge.
- * Subject to report of Council in Committee.

621 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

622 TENDERS—SURFACE WATER SEWER WORKS—GREAT NORTH ROAD—SOUTH OF CHRIST CHURCH.—The tenders received in respect of the above were considered;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that the tender of Mr. Thomas Adams at the sum of £632 4s. 0d. (the lowest) be accepted;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract;
- (c) that the Ecclesiastical Commissioners be informed of the acceptance of the tender;
- (d) that the contract be added to the list of documents for sealing.

623 PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING — EAST FINCHLEY—FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—Paragraph 516 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 6th July, 1927, was considered in conjunction with a report of the Clerk on the matter.

A further communication from the Company was also submitted by the Surveyor, from which it appeared that an important amendment was made in their application.—It was reported that the present proposal showed that the siding would need to be constructed at least four feet below the existing level of the footpath;

RECOMMENDED that, in the circumstances, the whole matter be referred to the Committee for further consideration.

624 CENTRAL CLASSES—NORTH ROAD SCHOOL.—Paragraph 535 of the Education Committee's report of the 11th July, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that it be left to the Education Committee to endeavour to arrange for H.M. Inspector to visit the North Road School at as early a date as possible and report;
- (c) that the Education Committee be asked to give consideration to the various points raised in the discussion.

625 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—W. MESSETER.—Paragraph 553 of the General Purposes Committee's report of

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

the 12th July, 1927 (as slightly amended) was considered and, arising thereout, the Clerk submitted a communication from the Insurance Company stating that the Council would not in any way be prejudiced in connexion with their claim should Messetter be unable to continue with the work found for him;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

626 **AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—1925/26.**—Paragraph 572 of the Finance Committee's report of the 13th July, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, Councillor C. S. Syrett made a statement on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

627 **SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ADVANCE No. 17.**—Paragraph 571 (e) of the Finance Committee's report of the 13th July, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted and that the Clerk be instructed to see that no latitude is given to the mortgagor in question beyond that contained in the report.

628 **HOUSING.**—A report of the Special Committee appointed to consider the above matter, dated 24th February, 1927, and 30th June, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

The Special Committee appointed by the Council have held two meetings on the above dates, at the former of which were present:—

Councillors	Agar,	H. O. Syrett,
	Briant,	Toyne,
	Leslie,	Wells.
	Pateman,	

and at the latter meeting:—

Councillors	Briant,	Wade,
	Pateman,	Wells.
	H. O. Syrett,	

(i) **CHAIRMAN.**—Councillor H. O. Syrett, Chairman of the Council, was appointed Chairman of the Committee.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(ii) REFERENCE FROM THE COUNCIL.—The terms of the reference from the Council are as follows:—

- “(a) that a special committee be appointed to enquire into the housing needs of the people of Finchley to see to what extent overcrowding exists and can be relieved;
- (b) to consider by what means and to what extent houses for the working classes in Finchley can be provided at reasonable weekly rents.”

(iii) REPORTS OF OFFICERS.—The Committee had under consideration the reports of the following Officers of the Council (copies whereof are annexed hereto):—

- (1) of the Medical Officer of Health and of the Chief Sanitary Inspector of the 22nd February, 1927;
- (2) of the Surveyor giving particulars relating to the applications received for houses;
- (3) of the Clerk of the Council as to the powers and duties of the Council in connexion with the housing question, including the subject of subsidies under the different Acts.

Annexed

(iv) HOUSING NEEDS.—Having considered the above Reports and other information placed before them, the Committee came to the conclusion that there was a need for further houses for the working classes in Finchley, to be let at reasonable weekly rents.

(v) TYPE OF HOUSES TO BE BUILT.—At the outset of their deliberations the Committee instructed the Surveyor to report on the question of whether flats or cottages should be erected, and from his report and from enquiries made by him in several quarters, the Committee were convinced that self-contained cottages are preferable to flats so far as this district is concerned.

(vi) COMMITTEE'S PROPOSAL.—The Committee having fully considered the whole question

RECOMMEND that approximately 50 cottages (brick built) be erected on that part of the glebe land reserved for the purpose of housing, containing the following accommodation:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

GROUND FLOOR:—

Living Room	... ..	14ft. x 11ft. 6in.
Kitchen-Scullery	... ..	10ft. 6in. x 6ft.
Bathroom with W.C.	... ..	5ft. 6in. x 7ft.

With stores for coal and food.

1st FLOOR.—

Bedroom No. 1	... ..	14ft. x 11ft. 6in.
Bedroom No. 2	... ..	14ft. x 8ft. 6in.

With forecourt, and garden at the rear, the average frontage of the cottages to be 24ft. 10½in.

- (vii) ESTIMATE OF CAPITAL COST.—The Surveyor to the Council reported that the estimated cost of erecting each of the houses with land, roads and sewers was as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
House	... ..	443	0 0
Land	... ..	15	12 6
Roads	... ..	13	2 6
Sewers	... ..	15	12 6
		<u>£492</u>	<u>7 6</u>

- (viii) ANNUAL REPAYMENTS OF CAPITAL COST.—The annual charges on a 5 per cent. basis, repayments extended over 60 years for the houses, 80 years for the land, 20 years for the roads and 30 years for the sewers amount to £26 12s. 5d. per house.

- (ix) ANNUAL COST.—The following statement gives the estimated annual cost per house:—

Annual repayments of Interest and Capital	26	12	5
Rates and water, 3/- per week	7	16 0
Repairs, 2/- per week	5	4 0
Administration, 1/- per week	2	12 0
		<u>£42</u>	<u>4 5</u>

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

SPECIAL HOUSING COMMITTEE

24th FEBRUARY, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N. 3.

22nd February, 1927.

STATISTICAL NOTES IN REGARD TO HOUSING CONDITIONS IN FINCHLEY.

1. Statistics relating to the whole district.

The only available information regarding the housing conditions of the district as a whole is obtained from the census reports of the Registrar General.

The following table has been compiled from these reports for the years 1901, 1911, and 1921.

Year.	Number of structurally separate dwellings	Number of private families.	Number of private families in excess of the number of structurally separate dwellings.	Number of persons per structurally separate dwelling.
1901.	4184	4604	420	5.5
1911.	8332	8922	590	4.7
1921.	10211	11623	1412	4.8

It is evident that between 1911 and 1921 the practice of subletting increased very materially and there is every reason to believe that this increase has been maintained up to the present day.

There has been practically no increase in the number of persons per separate dwelling for the whole district between 1911 and 1921. This is due to two causes :-

1. A large proportion of the houses erected during that period were not houses suitable for occupation by the working classes but which have been occupied by a class whose families are less than the average.
2. The birth-rate for the district decreased by 25% during that period.

2. Recorded cases of Overcrowding.

As the result of house to house inspections, visits upon complaint and after cases of infectious disease and information received from the health visitors, detailed particulars have

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been compiled with respect to 96 dwelling-houses which are regarded as being overcrowded.

Overcrowding within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1975, has not, however, been confirmed in every case by ascertaining the cubic capacity of the rooms, but details as to the number of families and inmates occupying each house, together with the number of rooms contained therein have been recorded. This information will be available at the meeting of your Committee.

The following is a brief summary of the particulars above referred to :-

No. of houses.	No. of families.	No. of inmates.		No. of rooms.	
		Adults	700.	Bedrooms.	250.
		Children	<u>329.</u>	Bed-living rooms	76.
				Living rooms.	<u>161.</u>
96.	195.		1029.		487.

A. A. TURNER,

Medical Officer of Health.

B. J. FRANKLIN,

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Medical Officer of Health and of the Chief Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 628 (iii) of the Council Minutes of the 25th July 1927.

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HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE - 24TH FEBRUARY, 1927.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO CONSIDER THE QUESTION OF HOUSING

Gentlemen,

I beg to give below particulars relating to the applications received for houses :-

Number on Register 417.

comprising -

No. of cases.	No. in family		Present Accommodation.
	Over 6.	Under 6.	
90	5	85	1 room.
116	12	104	2 rooms.
128	23	105	3 rooms.
41	14	27	4 rooms.
17	7	10	5 rooms.
10	4	6	6 rooms.
15	-	15	Lodgings.

Over 6 in family.

2 families have incomes of over £10. 0. 0. per week.
 9 " " " " " £6. 0. 0. per week.
 14 " " " " " under £3.10. 0. per week.

Under 6 in family.

23 families have incomes of over £5. 0. 0. per week.
 7 " " " " " under £2. 0. 0. per week.

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There are

128 cases where the accommodation is sufficient.

40 cases where the income should be sufficient for applicants to find their own accommodation.

21 cases where the income is insufficient for applicants to rent even a small house.

There are

72 cases where the families are living in self-contained houses.

131 cases where the families are living in self-contained flats.

254 cases where the families are living in rooms, etc.

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

21st FEBRUARY, 1927.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 628 (iii) of the Council Minutes of the 25th July 1927.

H. S. Pitt
Chairman,

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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Clerk's Department,
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17th February, 1937.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE
APPOINTED TO CONSIDER THE QUESTION OF HOUSING.

Gentlemen,

I beg to report as follows:-

(a) General - With the passing of the Consolidated Housing Act, 1925, the housing powers and duties of Local Authorities under a series of nine Acts passed between 1890 and 1921 are brought within the limits of one Consolidating Act. The financial provisions of the 1923 and 1924 Acts are not, however, included in the 1925 Act. The effective Housing Acts now in operation are, therefore, those of 1899, 1923, 1924 and 1925.

The continuing duty of building where need exists for such action, the general conditions governing the acquisition of land (including where necessary compulsory acquisition of land) and the general provisions relative to the development and management of housing estates by Local Authorities all come within the scope of the sections of the Consolidated Act, 1925.

The following is a brief summary of those powers and duties (Parts III and IV of the Act):-

(1) Local Authorities have placed upon them (under section 59) the duty of considering the constructive housing needs of their areas. This duty is a "continuing one" because the section provides for its performance as often as "occasion arises." If a need for constructive action is revealed as a result of this "consideration", Local Authorities are required to prepare and submit to the Ministry of Health a housing scheme or schemes specifying, inter alia, (a) the approximate number and the nature of the houses to be provided, (b) the approximate quantity of land to be acquired, and (c) the average number of houses per acre. No limitation of the number of houses per acre is included in section 60 but under the 1924 Act, which governs in this respect the 1923 Act, a limit of twelve houses per acre in urban areas has been placed.

(2) Any justice of the peace, or any four or more local government electors in an area, have the right to complain to the Minister that a Local Authority have failed to exercise their constructive duties. On receipt of this complaint, the Minister may cause a public local Inquiry to be held, and if satisfied that there has been such a failure on the part of the Local Authority he may declare the authority to be in default and may make an order directing the authority to carry out such works and do such other things as may be mentioned in the order (section 73).

(3) Under certain conditions the Minister has power to transfer the constructive housing duties falling upon a local authority to the Council of the County of which the district forms a part (section 74).

(4) Power is also given to the Minister of Health under certain conditions to act in default of any Local Authority and to prepare and carry into effect a housing scheme, and in such cases the Minister will be equipped with all the powers of a Local Authority. (Section 75).

(5) Under Sections 57, 58 and 59, Local Authorities are given full powers to acquire land (if necessary) by compulsory purchase) to erect houses, to acquire houses already built, to alter, enlarge, repair or improve any houses built or acquired and to fit out, furnish and supply these houses with all requisite furniture, fittings and conveniences. Local Authorities are empowered to hold and administer the estates of houses thus acquired. No limit is placed to the amount which a Local Authority may borrow for the purpose of carrying into effect a housing scheme. Money borrowed for housing purposes is not reckoned as part of the total debt for the purposes of any limitation on borrowing imposed by any Act of Parliament. (Section 58). Under certain conditions, Local Authorities are empowered to acquire land and build houses thereon outside their area (Section 59).

(6) No definition of the term "working classes" is contained in the general sections of the Act. Under the Housing Act of 1903 a definition of the working classes is given, but with a limited application to housing schemes carried out by private companies for the purpose of rehousing tenants displaced by them. This Schedule is embodied in the Consolidated Act (Schedule 5). It is of vital importance for Local Authorities to understand clearly that the limiting definition in (e) of subsection 13 of this Schedule (v) applies only to rehousing schemes by private groups, and does not govern in any way the administration of the housing or rehousing schemes of Local Authorities. Local Authorities can let houses built under the schemes to whatever class of tenant they desire. In theory, the bank clerk is eligible equally with the dock labourer if the Local Authority desire to have him as a tenant. When the Act of 1919 was under consideration by the Standing Committee of the House of Commons a clause defining the working classes was submitted and fully discussed. In response to a strong appeal made by the Minister, the Standing Committee decided not to define the working classes in any way, with the result that, as stated above, Local Authorities are left free to exercise their judgment as to whom they shall accept as tenants. In other words, they may let the houses to whom they will, irrespective of the means or calling of those taken as tenants.

(7) Local Authorities are empowered to promote the formation or extension of or assist a Public Utility Society whose objects include the erection, improvement or management of dwellings for the working classes. They may make grants or loans to the Society, subscribe for any share or loan, capital or guarantee, or join in guaranteeing, the payment of interest borrowed by the Society, or on any share or loan capital issued by the Society (Section 70)

(8) Local Authorities are empowered to lend money to owners of houses for the purpose of carrying out work for the re-construction, enlargement or improvement of houses or buildings if the Local Authority are of opinion that after the works are carried out the houses or buildings will be in all respects fit for habitation (Section 81).

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For the purpose of a housing scheme carried into effect by a Local Authority, provision is made for the placing of the provisions of existing byelaws and the inclusion in the scheme itself of plans and specifications governing the layout and construction of streets and roads in the area of the housing Scheme (section 99).

If the Minister is satisfied by a local inquiry or otherwise that the erection of any buildings is unreasonably impeded, he is empowered to call upon a Local Authority to revoke byelaws or make new byelaws (section 101).

The Minister is empowered under certain conditions to require a Local Authority to make a report to him concerning the population of a district and other matters as he may direct. In other words, the Minister is given a general power of calling for a report concerning the general condition of a crowded or insanitary area (section 117).

(b) Subsidies.

The Act of 1923 provided for an annual Government contribution to Local Authorities amounting to £6, for a period of twenty years, for each new house, of the specified dimensions, completed before the 1st October 1925 (or, in certain circumstances, the 1st June 1926). The maximum and minimum dimensions are, for a two-storied house, 950 and 620 square feet. The Local Authority may either build houses themselves, or may grant a capital of annual subsidy, under proposals approved by the Minister, for houses of the specified dimensions built by private enterprise. In passing on the Government contribution or its capital equivalent, to private builders, the Local Authority may, if they think fit, increase the amount of a contribution from the local rates.

Under the Housing (Financial Provisions) Act 1924, the provisions of the Act of 1923 were continued until 1939, and an increased subsidy of £9 for 40 years was provided for each house built for letting, either by the Local Authority or by private enterprise, subject to special conditions as to rents, etc. The Act provided, however, for a review of the subsidy after the 1st October 1926 and in each second succeeding year. The Act contemplated a fifteen years' programme which might, however, be brought to an end at an earlier date if output and prices were not satisfactory.

In accordance with the provisions of the Housing (Financial Provisions) Act 1924 the Minister of Health has had under review the amount of the contribution payable to Local Authorities under that Act and the Housing &c. Act 1923. The Minister came to the conclusion that some revision of the amount of the Exchequer contributions ought to be made and an Order varying the amount of these contributions was made by him in December 1926. It is observed that, in accordance with the provisions of the Order -

- (1) for houses completed before the 1st/October 1927, contributions payable by the Exchequer will be at the rates now existing - i.e., for houses not subject to the special conditions (copy annexed) referred to in section 3 of the Act of 1924, £6 a year for 20 years, and for houses subject to the special conditions of that Act £9 a year for 40 years.

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(2) for houses completed between the 1st of October, 1927 and the 1st of October, 1928, contributions payable by the Exchequer will be at the following rate:-

- (a) for houses not subject to the special conditions of the Act of 1924, 24 a year for 20 years;
- (b) for houses which are subject to the special conditions of the Act of 1924, 27.10.0. a year for 40 years.

In a circular letter issued by the Ministry of Health on the 1st January, 1927, the Minister took the opportunity of reviewing certain administrative aspects of the grant of assistance in respect of the provision of houses by both local authorities and private enterprise.

It was pointed out that the Minister was anxious not only that assistance to private enterprise should, as required by the Act, be restricted to a class of house the need for which could not be met without assistance but also that the grant of assistance to the private builder should be directed as far as possible to securing provision of a rather less expensive type of house than that to which builders had hitherto been giving particular attention, and that local authorities themselves should endeavour especially to devote themselves to the provision of a type of house which, with the aid of the subsidy, could be let at rents within the means of the less well-paid workers. The circular added that, as regards private enterprise, it had been the practice of local authorities to prescribe a maximum cost or selling price for houses which they had been prepared to regard as eligible for subsidy. There had been variations related to local conditions, but the figure most commonly adopted had been that of £600 as the net freehold selling price of the house exclusive of subsidy.

With the experience which had now been gained the Minister had come to the conclusion that a figure of £550 as the net freehold selling price, exclusive of subsidy (or £625 inclusive of subsidy where a subsidy of £75 was given) should not now be normally exceeded.

Local authorities were therefore requested to take the necessary action to give effect to this view by making it a definite condition of certificates issued after the date of receipt of the circular; that the net selling price of houses included in such certificates should not exceed £550 (exclusive of subsidy) or where the houses were not to be sold that the gross cost should not exceed £625, where a subsidy of £75 was being paid.

The Minister appreciated that many local authorities had in the past adopted lower limits than £600, and he desired to make it clear that it was open to any local authority for the future to adopt such lower figure than £550 as they considered appropriate to the circumstances of their district or to particular classes of case.

He considered that in schemes for the provision of houses by the local authority themselves, the local authority should avoid, so far as possible, the adoption of the larger and more expensive type of house and should devote themselves to the provision of a type of house which was most readily capable, with the aid of the subsidy available, of being let at rents within the means of the less well-paid workers.

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The Minister would, it was stated, give careful consideration to this aspect of the matter when he was asked to approve proposals for the erection of further houses, and he would be obliged if local authorities would direct their attention to this point in the initial stage of their schemes with a view to obviating any difficulty when the proposals were submitted to him for approval.

(c) Houses already provided by the Council.

The Council, prior to the coming into force of the Government Assisted Scheme, erected 150 houses under the Housing Acts and they have erected an additional 200 houses under the Government Assisted Scheme; the Council also own six dwellings situate in various parts of the district. Particulars of rent, accommodation, etc. are contained in the Council's Year Book.

Yours obediently,

L. H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

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This (together with the/preceding pages and statement annexed) is the report of the Clerk referred to in paragraph 628 (iii) of the Council Minutes of the 25th July 1927.

M. J. Pitt
Chairman.

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Special Conditions referred to in
Section 3 of the above Act.

Houses provided by a Local Authority themselves shall be deemed to be subject to special conditions if the Local Authority directs, in accordance with rules made by the Minister and approved by the Treasury, that the following conditions will be applied with in relation to the houses:-

- (a) that, subject to the following conditions, the houses shall be let by the Local Authority for occupation to tenants who intend to reside therein;
- (b) that it shall be a term of every such letting that the tenant shall not assign, sublet, or otherwise part with the possession of the house, or any part thereof, except with the consent in writing of the Local Authority or some person authorised by them in that behalf, and that such consent shall not be given unless it is shown that no payment other than rent has been or is to be received by the tenant in consideration of the assignment, subletting, or other transaction;
- (c) that if the Local Authority desire to sell or (save by such lettings as afore said) otherwise dispose of the houses the sale or disposal shall not be effected except upon and subject to such stipulations, if any, as the Minister thinks proper, for the reduction of the amount or the curtailment of the duration of any contribution payable by the Minister in respect of the house, or for both reduction and curtailment, but so nevertheless that the contribution in respect of any house sold before the expiration of a period of twenty years from the date when that contribution first became payable shall not be reduced by more than £3 or, in the case of a house in an agricultural parish, by more than £5. 10. 0., and the duration thereof shall not be curtailed by more than 20 years;
- (d) that a fair wages clause which complies with the requirements of any resolution of the House of Commons applicable to Contracts of Government Departments and for the time being in force shall be inserted in all contracts for the construction of the houses;
- (e) that the rents charged in respect of the houses shall not in the aggregate exceed the total amount of the rents that would be payable if the houses were let at the appropriate normal rents charged in respect of working class houses erected prior to the third day of August, 1914, except where the estimated annual expenses to be incurred in connection with the houses exceed, so far as the same are borne by the local rate, an amount equivalent to £4. 10. 0. a year payable for a period of 40 years for each house and then only to the extent of such excess; and that no fine, premium or other like sum shall be taken in addition to the rent; and
- (f) that reasonable preference shall be given to large families in letting the houses.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(X) WEEKLY RENT.—Based upon the above estimates, the Committee had under consideration the alternative rents at which these premises could be let approximately as follows:—

Rent without Government Subsidy	16s. 2d. per week,
Rent with Government Subsidy	
of £4 for 20 years	14s. 8d. ,,
Rent with Government Subsidy	
of £7 10s. for 40 years	11s. 8d. ,,

In the last mentioned case, however, it would be necessary that the Council should contribute a sum equal to £4 10s. 0d. a year per house from the rates in order to qualify for the Government subsidy of £7 10s. 0d. This is equivalent to about 1s. 9d. a week on the rent.

Your Committee having carefully considered the matter, beg to report that a majority of the Committee are in favour of an inclusive rent of 12s. a week per house being charged, having regard to the fact that the estimate for administration is barely sufficient.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman of Committee.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be received;
- (b) that the principles outlined therein be accepted by the Council;
- (c) that the Surveyor be instructed to obtain tenders for the erection of fifty cottages and to submit such tenders at the Council Meeting in September next.

629 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 12th July, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett, and H. O. Syrett.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**STAFF.—**

- (a) Clerk's Department—Office Boy.—The Clerk reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left to the Chairman of the Committee to deal with, subject to report.

- (b) Rating and Valuation Act, 1925—Superannuation Contributions.—The Committee considered the question of the payment of Superannuation contributions in respect of the Officers transferred under the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the sum of £60 per annum hitherto paid to Mr. C. F. Carpenter in respect of the Office of Finance Clerk to the Overseers be continued as part of the salary of the Accountant to the Council, and rank for superannuation;
- (2) that the salary of £100 per annum paid to Mr. H. W. Barter in respect of the Office of Deputy Superintendent Assistant Overseer (now transferred to the Rating Authority) be assigned to the Office of Clerk to the Valuation Committee.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

630 ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 13th July, 1927, was submitted and considered;

Annexed **RECOMMENDED** that the report be received, adopted, and entered on the Minutes of the Council.

631 FINANCE COMMITTEE.—A report of the Finance Committee, dated 13th July, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (in the Chair), Councillors England, Pocock, H. O. Syrett and Wells.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF WINCHELBY.
ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

13th July, 1927.

PART II.

Present: - Councillor C.S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Peacock (Vice Chairman), and Councillors Ryan, H.O. Syrett and Wade, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

STAFF.

(a) Salary Increments.

RECOMMENDED that increments in salary be granted to members of the staff in the Electricity Department as set out below, such increments to take effect as from the 1st July 1927, and to be exclusive of bonus.

		<u>Increment.</u>
Mr. Lloyd Lewis -	Engineering Assistant.	10s. a week
Mr. A. Cumber,	Chief Clerk.	5s. do.
Mr. B. Lewis,	Second do.	5s. do.
Mr. T. Tooley,	Accounts do.	5s. do.
Mr. E. J. Scruton,	Clerk.	5s. do.
Mr. F. G. Page,	do.	5s. do.
Mr. D. L. Smith,	do.	5s. do.
Mr. V. King,	Junr. Clerk.	5s. do.
Mr. H. Parker,	Office Boy.	5s. do.

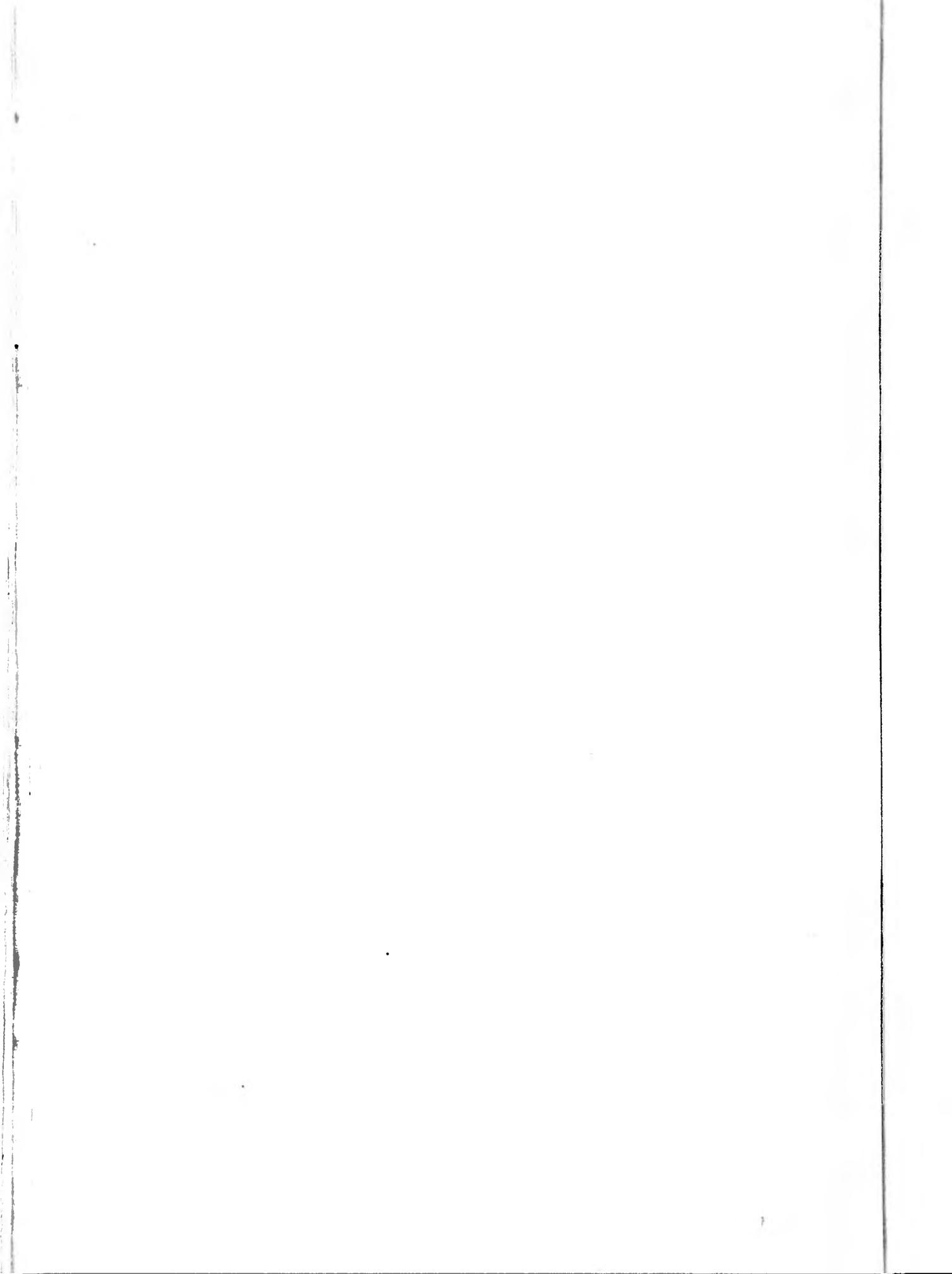
(b) Junior Clerk.

RECOMMENDED that Mr. Parker be promoted to Junior Clerk, and that authority be given for the appointment of an Office Boy in the Department.

C. S. SYRETT.
Chairman

This is the report of the Electricity Committee referred to in paragraph 630 of the Council Minutes of the 25th July 1927.

C. S. Syrett
Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

AMBULANCE.—The Committee had under consideration a list of the outstanding amounts due to the Council in respect of the use of the above;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that in the case of Anderson, 5, Avondale Road, N. 2, legal proceedings be instituted for the recovery of the amount due;

(2) that action be taken as indicated in the third column of the following statement:—

	No.	
1. Removed from district and present address unknown.	14	that these be written off, but that the Accountant be instructed to secure payment where possible.
2. Poor cases—state unable to pay.	25	that these cases be referred to the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and the Medical Officer of Health, who be asked to use their discretion in dealing therewith.
3. No replies to applications.	23	that such cases be referred to the Clerk to deal with according to his discretion, and in conjunction with the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and the Medical Officer of Health.
4. Cases in the hands of the Clerk of the Council.	12	that the Clerk deal with these cases as indicated in (3) above.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

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5. Hendon Cases — Accidents	2	that these cases be left in the hands of the Clerk and Accountant for attention.
Hornsey Council — Accidents	2	
Friern Barnet Cases— (agreed to pay)	3	
Promised payment	7	

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro. tempore*).**RECOMMENDED** that the report be received and adopted.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

632 PLANS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

Annexed

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6171A	Store shed	High Road, Whetstone	Mr. W. H. Claringbull.
✓ 6183	Four houses	Ossulton Way	Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6205	Eight houses	Grove Road	Dr. Duncan.
✓ 6206	Two garages	Between 8-10, Westbury Road	Mr. S. A. Towell and Mr. A. Taylor
✓ 6207	Garage	23, Westbury Road	Mr. W. P. Lawrence
✓ 6208	Six garages	Nether Street, Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.	Messrs. Barrett and Co.
✓ 6209	Two houses	Southway — Plots X723, X724	Messrs. W. S. Gibson.
✓ 6210	Garage	46 The Grove	Mr. F. L. Linsell.
✓ 6212	Store shed	29, Wentworth Avenue	Mr. E. J. Yeo.
✓ 6213	Glass verandah	36, Hillcourt Avenue	Mrs. Buss.
✓ 6214	Garage	New Road — Limes Estate	North Middlesex Gas Company.
✓ 6215	Garage	Llandio, The Ridgeway	Mrs. G. E. Williams
✓ 6216	Three houses	Hill Rise	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
✓ 6217	House	Hill Top	Mr. H. McFarland Davis.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6218	Five garages	Sedgemere Avenue	Mr. N. W. Cansick.
6219	Tool shed	16, Lambert Road	Mr. J. Dunks.
6220	Twelve houses	Creighton Avenue	Mr. E. N. Cansick.
6221	Shed	18, Courthouse Gardens	Mr. T. W. Slater.
6222	Garage	Rear of 3-5, Lodge Lane	Mr. W. A. G. Fowler.
*6223	90 houses	28 in Chesterfield Road and 62 in Milton Avenue. Forresters Estate.	Mr. G. C. Mosses.

*Subject to arrangements being made to the satisfaction of the Council providing for the spaces shown as "open spaces" being retained as such in perpetuity.

(b) that the under-mentioned plans be DISAPPROVED for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6171	Timber framed shed	High Road, Whetstone	Mr. W. H. Claringbull.
6205A	Shops and Flats	Woodhouse Road	Dr. Duncan.
6211	Covered Way	Braeside, Granville Road	Mr. F. Hawke.

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PART II

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 22 sets of plans have been received representing :-

HOUSES.	120.
GARAGES.	18.
MISCELLANEOUS.	7.

6171
1. 6. 27. Timber framed shed.
High Road, Whetstone.
Mr. W. H. Claringbull.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED. It was reported at the Town Planning Committee on the 30th May, 1927, that the above building had been erected without the submission of plans. The Public Health Committee on the 7th June, 1927, recommended that notice be served upon Mr. Claringbull to remove the structure within 14 days.

6171A
16. 7. 27. Store shed.
High Road, Whetstone.
Mr. W. H. Claringbull.
This plan is in order and MAY BE APPROVED. I understand it is the intention of Mr. Claringbull to remove the shed which forms the subject of Plan No. 6171, and erect this breeze slab shed in place thereof.

6183.
16. 7. 27. 4 houses.
Ossulton Way.
Oakwood Tenants Ltd.,
This plan which was disapproved at the last meeting of the Town Planning Committee is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.

6205
19. 7. 27. 8 houses.
Grove Road.
Dr. Duncan.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

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23. 7. 27. 2 garages.
Between 8-10, Westbury Road.
Mr. S. A. Towell and Mr. A. Taylor.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6207
6. 7. 27. Garage.
23, Westbury Road.
Mr. W. P. Lawrence.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED

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8. 7. 27. 6 garages.
Nether Street, Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13.
Messrs. Barrett & Co.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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Southway, Plots X723, X724.
Messrs. W. S. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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Garage.
46, The Grove.
Mr. F. L. Linsell,
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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Store shed.
29, Wentworth Avenue.
Mr. E. J. Yeo.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6213
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Glass verandah.
36, Hillcourt Avenue.
Mrs. Buss.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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16. 7. 27.
Garage.
New Road, Limes Estate.
North Middlesex Gas Co.,
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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18. 7. 27.
Garage.
Llandio, The Ridgeway,
Mrs. G. E. Williams.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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19. 7. 27.
Three houses.
Hill Rise.
Mr. G. C. Swanson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6217.
21. 7. 27.
House.
Hill Top.
Mr. H. McFarland Davis.
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Mr. T. W. Slater.
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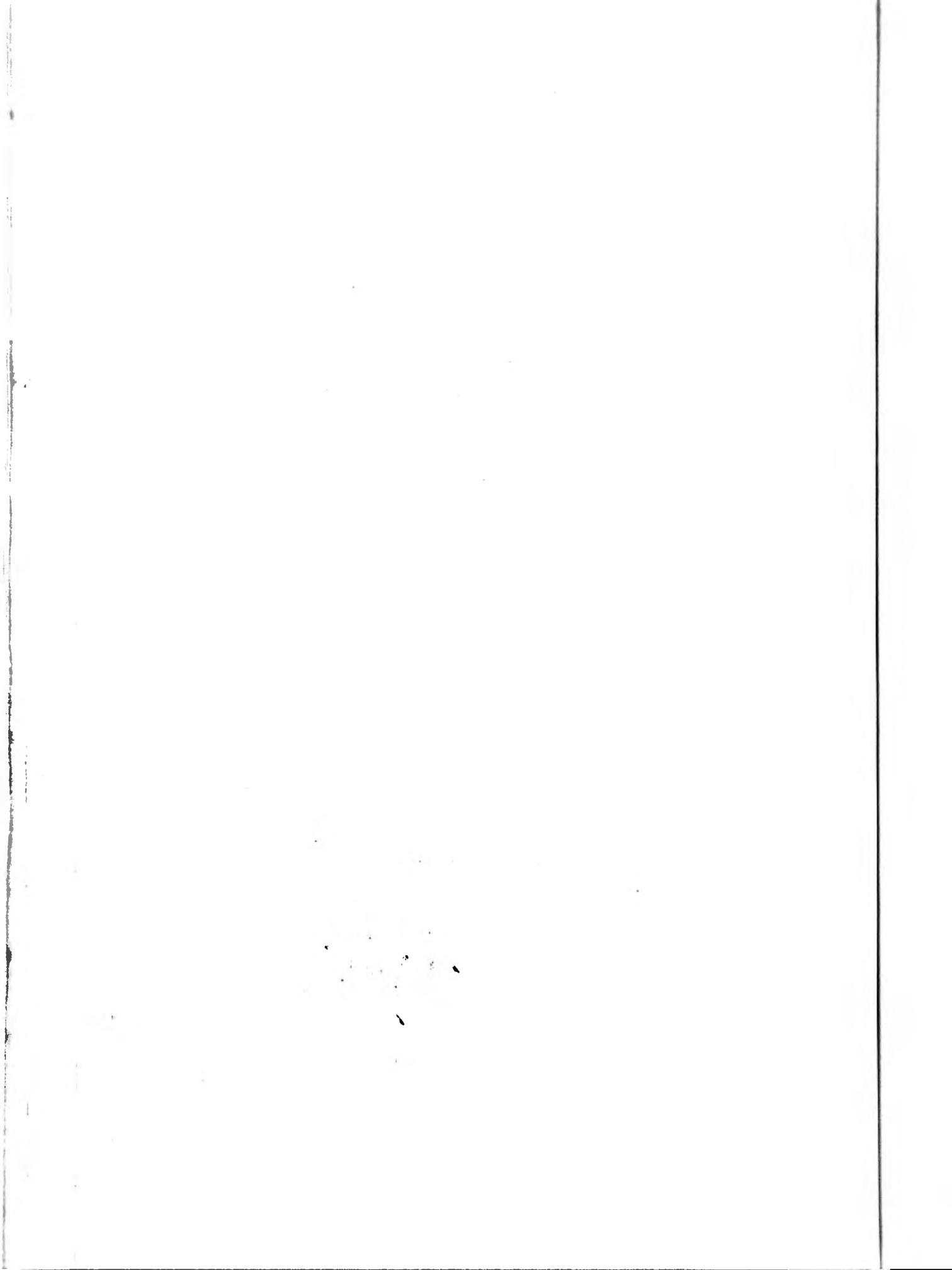
90 houses (22 in Chesterfield Road and 68
in Milton Avenue).
Forresters Estate.
Mr. G. C. Mosses.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

25TH JULY, 1927.

This (together with the two preceding pages)
is the report of the Surveyor referred to in
paragraph 632 of the Council Minutes of the
25th July 1927.

Perceval T. Harrison
Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

633 STREET WIDENINGS—EAST END ROAD—BY MANOR LODGE.—The Surveyor reported upon correspondence which he had had with Messrs. Rawlins, Culver & Co., the owner's agents, hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be instructed to inform them that, if their client will throw into the highway the land coloured pink on drawing No. 6229, the Council will be prepared—
- (1) to pay their client the sum of £50;
 - (2) to erect a wall or fence to the reasonable satisfaction of their client on the new line of frontage shown on the above plan;
 - (3) to make up the land as part of the highway free of cost to their client;
 - (4) to do nothing to the detriment of the tree marked "A" on the plan, except such pruning of the branches overhanging the highway as may be required from time to time to prevent obstruction;
 - (5) not at any time before the 1st January, 1947, to put into force any compulsory powers they may possess to acquire any of their client's land immediately north-east of the new line as shown on the above-mentioned plan;

the above arrangements to supersede and to be in substitution for the proviso relating to Manor Lodge and the strip coloured purple on the plan attached to the conveyance by Mr. Arden to the Council, dated 30th April, 1917, of the adjoining land now known as the "Arden Playing Fields";

- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to take all the necessary steps with regard to the conveyance to the Council of the strip of land in question;
- (c) that the documents be added to the list for sealing.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

634 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—EXPRESS DAIRY COMPANY'S FRONTAGE.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that he continue his negotiations and report further at the next meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee.

635 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—OPPOSITE TO MANOR PARADE.—The Surveyor reported hereon and submitted a letter, dated 18th July, 1927, together with plan, received from Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd.;

RECOMMENDED that the whole matter be referred to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee to deal with, subject to report.

636 NETHER STREET—ELM GRANGE ESTATE—RESTRICTIVE COVENANT.—Letter of the 16th July, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Hammond & Richards stating that their client, Mr. Todd, of Elm Grange, Nether Street, was making application under Section 84 of the Law of Property Act, 1925, for the removal of certain restrictions on land in Nether Street, and forwarding notice of such application. The Clerk reported on the matter and submitted communication, dated 22nd July, 1927, received by him from the Surveyor in regard thereto;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed (1) to deal with the application in accordance with the provisions of the Act; (2) to lodge formal objection on behalf of the Council at the opportune time.

637 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—NAMING OF.—Letter, dated 6th July, 1927, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council stating that at the last meeting of his Arterial Roads Sub-Committee the letter forwarded by this Council's Surveyor to the County Engineer, dated 29th ultimo, with regard to the designation of the above-mentioned road was duly considered; that the Sub-Committee had directed him to intimate that they were of opinion that the name "North Circular Road" should be given to the whole length of this arterial road having regard to its continuous nature;

RECOMMENDED that the suggestion of the County Council be approved.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

638 13, THE HAWTHORNS, REGENTS PARK ROAD, N. 3.—Letter, dated 14th July, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. D. H. Cox & Cole enclosing particulars of the above property and enquiring whether the Council desired to make an offer therefor;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded in the negative.

639 DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—The Clerk reported as follows:—

“ I have to report that Mrs. Dixon, the occupier of the premises known as Woodlea, Ballards Lane, refused access to her premises to the Officers of the Council for the purpose of carrying out the necessary works.

This being so, I had perforce to apply to the Magistrates at the Highgate Court for an Order to gain access to the premises. This was obtained on the 13th July, 1927, and the Court ordered Mrs. Dixon to pay £5 5s. costs to the Council.

After the service of such Order upon her, the Sanitary Inspector made a call upon Mrs. Dixon and arranged for her to allow him to enter the premises on the 19th July, 1927, for the purpose of commencing the work. Admission was accordingly asked for to the said premises on the 19th instant, but Mrs. Dixon failed to answer the door in response to the Sanitary Inspector's call, although he saw her inside the house. I deemed it necessary, therefore, to issue a summons against Mrs. Dixon for wilfully obstructing an Officer of the Council in the execution of his duty.

Such summons was heard at the Highgate Court on Friday, the 22nd instant, when the Magistrates imposed a fine of £2 and ordered Mrs. Dixon to pay three guineas costs.

On the 22nd instant Mrs. Dixon was informed of the Order made by the Court and was also advised that Mr. Franklin would call on Monday, the 25th instant, immediately after 9 o'clock and request admittance to the premises for the purpose of carrying out the necessary works.”

The Chief Sanitary Inspector reported that on the morning of the 25th instant he saw Mrs. Dixon and was refused access to the premises.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The Clerk further reported receipt of a letter, dated 23rd instant, from Mrs. Dixon, which he stated had been received in his office at 11.45 a.m. on the 25th instant, as follows :—

“ I am in receipt of yours of the 22nd inst., and note the contents. I desire to inform you that I am about to undertake the necessary drainage repairs to the Notice already given by your Council. I will at once enquire for estimates for the work to be carried out and as soon as they are received will put the matter in hand at once.”

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed and empowered to take, on behalf of the Council, such further steps in the matter as may be expedient or necessary for the carrying out of the works specified in the Council's notices served in this matter.

640 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER—BARNET BYE-PASS ROAD—EAST OF REGENTS PARK ROAD—E. C. ARDEN—BROOKSIDE WALK.—The Clerk reported as follows :—

“ It will be remembered that originally it was arranged that a strip of land forming part of the Arden Estate should be earmarked for a brookside walk, and that under the Town Planning (General Interim Development) Order, 1922, an Interim Development Order was made by the Council. On the plan attached to this Order a brookside walk is shown as terminating at the western boundary of the Barnet Bye-Pass Road where that road crosses the Mutton Brook. It will also be recollected that in the course of negotiations with the County Council and the owner of the Arden Estate, it was suggested that a strip of land (adjoining the land to be given up for a brookside walk) situate to the east of Regents Park Road, and to the south of the proposed arterial road, should be exchanged for the land forming the site of the Barnet Bye-Pass Road where it crosses the brookside walk. These negotiations, however, fell through, and the County Council served Notice to Treat upon this Council, and I understand upon the owner of the Arden Estate.

The Council then authorised me to endeavour to negotiate with the County Solicitor in regard to the matter, and he referred me to Mr. Firth, the Superintendent Valuation Officer, of Martlett House, Bow Street, W., upon whom I called on the 12th July, 1927.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Mr. Firth quite candidly admitted that compensation would be payable either to the owner of the Arden Estate or to the Council, or partly to one and partly to the other, and he stated that from an inspection which he had made of the plan deposited with the Ministry of Health, it did not appear that the site of the proposed arterial road at the point referred to, namely where it crosses the brook, was shown thereon as being part of the brookside walk. It was therefore a matter between the owner of the Arden Estate and the Council as to who should make the claim for compensation.

I have looked carefully into the matter, and am of the opinion that the following course is the best to take in the circumstances, viz.:—Ascertain:—

- (1) whether the owner of the Arden Estate intends to put in a claim for the site of the proposed Barnet Bye-Pass Road at the point where it crosses the brook, or whether he considers that a joint claim should be made by himself and the Council, or by the Council only;
- (2) whether the said owner would prefer that the claim should be made by himself, he undertaking to convey to the Council the strip of land in exchange for the site of the Barnet Bye-Pass Road, to which reference has been made previously.

The claim, by whomsoever made, should be lodged not later than the end of the present month."

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the whole matter be left to the Clerk to deal with;
- (2) that if necessary a claim on the lines suggested be made on behalf of the Council.

641 SUPPLY OF COKE—NORTH MIDDLESEX GAS COMPANY.—
The Clerk reported that the above Company had raised the following points on the draft contract:—

- (a) that the words "approximately 639 tons" should be inserted in the contract;
- (b) that the name of one of the Directors as a surety be inserted in the contract provided the clause relating to damages to be paid in the event of failure of performance be withdrawn.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that as regards (a) the words "not exceeding" be substituted for the word "approximately";
- (2) that as regards (b) the Clerk point out to the Company the statutory obligations upon the Council in the matter.

642 AVENUE HOUSE.—Letter, dated 22nd July, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Buckland & Sons giving notice that the present caretaker at the above property was being withdrawn and that they had given him one week's notice expiring on Saturday, the 30th July, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that the services of the caretaker be retained by the Council as from the date above-mentioned on the same terms as those at present existing.

643 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—It was reported that the Sub-Committee appointed to deal with this matter had met on the 23rd instant and had decided to place a contract for the whole of the work, with the exception of that portion to be carried out departmentally, with Messrs. Wm. Griffiths & Co. for the sum of £590, which would include the fencing and a provisional amount for erecting the Statue; that the estimated cost of the work to be carried out departmentally was £120, making a total of £710; and that the Sub-Committee were of opinion that it would be courteous to acquaint Lord Rothermere of this estimate, although they thought that instructions should be given at once for the work to be put in hand without waiting for any further letter from His Lordship's agent, bearing in mind the terms of his letter of the 19th June, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action of the Sub-Committee be approved;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to notify Lord Rothermere's agent of the acceptance by the Council of Messrs. Wm. Griffiths & Co.'s tender and of their intention to proceed with the work;
- (c) that the contract with Messrs. Wm. Griffiths & Co. be added to the list of documents for sealing;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (d) that the Clerk ascertain whether the insurance on the Statue lapses as soon as it is removed from its present place of storage;
- (e) that the Clerk also obtain authority from Lord Rothermere's agent for a representative of the Surveyor's Department to inspect the Statue and pedestal where it is now stored.

644 ST. BARNABAS' HALL—GAINSBOROUGH ROAD.—A petition was submitted signed by fifteen ratepayers in Holden Road, Gainsborough Road and Avondale Avenue, protesting against the building of the above-mentioned hall, which they stated might cause a serious depreciation in the value of their respective properties. The Surveyor reported that the plan of the building in question was approved finally by the Council on the 28th February, 1927; that the new hall was on the site of the old building of the same character; and that the architect had informed him that the windows of the building were to be glazed with arctic obscured glass;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to forward a suitable reply to the petitioners on the lines of the report of the Surveyor above-mentioned.

645 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND—PUTTING GREEN.—

RECOMMENDED that the following rules in connexion with the above be adopted by the Council:—

“The Rules of Golf with respect to Putting Greens apply:—

Players must exercise all due care in the use of the course, clubs and other equipment.

Any ball going out of bounds will be re-played from the position where the stroke was made, with a penalty of 1 stroke.

Tee strokes must not be played in front of the starting arrows.

Flags must be carefully removed, and must be replaced with the numbers facing their respective tees.

Clubs and balls supplied by the Council must be returned to the Attendant at the end of the game, or if broken or lost must be paid for.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Every person must, before commencing play, obtain the necessary ticket from the Attendant-in-Charge, such ticket to be shewn at any time on demand by any authorised servant of the Council.

Any player misbehaving, or in any way interfering with the play of another player, must, if requested to do so by the Attendant, immediately leave the green and forfeit the ticket.

Not more than 8 strokes for any one hole will be allowed.

Not more than 4 players to be playing into one hole.

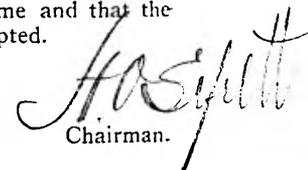
No persons other than players are allowed on the course."

646 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—BEDINGHAM AND ANOTHER TO THE COUNCIL—PREMISES—8, COURT HOUSE ROAD.— Letter, dated 23rd July, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett stating that they had been requested by the purchaser's agents to ask if their client might, after the contract was signed, have possession of the above premises for the purpose only of carrying out, at her own risk and expense, the necessary decorations and repairs;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto by the Council.

647 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.


Chairman.

26th September 1927.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

5th September, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, H. O. Syrett, and Wade.

648 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

649 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

650 TOWN PLANNING.—

(a) Scheme No. 1.—It was reported that a meeting of the Town Planning Sub-Committee had been held that evening, when there were present Councillor Pike (Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, Knowlman, H. O. Syrett and Wade; that the Sub-Committee had discussed the suggested provisions of the draft Scheme and had carefully considered the model clauses prepared by the Ministry of Health;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk and the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the preparation of the draft Scheme on the lines indicated to them by the Sub-Committee, and to submit such draft to the next meeting of this Committee for consideration.

(b) Scheme No. 2.—

(1) Public Inquiry.—It was reported that the Ministry of Health had intimated that an Inspector of the Department would hold a Public Inquiry into the matter of the Council's application for approval of the Preliminary Statement on Tuesday, the 13th September, 1927; and that due notice of such Inquiry had been given to the public, in accordance with the Ministry's requirements.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (2) Aerial Survey.—The Surveyor reported that he had received the remainder of the photographs from Messrs. Aerofilms, Ltd., and that he was pleased to state that the firm had completed their Contract in a very satisfactory manner.

(c) North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee.—

- (1) A circular letter was submitted forwarding a copy of the Minutes of a meeting of this Committee held on the 19th July, 1927, and asking that consideration should be given to the following resolutions passed at such meeting :—

- (i) " That a communication be addressed to the Minister of Health urging the necessity for the amendment of the Town Planning Act with a view to enabling built-up areas to be included in Town Planning Schemes.
- (ii) That Constituent Authorities be asked to urge Members of Parliament for their districts to use their influence with a view to parliamentary time being made available for the introduction of a Bill empowering local authorities to deal with the town planning of built-up areas."

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that this Council support the foregoing resolutions;
- (b) that the Clerk communicate with the local Member of Parliament in accordance with (ii) above.
- (2) It was also reported that the Joint Committee had appointed a Ways and Means Committee, consisting of seven members, to consider questions of difficulty arising on the application of the Joint Committee's proposal, and that the Chairman of this Council's Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee had been elected a member thereof.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE.

5th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

REQUISITION - 8th. SEPTEMBER TO 6th. OCTOBER, 1927.

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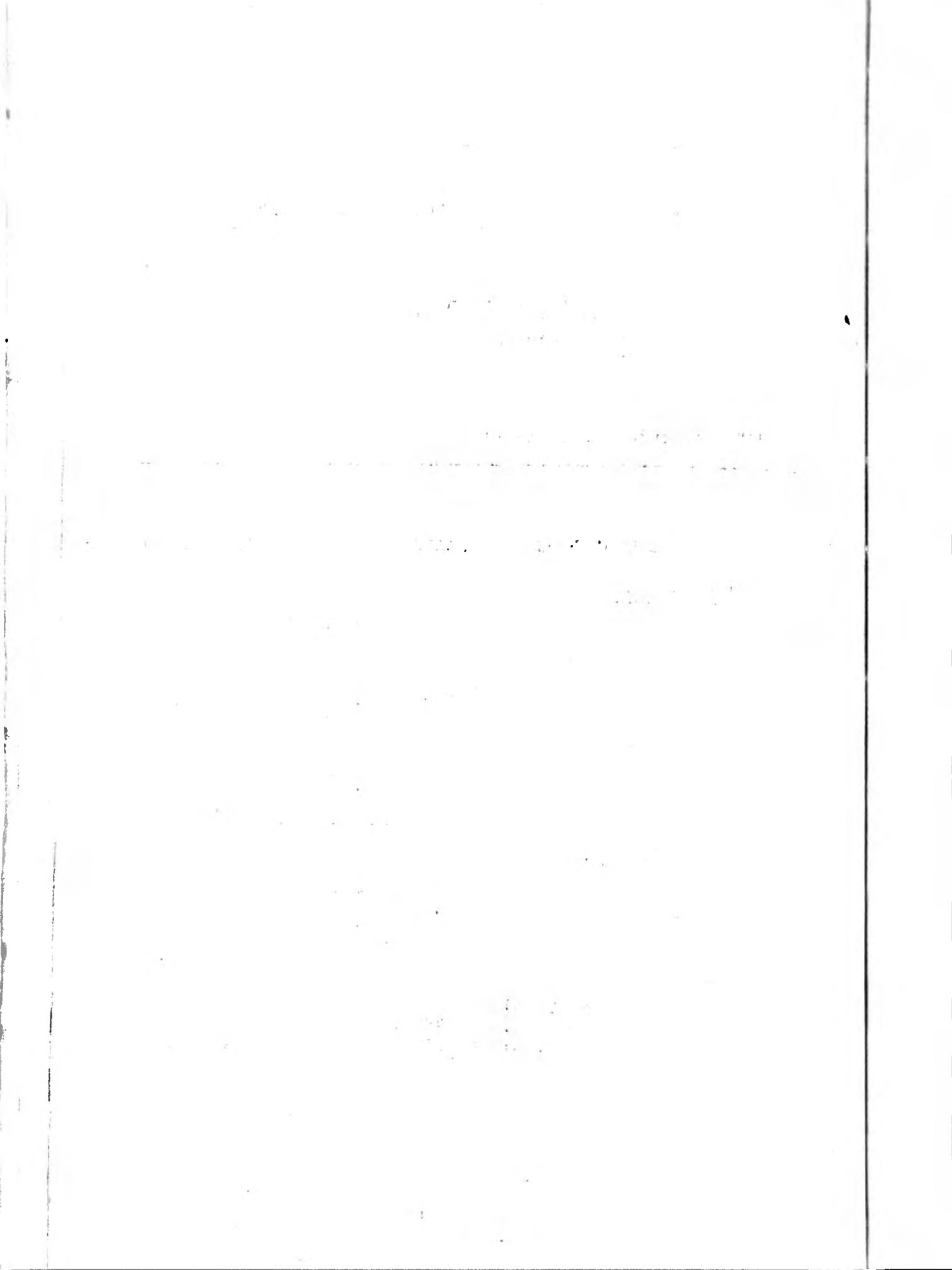
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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 649 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's Report of the 5th September 1927.

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

11. SEPTEMBER 1927.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

651 OPEN SPACES.—

(a) Glebe Land.—

- (i) Sites G, D, and E.—Letters were submitted from (a) the Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries, approving the Council's proposal to appropriate (1) 11.75 acres of Site G (existing allotment land) for playing fields, and (2) a similar area comprised in Sites D and E (playing fields) for allotment gardens; (b) the Ministry of Health, intimating that the Minister was prepared to approve such appropriations.
- (ii) Finchley Football Club's Tenancy.—A letter was submitted from the Finchley Football Club making application for renewal of their tenancy at above, which would expire on the 29th September, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such tenancy be renewed for one year from the 30th September, 1927, on the same terms and conditions as are at present in force;
 - (2) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary agreement.
- (b) Arden Playing Field.—The Clerk reported that application had been made by the Old Finchleians' Football Club for the use of a football pitch at above during the ensuing season, and that on the instructions of the Chairman of the Committee he had informed the Secretary of the Club that, subject to confirmation by the Council, the Club were granted the use of the pitch on the Briarfield Avenue side of the field, at a rental of £20 and on the same conditions as were in force last season;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

(c) Brook Farm.—

- (i) Appropriation of land for highways purposes.—Referring to paragraph 1552 (2) (a) of the Committee's report of the 7th February, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter from the Ministry of Health forwarding formal approval to the appropriation for highways purposes of 656 square yards of land originally acquired for public walks and pleasure grounds.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (ii) Football Pitches.—Referring to paragraph 466 (3) of this Committee's report of the 4th July, 1927, it was reported that the Albertians F.C. did not propose to use the pitch at above which had been allotted to them by the Council, and that such pitch had therefore been let to the Finchley Harlech F.C. for the ensuing season, at a rental of 15/-;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

652 PLAN No. 6205a—PROPOSED SHOPS AND FLATS, WOODHOUSE ROAD.—A letter was submitted from Dr. N. A. Duncan asking to be informed of the reason for the disapproval of the above plan, and stating that he failed to understand why the Council should entirely reject his proposal without suggesting some modification;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that under the Council's Town Planning Scheme No. 2, the erection of shops in that particular area is not permitted.

653 PROPOSED CONVERSION — SOUTHERNWOOD, BALLARDS LANE.—A communication was submitted from Mr. Arthur K. Edwards, the intending purchaser of the above premises, stating that he proposed to use the front ground floor room as an estate office;

RECOMMENDED that the Council raise no objection thereto subject to the applicant's agreeing (1) not to make any display in the window of the room to be used as an estate office, and (2) to submit to the Surveyor of the Council any notice proposed to be erected outside the premises.

654 LAND—LEOPOLD ROAD, CHURCH LANE AND LESLIE ROAD.—A letter was submitted from Mr. W. A. Fleming referring to the Council's requirement on approving the lay-out of the above land that certain portions of the land should remain permanently as open spaces in order that the density of the houses erected elsewhere on the estate should conform to the Council's Town Planning Scheme, and stating that in consequence thereof he had been unable to complete the projected sale of the land;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the previous decision of the Council in this matter be re-affirmed.

655 ST. BARNABAS' HALL, GAINSBOROUGH ROAD.—The Clerk reported that he had duly replied to the petition, submitted by ratepayers in Holden Road, Gainsborough Road and Ayondale Avenue with reference to the above hall, as instructed at the last meeting of the Council, and that he had now received a letter from Mr. W. Rosselli, one of the signatories;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that the Council have nothing to add to their previous communication on the subject.

656 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD (No. 1) ORDER.—
BARNET BYE-PASS ROAD—EAST OF REGENTS PARK RD.—
E. C. ARDEN—BROOKSIDE WALK.—

The Clerk referred to his report on this matter at the last meeting of the Council, and further reported (1) that, as instructed, he had subsequently lodged a claim, amounting to £1,220, with the Middlesex County Council as follows:—

For the land being the subject of the Notice to Treat served upon the Council on the 25th May, 1927	£720
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For compensation for damage that may be sustained by the Council by reason of the formation, construction or improvement of the Barnet Bye-Pass Road, the sum of	£500
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(2) as to correspondence with Messrs. Rawlins, Culver and Co., the Agents for the Arden Estate; (3) upon the telephonic conversation which he had that day had with the latter; and (4) correspondence with the Superintending Valuer (North London Division) on the subject of the claim;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Clerk in the matter be approved.

657 HOARDING—CHURCH END RAILWAY BRIDGE.—The Clerk reported that he had written to the London and North-Eastern Railway Company hereon, as instructed at the last meeting of the Council, and that he had received a letter from the Company's Surveyor promising to communicate with the Council after making enquiries.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

658 PROPOSED SALVATION ARMY CITADEL—TALLY HO! CORNER.—The Surveyor reported on correspondence which he had had with Mr. C. Archer, Surveyor to the Salvation Army Authorities, relative to a proposal to erect a citadel on a site near Tally Ho! Corner;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to communicate with Mr. Archer pointing out the disadvantages attaching to the site for such purpose.

659 13, ALEXANDRA GROVE.—The Surveyor reported that before the above-mentioned premises could be finally passed as fit for human habitation the following matters would require attention, viz. :—

- (1) Leak in soil drain between intercepting manhole and manhole at rear to be rectified;
- (2) Benching in all manholes to be made good and re-rendered;
- (3) Gulley on washdown at rear of garage which is at present connected to the soil drain to be disconnected and a new connection made with the surface water drain.

The Surveyor further stated that as regards No. 3, the connection was not shown on the deposited plan, and that it had been made without the knowledge of his Department, this being contrary to the Council's Bye-Laws;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Public Health Committee for necessary action.

660 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

661 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

RECOMMENDED that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

Amended

No. of Plan.	Premises	Where situate	Owner
✓ 6224	Garage	St. Michael's, Hendon Lane	Dr. H. L. de Caux.
✓ 6225	One house	Plot X595, Middleway	Mr. L. C. Gibson.
✓ 6227	Glass house	Rear of 27, Hayward Road	Mr. T. W. Dunkley.
✓ 6228	Potting shed and garage	Lytellton Road	Horticult, Ltd.
✓ 6229	Tool shed	23, Clifton Avenue	Mr. E. B. Verney.
✓ 6230	Extension to Holly Park Garage	Holly Park	Holly Park Garage Company.
✓ 6231	Garage	0, Fortis Green	Mr. C. M. Osbond.
✓ 6232	Conversion into two flats	House known as 18, Hendon Lane	Mr. R. Gillet.
✓ 6233	Garage	65, Birley Road	Messrs. A. J. Harris and Sons.
✓ 6234	Garage	20, Willow Way	Mr. C. C. Redmill.
✓ 6235	Additional W.C.	14, King's Parade, Ballards Lane	Messrs. Parkes.
✓ 6236	One house with garage	Regents Park Road	Mr. W. Armitage.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6237	Garage	Rear of house on plot 75, Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6238	Alterations and Additions	Ogmore House, Regents Park Rd.	Mrs. F. Nigel.
✓ 6239	Extension to Library	Rear of 91, High St., North Finchley	Messrs. Burnside, Ltd.
✓ 6240	Covered Way	4, The Laurels, Ballards Lane	Mr. W. Browning.
✓ 6241	One house	Plot 51, Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6242	Covered Way	Rear of 6, Park Parade, High Road, North Finchley	Mr. A. Yates.
✓ 6243	Garage	8, Essex Park	Mr. A. Ibbetson.
✓ 6246	Cycle Shed	Rear of 1, Rosemont Villas, Ballards Lane	Mr. J. H. Pearson.
✓ 6247	Coal Shed	17, Willow Way	Mr. S. B. Robertsun.
✓ 6248	Two garages	The Bungalow, Clarence Gardens	Mr. W. Brewer.
✓ 6249	Garage	Christ Church Vicarage	The Rev. E. Thompson.
✓ 6250	Tool Shed	Rear of 12, St. Margaret's Avenue	Mr. R. H. Wallis.
✓ 6251	Conservatory	Braeside, Granville Road	Mr. F. Hawke.
✓ 6252	Two garages	Rear of Nazeby and Aberlynn, East End Road	Mr. S. J. Doo and E. C. Beman.
✓ 6254	Garage	8, St. Mary's Avenue	Mr. T. Watts.
✓ 6255	Two houses	Plots X596 & X597, Middleway	Mr. L. C. Gibson.
✓ 6256	Two houses	Plots X776 & X777, Litchfield Way	Mr. F. Wood.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE.

5th. September 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 23 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	7
ALTERATIONS AND ADDEDIONS	5
GARAGES	8
MISCELLANEOUS	6

6224
 27. 7. 27 Garage
 St. Michael's, Hendon Lane,
 Dr. H. L. de Caux,
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6225.
 26. 7. 27. One House,
 Plot N. 595, Middleway,
 Mr. D. C. Gibson,
 This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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 2. 8. 27. 4 Houses.
 Deans Way,
 The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.,
 This Plan SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED as there are
 no sewerage facilities yet available.

6227.
 2. 8. 27. Glass House,
 Rear of 27, Hayward Road,
 Mr. T. W. Dunkley,
 This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6228.
 2. 8. 27. Potting Shed and Garage,
 Lyttelton Road,
 Horticult Ltd.,
 This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6229.
 3. 8. 27. Tool Shed,
 28, Clifton Avenue,
 Mr. E. B. Verney,
 This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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 3. 8. 27. Extension to Holly Park Garage,
 Holly Park,
 Holly Park Garage Company,
 This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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12. 8. 27. 9, Fortis Green,
Mr. G. M. Osbond,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6232. Conversion into two flats
15. 8. 27. House known as 18, Hendon Lane,
Mr. R. Gillet,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6233. Garage,
16. 8. 27. 65, Pirley Road,
Messrs. A. J. Harris & Sons,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6234. Garage,
20, Willow Way,
Mr. C. C. Redmill,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6235. Additional W.C.
17. 8. 27. 14, King's Parade,
Ballards Lane,
Messrs. Parkes,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6236. One House with Garage,
18. 8. 27. Regents Park Road,
Mr. W. Armitage,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6237. Garage,
18. 8. 27. Rear of House on
Plot 75, Ridgeway,
Messrs. Burdett & May,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6238. Alterations and Additions,
19. 8. 27. Ogmere House,
Regents Park Road,
Mrs. F. Nigel,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6239. Extension to Library,
18. 8. 27. Rear of 91, High Street,
North Finchley,
Messrs. Burnside Ltd.,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6240. Covered Way,
23. 8. 27. 4, The Laurels,
Ballards Lane,
Mr. W. Bräwning,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6241. One House,
23. 8. 27. Plot 51, Ridgeway,
Messrs. Burdett & May,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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26. 8. 27. Garage,
8, Essex Park,
Mr. A. Ibbotson,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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22. 8. 27. Play House,
Joan's Cot, Limes Avenue,
for Mr. J. E. P. Jackson.
This Plan is incomplete
AND SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

6245.
26. 8. 27. Workshop and Cycle Shed.
Rear of 10, Ingle Villas,
Woodhouse Road,
Mr. W. R. Hill,
This Plan is incomplete
AND SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

6247.
29. 8. 27. Coal Shed,
17, Willow Way,
Mr. S. B. Robertsun,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6248.
29. 8. 27. Two Garages,
The Dunselow,
Clarendon Gardens,
Mr. W. Brewer,
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1st. September, 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE.
5th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 14 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	6.
GARAGES	5.
MISCELLANEOUS	6.
NEW ROAD AND SEWERS	1.

6242.
2.8.27. Covered way,
rear of 6, Park Parade,
High Road, North Finchley.
Mr. A. Yates,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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27.8.27. Cycle Shed,
rear of 1, Rosemont Villas,
Ballards Lane,
Mr. J. H. Pearson,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6249.
27.8.27. Garage,
Christ Church Vicarage,
The Rev. E. Thompson,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6250.
31. 8. 27. Tool Shed,
rear of 12, St. Margaret's Avenue,
Mr. R. H. Wallis,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6251.
31. 8. 27. Conservatory,
Braeside, Granville Road,
Mr. F. Hawke,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6252.
2.9.27. Two Garages,
rear of Nazaby and Aberlynn, East End Road,
Mr. S. J. Doo and E. C. Beman,
This Plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6253.
2. 9. 27. Club Room,
rear of Congregational Church, Victoria Avenue,
The Trustees of the Church End Finchley Congregational Church
This Plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

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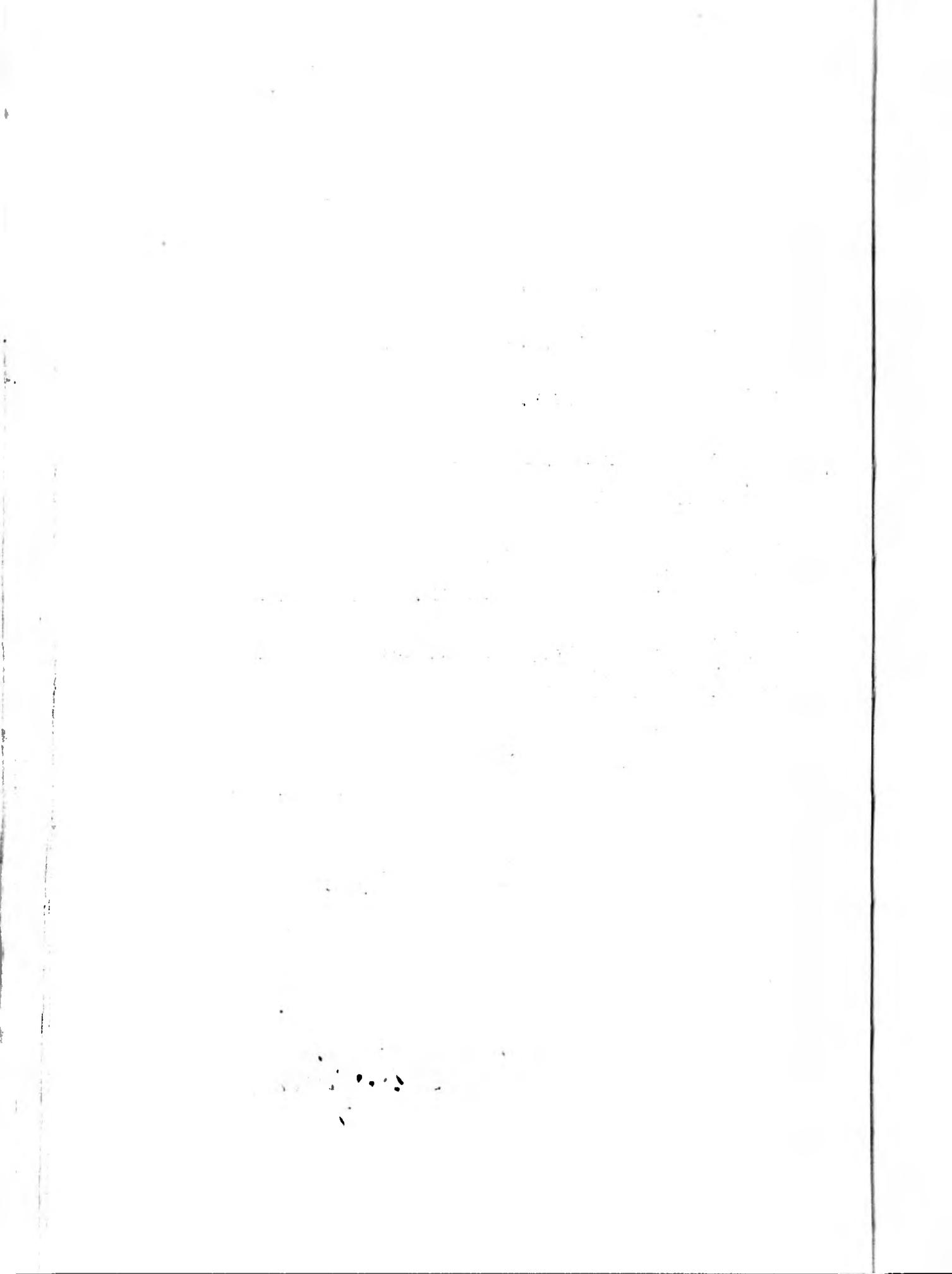
6254. Garage.
2. 9. 27. 6, St. Mary's Avenue.
Mr. T. Wallis
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6255. 2 houses.
2. 9. 27. Plots X 596 and X 597, Middleway.
Mr. L. C. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6256. 2 houses.
2. 9. 27. Plots X 776 and X 777, Litchfield Way.
Mr. F. Wood.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6257. Garage.
2. 9. 27. Rear of "Thorpe" Trinity Avenue.
Mr. A. Christian.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6258. New road and sewers.
2. 9. 27. From Hill Top to Ossulton Way.
The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6259. 2 houses.
5. 9. 27. High Road, East Finchley, north of Lewis Gardens.
Messrs. M & E. Tennant.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6260. Extension of garage.
5. 9. 27. Rear of 4, Woodside Avenue.
Mr. J. R. Robertson.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 661 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 5th September 1927.

J. S. Pratt
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6257	Garage	Rear of Thorpe, Trinity Avenue	Mr. A. Christian.
6259	Two houses	High Road, East Finchley, North of Lewis Gardens	Messrs. M. & E. Tennant.

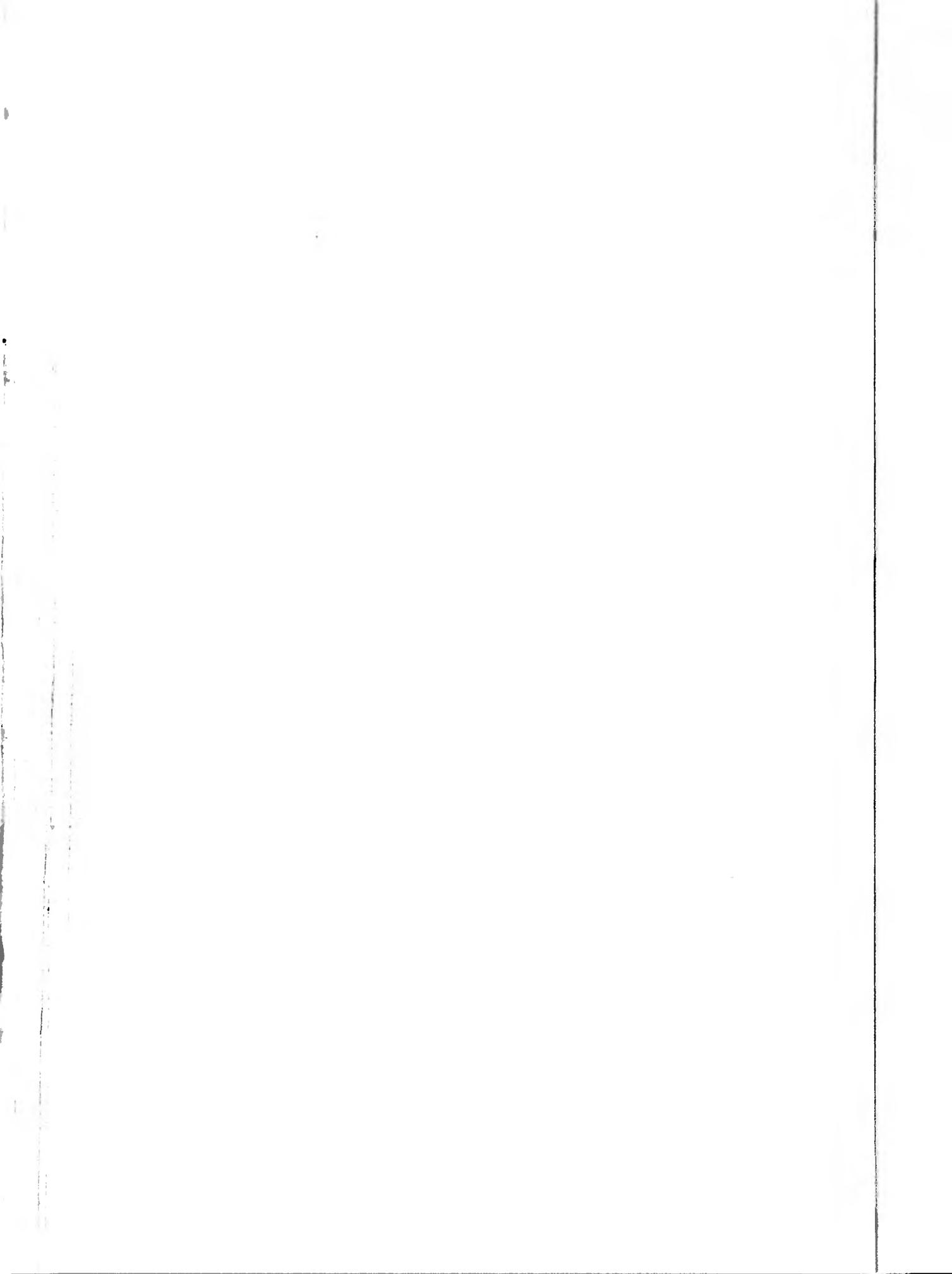
(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6226	Four houses	Deans Way	The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6244	Play House	Joan's Cot, Limes Avenue	Mr. J. H. P. Jackson
✓ 6245	Workshop and cycle shed	Rear of 10, Ingle Villas, Woodhouse Road.	Mr. W. R. Hill.
✓ 6253	Club Room	Rear of Congregational Church, Victoria Avenue	The Trustees of the Church End Finchley Congregational Church.
✓ 6258	New road and sewers	From Hill Top to Ossulton Way	The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6260	Extension of garage	Rear of 4, Woodside Avenue	Mr. J. R. Robertson.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

6th September, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

662 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

663 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

664 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 6th September, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Briant, Pike, and Ryan and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Reeves, and Mrs. C. S. Syrett.

(a) MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE—GRANT—WRIGHT-KINGSFORD HOME FOR CHILDREN.—The Clerk submitted letter received from the Honorary Secretary of the above Home enclosing duplicate of application forwarded to the Minister of Health for a grant for the year 1927-28. A copy of the twenty-eighth report of the Home for the year ended 31st March, 1927, was also submitted.

(b) MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the nine weeks ended 27th August, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

(c) REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Annexed 665 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the nine weeks ended 27th August, 1927, was submitted. Arising thereout :—

- (a) Health Week.—The Medical Officer of Health reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that, in lieu of holding a " Health Week " in 1927, authority be given to the Medical Officer of Health to arrange for a series of talks and exhibitions of " Health Films " for adults and children to be given in the Council schools during the coming Winter.

- (b) Public Health Department—Clerical Staff.—The Medical Officer reported that Miss Alder had resigned as from the 8th October, 1927. The Committee decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee as follows :—

- (1) that Miss Gladys Batty—at present School Medical Clerk—be appointed to the post of Clerk in the Public Health Department as from the 1st October, 1927, at a salary of £2 a week and that she be allotted the designated post vacated by Miss Alder ;
- (2) that the vacancy created by Miss Batty's promotion be filled by Miss Dinning—a recommendation as to which will be submitted by the Education Committee.
- (3) that a Junior Clerk (female) be appointed in place of Miss Dinning at a salary of 15s. a week from the 1st October, 1927 ;
- (4) that the appointment be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Committee subject to report ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

Annexed 666 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout :—

- (a) Plot of Land between Nos. 2 and 6, Hervey Close, N. 3.—The Inspector reported that a complaint, signed by ten residents in the said neighbourhood, had been received

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH. SEPTEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 27TH. SEPTEMBER TO 23RD. OCTOBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated Amt. of cost.			Est. £.	Amt. of Req. already passed.			
		£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.	
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>									
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>									
39.	1 load firewood.	1.	15.	0.	}	80.	11.	2.	0.
40.	20 tons coke.	30.	0.	0.					
41.	4 tons coal.	7.	2.	0.					
42.	1 gall. engine oil.		2.	9.					
43.	1 doz. packets glitto.		2.	6.					
44.	1 doz. gas mantles.		4.	6.	}	52.	20.	6.	0.
45.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.	0.					
46.	Repairs to No.1 van.	10.	5.	0.	}	25	2.	11.	6.
47.	48 feet of rough boarding.		6.	6.					
		50.	8.	3.					
<u>General.</u>									
48.	1 smock.	1.	6.	9.	30.	2.	3.	4.	
49.	½ cwt. dog biscuits.		14.	6.	30.		14.	6.	
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PINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 8th. SEPTEMBER to 6th. OCTOBER 1927.

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"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.	Item. No.	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD	3786 4 11		
431	1	1 Transfer from stores Carbolic Acid	2	2	6
432		1 ton Carbolic Powder	6	17	6
433	2	Refuse Removal - September	483	16	8
434	3	<u>PIPING</u> - Team labour	20	0	0
435	5	do. wages	12	0	0
436	6	<u>TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS</u> †			
		do. do.	33	0	0
437	10	<u>SEWAGE FEMUR STATION</u>			
437		WAGES	50	0	0
438		Electricity and Supervision	35	1	4
439	0	Overhaul and repair engine	2	10	0
440		130 gallons petroleum	4	17	6
441		5 " engine oil	16	6	3
	13	<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>			
442		Wages	85	0	0
443		Gas	6	10	11
444		Water	12	19	2
445		Electricity	5	6	4
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1st. SEPTEMBER 1927.

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FINCKLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

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REQUISITION - 8th. SEPTEMBER TO 6th. OCTOBER 1927.

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Req. No.	Item. No.			
457	1	Wages	90	0 0
458	2	Transfer from Stores - old wood blocks	3	9 5
459	3	Water	8	3 11
460	4	Electricity	15	5 5
461	5	1 cwt Chloride of Lime	17	0
462	6 0	Repair lead flat over laundry	14	7
463	8 0	Adjust pump	13	0
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			£ 1041	0 7

PERGIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1st. SEPTEMBER 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 663 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th September 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the nine weeks ended the 27th August, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

2nd September, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows :-

	<u>1927.</u>			<u>1926.</u>		
	<u>North East Finch.</u>	<u>East Finch. End.</u>	<u>North East Finch.</u>	<u>East Finch. End.</u>	<u>North East Finch.</u>	<u>East Finch. End.</u>
1. ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.						
Children under 2 yrs.	587	646	371	-	-	-
Children over 2 yrs.	101	66	88	-	-	-
Total attendances.	688	712	459	570	688	-
Number seen by doctor.	280	235	191	-	-	-
New Babies.	24	38	34	21	34	-
2. ATTENDANCES AT CRECHE.						
	<u>1927.</u>			<u>1926.</u>		
Total attendances.	862			682		
Average attendance per day.	29			23		
Receipts from mothers.	£29. 9. 6.			£25. 10. 4.		
3. ATTENDANCES AT ANTENATAL CLINIC.						
(4 sessions.)	60			31		

I am, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
This is the report of the Medical Officer referred to in paragraph 664 (b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th September 1927.

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

A. Turner
Chairman.

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FINGHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 6TH. SEPT. 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 27TH. SEPT. TO 28TH. NOVEMBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost.			Amt. of Est.	Amt. of Req. already passed.		
		£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
<u>CRèches.</u>								
24.	Food - October & November.	50.	0.	0.	325.	160.	0.	0.
<u>CENTRES.</u>								
25.	4 tablecloths.	1.	4.	0.	40.	18.	14.	9.
26.	1 cupboard.	4.	0.	0.				
27.	1 screen.	1.	4.	0.				
28.	Grant to Royal Northern.	20.	0.	0.	20.	-	-	-
		<u>26. 8. 0.</u>						
<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL.</u>								
29.	Cleaning materials- October & November.	4.	0.	0.	140.	11.	0.	0.
30.	8 tons coal.	14.	4.	0.				
31.	9 tons coke.	13.	10.	0.				
32.	6 tons anthracite.	19.	7.	0.				
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THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

BOURCHIER HOUSE- GENERAL.

33.	Gas - June Quarter.	9.	0.	5.	140.	11.	0.	0.
34.	Repairs to boiler.	15.	0.	0.				
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35.	3 pairs rubber gloves.	7.	6.	10.	5.	15.	6.
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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 664 (c) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th September 1927.

H. Smith
Chairman.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH. SEPTEMBER, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the nine weeks ended
the 27th. August, 1927.

Public Health Dept.,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

2nd. September, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

Population census 1921-46,716.

	<u>Wards.</u>			<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
	<u>N.</u>	<u>E.</u>	<u>W.</u>		
1. <u>DEATHS.</u>					
Number	16	10	19	45	55
Infants under one year.....	-	-	-	-	1
Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	-
2. <u>BIRTHS.</u>					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Act.	40	30	33	103	110
3. <u>INFECTIOUS DISEASE.</u>					
Number of cases notified				51	25
Scarlet Fever.....	2	3	6	11	17
Diphtheria.....	8	1	2	11	4
Pneumonia.....	-	1	2	3	-
Erysipelas.....	1	-	1	2	2
Typhoid Fever	1	-	2	3	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	-	1	-	1	-
4. <u>TUBERCULOSIS.</u>					
Pulmonary cases.....	4	-	4	8	6
Non-Pulmonary cases	1	1	-	2	2
5. <u>PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.</u>					
Number in hospital on the 1st. July.....				7	16
Number admitted.....				23	25
Number discharged				14	32
Number of deaths				-	-
Number in hospital on the 2nd. September				16	9

6. PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT. - CLERICAL STAFF.
I will report on this matter at your meeting.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

This is the report
of the Medical Officer
of Health referred to
in paragraph 665 of the
Public Health Committee's
Report of the 6th September 1927.

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

A. S. Smith
Chairman.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
Regents Park Road, N.3.

End September, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) HOUSING ACT, 1925 - CLOSING ORDER.

Ivy Cottage, Red Lion Hill, N.2.

Since the last meeting of your Committee the above house has been inspected by the Medical Officer of Health and myself and the owner's agents, Messrs. Randall, Cox & Baker, have been supplied with a schedule of the works which are necessary to render the premises fit for human habitation.

(2) PLOT OF LAND BETWEEN NOS. 2 & 6, HERVEY CLOSE, N.3.

A complaint signed by 10 residents in the neighbourhood of Hervey Close, N.3. has been received regarding the condition of the above plot of land.

The matter has been investigated and it has been found that no nuisance exists within the meaning of the Public Health Acts.

(3) INSPECTION OF PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

In accordance with the suggestion of the Minister of Health, I have to report that the places of public entertainment in the district have been inspected, and, as a result, the following defects were discovered:-

New Bohemia Cinema, N.3.

Flushing cistern to w.c. out of order.

Defective flushing arm joint to w.c. in women's convenience.

Defective flushing arm joint to w.c. in men's convenience.

Finchley Dance Hall, Great North Road.

Flushing cistern to w.c. in women's convenience out of order.

St. Albans Hall, Dale Grove.

Defective flushing arm joint to w.c. in men's convenience.

Farnbank Hall, Hendon Lane.

Choked trap to wastepipe of lavatory basin in men's convenience.

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Defective flushing arm joint to w.c. in men's convenience.
Defective seat to w.c. in women's convenience.
St. Kilda, United Services Club, Dale Grove.
Flushing cistern to w.c. in women's convenience out of order.
Outlet to urinal of men's convenience dirty.
King Edward Hall, N.3.
Defective fixing of seat to w.c. in artistes' dressing
room.

The above-mentioned defects have been remedied and the result of the inspection has been communicated to the Middlesex County Council.

(4) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923.

The following samples of designated milk have been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

(a) Date. 29th June, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Pasteurised milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.2.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample passes the requirements for Pasteurised milk.

(b) Date. 29th June, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Pasteurised milk taken from the Express Dairy Co. Ltd. College Farm, Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report

This sample passes the requirements for Pasteurised milk.

(c) Date. 29th June, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.2.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample passes the standard for Certified milk.

(d) Date. 25th July, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.2.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample passes the required of Certified milk.

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(e) Date. 25th July, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Express Dairy Co.Ltd., College Farm, Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample passes the bacterial standards required of Certified milk.

(f) Date. 25th July, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy Co.,Ltd., 39, High Road, N.2.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample passes the bacterial standards required of Certified milk.

(g) Date. 26th July, 1927.

Sample. 1 quart of Certified milk taken from the A.1. & Dollis Dairies, Ltd., 5, Cornwall Parade, Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample fails to pass the bacterial standards required of Certified milk.

(h) Date. 22nd August, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Express Dairy Co.Ltd., College Farm, Finchley, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report.

A very good sample of Certified milk.

(i) Date. 22nd August, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the A.1. & Dollis Dairies, Ltd. 5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample fails to pass the required standard inasmuch as it contains an excessive number of bacteria and the Bacillus Coli is present in 0.1 c.c.

(j) Date. 22nd August, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., 39, High Road, East Finchley.

Bacteriologists' Report.

This sample contains few bacteria but it fails to pass the required standard for Certified milk inasmuch as it contains the Bacillus Coli in 0.1 c.c.

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(k) Date. 22nd August, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley.

Bacteriologists' Report.

A very good sample of Certified milk.

(5) UN SOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

1 Forequarter (19 stones 2 lbs.)	Tuberculosis.
3 Heads and Tongues.	"
8 Sets of Lungs.	"
3 Livers.	"
4 Mesenteries.	"
1 Head & Tongue.	Other Diseases.
9 Livers.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	"

Swine.

2 Carcasses and Offal.	Tuberculosis.
32 Heads.	"
1 Hindquarter.	"
1 Shoulder.	"
12 Plucks.	"
4 Sets of Lungs.	"
3 Livers.	"
60 Mesenteries.	"
6 Spleens.	"
3 Carcasses and Offals.	Other Diseases.
1½ Heads.	"
21 Sets of Lungs.	"
32 Livers.	"
1 Spleen.	"
5 Hearts.	"

Sheep.

1 Carcase.	Other Diseases.
14 Livers.	"
1 Pluck.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	"

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

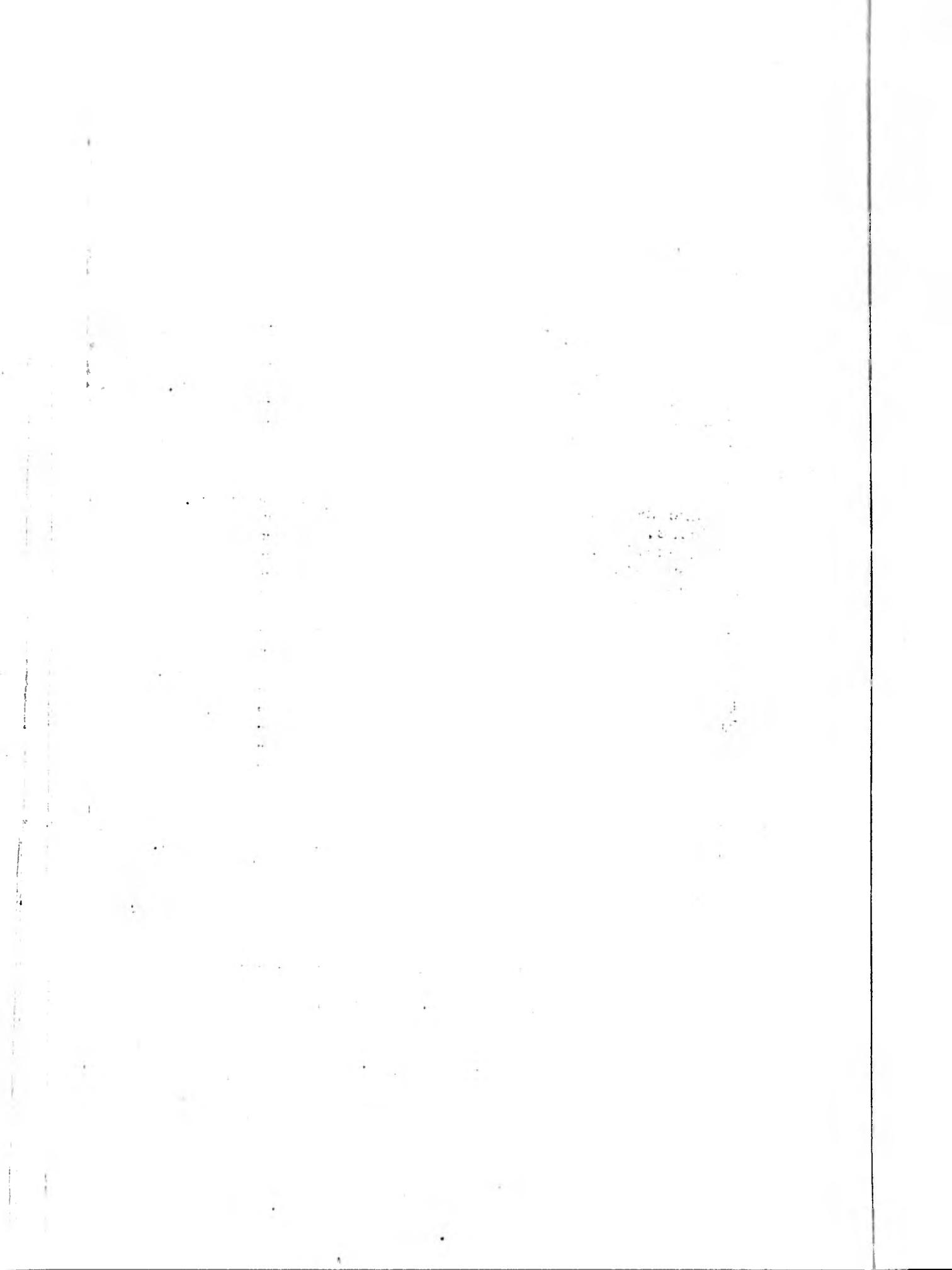
Your obedient Servant,

E. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 666 of of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th September 1927.

No. 5/111
Chairman,



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

regarding the condition of the above plot of land; that the matter had been investigated; and that it had not been found that any nuisance existed within the meaning of the Public Health Acts.

- (b) Inspection of Places of Public Entertainment.—The Inspector reported that, in accordance with the suggestion of the Minister of Health, the places of public entertainment in the district had been inspected and that, as a result, certain defects had been discovered, which had been remedied, and that the result of the inspection had been communicated to the Middlesex County Council.
- (c) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—The Inspector reported upon certain samples of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.
- (d) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

667 BURIAL BOARD LAND.—A letter, dated 20th August, 1927, was submitted from Mr. C. J. Barton in further reference to the question of the repairs to the fences, etc., at above. It was reported that Mr. Barton's tenancy would expire on the 29th September, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Surveyor be directed to interview Mr. Barton on the matter and to report thereon at next meeting;
- (b) that the Surveyor also furnish the Committee with an estimate of the cost involved;
- (c) that, in the event of Mr. Barton's not being desirous of renewing the tenancy of the land, the Clerk be directed to invite offers therefor.

668 WORLD'S DAIRY CONGRESS, 1928.—The Committee had before them a communication from the Organising Secretary of the above enquiring whether the Council would be prepared to make a grant towards the expenses of the Congress and inviting the Council to appoint a delegate or delegates to attend thereat;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that, on receipt of further details, the Council will consider the matter.

669 HOUSING ACT, 1925.—A communication was submitted from the Eastleigh and Bishopstoke Urban District Council asking for the Council's support to a resolution passed by them urging His Majesty's Government to introduce legislation to the effect that a local authority might have power to attach to any Closing Order made by them a condition to the effect that the person and his family inhabiting the house in respect of which the Order is made and obeying such Order, by he and his family ceasing to inhabit the house, shall be entitled again to inhabit the house when, in the judgment of the local authority, it is rendered fit for that purpose;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

670 PUMPING INSTALLATION—BROUGHTON AVENUE—WINDSOR OPEN SPACE.—The Clerk reported that the Vendors' Solicitors had now approved the draft release of covenant herein, subject to the necessary consent of the Minister of Health in the matter being obtained; further, that they had intimated that they were prepared to accept a fee of five guineas in settlement of their charges;

RECOMMENDED that payment of this amount be approved.

Annexed **671 HORNSEY, FINCHLEY AND WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.**—Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year 1926, 27, with Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 1927, and financial statistics, together with Annual Report of the Medical Superintendent for 1926 (circulated) was submitted.

672 13, ALEXANDRA GROVE.—The Committee considered a reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon and the Clerk was instructed to communicate forthwith with the builder and the owner of the premises and to report further on the matter at the Council Meeting;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

673 PUBLIC BATHS.—

Annexed (a) Statements.—Statements (circulated) showing the number of bathers and receipts for the nine weeks ended 28th August, 1927, were submitted.

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HORNSEY, FINCHLEY and WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Year 1926 - 1927.

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STATEMENT OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE

Year 10 31
INCOME

EXPENDITURE	Half year	Half year	T O T A L S	
	to 30/9/26	to 31/3/27		
To -	£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d	£.
<u>PATIENTS EXPENSES -</u>				
Provisions	732.14. 0	797.19. 4	1530.13. 4	
Drugs & Medical Req'ts	183.10. 2	188.14. 0	372. 4. 2	
Lab: Req'ts & Expenses	45.18. 6	59.10. 4	105. 8.10	
Temp'y Nurses & Servants	241.16. 7	162. 7. 2	404. 3. 9	
Ambulance	191. 7. 6	231. 5. 6	422.13. 0	
Professional Services	43.10. 0	28. 6. 0	71.16. 0	
Miscellaneous	3. 0. 4	- - -	3. 0. 4	
Patients sent to outside Institutions -				
Ambulance	6.16. 0	18.19. 0	25.15. 0	
Prop'n of main'ce	32. 2. 6	44. 2. 3	76. 4. 9	
	1480.15. 7	1531. 3. 7	3011.19. 2	3011.19. 2
<u>ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES -</u>				
Salary of Medical Sup't	287.10. 0	300. 0. 0	587.10. 0	
Salary & wages of Matron, Nurses & Servants (per- manent staff)	1237.10. 4	1298. 6. 0	2535.16. 4	
Outfits Do Do	85.10. 5	73. 9. 3	158.19. 8	
Wages of permanent staff & temporary labour	517.16. 4	526. 8.10	1044. 5. 2	
Provisions for staff	491.19.11	550. 3. 8	1042. 3. 7	
Maintenance of 'Phones	31.16. 4	33. 1. 4	64.17. 8	
Oilman & Clean'g materials	79. 0. 8	79.14. 5	158.15. 1	
Fuel	282.12.11	432. 6. 7	714.19. 6	
Gas, Light & Water	271. 6. 6	402.13. 6	674. 0. 0	
Rates, Taxes & Insurance	347.12.10	292.12.10	640. 5. 8	
Maintenance of household stock & furniture	217. 8. 7	356.14. 3	574. 2.10	
General rps & maint'ce	480. 9. 7	412. 3. 5	892.13. 0	
Administration	171. 9. 9	219.18. 2	391. 7.11	
Miscellaneous	30.18. 6	47. 3.11	78. 2. 5	
Patients sent to outside Institutions -				
Prop'n of main'ce	97.13. 2	160. 7. 0	258. 0. 2	
	4630.15.10	5185. 3. 2	9815.19. 0	9815.19. 0
<u>STRUCTURAL EXPENSES -</u>				
Rent of buildings	30. 0. 0	30. 0. 0	60. 0. 0	
Patients sent to outside Inst'ns				
Prop'n of maint'ce	- 13. 4	- 18. 3	1.11. 7	
	30.13. 4	30.18. 3	61.11. 7	61.11. 7
	6142. 4. 9	6747. 5. 0	12889. 9. 9	12889. 9. 9

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THE YEAR TO 31st MARCH 1927.

INCOME	Half year	Half year	T O T A L S	
	to 30/9/26	to 31/3/27	£. s. d	£. s. d
PATIENTS EXPENSES -				
Dose of Antitoxin	2.13. 3	5.11. 8	8. 4.11	
Distribution towards Maintenance of Patients	- - -	1. 7.10	1. 7.10	
	2.13. 3	6.19. 6	9.12. 9	9.12. 9
ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES				
Interest	118. 8. 7	96.12. 1	215. 0. 8	
Dose of old iron	- 6. 6	- - -	- 6. 6	
	118.15. 1	96.12. 1	215. 7. 2	215. 7. 2
	121. 8. 4	103.11. 7		224.19.11
CONSTITUENT AUTHORITIES	6020.16. 5	6643.13. 5		12664. 9.10
	6142. 4. 9	6747. 5. 0		12889. 9. 9

	Patients Expenses	Estab: Expenses	Structural Expenses	TOTAL.
	£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d
HORNSEY	1,099. 0. 1	3,200. 4. 0	20.10. 7	4,319.14. 8
FINCHLEY	902.12. 7	3,200. 3.11	20.10. 6	4,123. 7. 0
WOOD GREEN	1,000.13. 9	3,200. 3.11	20.10. 6	4,221. 8. 2
	<u>3,002. 6. 5</u>	<u>9,600.11.10</u>	<u>61.11. 7</u>	<u>12,664. 9.10</u>

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	Exp: to 31/3/26 £. s. d	Add this year £. s. d	Total Expenses £. s. d
31st March 1927, To -			
O/a Contract	- - -	18,820.10.9	18,820.10.9
" Professional fees	- - -	500.0.0	500.0.0
Cost of Local Inquiry	- - -	18.8.9	18.8.9
Miscellaneous Expenditure	16.4.9	13.8.8	29.12.7
	<u>16.4.9</u>	<u>19,352.8.2</u>	<u>19,368.12.1</u>

EXTENSIONS
MARCH 1927

31st March 1927, To Balance forward £ 200.0.0

31st March 1927, To Tennis Requisites 10.15.8
 " Balance forward 31.14.8
 £ 42.13.8

STRUCTURAL EXPENSE ACCOUNT
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OPERATIONS ACCOUNT.

	£.	s.	d.
1st March 1927, By -			
Constituent Authorities	18,000.	0.	0
Balance carried forward		<u>1,368.</u>	<u>12.11</u>
	£	<u>19,368.</u>	<u>12.11</u>

EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

1st April 1926, By balance in hand being contribution by the Hornsey Borough Council in respect of underpinning works postponed.	£	200.	0. 0
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ACCOUNT.

1st April 1926, By balance		22.14.	0
1st March 1927, Donations from grateful patients		<u>19.19.</u>	<u>0</u>
	£	<u>42.13.</u>	<u>0</u>

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Liabilities.

HORNSEY BOROUGH COUNCIL -

Provision of Working Balance

1,500

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL -

Provision of Working Balance

1,500

WOOD GREEN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL -

Provision of Working Balance

1,500

SUNDRY CREDITORS -

4,500.00

STRUCTURAL EXPENSES - Suspense Account

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GIFTS ACCOUNT - Balance

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£ 8,749.14

BALANCE AS AT MARCH 1927

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Percy Craven,
Clerk & Accountant.

30th April 1927.

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31st MARCH 1927.

Assets.

£. s. d £. s. d

CONSTITUENT AUTHORITIES - Precept due -

Hornsey	1,275.12. 5	
Finchley	1,172. 1. 8	
Wood Green	1,169. 3. 0	3,616.17. 1

REVISIONS & ALTERATIONS - Capital Expenditure carried forward

1,368.12.11

OTHER DEBTORS -

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STOCKS ON HAND -

Fuel	41. 1. 2	
Cleaning materials	45. 3. 7	
Provisions	27.12.10	
Outfit materials	60.11. 9	174. 9. 4

Bank	3,486. 4. 1	
Do (Wages Account)	65.10. 7	
Matron's Petty Cash	14.14. 0	3,566. 8. 8

£ 8,749.14. 0

I have examined and allowed the accounts of which the foregoing is the Balance Sheet.

Dated this 14th day of May 1927.

J. W. KIME,
Assistant District Auditor.

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No.	I T E M	Half year to 31/3/23	Year to 31/3/24	Year to 31/3/25	Year to 31/3/26	Year to 31/3/27
1.	Number of beds available for use	103	103	103	103	103
2.	Average number of patients resident daily	53	44	49	48	56
3.	Average number of days each patient was resident	35	37	38	41	39
	C O S T S -----					
		£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d	£. s. d
4.	Patients expenses - per patient day	- 2. 7	- 2. 9 $\frac{1}{4}$	- 2. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$	- 3. 0	- 2. 9
5.	Estab ^l nt Expenses "	- 9. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	- 11. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	- 9. 9	- 9. 11	- 9. 10
6.	Structural Expenses "	- - - $\frac{3}{4}$	- - - $\frac{3}{4}$	- - - $\frac{3}{4}$	- - - $\frac{3}{4}$	- - - $\frac{3}{4}$
	Total cost "	- 11. 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	- 14. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	- 12. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	- 12. 11 $\frac{3}{4}$	- 11. 10
7.	Average cost per head per week for provisions	- 10. 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	- 9. 6 $\frac{3}{4}$	- 9. 11	- 10. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	- 9. 10
8.	Average cost per patient for Ambulance	- - -	- 13. 9	- 12. 2	* 15. 0	* 16. 0
9.	Average total cost of each patient per week	4. 3. 0	4. 18. 10	4. 6. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	4. 10. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	4. 2. 10
10.	Average total cost of each patient	20. 12. 4	26. 3. 5	25. 16. 7	26. 16. 10	25. 5. 0

* Motor Ambulance service commenced on 1/10/25

HORNSEY, FINCHLEY & WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

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A N N U A L R E P O R T

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THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

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July, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
JOINT ISOLATION HOSPITAL.

Sir and Gentlemen,

I beg to submit the following report on the work of the Hospital for the year 1926, the fourth complete year under the new scheme.

It will be recalled that the new arrangements came into operation on the 1st October, 1922.

The number of admissions during the year 1926 was much in excess of that of 1925. The year 1925 showed the least number of admissions (with the exception of 1917) during the last 20 years.

During the year 1926 547 patients were admitted into the Hospital, as compared with 390 for 1925, 510 for 1924 and 442 for 1923. The following table shows the number of admissions during the last 4 years -

	1926	1925	1924	1923
Scarlet Fever	279	212	338	242
Diphtheria	247	159	136	170
Cerebro spinal meningitis	-	-	2	2
Puerperal Fever	-	-	1	-
Encephalitis Lethargica	2	1	7	1
Whooping Cough	-	2	-	1
Enteric Fever	5	3	1	3
German Measles	-	1	2	2
Erysipelas	2	7	9	5
Varicella	-	-	-	2
Measles	10	1	13	12
Influenza	-	-	-	1
Septicaemia	-	1	-	-
Mumps	1	2	1	-
Keratitis	1	1	-	-
	<u>547</u>	<u>390</u>	<u>510</u>	<u>442</u>

During the year 1926 no cases were admitted from outside districts.

Respecting the cases of Scarlet Fever, certain corrections have to be made to the figures set out above, thus in 9 cases the diagnosis was corrected, this equals an error in diagnosis of 3.2%, as compared with 5.1% for 1925 and 6.8% for 1924.

Considering the great difficulty in diagnosing Scarlet Fever as seen in recent years, these figures are remarkably low, and I think must be attributed to the

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increased. Medical Officers of Health cases of doubt or any presenting special difficulties.

So low, indeed, is this percentage of error, that I do not think it likely that this figure can be reduced.

Of the cases of Diphtheria, 21 were found to be suffering from some other disease of the throat or nose. This is equal to just over 8.5% of the cases admitted, as compared with just over 10% in 1925. These figures also are remarkably low. It can be said with perfect truth that in many cases it is often quite impossible to diagnose Diphtheria with certainty (apart from bacteriological examination), and the sooner the fact is recognised the better. In view of the very grave nature of the complaint it is often safer to send a patient to hospital than to wait until a correct diagnosis is arrived at. 2 cases of Scarlet Fever were sent in as Diphtheria.

Respecting the remaining cases, of the 5 sent in as Enteric Fever 1 was a case of Tuberculosis, the second a case of Influenza, and the other 3 were genuine.

Of the 2 cases stated to be Encephalitis Lethargica, 1 was a genuine relapsing case, the second remained doubtful but was probably influenzal in character.

The following tables show the number of cases of Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria admitted from the 3 districts during each of the months of the year -

	HORNSLEY		FINCHLEY		WOOD GREEN		TOTAL	
	1926	1925	1926	1925	1926	1925	1926	1925
Scarlet Fever -								
January	9	5	8	9	8	6	25	20
February	10	4	9	2	2	4	21	10
March	8	2	10	9	14	4	32	15
April	6	4	6	4	5	1	17	9
May	11	9	3	4	9	2	23	15
June	9	6	12	3	11	7	32	16
July	11	6	16	3	5	4	32	13
August	2	9	5	2	2	4	9	15
September	5	9	6	1	-	10	11	20
October	2	10	10	5	9	12	21	27
November	5	10	18	6	6	12	29	28
December	<u>12</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>24</u>
	<u>90</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>279</u>	<u>212</u>
Diphtheria -								
January	5	5	8	5	4	1	17	11
February	7	2	9	2	2	2	18	7
March	14	5	8	3	6	0	28	6
April	6	2	1	7	5	1	12	10
May	3	1	1	9	10	0	14	10
June	9	7	4	9	17	7	30	23
July	5	2	3	4	13	10	21	16
August	9	3	2	3	2	2	15	8
September	4	1	3	7	9	5	16	15
October	13	4	1	4	4	8	18	16
November	14	7	6	10	6	8	26	25
December	<u>15</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>12</u>
	<u>104</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>247</u>	<u>159</u>

On the 31st December, 1926, 84 patients were remaining in hospital, as compared with 61 in 1925 and 63 in 1924, viz. -

	<u>1926</u>	<u>1925</u>	<u>1924</u>	<u>1923</u>
Scarlet Fever	37	33	45	34
Diphtheria	47	28	18	10
Measles	-	-	-	9
Erysipelas	-	-	-	1
	<u>84</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>54</u>

During the year 1926 11 deaths have occurred at the Hospital, as follows -

	<u>1926</u>	<u>1925</u>	<u>1924</u>	<u>1923</u>
Scarlet Fever	-	-	5	1
Diphtheria	7	7	5	11
Measles	-	-	1	4
Meningitis	-	-	1	1
Erysipelas	-	-	2	1
Septicaemia	-	1	-	-
Puerperal Fever	-	-	-	1
Cancrum Oris	-	-	-	1
Septic Endocarditis	-	-	-	1
Acute Tuberculosis	1	-	-	-
Post Pharyngeal Abscess	1	-	-	-
Tubercular Meningitis	<u>2</u>	-	-	-
	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>21</u>

Of the Tubercular Meningitis cases 1 followed Scarlet Fever occurring in a patient already suffering from Tuberculosis of the lung. The second case followed Measles.

SCARLET FEVER -

The most noteworthy feature of the year has been the introduction of a curative serum for Scarlet Fever. For many years efforts have been made to produce an antiserum, but none have been really satisfactory. Quite recently, however, the Dicks, workers in America, appear to have isolated a haemolytic streptococcus, and to have produced actual Scarlet Fever in certain volunteers, who allowed themselves to be experimented upon. From this strain of streptococci an antiserum has been produced.

So few figures are to hand as yet that it is difficult to speak of its precise value; whether it diminishes the complications cannot yet be ascertained. I set out further in this report the complications arising in those patients who have had serum and those who have not. But as will be seen the figures are much too small to form any conclusions. Another most important point also is as yet unascertained, as to what day of the disease the serum ceases to become operative. Our difficulties are still further increased, anyhow in this country, owing to the exceedingly mild type of the disease prevailing at the present time. But with all these most necessary details

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still missing, I think that there can be no doubt that the serum has a highly beneficial effect on the temperature and pulse; further than this it is impossible to go at present.

During the year 1926 279 cases were admitted notified as suffering from Scarlet Fever. After due correction and the inclusion of 2 cases sent in as Diphtheria the number of admissions was 272. 303 cases have been discharged, leaving 37 cases in Hospital at the end of December, 1926. There have been no deaths due to Scarlet Fever during the year 1926, as compared with none during 1925, 5 during 1924 and 1 during 1923. I have classified Scarlet Fever as toxic, septic, and simple.

Toxic Scarlet Fever -

No cases of this form of disease have been admitted for several years.

Septic Scarlet Fever -

1 case was admitted during the year 1926 (of a mild type), as compared with none in 1925 and 6 cases in 1924, which resulted in 4 deaths.

Simple Scarlet Fever -

With the exception mentioned above the whole of the cases admitted during the year under review have been of this type. There were no fatal terminations with the exception of a case of chronic Tuberculosis admitted with Scarlet Fever, which died from Tubercular Meningitis.

The table following on the next page shows the age and sex distribution for the year 1926, also the age and sex distribution for the 4 years 1925, 1924 and 1923.

From the first table it will be seen that over 60% of the cases occurred in the age period of 5 - 15 years. Of the 4 years together 22.7% of the cases were belonging to these age groups.

SCARLET FEVER - 1926.

Under 1 yr		1 - 3		3 - 5		5 - 10		10 - 15		15 - 20		20 - 30		30 - 40		40 - 50		TOTAL
M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
-	-	18	1	21	14	52	69	36	22	13	14	3	7	2	5	1	1	
-		19		35		121		58		27		10		7		2		279

The following table shows the age and sex distribution for the past 4 years -

1926 -	-	-	18	1	21	14	52	69	36	22	13	14	3	7	2	5	1	1	279
1925 -	-	1	6	5	11	13	54	32	24	23	11	7	6	11	1	4	-	3	212
1924 -	-	-	11	8	38	27	91	69	18	32	7	13	3	12	2	6	-	1	338
1923 -	-	2	8	14	13	14	44	46	23	30	11	9	4	14	-	5	1	4	242
	-	3	43	28	83	68	241	216	101	107	42	43	16	44	5	20	2	9	1,071
		3	71		151		457		208		85		60		25		11		

From the first table it will be seen that over 60% of the cases occurred in the age period of 5 - 15 years. Of the 4 years together 82.3% of the cases were belonging to these age groups.

RETURN CASES -

It may be as well to explain exactly what is meant by a 'return case'. When a patient discharged from hospital infects or is suspected of having infected another person, the latter is called a 'return case' and the original case the 'infecting case'.

Such cases occur generally after Scarlet Fever and occasionally after Diphtheria. As may well be imagined, cases of this description are the cause of great anxiety, the parents invariably coming to the conclusion that such cases are due to negligence on the part of those responsible. The Society of Medical Officers of Health defined 'return cases' as cases occurring in the same house or family as apparently traceable to the person released within a period of not less than 24 hours and not more than 28 days after discharged from hospital. I have accepted this definition for calculating the 'infecting case' rate. It is, of course, obvious that some of these cases are not 'return cases' at all, but have been infected from other sources. I have known on several occasions a patient to be admitted with Scarlet Fever from a house to which a patient has been returned the same day, and the patients have never met. Had the patient been discharged from hospital a few days previously, the second case would have been admitted as a 'return case'. The fact remains, however, that in the great majority of instances the discharged patient is undoubtedly the cause of the disease in the second. Large numbers of inquiries and reports have been made on these cases, and many actions have been brought into court, but the real cause still remains a mystery. At the same time there is every reason to believe that a discharge from the nose or ears is the potent factor of infection.

It is natural to think that prolonging the period of detention would diminish these cases, unfortunately this is not so, and indeed many writers have held that unduly prolonging the stay in hospital only increases the liability to infection; on this point I express no opinion, except to draw attention to a case which was in hospital nearly 4 months and which infected the mother within a few days of returning home.

A further most interesting point is, that the infecting cases are nearly always children, it is very rarely that an adult infects another after leaving the hospital.

Of the 271 cases discharged for the year 1926, 13 have been entered as 'infecting cases'.

This is equal to an 'infecting case' rate of 4.8% as compared with 2.6% in 1925, 3.7% in 1924 and 2.9% in 1923.



The following table sets out the number of instances where it is known that Scarlet Fever has occurred in a house within a few weeks of a case being discharged from Hospital, but for the purpose of calculating the infecting case rate only those cases have been included which apparently have given rise to further cases within twenty-eight days of discharge.

TABLE OF INFECTING CASES -

<u>No.</u>	<u>Injected or Non-injected.</u>	<u>Age.</u>	<u>Days Interval.</u>	<u>Character of Infecting Case.</u>	<u>Days of Disease Discharged.</u>	<u>No. of Return Cases.</u>	<u>Age of Return Case.</u>
1	Non-injected	5	21	Simple - ear discharge	50	1	8
2	do	5	13	do - no complications	33	1	6
3	do	2	8	do - do	41	2	13 & 4
4	Injected	10	7	do - do	31	1	2
5	Non-injected	13	20	do - rhinitis	55	2	?
6	Injected	6	11	do - no complications	30	1	4
7	do	6	20	do - rhinitis	34	1	8
8	do	6	21	do - no complications	49	1	5
9	do	5	12	do do	37	1	3
10	do	6	7	do do	38	1	12
11	do	7	6	do do	33	1	4
12	do	7	10	do - rheumatism	41	1	11
13	do	5	15	do - rhinitis	69	1	34

1926	-	271 cases discharged	-	13 infecting cases	-	4.8%
1925	-	224 " "	-	6 " "	-	2.6%
1924	-	322 " "	-	12 " "	-	3.7%
1923	-	238 " "	-	7 " "	-	2.9%

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COMPLICATIONS OF SCARLET FEVER -

During 1926 the following complications occurred in the cases of Scarlet Fever treated in the Hospital, and the table sets out the list of these, together with the percentage rate of each as compared with 1925. A comparison is made between those who have had serum and those who have not.

Complication -	1926			1925		
	Injected	%	Non-Injected	%	No.	%
	136		136			
Nephritis	2	.74	3	1.10	-	-
Albuminuria - early	10	3.68	16	5.90	51	24.
do - late	6	2.21	-	-	10	4.2
Adenitis - mild	13	4.78	12	4.41	21	9.9
do - severe	2	.74	3	1.10	2	.9
Abscess	-	-	1	.37	-	-
Otorrhoea - right	5	1.84	3	1.10	5	2.3
do - left	1	.37	5	1.84	5	2.3
do - double	1	.37	1	.37	2	.9
Mastoid Abscess	1	.37	-	-	-	-
Radical Mastoid Operation	-	-	-	-	1	.4
Rhinitis	17	6.25	17	6.25	27	12.4
Endocarditis - simple	-	-	-	-	-	-
do - malignant	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rheumatism	2	.74	2	.74	6	2.8
Empyaema	-	-	-	-	-	-
Onychia	3	1.10	5	1.84	7	3.3
Relapse	4	1.47	4	1.47	5	4.3
Auricular Flutter	-	-	-	-	-	-
Conjunctivitis	2	.74	1	.37	5	4.3
Stomatitis	1	.37	-	-	-	-
Jaundice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broncho Pneumonia	-	-	-	-	1	.4
Quinsy	-	-	2	.74	-	-

It was stated in the report for the year 1925 that Rheumatism as a complication varies greatly at different times. In 1925 Rheumatism was noted 3 times in 219 cases; during 1924 it was noted 15 times in 317 cases; in 1925 it was noted 5 times in 212 cases; and in 1926 it was noted 4 times in 272 cases.

The average length of stay in Hospital for the year 1926 was 36.7 days; the corrected figure was 37.1 days, as compared with 40.56 days for 1925, 41 days for 1924 and 35.5 days for 1923. The injected cases averaged 36.9 as compared with 37.4 for the non-injected cases.

DIPHTHERIA -

247 cases have been admitted notified as suffering from Diphtheria. The corrected figure is 226. The following table shows the age and sex distribution -

From the first table it will be seen that 61.5% of the cases occurred in the age periods of 5 - 10 and 10 - 15 years, as compared with 62.8% for 1925, 55.1% for 1924 and 53% for 1923.

DIPHTHERIA - 1926.

Under 1 yr		1 - 3		3 - 5		5 - 10		10 - 15		15 - 20		20 - 30		30 - 40		40 - 50		TOTAL		
M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			
-	1	4	9	19	19	53	62	22	15	7	9	6	12	-	6	-	2	-	1	247
1		13		38		115		37		16		18		6		2		1		

The following table shows the age and sex distribution for the last 4 years -

1926 -	-	1	4	9	19	19	53	62	22	15	7	9	6	12	-	6	-	2	-	1	247
1925 -	2	-	3	2	6	15	31	41	12	16	7	7	1	6	1	5	-	3	1	-	159
1924 -	1	-	9	5	4	11	28	25	8	14	-	9	2	10	-	4	-	6	-	-	136
1923 -	1	-	7	5	13	12	28	24	22	17	4	10	1	6	3	12	1	4	0	-	170
	4	1	23	21	42	57	140	152	64	62	18	35	10	34	4	27	1	15	1	1	

From the first table it will be seen that 61.5% of the cases occurred in the age periods of 5 - 10 and 10 - 15 years, as compared with 62.8% for 1925, 55.1% for 1924 and 53% for 1923.

8 deaths have occurred in patients notified as suffering from Diphtheria. 1, however, was due to Posterior Pharyngeal Abscess (not a case of Diphtheria), leaving 7 deaths. 1 death occurred from an extremely rare form of Diphtheria known as Haemorrhagic Diphtheria. These 8 deaths equal an uncorrected death rate of 3.2% as compared with 4.4% in 1925, 2.9% in 1924 and 7.9% in 1923. Proper corrections have been made and the corrected death rate now equals 3.1%, as compared with 4.9% in 1925, 4% in 1924 and 7.9% in 1923.

These corrections have to be made, as 21 cases were found to be suffering from a different disease from that notified, 2 from Scarlet Fever, 1 from Vincents Angina, 1 from Posterior Pharyngeal Abscess (which terminated fatally), and the remainder from some other form of septic disease of the throat. In this connection it should be pointed out that Diphtheria is often extremely difficult to diagnose with certainty. In hospital where all facilities are provided it is often difficult enough; outside the difficulties are sometimes wellnigh insuperable. The extreme danger of the disease if left untreated, the ready cure if taken well in hand early, render it one of the most important of the more common diseases.

The death rate during the last 3 years is exceptionally low, which would seem to indicate that the disease has been of less severity than in previous years.

Of the 7 corrected deaths due to Diphtheria -

2	occurred	on	the	8th	day.
2	"	"	"	10th	" .
1	"	"	"	11th	" .
1	"	"	"	13th	" .

and 1 day uncertain.

3 of these deaths occurred after the operation of Tracheotomy, and in 2 of these Laryngeal Diphtheria was secondary to Fauceal Diphtheria.

The table on page 2 shows the admissions from the 3 districts for each month of the year.

On December 31st, 1925 47 cases of Diphtheria were under treatment.

SEVERITY OF THE DISEASE -

As in former years I have adopted Rolleston's classification of the disease into 6 classes, according to the extent of the membrane present, namely -

1. Very severe.
2. Severe.
3. Moderately severe.
4. Moderate.
5. Mild.
6. Very mild.

From this classification I have excluded Laryngeal cases, and have placed them in a class by themselves.

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This classification is somewhat arbitrary, and at times when the patient is admitted very late in the disease it is impossible to say exactly to what class he or she belongs. Thus patients who show bacteriological evidence of disease and have been admitted with clean throats I have entered as 'clean on admission'.

The following table shows the corrected number of cases in each class as compared with the 3 previous years -

Class	No.	No.	No.	No.
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	<u>1926</u>	<u>1925</u>	<u>1924</u>	<u>1923</u>
Very severe	12	10	10	24
Severe	13	10	11	7
Moderately severe	24	21	13	20
Moderate	31	12	21	26
Mild	100	56	33	37
Very mild	-	-	1	2
Laryngeal	17	10	2	6
Throat clean on admission	21	20	5	16
Nasal	6	5	3	1
Carrier (only)	<u>2</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>226</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>139</u>

Of these 226 cases 7 died and 32 showed some evidence of paralysis or other serious complications.

Complication.	No.
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Nasal Paralysis	4
Dysphagia	2
Cycloplegia Interna	5
Squint	3
Heart Complications	14
Facial Paralysis	2
Peripheral Neuritis	2

1 case showed a relapse in the Hospital.

LARYNGEAL DIPHTHERIA -

During the year 1926 17 cases of Laryngeal Diphtheria were admitted, as compared with 10 cases in 1925. Of these 17 cases 8 were primarily Laryngeal and 9 were both Fauceal and Laryngeal. 1 case was also complicated by Empyema. Tracheotomy was performed in 11 instances, resulting in 3 deaths. This equals a death rate of 27.4%. In 1925 the operation of Tracheotomy was performed in 6 cases, resulting in 1 death.

The operation is one of great danger and may be of great difficulty. As I pointed out in the report of last year, a death rate of 16.6% is very low. It is a remarkable fact that for the year 1924 the operation of Tracheotomy was not required on one single occasion, and as far as I know such an absence of Tracheotomy has not occurred in any previous year.

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During the year 3 return cases occurred, giving rise to 4 other cases, as compared with 1 for the year 1925.

The average length of stay in hospital for the year 1926 was 44.1 days; the corrected figure was 45.6 days, as compared with 47 days for 1925, 42.5 days for 1924 and 35.7 days for 1923.

OTHER DISEASES -

During the year 1926 21 patients were admitted suffering from other diseases, as compared with 19 for the year 1925, 36 for 1924 and 30 for 1923.

The following table gives the diseases and the districts from which they were admitted -

DISEASE	HORNSEY	FINCHLEY	WOOD GREEN	TOTAL
Encephalitis				
Lethargica	2	-	-	2
Erysipelas	2	-	-	2
Keratitis	1	-	-	1
Whooping Cough	-	-	-	-
Enteric Fever	4	1	-	5
German Measles	-	-	-	-
Measles	7	1	2	10
Septicaemia	-	-	-	-
Mumps	1	-	-	1
				<u>21</u>

ENCEPHALITIS LETHARGICA -

1 case was a genuine case of Encephalitis Lethargica, the second was probably suffering from Influenza,

ENTERIC FEVER -

Of the 5 cases of Enteric Fever notified, 3 were genuine cases of Enteric, 1 was Influenza, and 1 was found to be suffering from acute Miliary Tuberculosis.

The remaining cases did not call for any particular comment.

CROSS INFECTION -

When a patient admitted with one infectious disease contracts a second, it is known as cross infection.

It has been well said by an eminent medical writer that 'it has been made a reproach against fever hospitals that the patients admitted to them

'not often contract a disease other than that from which they originally suffered. The real cause of this is, I think, very imperfectly understood, the popular impression, shared by many medical men, being that infection is carried by the staff from one ward to another.'

This mode of infection probably rarely, if ever, occurs, the cause of the second infection generally being imported into the ward from outside the hospital, and brought in by other patients in the following ways -

(1) The patient suffering from one disease may be incubating a second, and before the second is discovered it has infected other patients in the ward.

(2) The patient admitted with one disease may also be suffering from another infectious disease which is unknown to the hospital authorities.

(3) The great difficulty in diagnosis is occasionally the cause of further infection, one disease being mistaken for another.

Set out in the table below are cases during the years 1924, 1925 and 1926 which were admitted with more than one infectious complaint, together with those that developed a second in the Hospital, having contracted it outside, and those which actually contracted a second infectious disease while in the Hospital.

1926 - Scarlet Fever -

1. Patient sent in notified as suffering from Scarlet Fever was discovered to be suffering from Ringworm, which fortunately was diagnosed in time to prevent further infection.
2. Patient developed Whooping Cough in Hospital, having been exposed to infection before admission. No further cases arose from this.

1926 - Diphtheria -

1. Admitted with Diphtheria, developed Scarlet Fever 11 days after admission.
2. Developed Scarlet Fever in Hospital 3 days after admission.
3. Developed Chickenpox in Hospital 16 days after admission.
4. Developed Measles 2 days after admission, having been exposed outside before admission, and developed Chickenpox 32 days after admission, contracted in Hospital.

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5. Developed Measles 32 days after admission, having contracted it in Hospital.
6. Developed Measles 9 days after admission, contracted before admission, and developed Chickenpox 15 days after admission, having contracted it in Hospital.
7. Developed Measles 23 days after admission, having contracted it from another patient in the ward.
8. Developed Chickenpox 28 days after admission, having contracted it in the ward.
9. Developed Measles 14 days after admission, having contracted it in the ward.
10. Was found to be suffering from Ringworm on admission.
11. Doubtful whether contracted Scarlet Fever in Hospital.
12. Developed Whooping Cough 15 days after admission, having contracted it at home before admission.
13. Developed Whooping Cough a few days after admission, contracted before admission.
14. Whooping Cough developed in Hospital, exposed before admission.
15. Developed Scarlet Fever in Hospital 6 days after admission.

In 3 other instances it remained doubtful, whether Scarlet Fever had developed or not.

1926 - Measles -

1. Developed Chickenpox 14 days after admission.
2. Developed Chickenpox 16 days after admission.
3. Developed Diphtheria and died from Tubercular Meningitis.
4. Developed Chickenpox in Hospital, having contracted it outside.

1925 - Scarlet Fever -

1. Developed Whooping Cough in Hospital, having contracted it outside.
2. Developed Chickenpox 3 days after admission, having contracted it outside. This did not spread.

1925 - Diphtheria -

1. Found to have Whooping Cough on admission.
2. Developed Scarlet Fever in Hospital 42 days after admission.
3. Developed Measles, contracted outside.
4. Found to have Mumps, as well as Diphtheria, on admission.

1924 - Scarlet Fever -

1. Developed German Measles contracted in Hospital.
2. Developed German Measles in Hospital 20 days after admission, contracted in Hospital.
3. Developed German Measles 17 days after admission, contracted in the Hospital.
4. Developed German Measles 3 days after admission, contracted outside.
5. Had Whooping Cough on admission.

From the figures set out above it will be readily seen how extremely easily cross infection can arise in a ward, and how troublesome it may become. It should be made very clear, however, that this condition of things is not peculiar to fever hospitals. All hospitals and institutions harbouring a large number of children of highly susceptible ages will always be liable to outbreaks of infectious disease, which in the great majority of cases it is quite impossible to trace. It is, however, unquestionable that patients suffering from Scarlet Fever are exceedingly liable to contract Diphtheria, and that patients suffering from Diphtheria are still more likely to contract Scarlet Fever, and in a great many cases it is quite impossible to explain the reason.

These cases are extremely puzzling, and are among the most difficult of all the problems which confront the epidemiologist. It is nothing less than extremely good fortune that during the last 3 years no cases of Diphtheria have occurred among the patients suffering from Scarlet Fever.

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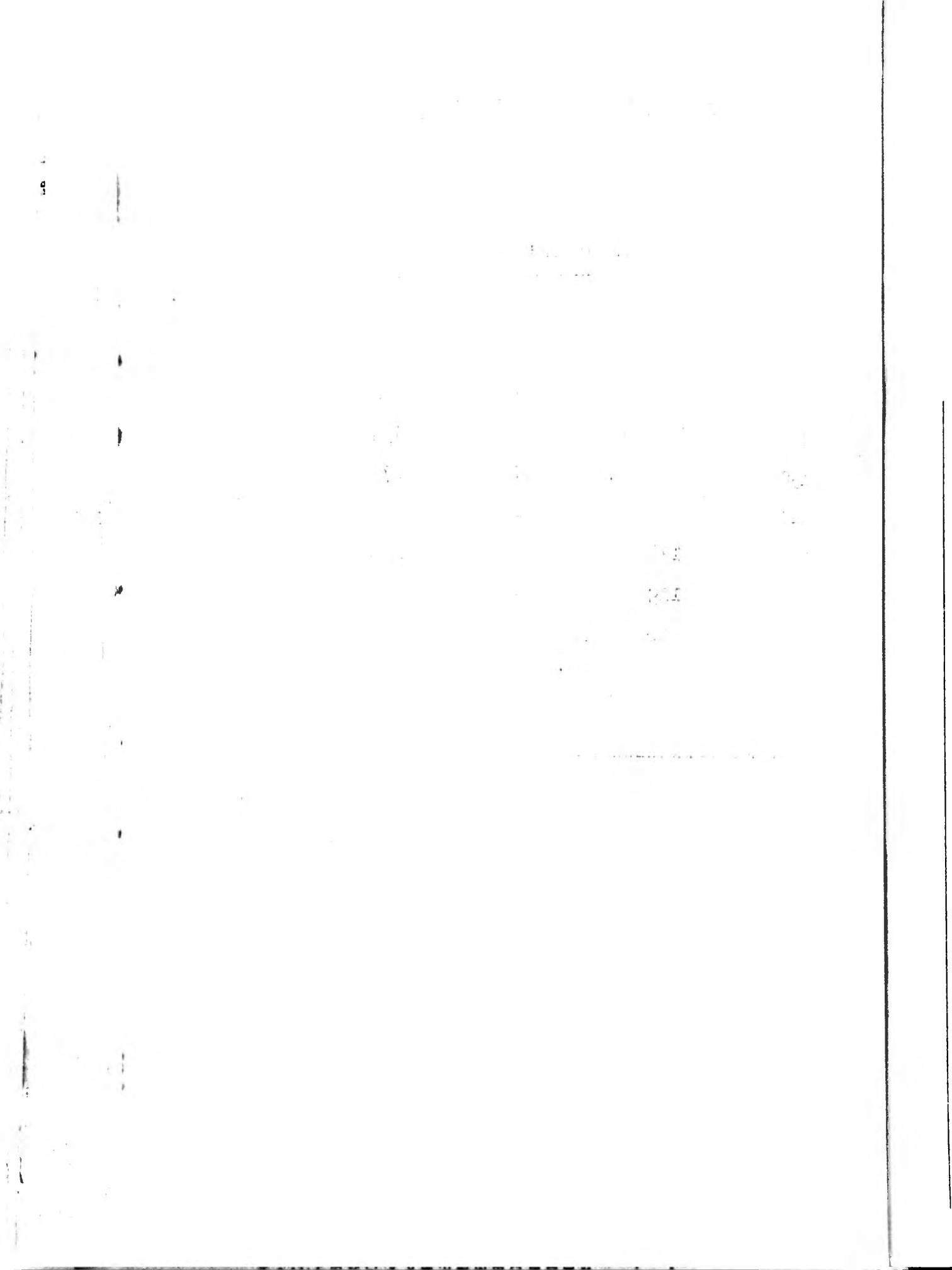
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The following table shows the number of admissions into Hospital for the 8 years prior to 1914 -

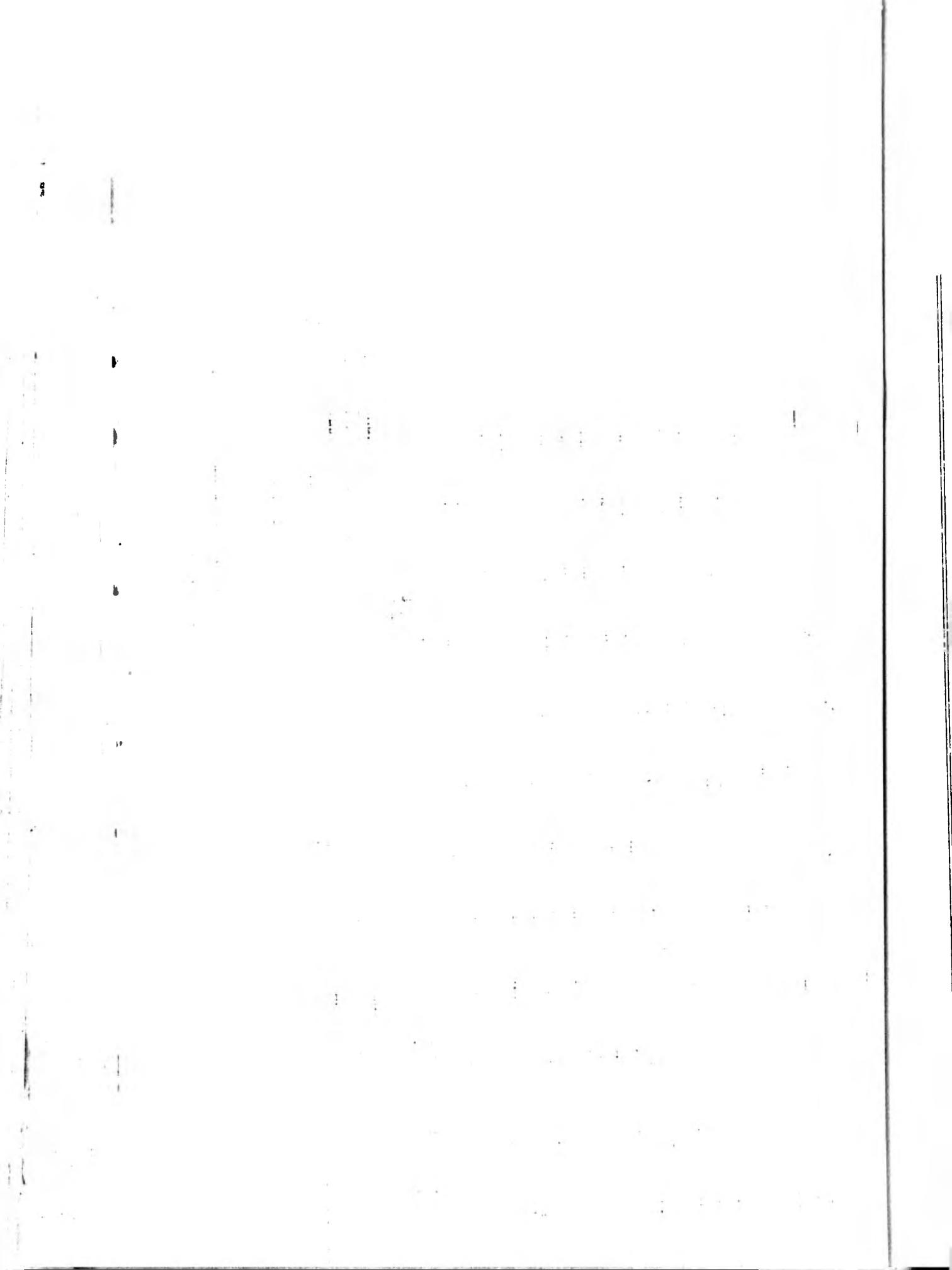
Year	HORNSEY	FINCHLEY	WOOD GREEN	FRIERN BARNET	TOTAL
1906	353	128	147	-	628
1907	249	112	233	-	594
1908	216	138	140	-	494
1909	272	130	270	1	673
1910	219	113	231	2	565
1911	218	139	118	-	475
1912	153	118	129	-	400
1913	247	124	216	1	588



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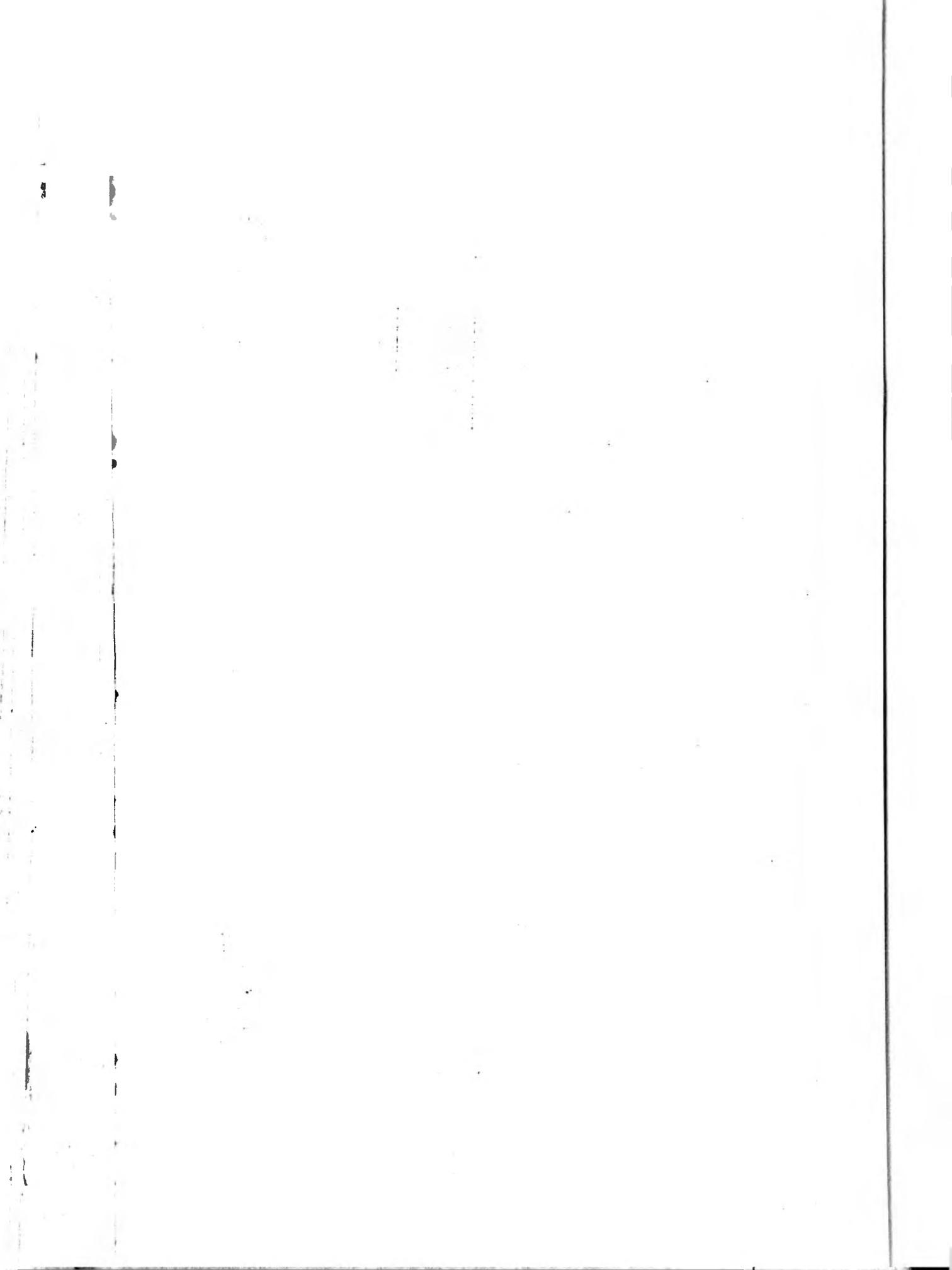
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	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
Scarlet Fever	581	533	235	190	163	314	374	571	417	242	338	212	279
Diphtheria	207	190	190	173	214	196	198	289	179	170	136	159	247
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Enteric Fever	13	16	10	6	9	2	1	--	3	3	1	3	5
Cerebro Spinal Fever	--	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	1	2	2	--	--
Erysipelas	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--
Measles	1	--	--	--	2	5	--	--	2	5	9	7	2
Whooping Cough	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	2	--
Otitis Media	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Measles	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	12	13	1	10
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Influenza & Pneumonia	--	--	--	--	4	4	--	--	--	1	--	--	--
Encephalitis Lethargica	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	7	1	2
Otitis Media	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dysentery	--	--	--	--	--	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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The following table sets out the admissions in respect of the various diseases, and also shows the districts from which the diseases were admitted. For comparative purposes I have added the 1923, 1924 and 1925 figures.

	HORNSEY				FINCHLEY				WOOD GREEN				TOTAL			
	1926	1925	1924	1923	1926	1925	1924	1923	1926	1925	1924	1923	1926	1925	1924	1923
Scarlet Fever	90	79	164	102	114	54	107	66	75	79	67	74	279	212	332	242
Diphtheria	104	44	35	119	52	68	74	28	91	46	27	23	147	158	135	170
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	--	--	--	2	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2
Furunculæ	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	1	1
Encephalitis Lethargica	2	1	5	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	2	1	7	1
Whooping Cough	--	2	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	1
Bacterial Dysentery	4	2	--	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	5	2	1	3
German Measles	--	1	1	2	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	2
Erysipelas	2	5	6	1	--	--	1	1	--	2	2	3	2	7	9	5
Varicella	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2
Measles	7	1	5	11	1	--	6	1	2	--	2	--	10	1	13	12
Influenza	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1
Mumps & Appendicitis	--	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	1	--
Septicaemia	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--
Keratitis (Finchley)	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--
Diphtheria (Friern Barnet)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Mumps	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--
	211	138	217	243	168	125	192	97	168	127	101	102	547	390	510	442



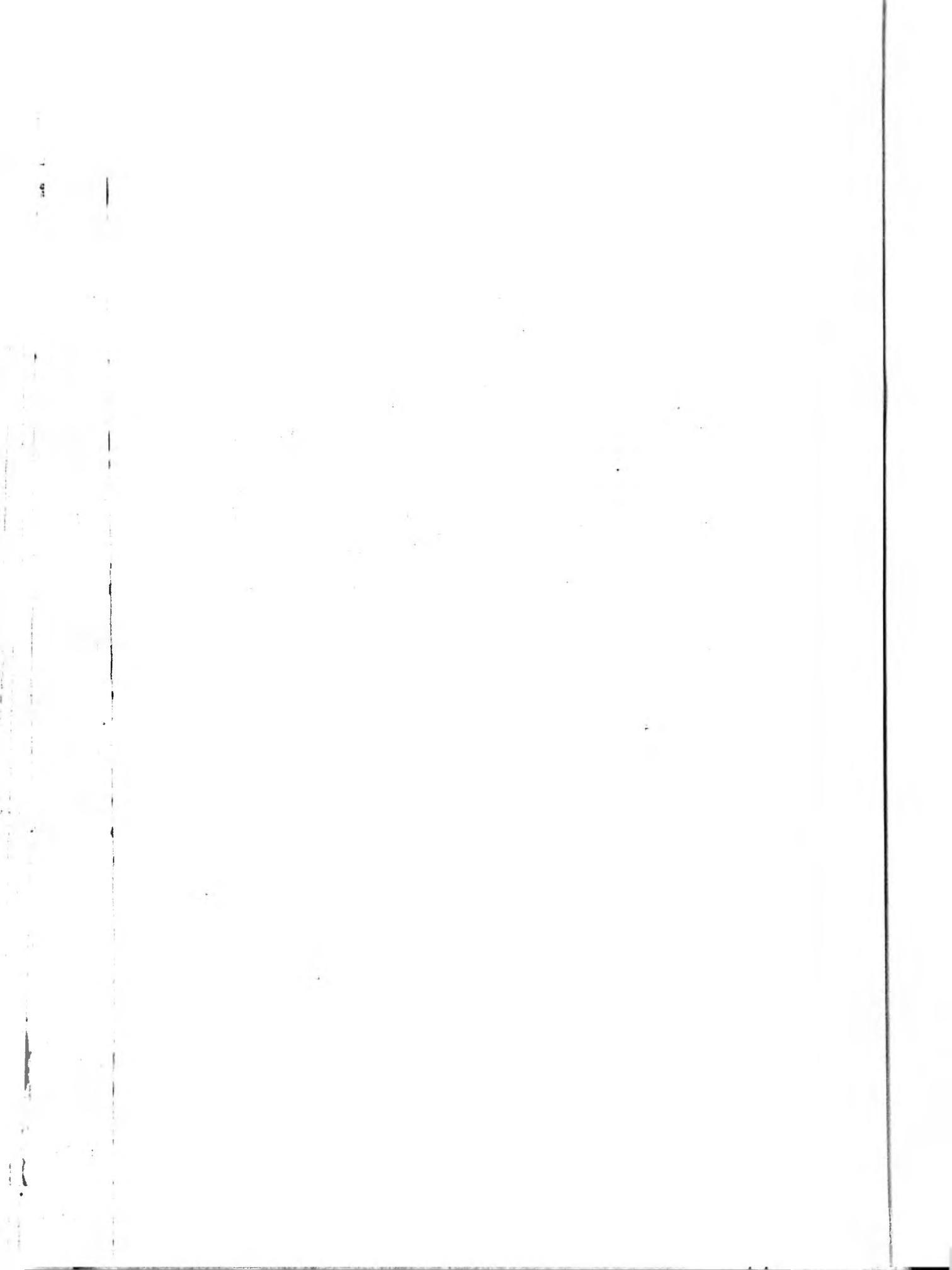
AMBULANCE SERVICE.

During the year 1925, the whole question of the ambulance service was raised by the Committee.

Previous to October 1925 all the patients had been removed by our horse ambulances. At times of pressure there was much delay, indeed it happened occasionally that patients were not removed until quite late in the evening. After taking all matters into consideration the Committee decided to enter into an agreement with the Metropolitan Asylums Board for the removal of all the patients, and this was to be tried for a period of 2 years.

I am pleased to have the opportunity of reporting to the Committee the highly efficient manner in which this service is performed, in fact it is difficult to see how it could be improved upon.

On several occasions in cases of urgent laryngeal obstruction a special request has been made to the Metropolitan Asylums Board to remove the patient immediately, and every time the requests have been met with the utmost promptitude, indeed it is not an exaggeration to say that at times patients have arrived at the Hospital before it would have been possible to get our old horse ambulance on the road.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND REVENUE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING 28th. AUGUST, 1927.

FITCHAMLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS, STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 28th. AUGUST, 1927.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATHS.		SLIPPER BATHS.		Mixed Others.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Crspdg. Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. in Receipts.															
	Men.	women.	Men.	Women.				£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.													
BRT. F&D.	6777	3896	3219	1433	1041	15709	32075	46.	10.	0.	351.	3.	3.	393.	4.	6.	31.	2.	-	73.	3.	3										
Aug. 7.	611	256	249	92	150	431	1789	-	-	-	26.	17.	-	22.	12.	11.	4.	4.	1.	-	-	-										
" 14.	476	295	164	52	31	462	1530	-	-	-	20.	18.	3.	27.	13.	3.	-	-	-	6.	15.	-										
" 21.	383	264	128	71	90	473	1409	-	-	-	17.	18.	10.	29.	14.	10.	-	-	-	11.	16.	-										
" 28.	345	264	175	86	78	452	1400	10.	12.	6.	29.	1.	6.	29.	16.	1.	-	-	-	-	14.	7.										
											6592	4975	3935	1734	1440	17527	38203	57.	2.	6.	445.	18.	10.	503.	1.	7.	35.	6.	1.	92.	8.	10.
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NETT INCREASE £ 57. 2. 9.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

These (including the preceding page) are the statements referred to in paragraph 673 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th September 1927.

Chairman.



30TH. AUGUST 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) Closing of for Winter Season.—The Surveyor submitted statement (circulated) of expenditure and receipts in connexion with the Slipper Baths for the past two Winter seasons, together with estimated figures for the season 1927-28 and reported that the estimate provided for the Slipper Baths' being opened on the same days as last year;

Annexed

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Swimming Bath be closed for the Winter Season on the evening of Saturday, the 29th October, 1927;
- (2) that the Slipper Baths be kept open during the ensuing Winter Season on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.;
- (3) that the Surveyor make the necessary staff arrangements.

674 CONVENIENCE—"SWAN & PYRAMIDS" PUBLIC HOUSE.—The Surveyor reported that the above was opened to the public on the 23rd July, 1927.

675 SEWAGE ANALYSES.—It was reported that samples of sewage effluent were taken from the High Level Works by the Middlesex County Council on the 23rd May and from both the High and Low Level Works on the 17th August, 1927. Analysis figures relating thereto were submitted.

676 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—The Surveyor reported that labourer R. S. T. Garrett, employed at the Sewage Disposal Works, and Refuse Burner W. Skinner, had recently passed away.

677 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR.—

- (a) Additional Works—(Approach Roads and Bridges).—The Surveyor reported upon an interview which he had had with a representative of the Ministry of Health in regard to the Council's application for sanction to the necessary loan in connexion with this matter, when he had ascertained that it would be some little time before the application in question could possibly receive the consideration

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

of the Ministry. The Committee were of opinion that certain preliminary works which formed part of the original Scheme should be put in hand without delay as the Refuse Destructor was nearing completion;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the erection of the retaining wall and to order the necessary steel work.

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with the Ministry of Health enquiring whether they would have any objection to the above course being adopted and to point out that the Council would be prepared to carry out the works on their own responsibility;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

(b) Opening of.—

RECOMMENDED that the Committee be authorised to make arrangements for an official opening of the above, the ceremony to take place, if possible, towards the end of October, 1927.

678 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

SLEEPER BATHS.

ACTUAL EXPENDITURE
1st. November to 31st. March.

	1926 - 1926			1926 - 1927.		
Cost	91	19	8	121	0	0
Receipts	59	7	9	53	0	2
Deficit	32	11	11	67	19	10

Number of Bathers	2828	2444
Average fee paid	5.04	5.205
Cost per bath	7.80	11.88
Loss	2.76	6.676

The estimated expenditure for season 1927 - 1928
is £ 102.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1st. SEPTEMBER. 1927.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph
673 (b) of the Public Health Committee's report
of the 6th September 1927.

H. Smith
Chairman.

**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

7th September, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells.

679 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

680 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

681 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
1927.			
6th July	12 noon.	22, Claverley Grove, N. 3.	A stove in sitting-room on ground floor damaged by cutting away and removal, rest of contents in same slightly by dirt.
6th July	4.35 p.m.	98, Nether Street, Finchley, N. 12.	A drawing-room on ground floor and contents slightly damaged by fire, heat, smoke and water.
19th Aug.	12.21 a.m.	Public Highway, Nether St., N. 12.	A street gas lamp damaged by fire.
29th Aug.	12.3 p.m.	Finchley Memorial Hospital Grounds, Bow Lane, N. 12.	A tar boiler by overheating in Hospital Grounds.

682 No. 1 MOTOR—WHEEL DAMAGE.—The Chief Officer reported that on the 7th July, 1927, whilst the above motor was proceeding to Barnet in connexion with the Hospital Carnival, one

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

of the studs securing the sprocket driving wheel sheared, causing several others to become deranged, thereby damaging a number of spokes of the wheel. A quotation for the carrying out of the necessary repairs was submitted.

Instructions were given for other quotations to be obtained and submitted to the Chairman of the Committee, who promised to report on the matter at the Council meeting.

683 FIRE HYDRANTS—CHESTERFIELD ROAD AND SANDRINGHAM ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY.—

RECOMMENDED that in conjunction with the laying of a new water main in the above-mentioned roads, two fire hydrants be fixed in each road at an estimated total cost of £41.

684 FIRE ALARM—HUTTON GROVE.—The Clerk reported that the glass of the above fire alarm was broken at about 10.30 p.m. on Saturday, the 3rd September, 1927; that the offender was arrested by the police, and on Monday, the 5th instant, was fined 10s. at the Highgate Police Court for damaging the Council's property.

685 AMBULANCE—USE OF.—The Committee decided to suggest to the Finance Committee that an official receipt book be provided for use by the firemen, in order that they may be in a position to give receipts for money collected by them.

686 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

687 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting, and that the matters had been dealt with:—

Direction post, Great North Road, corner of Fortis Green.

Fire Alarm, Bald Faced Stag.

Slab Paving—Gravel Hill.

688 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—A. KIMPTON, N. KEELER AND W. HILL.—It was reported that the above employees had, since last meeting, met with accidents, and that the cases had received attention.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - MEETING - 7th SEPTEMBER, 1927.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

Amount of estimate	£3,474. 0. 0
do. previously requisitioned	1,282.13. 8

34. Item No.		
1	Accountant to pay Firemen's Wages, September and October.	240. 0. 0
8	1 Fire Alarm Post, renewal re accident	9. 0. 0
9	1 Undress Serge Suit	4. 7. 6
"	1 Tunic) Chief Officer	2.18. 0
"	1 pr. Cloth Trousers)	1. 4. 0
"	1 Tunic) Station Officer Page	2.16. 0
"	1 pr. Cloth Trousers)	1. 2. 6
"	6 pr. Cloth Trousers	6.12. 0
"	6 do. Tunics	16.10. 0
"	2 Overcoats	5. 4. 0
"	8 pairs Uniform Fire Boots	15.14. 6
10	60 Gallons Petrol	3. 0. 0
11	Writing Facia at Central Station	1. 7. 6
12	400 feet of rope for Hese Hoist, renewal	1. 1. 8
13	1 Gross sparking plug washers	-. 4. 0
"	1 ignition distributor	1.15. 0
"	3 dozen terminals	-. 9. 0
"	18 yards of twin armoured covered lighting ^{wire} , renewal	-.14. 7
71	2 gallons accumulator acid	-.11. 0
72	Fix 2 new Fire Hydrants at Sandringham Gardens, North Finchley, say	20.10. 0
73	Fix 2 new Fire Hydrants at Chesterfield Rd N.F, say	20.10. 0
74	15 2 galls. Metal polish	-.15. 4
75	" 1 box Hudson Soap	-.14. 0
"	" 28 lbs. Soap	-.14. 0
"	" 1 doz. Nuggett	-. 6. 0
"	" 1 doz. Zebo	-. 6. 0

AMBULANCE.

76	1 complete swivel joint for Speedometer	-.14. 0
"	Repair inner cable for same	-.12. 0
"	Repair rear step to ambulance	-. 3. 6
"	Repair coil box	-. 6. 6
"	Repairs to steering post, pinion spindle, etc.	1. 4. 8
"	Repair wind screen and fit new brass channel	-. 7. 0
77	5 galls. Lubricating Oil	-.15. 0

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

REQUISITION - 8th. SEPTEMBER TO 5th. OCTOBER 1927.

<u>ESTIMATE</u>	£ 88517 0 0
<u>ADDITIONAL ITEMS:-</u>	<u>134 0 0</u>
	<u>£ 88651 0 0</u>

"0" = expended or on order.

		REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD			28441 15 1
<u>RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
462	19	0	Patching Regents Park Road,	14 12 7	
463	19		Scavenging - manual labour	130 0 0	
464	20		do. - team do	10 0 0	
465	27	0	Improvement Regents Park Road by boundary	42 0 0	
468	30	0	Repair direction post, Great North Road.	<u>1 2 11</u>	197 15 6
<u>PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
469	56		Relay slab paving East End Rd.	6 0 0	
470	78		Scavenging, East End Road, and Totteridge Lane	<u>15 0 0</u>	21 0 0
<u>NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
471	26		Water for horse troughs	5. 13 6	
472	78		Scavenging - manual labour	350 0 0	
473	79		do. team do	55 0 0	
474	80		Watering team and water	75 2 5	
475	87		Maintenance of trees	30 0 0	
476	89		Repairs to scavenging trucks, barrows and tar-pots	30 0 0	
<u>STEAM ROLLERS.</u>					
477	90	0	Carriage on wheel, rims and fixing 5384	4 9 8	
478	0		Repairs to bow of scarifier 5384	12 0	
479	0		Injector and steam supply Cock do.	4 6 5	
480			Pemberthy injector 10217	2 12 6	
481			Check valve do. do.	2 10 0	
482			24 Fire bars do	4 4 6	
483	92		Maintenance of surface water and gullies	30 0 0	
484	93		Depot water and electricity	<u>1 15 11</u>	
			Carried Forward	566 6 11	28660 10 7

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485.	No.					
485	95	0	G.P.O. trench re-instatement, Percy, Clifford and Ingram Roads)	33	7	2

PUBLIC ENGINEERING.

486	98		Electric lamps	542	16	7
487	99		Gas lamps - wages	30	0	0
488	100		Gas	170	17	2
489	102	0	Move lamp Regents Park Road and repair lamp Red Lion Hill	4	13	4
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2nd., SEPTEMBER 1927.

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7th. SEPTEMBER 1927.

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"0" = expended or on order.

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Req. No.				
490	0	36 ft. 1½ x 3 - 6 ft. ¾ x 4 Oak)		
491	0	10 ft. 1½ x 6 - 8 ft. 3 x 4 do.)	3	7 0
492	0	34 ft. super 1½" Whitewood)		
493	0	154 ft. ½" x 11 deal, 24 - 5'6" cleft oak pales.	5	14 2
494	0	100 ft. 9 x 1, 450 ft 2 x 2 deal		
495	0	6 ft. 3 x 6 - 36 ft arris Oak)		
496	0	9 ft. 1½ x 3, capping, 8ft 1½ x 2 Oak)	1	10 9
497	0	18 ft 1½ x 6 oak, 160 ft 2 x 1½ deal)		
498	0	1-12-15 Channel junction) 1-9-9 channel junction)	2	18 11
499	0	4 - 9" pipes)		
500	0	10 cwt ceilingite	8	0 0
501	0	5 cwt. Blundell's distemper	12	15 0
502	0	5 tons cement	14	16 3
503	0	30 tons 1½" tarmac	63	10 0
504	0	30 " 3/8" do	50	15 0
505	0	5000 blue paving bricks	46	0 0
506	0	8 lbs. green paint, 1 pint varnish)		
507	0	3 doz ¾ screws, 2-5ft 4 x 3 R.S. joists)	1	16 6
508	0	5' 6" 6 x 12 circular kerbs)		
509	0	36 Hindwood gully grates	52	4 0
510	0	60 tons 1½" tarmac	127	0 0
511	0	60 " 3/8 do.	101	10 0
512	0	6 tons blue lias lime	11	7 0
513	0	20 tons cement	52	0 0
514	0	200 3 x 2 paving slabs	41	2 3
515	0	5 cwt cotton waste	9	0 0

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529	12 Hair broom heads	3 6 0
530	6 distemper brushes	6 7 6
531	7 lbs painters sponges	1 1 0
532	1 each $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon, quart, pint)	
533	measures)	
534	2 funnels, 14 lbs. packing)	
535	3 gross metal screws countersunk)	3 7 9
536	heads)	
537	3 do do. round heads)	
538	18 gross wood screws, 9 sizes)	
539	1 dozen each: $\frac{3}{8}$ " - $\frac{1}{2}$ " - $\frac{5}{8}$ ")	
540	$\frac{3}{4}$ " round files)	11 1 0
541	1 dozen each $\frac{3}{8}$ " - $\frac{1}{2}$ " $\frac{5}{8}$ ")	
542	$\frac{3}{4}$ " square files.)	
543	3 dozen 10" hack saw blades fine)	
544	3 do. do. coarse)	1 0 10
545	3 each $\frac{3}{16}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{5}{16}$, $\frac{3}{8}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ Drills)	
546	3 " $\frac{3}{16}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{5}{16}$ Waitworth)	
547	taper and plug taps)	
548	1 - 18" grindstone,)	
549	1 pr tinner's snips)	5 10 7
550	1 Hack saw frame, 1 - 9" metal pot)	
551	1 anvil stand, 2 leather aprons)	
552	1 electric hand lamp,)	
553	28 lbs. concentrated size.)	
554	12 sheet iron chimneys,)	1 18 6
555	1 cwt 6" wire nails)	
556	2 tons house coal	3 11 0
557	3 bars each $\frac{7}{8}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$ " octagon steel	2 12 6
558	24 scarifier tines	6 5 6

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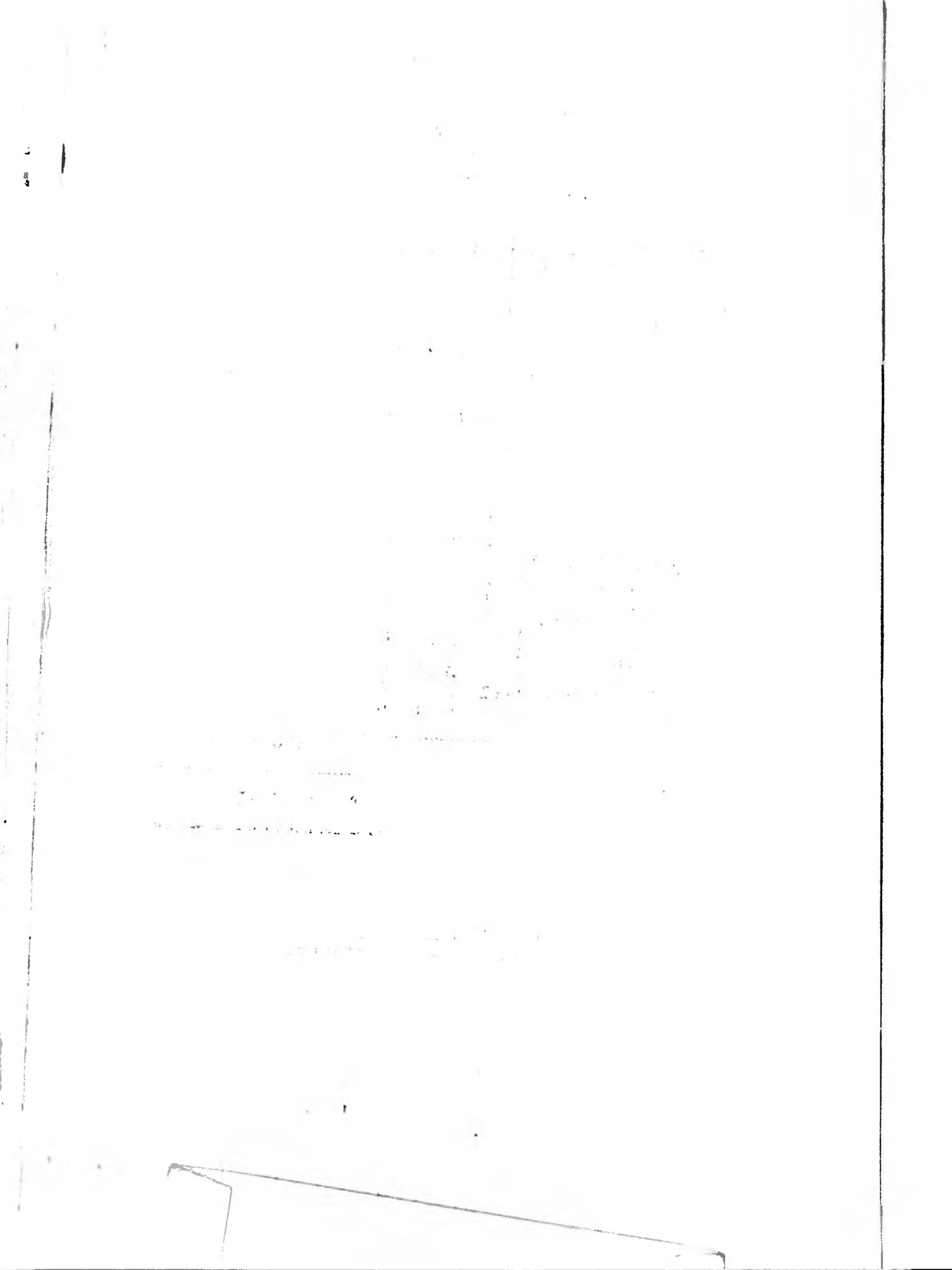
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PERGIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

End. SEPTEMBER 1927.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the lists referred to in paragraph 680 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September 1927.

M. Siffert
Chairman,



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

689 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY ACTS, 1900 1925 — NOTICE OF WORKS — BRIMSDOWN/WILLESDEN FEEDER.—The Surveyor reported that the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company had proceeded with the laying of their cable along the East End Road route as submitted by them.—Approved.

690 STREET ACCIDENTS.—

- (a) A letter, dated 9th June, 1927 (circulated), from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that the attention of the Education Committee be drawn thereto.

- (b) The Clerk submitted a return received from New Scotland Yard of accidents (29,978, of which 261 were fatal) caused by vehicles, horses, etc., known to the police to have occurred within the Metropolitan Police District during the months of April, May and June, 1927, together with another return shewing the manner in which fatal accidents had been caused during the six months ended 30th June, 1927.

691 ROADS IMPROVEMENT ACT, 1925.—The Committee considered the resumé of a report (referred to them by the Council) on main roads communications which had been presented at the last meeting of the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee by the Town Planning Consultants. They also had before them a joint report by the Clerk and the Surveyor (circulated) on the provisions of the above-mentioned Act.

692 PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING — EAST FINCHLEY—FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—It was reported that this matter had been referred by the Council to the Committee for further consideration;

RECOMMENDED that the application so far as it relates to the proposal to construct a siding across the public footpath leading from East End Road to the East Finchley Station on the level be not approved by the Council.

693 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD OPPOSITE TO MANOR PARADE.—It was reported that the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Committee, who were at the last

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

meeting of the Council empowered to deal with this matter subject to report, had accepted Messrs. C. F. Day's terms for the conveyance to the Council of the forecourt of the above shops as follows:—

- (1) The Council to pay the sum of £50 to Messrs. C. F. Day;
- (2) The Council to make up the land as part of the highway without delay (estimated cost £250);
- (3) The Council to defray the legal charges;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee in order that they may make the necessary financial arrangements.

694 HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔT—PREMISES FORMERLY USED AS A BLACKSMITH'S SHOP.—A letter, dated 17th August, 1927, was submitted from Mr. H. J. S. Hanson, making application, *inter alia*, for the temporary use of these premises;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

695 WOODHOUSE ROAD DEPÔT.—It was reported that at the last meeting of the Council reference was made to the question of the possible use of this depôt as an open space, and that the matter was referred to this Committee for consideration and report.

The Committee considered it inadvisable for the site to be dispensed with as a depôt, and instructed the Surveyor to take such action as might be possible, in order to improve the amenities thereof;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

696 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—It was reported that at the conference of representatives of Local Authorities held on the 1st July last in regard to this matter the following resolution was passed—

“ THAT in the opinion of this Conference the Local Authorities concerned should take steps with a view to obtaining (a) such revision of Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, or of Clause 44 of the draft Road Traffic Bill as will secure greater powers in regard to the restriction of roads which

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I am directed by the Minister of Transport to refer to the recent Conference convened by him to discuss the question of street accidents in Greater London which was attended by representatives of most of the Local Authorities in the Metropolitan Police District and delegates from various Associations and Bodies closely concerned with the question, and to forward, for the information of your Council, the enclosed copy of a Summary of the Proceedings at the Conference, drawing special attention to Item No. 31 on page 14 with reference to the use by Local Authorities of their powers under the Roads Improvement Act, 1925, to improve the visibility at dangerous road junctions, and Item No. 46 on page 13 respecting the provision of playgrounds in order that children may be kept off busy thoroughfares, both of which were agreed by the Conference.

I am also to enclose a copy of the Report of the London and Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee on Street Accidents, which was discussed at the Conference, and to draw particular attention to the following Recommendations summarised on pages 28 to 30 of the Report:-

Safety Education in Schools.

- (a) That instruction in street accident prevention should be given to the children in all public schools in Greater London.
- (b) That the Education Authorities might, with great advantage, keep in close touch with the Police Authorities on the subject of accident prevention and be furnished periodically with statistics of street accidents in children, classified to show the circumstances in which such accidents occurred, and, as far as possible, the causes. General statistics of this nature would, we consider, be of great value to the Central Educational Authorities, but the instruction in each school should be based primarily on local conditions, and the facts relating to each locality could, no doubt, be made available to teachers at the local police stations.

Subways.

- (a) That wherever practicable the stairways leading to and from existing subways should be reconstructed so that the "rise" of each step is not more than 5 inches, and the "tread" is not less than 12 inches, or, alternatively, be replaced by a combination of short inclines with steps at suitable intervals.
- (b) that all new subways should be made as shallow as possible, with the entrances and exits constructed as indicated in paragraph (a); where possible the entrance and exit should be in direct line with the subway.

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- (c) That existing subways should, where practicable, be entirely dissociated from public lavatories, and that any new subways should be constructed independently.
- (d) That consideration should be given to the notices or signs directing the attention of the public to existing subways with a view to seeing whether they are capable of improvement.
- (e) That all subways should be well lighted and be made as bright and attractive as possible.

Road and Roadside Obstructions.

- (a) That the Highway Authorities and undertakers concerned should give immediate consideration to road and roadside obstructions which may be considered to be a source of danger to pedestrians or vehicles, with a view to their removal.
- (b) That the whole question of underground conveniences, with a superstructure in the carriageway, should be reviewed by the Authorities concerned on the lines suggested in this report.

Reinstatement of Road Surfaces.

That the Highway Authorities and undertakers concerned should consider whether more effective steps could be taken for dealing with those portions of the carriage-way which have been opened up for the laying of pipes, cables, etc., and then temporarily restored, in order that the temporary surface may be maintained at the proper level.

Street Lighting.

- (a) That the Authorities concerned should give immediate consideration to the question whether arrangements could be made for the adoption of a uniform system of lighting the more important thoroughfares within, say, the Administrative County of London.
- (b) That the Highway Authorities and Lighting Authorities concerned should give immediate consideration to the question of the lighting of important road junctions and roads on which there is heavy night traffic.

Playing-grounds for Children.

That the Authorities concerned should give further consideration to the question of providing adequate space, particularly in congested districts, where children can play without resorting to the streets.

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The Minister hopes that Local Authorities will take such steps as may be practicable to give effect to the recommendations of the Advisory Committee and the decisions of the Conference referred to above with a view to reducing, as far as possible, the number of street accidents in the London Traffic area. In this connection he desires me to add that the Advisory Committee and the Officers of the Ministry will be glad to join with any of the Local Authorities within the London Traffic Area in the consideration of any proposals designed to give effect to the Committee's recommendations and the decisions of the Conference.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

H. H. PIGGOTT.

(together with the preceding page)
 This/is a copy of the letter referred to in
 paragraph 690 (a) of the Highways and Fire and
 Water Committee's report of the 7th September 1927.

H. H. Piggott
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NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING
COMMITTEE.

The Joint Committee at its Quarterly meeting held at the Guildhall on June 14th last, had under consideration the first interim report submitted by the Town Planning Consultants. This report dealt exclusively with Main Road communications.

The problem of making suitable provision for the traffic needs of the future is, in the main, one of improving the London end of radial arteries, both by widening the arteries themselves and by improving the distributory feeders in the built-up areas.

The Ministry of Transport Census on Class "A" Roads taken in 1925 as compared with that taken in 1922, shows an increase from 21½ to 205%, an average increase of 92%. On Class "B" Roads, the increase is from 2% to 124% - an average of 77%. The greatest volume of traffic is carried by Road A500 and the Great North Road (A1) as far as Barnet.

The proposals of the Joint Committee which affect Finchley or its contiguous areas are as under:-

NEW ARTERIAL ROADS.

A local Barnet By-pass Road to avoid High Street, Barnet. In view of the wide detour made by the main Barnet By-pass this local by-pass is urgently needed. But as the greater volume of traffic turns at Barnet into the St. Albans Road (A6), it is considered that the new by-pass should be continued to join (A6) about 2 miles from Barnet.

ROAD WIDTHS AND BUILDING LINES -

A co-ordinated policy with regard to road widths and building lines is important. In built-up areas, although the traffic needs are greater, the expense of widening streets may be very heavy and it will frequently be impossible on financial grounds to undertake improvements. The maximum width should therefore be obtained by the prescription of improvement and building lines and requiring compliance therewith when the re-building takes place.

This may be accomplished under the Town Planning Schemes or, where such land is not included, under the Road Improvements Act 1925, and the consideration of this matter by the Highways Committee should be invited.

The proposals of the Joint Committee under this heading are:-

Main Trunk Roads -

A width of not less than 100 feet with a building set back of not less than 20 feet or 70 feet from the centre of the road.

Other First Class Roads -

A width of 80 feet with a building set back of 20 feet or 60 feet from the centre of the road.

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Second Class Roads -

A width of 60 feet with a building set back of 20 feet or 50 feet from the centre of the road.

The Joint Committee consider it important that all buildings should comply with the general building line laid down for a road. It is sometimes suggested that shops and business premises would be injuriously affected by being set back too far from the road and that they should accordingly be allowed to come forward in front of the normal building line. We suggest, however, that instead of bringing these buildings nearer to the road it is obviously better to bring the road nearer to them. Shops and business premises inevitably give rise to increased traffic, both vehicular and pedestrian and they, therefore, require wider footpaths and wider carriageways in front of them. The most effective method of meeting these requirements is to maintain a uniform building line and utilise the forecourts of the shops for a footpath 20 feet wide, thus allowing space for a subsidiary carriageway to accommodate vehicles stopping in front of the shops without interference with the through traffic using the road.

SCHEDULE OF ROAD PROPOSALS.

No.	Description	Local Authorities affected.	suggested width in feet.	Building set back where possible in feet.
A1.	Great North Road (London to Edinburgh).	Hornsey Borough, Finchley Urban, S. Mimms Rural.	100.	20.
A.109.	Tottenham -Wood Green - Friern Barnet -Whetstone Road.	Tottenham Urban Wood Green Urban, Friern Barnet Urban, Finchley Urban.	80.	20.
A.406.	North Circular Road	Wembley Urban, Willesden Urban, Hendon Urban, Finchley Urban, Hornsey Brough, F. Barnet Urban, Wood Green Urban, Southgate Urban, Edmonton Urban.	100.	20.
A.500.	Hampstead - Finchley Road.	Hendon Urban, Finchley Urban.	100.	20.
A.504.	Finchley - Muswell Hill - Hornsey- Tottenham Road.	Finchley Urban, Hornsey Borough, Tottenham Urban.	80.	20.
A.1103.	Finchley- Friern Barnet -Southgate Road.	Finchley Urban, F. Barnet Urban, Southgate Urban.	80.	20.

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A5000	Hendon-Finchley Road.	Hendon Urban, Finchley Urban.	60.	20.
B550.	Highgate -Muswell Hill- Friern Barnet -Whetstone Road	Hornsey Borough, F. Barnet Urban Finchley Urban.	60.	20.
B553.	Edgware- Totteridge Whetstone Road.	Hendon Rural, Hendon Urban Finchley Urban.	60.	20.
1.	Barnet By-Pass	Hornsey Borough, Finchley Urban Hendon Urban S. Mimms Rural.	100.	20.

As an advisory body the Joint Committee has no direct means of carrying out its proposals. To make them effective, it will be necessary for each of the constituent Local Authorities to include such proposals as affect their areas in their statutory town planning schemes. In this connexion it is recommended that Local Authorities should work in close collaboration with the County Council and the Ministry of Transport (or whatever Government Department assumes the functions of this body) and make such arrangements with them as may be possible for securing financial assistance in the event of claims for compensation arising out of the prescription of land both for the widening of existing main roads and for new main routes.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the report presented to the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee referred to in paragraph 691 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September 1927.

J. O. P. H.
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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

3rd September, 1927.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE
HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE.

Gentlemen,

Roads Improvement Act, 1925.

In accordance with instructions, we beg to present the following summary of the powers conferred on Local Authorities by the above Act.

- (1) Section 1 of the Act empowers Highway Authorities to plant and maintain trees, shrubs and grass margins in any highway maintained by them.
- (2) Section 3 enables a Highway Authority to apply to the Development Commissioners for an Order for the acquisition of land required to be given in exchange for any portion of a common or open space taken for the construction or widening of a road.
- (3) By virtue of Section 4 of the Act valuable powers are conferred upon Highway Authorities to control the height and character of walls, fences, hedges etc., and to restrict the erection of new buildings at corners or bends on highways where it is necessary for the safety of road-users that an adequate sight-line should be secured. This Section makes it possible for a notice to be served upon the owner and occupier of a corner site requiring alterations to be made in the character of the existing enclosures or imposing restrictions as to any buildings to be erected on the site in future, subject to provisions for the payment of suitable compensation. In a circular issued by the Ministry of Transport on the 16th September, 1925 it is pointed out that:-

"If proper advantage is taken of these powers, the safety of the highway will be greatly increased, and a check imposed upon the thoughtless misuse of corner plots. Further, the timely adoption of preventive measures should conduce in an important degree to ultimate economy, by relieving local authorities from the necessity, in the end, of acquiring and demolishing costly permanent buildings placed in unsuitable positions."
- (4) Section 5 gives powers to Highway Authorities for the prescription of building lines along roads maintainable by them; thus, subject to the provisions of the Section, the County Council or other Highway Authority may, by resolution, prescribe, in relation to either side of any part of the highway maintainable by them, a building line. By this means there should be little difficulty, for example, in preventing the

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construction of buildings in such close proximity to a narrow road as to render its future widening or re-alignment prohibitively expensive. Complaints as to noise and vibration caused by traffic on the highways would also be reduced.

(5) So far as the administration of the Road Fund is concerned, the Roads Improvement Act specifies various additional heads under which advances may in future be made. These include the purposes mentioned above, viz. tree planting, sight lines at corners, building lines, as well as the freeing of roads from tolls, the erection of notices, direction posts, etc. and expenditure incurred by the Minister of Transport in conducting experiments as to method of construction of roads, etc.

Yours obediently,

E.H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

P.T. HARRISON,

Surveyor of the Council.

This (together with the preceding page) is the Joint Report of the Clerk and Surveyor referred to in paragraph 691 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September 1927.


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are unsuitable for heavy traffic; (b) a greater measure of financial assistance from State Funds for the formation and upkeep of roads used by heavy traffic; (c) a wider classification to enable District roads subject to heavy traffic to be placed in, say a Class III. category; (d) the amendment of the draft Road Traffic Bill so as to secure therein the imposition of stricter speed limits on heavy vehicles with solid tyres."

Further that an adjourned meeting of the conference would be held on the 12th October, 1927, to consider the action (if any) taken by the various representative Local Authorities upon the foregoing resolution;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be directed to take up the matter with the Urban District Councils' Association, with a view to amendments being made in the Road Traffic Bill dealing with the points mentioned in the foregoing resolution;
- (b) that the Council's representatives who were appointed to attend the first meeting of the conference be asked to attend the adjourned meeting to be held on the 12th October.

It was reported that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Middlesex District Councils' Association held on the 25th July, 1927, the resolution in question was accepted, and the constituent authorities were requested carefully to consider the recommendations contained therein.

697 CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS—GRANTS FROM THE ROAD FUND DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR, 1927/28.—A circular letter, dated 29th July, 1927, from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted, and it was reported that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor for attention. It was observed that the Ministry had decided to increase their contribution towards the upkeep of Class II. roads from 25 per cent. to 33½ per cent. of the annual cost. The roads in Finchley affected were, it was stated, Totteridge Lane, Hampstead Lane and Friern Barnet Lane.

698 HIGHWAYS—TRAFFIC—HIGH ROAD, EAST FINCHLEY.—A letter, dated 28th July, 1927, was submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the Finchley (Local) Labour Party enclosing copy of a

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letter received by that organisation from the Commissioner of Police, dealing with the question of traffic control at the entrance to the Islington and St. Pancras cemetery, and expressing the hope that the efforts of this Council would achieve a greater measure of success than had been the case with their application.

The effect of the letter from the Police Authorities was that the Commissioner of Police, after careful consideration, regretted that the traffic conditions prevailing at the point in question did not warrant the employment of a police constable on traffic duty. It was added that the police would do all that was possible to prevent vehicles being driven at an excessive speed and obviate accidents to pedestrians.

699 HEAVY MOTOR CAR (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1927.—A circular letter, dated 11th August, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Transport, drawing attention to the above Order limiting the size of heavy motor cars, etc.

700 HIGHWAYS OUTDOOR SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 3rd instant, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), and Councillor Wells.

TREES—HENDON LANE, EAST END ROAD AND HIGH ROAD, EAST FINCHLEY.—The Sub-Committee met a representative of the London General Omnibus Company and proceeded in one of the Company's buses to inspect certain trees in the above-mentioned roads. In each case the conclusion of the Sub-Committee was arrived at after a demonstration with the bus had established whether or not the trees in question constituted a danger or nuisance to vehicles of this type using the highway.

- (a) Four trees—Hendon Lane, North side of Arden Road. It was considered desirable that the first and second of these trees (counting in a northerly direction) should be removed and that the lowest branch, overhanging the road, of each of the two remaining trees should be lopped.
- (b) Two trees—Hendon Lane, South of Windsor Road. —The view was expressed that both of these trees should be removed.

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- (c) (i) Six trees—East End Road by Avenue House.
 (ii) Four trees—East End Road by Arden Playing Field.—The Sub-Committee agreed that these trees were not likely to become dangerous if kept trimmed.
- (d) Two trees—East End Road opposite to Prospect House.—The Sub-Committee were of the opinion that these trees should be removed.
- (e) Four trees—East End Rd. by Trinity Avenue.—The Sub-Committee decided that the first, second and third of these trees (counting in an easterly direction) should be removed, and that the fourth should be kept trimmed.
- (f) One tree—High Road, East Finchley, by Evers Terrace.—After inspecting this tree the Sub-Committee considered it desirable that the boughs thereof, with the exception of a small one branching away from the road, should be removed.

The Surveyor was instructed to submit at the meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee an estimate of the cost of carrying out the work indicated above.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

Arising thereout, the Surveyor reported that the estimated cost of carrying out the works referred to was £36;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be received and adopted; and
 (b) that the Surveyor be authorised to proceed with the carrying out of the works in question.

701 EAST END ROAD WIDENING—A.B.C. FRONTAGE.—It was reported that the Solicitors acting in this matter were prepared to agree their charges at ten guineas;

RECOMMENDED that payment of this amount be approved.

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702 HIGHWAYS — LIGHTING — JUNCTION OF HIGH ROAD, WHETSTONE, AND TOTTERIDGE LANE.—A communication, dated 3rd September, 1927, was submitted from the Commissioner of Police asking the Council to consider the question of improving the lighting at the above point;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor and the Chief Electrical Engineer go into the matter and report at the Council meeting, it being understood that if the cost of providing additional lighting is found to be small, they be authorised to proceed with the carrying out of the work, after consultation with the Chairman of the Committee.

703 LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924—SECTION 4—CLOSING OF STREETS FOR WORKS.—A letter, dated 5th September, 1927, received from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted, and it was reported that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor for attention.

704 WOOD PAVING WORKS—MAIN ROADS.—The Surveyor reported that these works were approaching completion—with the exception of the section on the Regents Park Road adjoining the Hendon boundary, which was held up pending the result of the negotiations in connexion with the widening and the proposed circus.

705 COTTAGES—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—It was reported that these cottages were occupied by their respective tenants on the 29th August, 1927, and that the final statement of cost would be submitted at a later date.

706 STREET IMPROVEMENTS.—

(a) Woodside Lane.—It was reported that a commencement had been made with this work;

(b) Summers Lane.—It was reported that these works were approaching completion.

707 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted:—

1. Underground line east side of Queen's Avenue, from outside No. 96 to outside No. 102.

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2. Underground line south-east side of Beresford Road, from Great North Road to Nos. 1/3.
3. Underground line south-east side of Nether Street, from outside "Elm Grange" to outside "Nether Grange."
4. Underground line across and along the north-east side of Elm Gardens, from "Tatcham"/"Hazeldene," to outside "Lynwood."
5. Underground line across Station Road, from No. 42 to No. 107.
6. Underground line east side of High Road, from Athenaeum Road to outside No. 87.
7. Underground line, from No. 36, Sedgemere Avenue to Manor Park Road, along Manor Park Road to Brackenbury Road, with a pole at the latter point.
8. Overground line along Gordon Road, from an existing pole by Eversleigh Road, north-east side, to outside No. 12.

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved subject:—

- (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor;
- (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction; and
- (c) as regards Nos. 7 and 8 to iron poles being erected.

708 GAS MAIN APPLICATIONS.—The Surveyor reported receipt from the North Middlesex Gas Company of applications for leave to lay the following:—

- (i) 6in. main on the west side of the Great North Road, from opposite Christchurch Avenue extending eastwards for a distance of approximately 180 feet.
- (ii) New mains—Park Road and Market Place.

RECOMMENDED that such applications be granted.

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709 ELECTRIC MAIN APPLICATIONS.—The Surveyor reported receipt from the Electricity Department of applications for leave to lay the following :—

- (a) High and low tension mains, from Durham Road to Deans Way on the Hampstead Garden Suburb, traversing the following public highways :—Fortis Green, and the Great North Road, from Brompton Grove to The Bishop's Avenue.
- (b) Extension of main in Holden Road, from Gainsborough Road to Holden Avenue.

and to erect :—

- (c) Holden Avenue—proposed feeder pillar near junction with Holden Road.

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised by the Council to these proposals.

710 STREET WIDENINGS—BALLARDS LANE—ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.—The Surveyor submitted a communication, dated 30th August, 1927, received by him from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett, stating that their clients were prepared to convey to the Council the strip of land on the Ballards Lane frontage of the above premises coloured pink on plan Nod. 6137 prepared by the Surveyor, and dated the 21st July last on the following terms :—

- (1) Purchase money £300;
- (2) The Council to remove the present fence and hedge and erect a new fence along the new line shewn on the said plan;
- (3) The Council to fell and remove all trees outside the new line which the Council or their clients may deem necessary and also to fell and remove such trees which may be standing on the line of the new fence as their clients may require;
- (4) The new fence to be of the height of four feet of cleft oak with oak posts, rails and gravel boards and of such pattern as may seem to their clients desirable;
- (5) The Council to widen the road and complete and construct the new pavement, erection of the new fence and

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all other works in connexion with this matter to be carried out in a proper and workmanlike manner on or before the 31st December, 1927;

- (6) The Council to bear and pay on completion all the costs of their clients of and incidental to the matter, including therein the negotiations, the Contract for sale and purchase and embodying the terms, the Conveyance and completion.

They added that with regard to (5) above, the widening of the actual carriageway could stand over and be done at the discretion of the Council.

The Surveyor intimated that the cost of the road works was estimated at £295, and that allowing a sum of say £25 for fees, etc., the total estimated cost was £620;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the offer above-mentioned be accepted;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to obtain a conveyance of the strip of land in question;
- (c) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements;
- (d) that the Surveyor be instructed to obtain the District Valuer's report.

711 **ROUNDING OF CORNERS—GRANVILLE ROAD, JUNCTION OF BALLARDS LANE.**—The Surveyor reported that he had interviewed the leaseholder of the premises at the north corner at the junction of Granville Road and Ballards Lane, and that he was prepared to sanction his fence and hedge being cut down to the height desired by the Council. He added that unfortunately the fence was in such a bad condition that he was afraid new fencing would be required, and that he estimated the total cost of the work at £6 10s. 0d.;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the expenditure in question be approved;
- (b) that the Surveyor be directed to approach the Ministry of Transport with a view to their bearing the cost.

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712 PRIVATE STREETS—NAMING OF.—

- (a) A letter, dated 5th July, 1927, was submitted from Mr. G. C. Mosses, asking that his new road on the Forresters' Estate might be named Chesterfield Road. This road, it was reported, ran parallel with the Dollis Brook;

RECOMMENDED that the proposed name be agreed.

- (b) It was reported that Mr. Mosses had also written asking that the new road on the Forresters' Estate running parallel with Fursby Avenue might be named Nethercourt Avenue;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (c) A letter, dated 6th July, 1927, was submitted from Mr. L. Trewby, the General Manager of the North Middlesex Gas Company, asking that the road on the Limes Estate, Regents Park Road, might be named Arcadia Avenue;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

713 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—SWEEPER W. JAMES.—It was reported that Sweeper W. James was due to retire (by extension) on the 5th November, 1927, but that he had expressed the desire to remain in the service of the Council.

The Committee decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee that his services be retained until the 30th June, 1928.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

714 HAMILTON ROAD AND FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔTS.—The Surveyor reported that he had ascertained from the Electrical Engineer the portions of the above depôts which he suggested should be retained by the Council for the purposes of the electricity department;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left to the General Purposes Committee to deal with.

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715 REPAIRS—WHETSTONE SUB-FIRE STATION.—

RECOMMENDED that the tender of Messrs. C. Halls & Sons at the sum of £24 6s. 0d. (the lowest) for carrying out the above works be accepted.

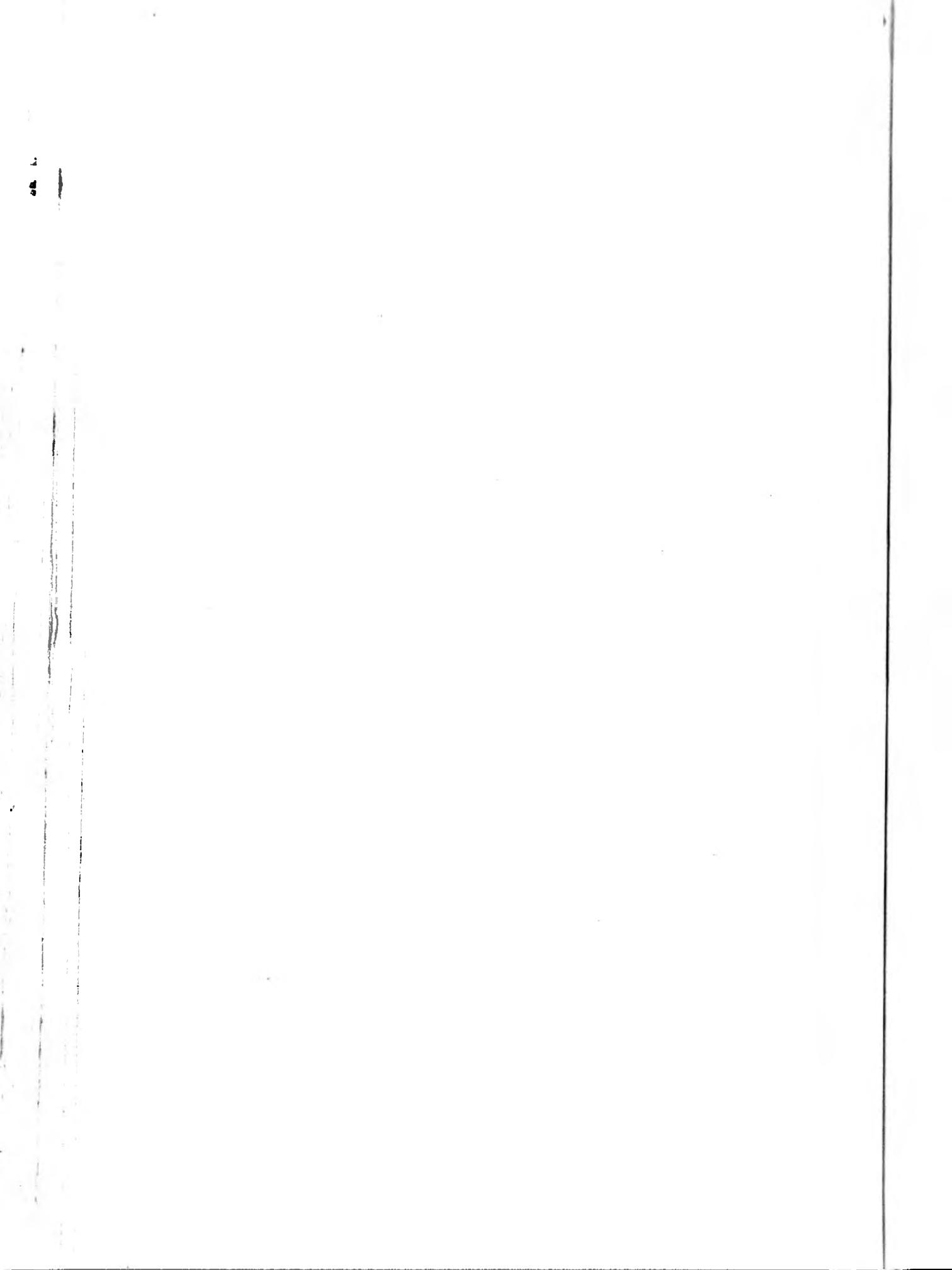
716 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—The Surveyor reported the death of J. G. Foskett, an ex-sweeper, which took place on the 24th July, 1927.

717 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.



ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

8th September, 1927.

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillors Broadbent and Wells, and Messrs. Robin and Tayler.

718 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

719 ALLOTMENTS.—

- (a) Summers Lane (Glebe land).—It was reported (1) that members of the North Finchley Allotment League had visited sites " D " and " E " on the 28th July, 1927, and had made tests of the soil (particulars submitted) in the presence of a representative of the Surveyor's department of the Council; (2) that the Clerk had received a letter from the Hon. Secretary of the League stating that a special meeting of the League would be held on the 8th September, 1927, for the purpose of considering the terms offered to them by the Council; and (3) that he, the Clerk, had been notified (a) by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries that the Minister consented to the appropriation of 11.75 acres of site " G " for playing fields and of sites " D " and " E " for allotments; and (b) by the Ministry of Health that the Minister was prepared to approve of such appropriations;

RECOMMENDED that consideration of this matter be deferred pending receipt of a further communication from the League.

- (b) Lonsdale Meadows—Purchase of Part of.—The Committee considered (a) the reference from the Council hereon; and (b) draft Conveyance submitted by the Vendor's Solicitors in conjunction with the Clerk's report thereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (i) that the Finance Committee be informed that the estimated cost of the fencing on the western boundary will be defrayed out of the contingency fund;
- (ii) that such draft be approved, subject to the amendments indicated at the meeting;

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

(iii) that consideration of the financial aspect of the matter be deferred pending final approval of the draft by both parties to the Conveyance.

(c) Woodhouse.—The Clerk reported receipt of a letter from the Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd., intimating that the Society had been registered under the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, and making formal application for a lease of the land, of which their Members were at present in occupation, on the terms offered by the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd., be granted a 10 years' lease of the above land containing 8 acres 1 rood 30 poles or thereabouts on the terms and conditions set out in Minute No. 1612 (a) as amended by Minute No. 1683;
- (2) that the Clerk prepare the draft lease;
- (3) that six months' notice to quit expiring on the 25th March, 1928, be served upon each of the existing tenants of the Council at above, and that an intimation be given that tenancies will not be disturbed if application for renewal thereof be made to the Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd.

720 TOWN PLANNING—RESERVATION OF LAND FOR ALLOTMENTS.—A letter was submitted from the Assistant District Commissioner of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries stating that it appeared from the Ministry's records that there was an existing demand for about 168 acres of allotments within the area of the Council's two Town Planning Schemes (statement herewith), and that it would seem desirable to reserve at least that area for allotments if suitable land were available. The Clerk submitted the following particulars of areas suggested to be reserved for allotments under the two Schemes:—

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

ALLOTMENTS.

TOWN PLANNING SCHEMES NOS. 1 AND 2.

S T A T E M E N T

showing how the area of 168 acres of allotments (referred to in the letter from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries dated 1st September, 1927 as being that for which there is a demand within the areas of the above two Schemes) is made up.

Lands owned by the Council.

<u>Situation</u>	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>Remarks.</u>
Brook Farm.	15.	2.	0.	Reserved under Scheme No. 2.
Vale Farm.	1.	3.	0.	do.
Summers Lane.	20.	1.	3.	Not at present reserved, but may be reserved under Scheme No. 2 so soon as the Glebe Land is finally allocated.
	<u>37.</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>3.</u>	

Lands hired by the Council.

<u>Situation</u>	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>Remarks.</u>
Bow Lane.	3.	0.	18.	On short Lease.
East Finchley.	12.	3.	0.	----
East End Road - (Cutbush)	13.	2.	32.	Suggested to be reserved under Scheme No. 1.
Creighton Avenue.	5.	3.	15.	----
Cherry Tree Hill.	6.	0.	0.	Suggested to be reserved under Scheme No. 1.
Gordon Road.	5.	1.	0.	----
Lonsdale Meadows.	3.	2.	36.	Negotiations are proceeding for the acquisition of 3a. 1r. 16p. of this land.
	<u>50.</u>	<u>1.</u>	<u>31.</u>	

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Other lands let by the Council as allotments
(With consent of Ministry of Health where necessary)

<u>Situation</u>	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>Remarks.</u>
Holden Road.	3.	0.	0.	---
Whetstone Stray.	38.	0.	0.	---
Lankaster Gardens.	-	-	23.	---
<u>Arden Estate:-</u>				
Old Nursery Site	4.	1.	4.	Suggested to be reserved under Scheme No. 1.
Briarfield Avenue.	8.	1.	20.	
Squires Lane Shoot.	<u>1.</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>0.</u>	
	<u>39.</u>	<u>1.</u>	<u>7.</u>	

Lands let as allotments by private owners.

<u>Situation.</u>	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>	<u>Remarks.</u>
Pointall's (Kay's Land)	10.	1.	14.	Acquired as an open space.
Charity Trustees.	<u>33.</u>	<u>0.</u>	<u>0.</u>	
	<u>43.</u>	<u>1.</u>	<u>14.</u>	

S U M M A R Y.

	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>
Lands owned by Council	37.	2.	3.
Lands hired by Council	50.	1.	21.
Other lands let by Council	39.	1.	7.
Privately owned lands	<u>43.</u>	<u>1.</u>	<u>14.</u>
Total	<u>170.</u>	<u>3.</u>	<u>5.</u>

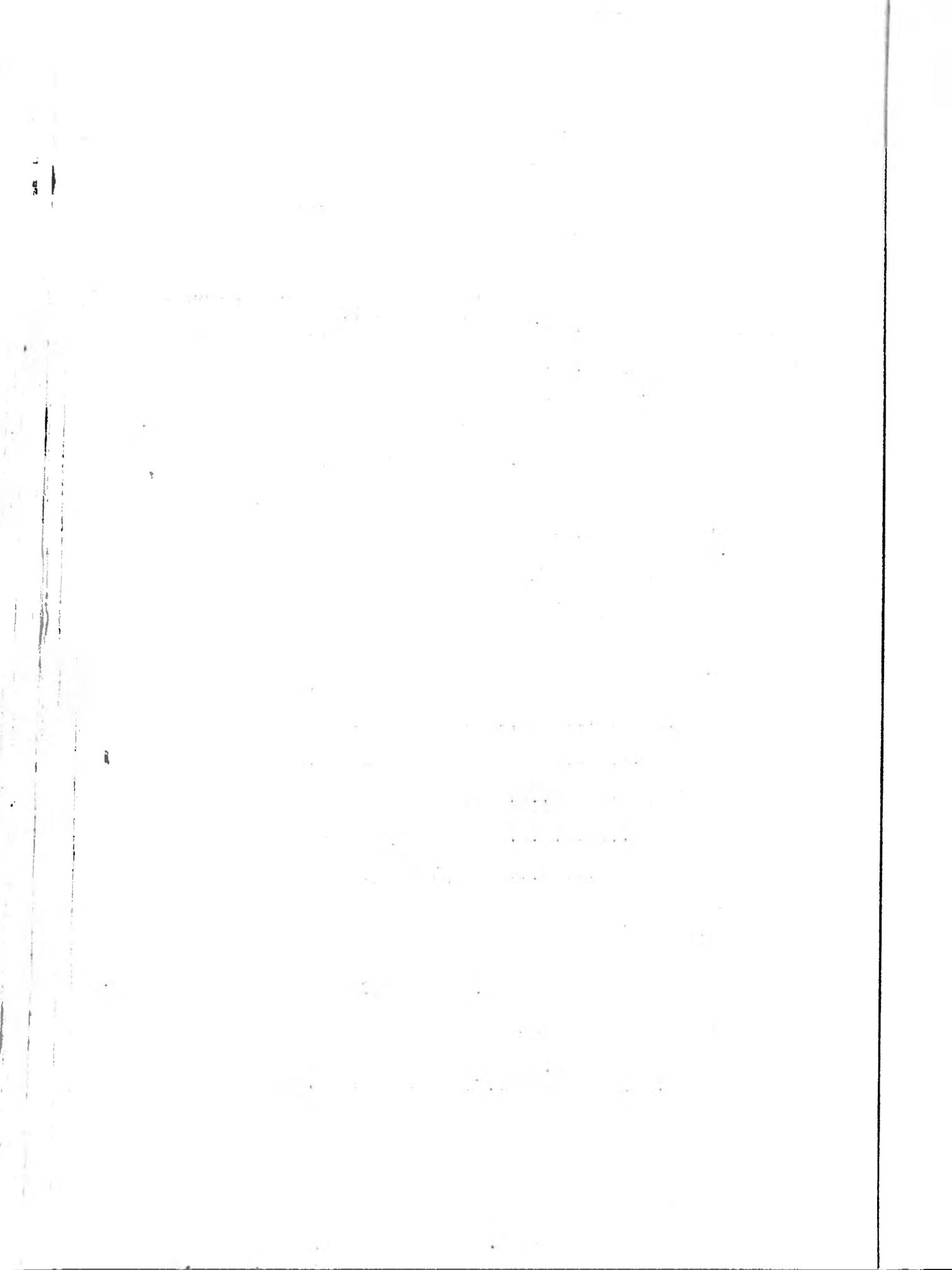
RECONCILIATION STATEMENT.

	<u>A.</u>	<u>R.</u>	<u>P.</u>
Total as above	170.	3.	5.
Deduct area added to East End Road (Cutbush's) land since return furnished to Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries	<u>2.</u>	<u>1.</u>	<u>24.</u>
	<u>168.</u>	<u>0.</u>	<u>21.</u>

Approximately 168 acres.

This (together with the preceding page) is the statement referred to in paragraph 720, of the Allotments Committee's report of the 8th September 1927.

M. S. Smith



ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

Scheme 1.—				A.	R.	P.
Cherry Tree Hill	...	...	...	6	0	0
Finchley Manor—(Cutbush's land)				13	2	32
Old Nursery Site	...	...	...	4	1	4
Scheme 2.—						
Glebe Land	...	...	...	20	1	3
Brook Farm	...	...	...	15	2	0
Vale Farm	...	...	...	1	3	0
Total				61	1	39

The Clerk reported as to an interview which the Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee had had with Mr. J. C. S. Soutar, the Hampstead Garden Suburb Architect, on the proposal to reserve 10 acres of land in that area for allotments, when Mr. Soutar had stated, *inter alia*, that he had no evidence of a demand for allotments on the part of residents in the Garden Suburb. It was further reported that in the circumstances the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee did not at the present time propose to reserve the area in question under Scheme No. 1 but had referred the matter to this Committee;

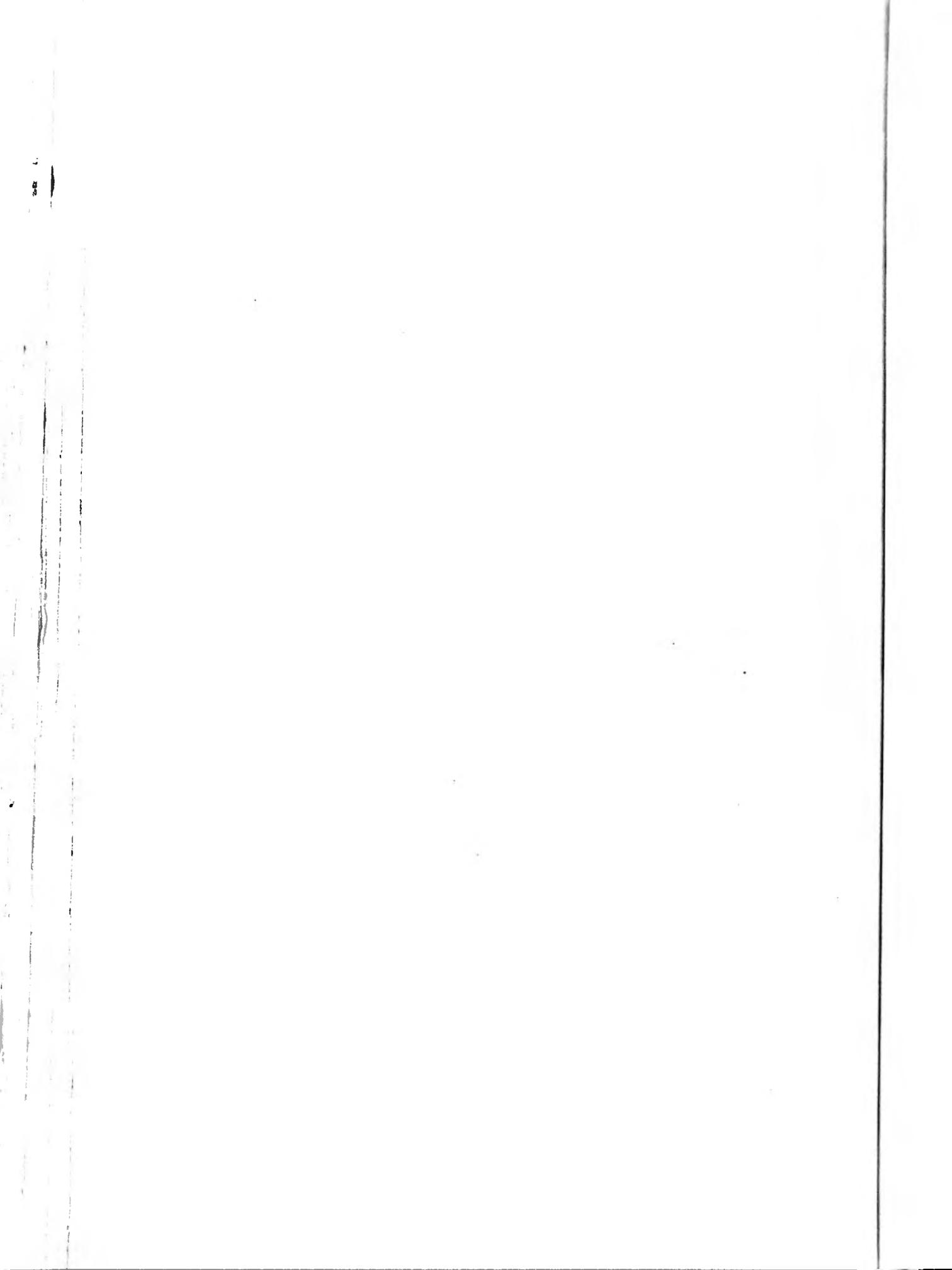
RECOMMENDED that the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee be asked to re-consider the matter in the light of the communication from the Ministry above referred to, and to have particular regard to the fact that this Committee have for many years understood that an area of 10 acres would be reserved for allotments in the Hampstead Garden Suburb area, and that it only remained for the site thereof to be definitely fixed.

721 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instructions Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.



**REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION
COMMITTEE.**

12th September, 1927.

Present: Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams.

722 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £5,011 5s. 11d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

723 SUMMERS LANE SCHOOL SITE.—A letter dated the 8th August, 1927, has been received from the Board of Education stating that the Board do not wish to raise any objection to the proposed amended arrangements between the Middlesex Local Education Authority and the Finchley Local Education Authority in respect of the Summers Lane School Site.

(The amendment referred to relates to the use by the Middlesex Education Authority of the whole of the Summers Lane School site at an increased rental as from the 1st April, 1927).

724 WOODHOUSE SCHOOL—EXTENSION OF TIME FOR SALE.—Under date the 30th August, 1927, the Board of Education have issued an Order under Section 115 (1) of the Education Act, 1921, extending to the 30th August, 1928, the date for the completion of the conveyance of the Woodhouse School site and property.

725 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—A letter dated the 27th August, 1927, has been received from the Board of Education forwarding the plans of the proposed Roman Catholic School submitted to them by the Promoters. The Board expresses the opinion that it would be an advantage if certain suggested amendments to the plans be adopted, also, if possible, that the additional land lying to the east of the site be purchased. The Board ask that the plans and the letter be transmitted to the Promoters.

The General Purposes Committee have been informed that the Education Committee recommend that the plans and the letter be forwarded to the Promoters as requested.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

726 EDUCATION OF THE ADOLESCENT.—A circular letter dated August, 1927, has been received from the National Union of Teachers and the Workers' Educational Association stating that they propose "to summon conjointly a National Conference in which education authorities, educational associations, and organizations of teachers and workers, may meet to discuss the new situation that has arisen" in relation to the recent issue of the Report of the Consultative Committee of the Board of Education on the above-mentioned subject.

Councillor C. S. Syrett and the Secretary have been authorised to attend a conference which will take place at the Kingsway Hall, on Saturday, the 15th October next, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

727 CHOICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FOR JUVENILES.—The Board of Education announce by Circular 1392, dated the 20th July, 1927, the decision of the Government to accept the recommendation of the Committee of Education and Industry relating to the transfer from the Board of Education to the Ministry of Labour, as from the 19th September, 1927, of certain powers in respect of Choice of Employment and Unemployment Insurance for juveniles; and as from the 1st April, 1927, all the Board's powers and duties so far as they relate to grants to local education authorities in respect of Choice of Employment.

728 CHILDREN'S CARE COMMITTEE.—Your Committee have pleasure in announcing that they have received from the Honorary Treasurer of the Rotary Club of Finchley a donation of £10 10s. to the funds of the Children's Care Committee.

729 APPOINTMENTS—TEACHING STAFF.—**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that approval be given to the appointment of Miss Jessie May Parker, trained certificated assistant, by the Managers of the St. John's School, as from 1st September, 1927;

(This appointment was authorised by the Council in March last).

- (b) that the appointment of the undermentioned teachers be approved, namely :—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

Name.	School.	From.	In place of.
Smyth, Miss	Albert St. J.	1/9/27	Mrs. Barratt.
Armstrong, Miss	Long Lane I.	1/9/27	Mrs. Collison.
Martin, Mrs. (widow)	St. Mary's I.	1/9/27	(Hitherto engaged on supply)

These appointments will continue only so long as the number of scholars in the respective departments justify such assistance.

(c) that the appointment of the following supply teachers, to serve during the temporary absence of members of the staff, be approved :—

Name.	School.	From.
Nicklin, Mrs.	S.M.M.	1st September, 1927.
Barratt, Mrs.	A.S.J.	1st September, 1927.
Burnard, Mrs.	S.L.I.	1st September, 1927.
Popley, Mrs.	H.T.I.	1st September, 1927.
O'Donnell, Mrs.	A.S.S.	7th September, 1927.

(d) that the appointments referred to in the foregoing recommendations, and also future appointments to the teaching staff unless otherwise directed by the Council, shall be subject to the following terms and conditions :—

- i. the teacher to give full-time service exclusively in the capacity of a teacher ;
(In this connexion " full-time " means the usual number of working hours per week).
- ii. the production of a satisfactory medical certificate (supply teachers excepted) ;
- iii. the conditions of appointment of the Authority in force for the time being ;
- iv. the terms and conditions of Scale IV. of the Burnham Arbitration Salaries Award and to the decisions of the Board of Education relating thereto ;

EDUCATION (*continued*).

- v. the conditions of service set out in Article 17 (c) of the Code of Regulations for Public Elementary Schools, 1926;
- vi. in the case of a newly certificated teacher the first year of service to be a probationary period;
- vii. the termination of the engagement by one calendar month's previous written notice on either side (supply teachers excepted);
- viii. the appropriate qualification recognized by the Board of Education having been secured.

730 SCHOOL MEDICAL SERVICE.—

RECOMMENDED that, in the event of Miss Batty being transferred from the School Medical Department to the Public Health Department;

(a) Miss Jean Dinning be appointed clerk in the School Medical Service at a salary of £65 per annum; and

(b) for superannuation purposes Miss Dinning be appointed to the designated post vacated by Miss Batty.

731 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT—OFFICE BOY.—Albert King, the office boy, has resigned and his services terminated on the 3rd September, 1927.

RECOMMENDED that the Education Committee be authorised to appoint a successor.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

13th September, 1927.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

731a MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

732 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

733 FINCHLEY CITIZENS' COMMITTEE—ALLOCATION OF SURPLUS FUND.—The Clerk reported that the amount standing to the credit of the above Committee had now been transferred to the Finchley Charity Organisation and Nursing Society for administration pursuant to a Scheme made by the Charity Commissioners, dated 24th May, 1927.

He further reported that he had been informed that the name of the Society in question had been altered, and that it was now known as the Finchley District Nursing and Benevolent Society.

734 POOR LAW REFORM.—Print of a circular letter issued by the Ministry of Health on the 8th June last, together with a print of the memorandum referred to therein (~~circulated~~) was submitted and considered.

The view was expressed that the proposed Reform would have considerable bearing upon the work of Local Authorities and was a subject which should be watched carefully by the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the whole question be referred to a Sub-Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Committee and Councillor Pike for consideration and report to this Committee;
- (b) that the Clerk be directed to prepare and submit to such Sub-Committee a full report on the subject.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

735 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

(a) A letter dated 5th August, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health stating that the Minister had approved the resolution passed by the Council on the 25th July, 1927, designating as established for the purposes of the Act the seven additional posts specified therein, and had directed that the provisions of Section 18 (1) (e) should not apply as regards the occupants of those posts. The letter added that as Mr. Judge did not occupy a designated post on the appointed day (25th July, 1927), for that post his prior service would not fall within the definition of non-contributing service in section 3 of the Act and that it could only be reckoned if the provisions of sub-sections (1) or (2) of Section 8 of the Act were applicable. The Clerk reported that the effect of this letter was that Mr. Judge's previous service with a local authority would not count unless he made a contribution in lieu of transfer value.

(b) Vacant Designated Posts.—

RECOMMENDED that the persons mentioned in column 1 of the under-mentioned statement occupy as from the dates mentioned respectively in column 4 thereof the designated posts set opposite to their respective names :—

Name (1).	Designated Post (2).	In lieu of. (3).	Date from which post to be occupied. (4).
Miss E. Reynolds	Shorthand-typist Clerk's Department.	Miss E. M. Coombes.	26th Sept., 1927.
Miss E. M. Andrews	Typist— Surveyor's Department.	Miss E. E. M. Ivory.	26th Sept., 1927.
Miss G. Batty	Clerk— Public Health Department.	Miss B. Alder.	8th Oct., 1927.
Miss J. Dinning.	Clerk— Education Department.	Miss G. Batty.	8th Oct., 1927.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13th SEPTEMBER, 1927.

SQUIRES LANE WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS
DWELLINGS. 1st Scheme. Assisted
Scheme.

TOTAL.

SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS 1st Scheme.			Assisted Scheme.			TOTAL.		
£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.

Req. No.		Brought Forward:	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	
			62	16	11	188	0	11	307	13	11	
548	0	Take out sink waste & repair, new joint on trap, refix & make good brickwork & concrete. 123, Squires Lane.	16	10							16 10	
549	0	Remove old supply & fix new 50 gall. 14 gauge cold water cistern. 10, Castleway.				2	18	2			2 18 2	
550	0	Remove old, supply & fix new 20 gal. 3/8" plate hot water tank; remove boiler & furred pipes, clean out boiler, provide & fix 1 1/4" flow pipe to safety valve, refixing 1" return pipes, testing & making good. 50, Ingleway.							5	19	7	
551	0	Remove old, supply & fix new 20 gal. 3/8" plate hot water tank. 10, Crescentway.							3	10	3	
552	0	Open ground & repair water service joint. 129, Squires Lane	18	3							18 3	
553	0	Do. do. 5, Ingleway.							18	3	18 3	
554	0	Do. do. 1 joint & repair stuffing box of stop cock. 214, Woodhouse Rd				16	10				16 10	
555	0	Remove old, supply & fix 1 - 20 gal. 3/8" plate hot water tank. 6, Crescent Way.							3	10	3	
556	0	7 Pieces Wallpaper. 20, Queen's Rd. 123, Squires Lane	6	3							6 3	
557	0	5 Do. 120, Woodhouse Rd.				4	5				4 5	
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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

REQUISITIONS - SEPTEMBER, 1927.

Estimate for year £8893. -. -.
 Amount previously requisitioned. £4538.18.10.

Ordered since last meeting

10 Interdepartmental books	2.15. -.
4 Tons coal	7. 2. -.
1,400 summons forms	4.15. -.
2,400 Putting green cards	2.15. -.
500 Ambulance forms	-.10. -.
Repairs to lights - Finance General	-.10. -.
100 Visiting cards - Accountant	-. 5. -.
10 pieces screwboard	-. 5. -.
4 Ambulance receipt books	1. -. -.
6 Sample reams foolscap & quarto paper	1. 5. -.
1 Ream blotting paper	1.15. -.
Land Charges Register	1.10. -.
Advertising - Woodhouse Estate - Painting	3.14. -.
do. Junior - Valuation department	-. 3. 6.
do. Town Planning Scheme	2.14. -.
do. Re Public Health Act	3. -. -.
Repairs to safe	e.16. 6.
50 Notices - Public Enquiry - Town Planning	1. -. -.
Hire of car to Highgate	-.10. 6.
Repairs to typewriter	-.14. -.
60 Private street works notices	1. 6. -.
Indexing Council Minutes	5.15. 5.
Covering table - Valuation department	-. 8. -.
50 Notices re Supplemental Valuation Lists	-.10. -.
3 Tubes Gestetner ink	1. 5. 9.

Now requisitioned

Clark's Department -

Printing Council Minutes & Reports - September -	30. -. -.
Binding 1 letter book - No.145	1. 1. -.
Subscription to Lawyer's Annual Library 1927-8.	1.10. -.
2 Office chairs	2. -. -.
1 Damper	-. 3. -.

Surveyor's Department.

2. No.3 waste paper baskets	-. 7. -.
1 box meteorological charts No.163	-. 5. -.
1,000 Acknowledgment post cards	-.12. 6.
3 doz. Octavo manifold books	2.11. -.
18" Duplex ruler	-. 5. 6.

Carried forward £4623.18. 6.

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Brought forward £4623.18. 6.

Surveyor's Department (continued).

2 doz. quarto manifold books	3. -. -.
1 box Permink pen carbons 100 (Purple)- quarto size	-.14. -.
5 Reams quarto headed note foolscap	3.10. -.
12 Delivery ticket books (triplicate)	1. 2. -.
3 Correspondence registers	4. 1. 6.
3 Books return of water from standposts	1.10. -.
Decorative works - Council Offices	50. -. -.
2 coal scuttles	-.15. -.

Drawing Office

2 rolls printing linen No. 5413	2.13. -.
3 new glasses for arc lamp of photo-copying machine No.5100	-.12..-.
2 Reams bill paper	1. -. -.
2 doz. H.B. Royal Sovereign pencils	-. 7. 6.
1 doz. B. do. do.	-. 3. 9.
3 bottles Higgins "scarlet" drawing ink .Ref.No.2844	-. 6. -.
4 rolls printing ferro gallic paper.Ref.No.Y1185.	1. 8. 8.
1 roll photo printing linen 30" wide by 10 yds. Black line process	1. 5. 6.
1 roll 30" x 20 yds strong white rag paper	-. 8. 0.

Public Health Department.

Repairs to cycles	1. -. 9.
500 House to House Survey sheets	2. 7. 6.
100 Workshop re-inspection sheets	-. 6. -.
500 House to House Survey cards	2. 8. 6.
2 diaries	1. -. -.
1 Postage book	3. 6.
Car - M.O.H. - 1 tyre & inner tube	2.15. 3.
30 gallons petrol	2. 5. -.
1/2 ream Gestetner stencils	2.10. -.
Repairs to car - M.O.H.	18. 6.

Finance Department.

2,000 Occupiers returns	1. 4. -.
2,000 Petty cash vouchers	1.15. -.
24,000 Final call cards	12. -. -.
Rate demand notes	10.10. -.
Rate receipt books	12. 5. -.
1 "B" punch	-.13. 6.
Binding letter books (2)	1.16. -.
Rubber stamp	-. 1. 6.
20,000 Swimming tickets	3. -. -.
1,000 Wage envelopes	-.10. 6.

Stores.

1 doz. cans ronco ink	6. -. -.
5 Reams wide lined foolscap	1.12. 6.

Carried forward £4763.18. 5.

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Brought forward £4763.18. 5.

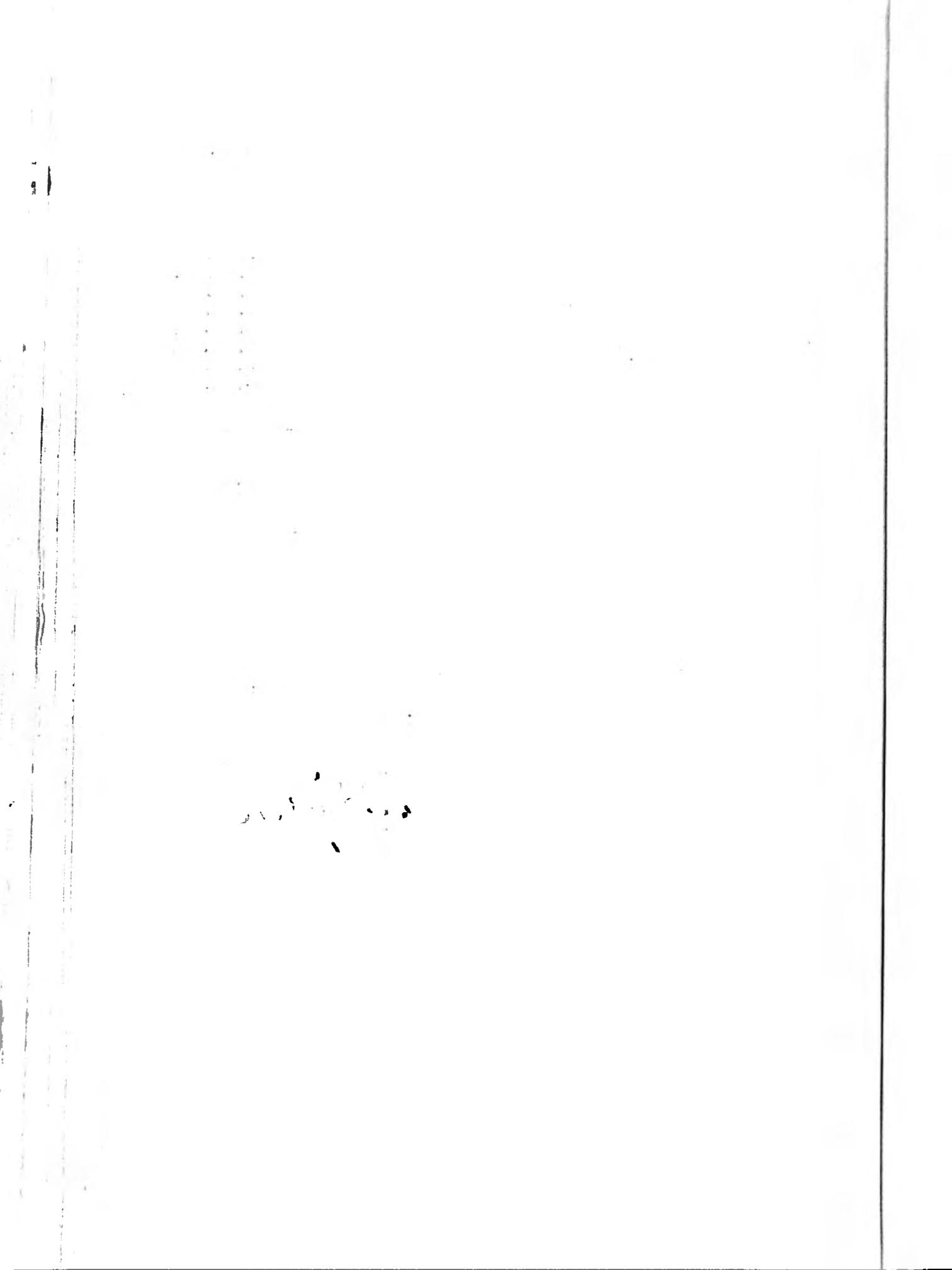
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1 Gal. black ink	- .11. 8.
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10,000 foolscap envelopes	4. 5.10.
1 gross scribbling pads	1. 4. -.
25 Reams quarto typing paper	1.15. -.
1 doz. blue pencils	- . 2. -.
100 reams foolscap duplicating paper	13. 6. 8.
2 doz. bottles developine	3. - . -.
1 box relief pens	- . 5. -.

Total £4788.12. 7.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 732 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 13th September 1927.

M. S. Syrett
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (c) Retirement—Sweeper W. James.—The suggestion of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon was submitted and considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be adopted.

736 CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF COKE.—Reference was made by the Clerk to correspondence which he had had with the North Middlesex Gas Company hereon, who it was reported had refused to enter into the formal Contract submitted to them;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that in the circumstances the contract in question be dispensed with; and
- (b) that the Surveyor be instructed to see that coke to the value of not more than £50 is ordered from the Company at any one time.

737 NETHER STREET—ELM GRANGE ESTATE—RESTRICTIVE COVENANT.—The Clerk reported that notice of objection on behalf of the Council had been lodged with the Official Arbitrator in this matter, and that the latter had written stating that he would advise the Council in due course of the date and place of hearing; further, that the Council Chamber had now been suggested as the place of meeting and that this had been approved.

738 MR. COUNTY ALDERMAN B. TODD, J.P.—DEPARTURE FROM FINCHLEY.—It was reported that Alderman Todd was shortly leaving the District, and the Chairman of the Council, at the request of the Committee, kindly undertook to refer at the Council meeting to Alderman Todd's past services to this District and to the County.

739 ALEXANDRA PARK TRUSTEES.—Print of the accounts, balance sheet, Auditor's report and report by the Chairman of the Finance Committee for the years ended 30th April, 1926, and 1927, was submitted.

740 PAWNBROKER'S ACT, 1872—PAWNBROKER'S CERTIFICATE.—A letter, dated 26th August, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. W. W. Box & Co., stating that their client, Mr. D. A. Thomson, of Clairville, High Road, East Finchley, some few months ago sold his business as a Pawnbroker and Jeweller at

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

175, Hanwell Broadway, and also allowed the necessary licences authorising him to carry on the business to lapse, but that having recently purchased the premises known as No. 9, Market Parade, North Finchley, which had for some years been occupied as a Pawnbroker's and Jeweller's, it was now necessary for him to apply to the Magistrates for a certificate to carry on such business, and enclosing, in accordance with the provisions of the Act, notice of intention to apply for a certificate.

741 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the following property of the Council had been damaged since last meeting, and that the matter had been dealt with:—

Forecourt fence—No. 113, Squires Lane.

742 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—Communications in regard to this matter were submitted from (a) The Hon. E. Cadogan, C.B., M.P., dated 28th July, 1927; (b) Dr. C. Garnett, dated 4th September, 1927, forwarding copy of his last letter to Lord Eustace Percy; (c) Dr. C. Garnett, dated 1st September, 1927, forwarding copy of a resolution passed at a conference of the ratepayers who signed the Petition against the proposed School, held in the Baptist School, Great North Road, East Finchley, on the 18th August, 1927; and (d) Mr. J. Cogdale, dated 13th September, 1927, indicating the recommendation which the Education Committee had decided to make to the Council upon the letter, dated 27th August, 1927, from the Board of Education.

743 METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD BILL.—A communication, dated 30th July, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Lees & Co., stating that the above Bill received the Royal Assent on the 29th July, 1927.

744 POSTAL FACILITIES.—It was reported that, at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Middlesex District Councils' Association held on the 25th July, 1927, the above matter was discussed, when it was resolved that the constituent Authorities be asked to submit for consideration at the next meeting any inefficiencies in the postal services apparent in their respective districts;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter so far as this Council is concerned.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).**745 STAFF.—**

- (a) Valuation Department.—It was reported that, in accordance with the authority delegated to them by the Council, the Sub-Committee had appointed Mr. Lawrence Essex, of Princes Avenue, Finchley, to the position of junior clerk in the above department at a wage of 17/- a week.
- (b) Clerk's Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—It was reported that the Clerk had found it necessary to employ temporary typists in his department as follows owing to depletion in the staff caused through holidays :—

- (1) Mrs. Davis from the 25th July to 4th August, 1927, at 12/6 a day;
- (2) Miss Hoey, of the Visible Writing Machine Co., Ltd., for 1 week and 3 days at a cost of £5 5s. to 24th August, 1927;
- (3) Mrs. Davis from the 5th September, 1927, to date.

It was further reported that he was proposing to retain the services of Mrs. Davis until the 17th instant, during the absence of Miss Reynolds;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk's action and the expenditure in connexion with the matter be approved.

- (c) Public Health Department—Clerical Staff.—The suggestions of the Public Health Committee hereon were considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be adopted.

Arising out of the above, the following letters were submitted :—

- (1) from Mr. J. Cogdale, dated 13th instant, intimating the terms of the recommendation of the Education Committee to the Council in connexion with the promotion of Miss J. Dinning; and

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (2) from the Medical Officer of Health stating that in his opinion Miss J. Dinning was in good health and of sound physique.
- (d) Surveyor's Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—The Surveyor reported that he had found it necessary to employ a temporary typist in his department from the 31st August, 1927, to the 5th September, 1927, and from the 8th to the 13th September, 1927, at a cost of £6 6s. 3d., owing to depletion in the staff caused through holidays;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor's action and the expenditure in connexion with the matter be approved.

- (e) Finance Department—Junior Clerk.—The Accountant reported that Mr. S. J. Casburn, a junior Clerk in his department had tendered his resignation, he having accepted a post under the Metropolitan Water Board, and that he had left the service of the Council on the 10th September, 1927.

Arising thereout, on the report of the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee, it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Mr. V. Gumsley be appointed to fill the post of junior clerk, vacated by Mr. S. J. Casburn, and that his present salary of 22/6 a week be increased to 25/- a week;
- (2) that a junior clerk be appointed at a commencing salary of 25/- a week, and that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Chairman of the General Purposes Committee to make the appointment subject to report.

746 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—SCAVENGER W. HILL.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident recently, and that the matter had been taken up with the Insurance Company; further, that pending investigation of the claim, the Company had stated that they had no objection to the Council making a grant, provided a receipt were obtained in accordance with the form forwarded by them;

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*)

RECOMMENDED that a sum of £2 10s. a week, repayable on demand, be granted to Hill as from the date of his accident, such grant to be continued until the next meeting of the Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

747 **AMBULANCE.**—The following statement was furnished by the Medical Officer of Health, in accordance with the request of the Committee :—

Year.	Number of Private Cases.	Number. remitted.
1923 (Aug. to Dec.) ...	82	4
1924	251	21
1925	280	6
1926	307	16
1927 (to date) ...	226	5

748 **HOUSING (RURAL WORKERS) ACT, 1926.**—

- (a) The Clerk intimated that he had been instructed to report further to the Committee on this matter, and he stated that the subject came before the Urban District Councils' Association recently, when it was decided to take up the whole question with the Minister of Health if a suitable case could be selected. He added that that of Purley (Surrey) was suggested.
- (b) The Clerk submitted print of a scheme prepared by the County Council under the Act, and approved by the Ministry of Health;

RECOMMENDED that he endeavour to obtain copies thereof for circulation amongst the Members of the Council.

749 **HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔT—PREMISES FORMERLY USED AS A BLACKSMITH'S SHOP.**—A letter, dated 17th August, 1927, was submitted from Mr. H. J. S. Hanson, making application, *inter alia*, for the temporary use of these premises. It was reported that the matter was, at the last meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee, referred to this Committee for consideration;

RECOMMENDED that the application in question be not granted by the Council.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

750 FREDERICK'S PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS—DISPOSAL OF.—The Clerk intimated that, at the last meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee, the Surveyor had reported that he had ascertained from the Electrical Engineer the portions of the above depôts which he suggested should be retained by the Council for purposes of the Electricity department, and that that Committee considered that the matter was one for this Committee to deal with.

The Chairman of the Electricity Committee reported that the subject would come before his Committee at their next meeting, and that a further report would be made thereon at a later date.

751 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—*(a) Compassionate Grants.—*

(1) W. Wildman, deceased.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity of 10/- a week granted to the Widow be continued until the ordinary meeting of the Council in March, 1928, when the matter be considered further.

(2) W. Cannon (deceased).—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity of 30/- a week granted to the Widow be continued until the ordinary meeting of the Council in December, 1927, when the matter be considered further.

(b) J. Bowman (deceased).—The Surveyor reported the death of the above employee, which took place on the 3rd August, 1927.

752 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Surveyor reported that it was anticipated that the Contractors would complete their work (which included the actual erection of the Statue) by the 20th inst.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

The Clerk was instructed to communicate forthwith with Lord Rothermere's Agent stating that all preliminaries having now been arranged, the point arose with regard to the unveiling ceremony; that it was the desire of the Council that the wishes of Lord Rothermere with regard to that ceremony should be studied, and asking him to be good enough to acquaint the Council with His Lordship's views in time to lay before the Council at their meeting to be held on the 26th instant. The Clerk was further directed to ask Lord Rothermere's Agent to ascertain from His Lordship what date or dates would be convenient to him for the ceremony to take place, and to suggest that in the opinion of the Council it would be desirable for His Lordship to make any necessary arrangements direct with Mr. Lloyd George;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

753 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th September, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Ryan, H. O. Syrett and Wade, Mr. R. A. Marples and Major R. Marx.

754 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

755 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Unread.*

756 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

757 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 600 tons as compared with 750 tons at last meeting; further, that there was a stock of 290 tons of Bohemian brown coal in hand;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer be approved:— *(See under).*

102 tons Eastwood Washed Slack,

18 tons Yard Slack.

It was also reported that the Chief Electrical Engineer had made arrangements for forward deliveries of 1,500 tons of coal at the price mentioned at the meeting for delivery up to the 31st March, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

758 TURBINES.—

(a) It was reported that the blade system of the No. 1 turbine had been overhauled; that certain of the blades had been renewed; that the turbine had been re-erected; and that it was now running satisfactorily.

(b) It was also reported that the Insurance Company had inspected both the No. 1 and No. 2 turbines in July last,

Tons.		@	21/10d. per ton.
102	Eastwood Washed Slack	@	20/- " "
18	Yard Slack		

ELECTRICITY (continued).

together with the auxiliary apparatus and had reported that same were in order.

759 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected No. 3 Boiler and Superheater internally, externally and under hydraulic test; that they had stated that defects were not serious and had not increased materially since the last annual inspection and that they had noted that certain wasted tubes had been replaced.

It was further reported that the Insurance Company had inspected No. 6 Boiler and Superheater and that there were no defects which required immediate attention, the Boiler and Superheater being satisfactory for service.

760 FREDERICK'S PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that he had discussed with the Surveyor the question of using parts of the above Depôts and had indicated to him the portions which would probably be of service to the department in future. The Committee decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee that the portions of the Depôts shown on the plans submitted at the meeting be allocated for the purposes of the Electricity Undertaking and that the charge to the Undertaking therefor be pro rata to that which may be obtained by the Council for the remainder of the sites.

761 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

Applications for supply	8169 = 377638 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8073 = 366851 " " "
Increase	96 = 10787 " " "
Lamps connected	318952 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1437)	4530 " " "
High c.p. lamps (45)	796 " " "
Total	324278 " " "
Last meeting	315688 " " "
Increase	8590 " " "
Applications in hand but not yet connected	*64 = 4252 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 64 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

REQUISITIONS.

REVENUE.

30 sheets wired glass.....	12.	1.10.	
Switchboard equipment.....	39.	0. 0.	
Emergency requisition.....	200.	0. 0.	
Conduit and fittings.....	10.	0. 0.	
Motor car insurance premium.....	5.	7. 8.	
Telephone rental and call fees.....	15.	0. 0.	
Testing fuel.....	5.	0. 0.	
5 tons coke.....	8.	5. 0.	
Loan repayments (2nd. half year).....	9000.	0. 0.	
9 quires carborundum cloth.....	2.	14. 8.	
Repairs to boiler brickwork.....	30.	0. 0.	
28 lbs. insulating tape.....	6.	14. 0.	
Jointers tools.....	10.	0. 0.	
12 doz. elements for cartridge fuses..	5.	8. 0.	
Aluminium fuses.....	5.	12. 0.	
15 Cwt. box compound.....	49.	0. 0.	
5 cubic yards sand.....	4.	0. 0.	
200 gallons paraffin.....	7.	10. 0.	
5 gallons "Indestructible" paint.....	5.	12. 6.	
10 gallons aluminium paint.....	9.	0. 0.	
1000 tons of coal.....	1200.	0. 0.	
Carting 1000 tons of coal.....	112.	10. 0.	
5 tons fuel oil.....	295.	0. 0.	
Electric fan (part cost)			
12 swan neck fittings.			
Motor car tyres.			
1 gross yards single flexible.			
200 yards 3/.036 wire.			
At an estimated cost of.....	40.16.	6.	<u>£11078.12. 0.</u>

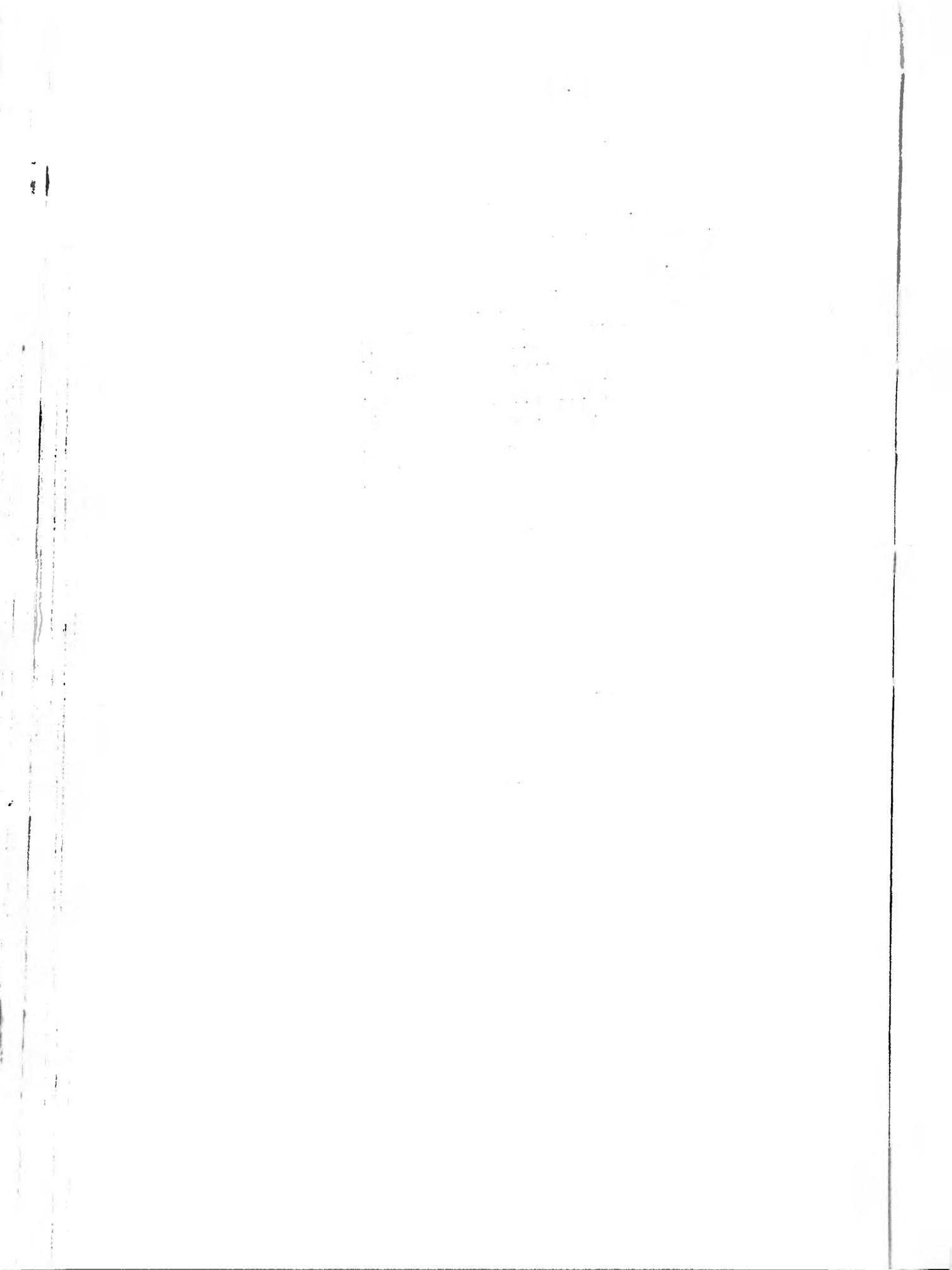
CAPITAL.

2000 yards tarred boards.....	41.	13. 4.	
500 yards .04 concentric cable.....	104.	0. 0.	
1000 yards .0225 twin cable.....	165.	0. 0.	
1000 yards .0225 concentric cable....	127.	0. 0.	
1, 4 way network box.....	34.	15. 0.	<u>£472. 8. 4.</u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 755 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th September 1927.

W. G. Smith
 Chairman,



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

762 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

(1) Mains.—

- (a) It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had since last meeting been laid in Brookland Rise, Claremont Park, Avenue Road, Broughton Avenue, Essex Park and Hill Top;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for mains to be extended as follows, viz., in :—

Ridge Way at an estimated cost of	£316,
Hampstead Lane ditto	£163,
North Crescent ditto	£212,
Ossulton Way ditto	£606,

subject as regards the extension in Ossulton Way to the usual guarantee of 15 per cent. which, in the first instance, apply to one-half only of the proposed expenditure, namely, £303.

- (b) Feeder Diversion.—It was reported that the diversion of the high tension feeders, distributors, etc., near to the end of Long Lane had now been completed.
- (2) High Tension Feeder Extensions, 1927.—It was reported that the extension high tension feeder to Cherry Tree Wood Sub-Station was now nearly completed.
- (3) High Tension Feeder Extension, 1926.—It was reported that the high tension feeder extension to the new Sub-Station on the Percy Road site would be commenced during the next few days.
- (4) High Tension Feeder and Sub-Station Extensions, 1926/1927.—It was reported as follows :—
- (a) Percy Road.—That the Contractors were progressing satisfactorily with the Sub-Station building which it was estimated would be completed in about four weeks' time.

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- (b) Cherry Tree Wood.—That the building Contractors were well advanced with the Sub-Station building, which it was estimated should be completed before the end of the present month.
- (5) Sub-Station Plant.—It was reported that the rectifier plant and switchgear for Cherry Tree Wood Sub-Station would, it was understood, be completed about the end of the present month, and that the Chief Electrical Engineer was endeavouring to arrange for the erection on site to be proceeded with as soon as the building had been completed.

763 ELECTRICITY SUB-STATION—CHERRY TREE WOOD—PROPOSED LOAN, £9,406.—A communication, dated 5th September, 1927, was submitted from the Electricity Commissioners stating that, in connexion with the Sub-Station building, they were still of opinion that the borrowing of the amount representing the cost of the verandah should not be sanctioned under the Electricity Acts and that they had, therefore, agreed to sanction the borrowing of £650 only, formal sanction for which amount was enclosed, and it was stated that the loan was repayable within thirty years. The Commissioners pointed out in reply to the enquiry made that, with regard to the amount sanctioned in respect of mains and plant, the specific items in the application amounted to £8,210 to which had been added 5 per cent.—say £410—for contingencies, making the total of £8,620 sanctioned;

RECOMMENDED that the estimated cost of the verandah be defrayed out of the Electricity Revenue Account.

764 MIDDLESEX DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.—The Clerk submitted a communication received from the Secretary of the above Association forwarding print of a memorandum on "Electrical Development in Rural Areas" which had been issued by the Electricity Commissioners.

765 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—H. SHEPHERD. It was reported that the above employee had, since last meeting, met with an accident and that the case had been dealt with.

766 EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN, £24,060.—Referring to Minute No. 567 the Clerk reported that, on the 28th July, 1927, the communication referred to in such

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

Minute had been duly transmitted to the Electricity Commissioners; that on the 17th August, 1927, a reply had been received from them to the effect that a Scheme under Section 4 of the Act of 1926, for South East England, including London and the Home Counties, was in an advanced stage of preparation and that they expected to be in a position to transmit the Scheme to the Central Board within the next month or so; that the Scheme would make provision (*inter alia*) for the requirements of this Council and that they saw no *prima facie* reason why a supply under the Scheme should not be available to the Council for the Winter of 1928; that, in these circumstances, and having regard to the provisions of Section 18 (2) of the Act of 1926, they felt it necessary to defer further consideration of the Council's application for the time being. The Clerk further reported that, as the Council were in recess, he had consulted the Chairman of the Council on the matter and that on the 25th August, 1927, in accordance with the latter's instructions, he had replied to the letter above-mentioned enquiring whether the Commissioners were prepared to give to the Council a **definite** assurance that, under the scheme referred to in their letter, the Council would be able to rely upon an adequate supply of current being available by not later than the Winter of 1928; reminding them that the Council's application was transmitted **prior** to the passing of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926, and adding that, for the want of the extensions then applied for the Council was concerned as to its ability to meet its obligations for the coming Winter and still more so for the Winter of 1928; that on the 1st September, 1927, the Commissioners replied that, **in their opinion**, a supply of energy from the Central Electricity Board, via the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, **should** be available not later than the Winter of 1928 to meet the requirements of this Council; that acting again on the instructions of the Chairman of the Council a further letter was on the 7th September, 1927, addressed to the Commissioners enquiring whether, having regard to the statutory obligation upon the Council to supply electrical energy in this District, the Commissioners were prepared to give a **definite** assurance that a supply of energy from the Central Electricity Board, via the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, would be available not later than the commencement of the Winter of 1928 to meet the requirements of the Council, to which letter no reply had yet been received;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken by the Clerk as indicated above be approved;

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

- (b) that he be directed to communicate further with the Commissioners pressing for a **definite** undertaking that the supply will be available by the commencement of the winter of 1928;
- (c) that enquiry be made of the Commissioners as to the terms upon which the proposed supply is to be given; and
- (d) that the Commissioners be asked for a **definite** reply to the point raised in the correspondence as to the Council's application having been submitted to them **prior** to the passing of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926.

767 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th September, 1927.

Present : Councillor C. S. Syrett (in the Chair), Councillors H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Ryan (Non-Member).

768 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

769 TREASURER AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

770 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advance No. 463—Broughton Lodge, Broughton Avenue. The Clerk reported that subsequent to his making application to the Public Works Loan Board for loan of the total amount of the advances approved by the Council on the 25th July, 1927, he had received a letter from the applicant herein stating that owing to unforeseen circumstances he was unable to proceed with the purchase of these premises, and that he did not therefore propose to take up the advance of £900 resolved to be made to him by the Council.

(b) Advances—£8,015.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £7,115, being the amount of such advances, less the sum of £900 in hand referred to in (a) above;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;

Annexed

FINANCE (*continued*).

- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £7,115.

- (c) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting, the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £324,755.

- (d) Advance No. 104—24, Mayfield Avenue.—
Advance No. 303—Trinity Avenue.—

It was reported that the balances in respect of the above Mortgages together with interest charges had been paid.

- (e) Advance No. 234—38, Summerlee Avenue.—The Accountant reported that the balance of the purchase money due to the Council herein on sale of the premises had been received.

- (f) Advance No. 30—51, Brent Way.—
Advance No. 73—19, Hamilton Way.—

The Clerk reported receipt of notices that the Second Charges herein had been paid off.

- (g) Advance No. 17—16, Brent Way.—The Clerk reported that the Mortgagor had paid all arrears of principal and interest (£46 13s. 10d.) herein and had undertaken to pay the Auctioneer's costs and expenses, and that the Council's resolution that the premises be sold in accordance with the provisions of the statute had therefore not been acted upon.

- (h) Advance No. 252—52, Summerlee Avenue.—The Clerk reported that the Mortgagor had vacated these premises (the keys of which had been sent to him (the Clerk)), the Mortgagor having gone abroad; that the 2nd Mortgagee had stated that he did not wish to pay off the mortgage in this case;

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

SEPTEMBER, 1927.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	years.	£.	£.	
463.	Gunningham, P. T.	14, Brent Way.	F	750	20	910	1,000	75
468.	Kaufmann, Mrs. E.	8, Wentworth Avenue.	F	900	15	1,150	1,125	80
469.	Ganz, E. J.	11, Woodgrange Gardens.	L 84 yrs.	450	15	550	650	69.2
470.	Emerson, Miss M. E.	52, Brent Way.	L 97 yrs.	620	20	825	850	73
471.	Brown, A. J.	65, Birley Road.	F	760	20	1,070	950	80
472.	McDavid, J. M.	43, Wentworth Avenue.	F	880	20	1,150	1,100	80
473.	Deuchar, C. W.	Ridgoview Road.	F	800	20	1,150	1,150	69.6
474.	Armstrong, Miss W. H.	16, Lyndhurst Gardens.	F	720	20	900	900	80
475.	Christiansen, H. E.	61, Brookland Rise.	L 99 yrs.	745	20	945	930	80.1
476.	Hull, L. V.	4, St. Margaret's Avenue.	F	650	20	875	870	74.7
477.	Davies, Mr. & Mrs.	31, Brookland Rise.	L 94 yrs.	740	20	980	930	80

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Deduct amount not advanced No. 463.

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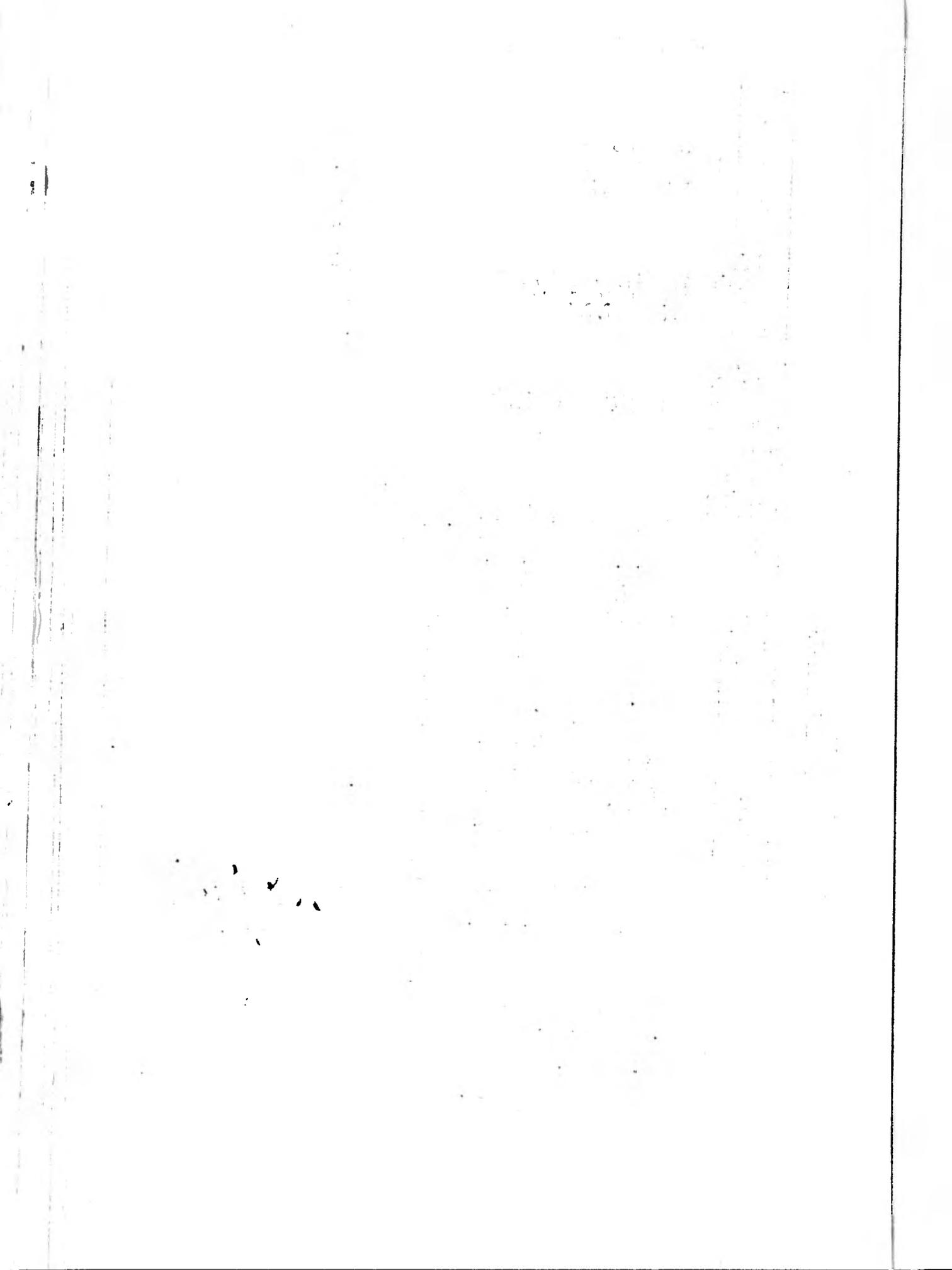
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This is the list referred to in paragraph 770 (b) of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th September 1927.

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Chairman.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.

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FINANCE (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that the premises be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts;
- (2) that a reserve price be fixed as entered in the Clerk's Instruction Book;
- (i) Amount (1) advanced by and (2) repaid to Council.—The following particulars were submitted:—

(1) Amount advanced to Mortgagors	£318,390
Amount repaid in full settlement	18,500
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	£299,890
(2) Amount repayable to June, 1927, on account of advances	33,543
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Balance outstanding	£266,347
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771 REFUSE DESTROYER.—The Committee had under consideration the recommendation of the Public Health Committee that the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the erection of the retaining wall and to order the necessary steel work in connexion with the above.

The Clerk reported that he had duly communicated with the Ministry of Health, as instructed by the Public Health Committee, and that he had received a reply to the effect that the Minister would raise no objection to the course proposed; that it must be understood that if the Council proceeded as suggested they would do so at their own risk, but that if the Minister decided to sanction the loan, the fact that the works had been proceeded with would not be held as prejudicing the matter;

RECOMMENDED that so far as this Committee is concerned, no objection be raised to the works in question being put in hand.

772 AMBULANCE.—

- (a) Use of.—The Committee considered the suggestion of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto.

FINANCE (*continued*).

- (b) Outstanding Accounts.—The Clerk reported that the debtor against whom the Council had authorised proceedings to be taken had paid the amount due, and that therefore the action authorised for recovery thereof had been rendered unnecessary.

773 STREET WIDENINGS.—

- (a) Regents Park Road opposite to Manor Parade.
 (b) Ballards Lane—Essex House Estate.—

The recommendations of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the expenditure involved be defrayed out of rate for the time being;
- (3) that, in the meantime, application be made to the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Transport for contributions;
- (4) that the Clerk communicate with the Ministry of Health and inform the department of the Council's intention to proceed with the conveyances and certain necessary works, and enquire whether that course of action (a) in the above cases and (b) generally, will be held as prejudicing applications for loans if and when such are made.

774 GREAT NORTH ROAD IMPROVEMENT BETWEEN SWAN LANE AND WOODSIDE LANE.—The Clerk submitted copy of a resolution passed by the Middlesex County Council on the 28th July, 1927, approving the excess expenditure of £4 0s. 3d. involved in the carrying out of the above improvement.

775 MAIN, LIGHT RAILWAY AND SUBSIDISED ROADS.—The Clerk submitted copy of a resolution passed by the Middlesex County Council on the 28th July, 1927, approving the cost of the footpath works in Regents Park Road from the south of Arden

FINANCE (*continued*).

Road to the North Circular Road, which, it was stated, exceeded the estimate by £7 0s. 8d.

776 LOW LEVEL SEWER—CYPRUS GARDENS.—A letter was submitted from the Ministry of Health intimating that the Minister would raise no objection to the application by the Council of the sum of £1,763, part of the unexpended balance arising out of the loan of £14,105 sanctioned on the 9th October, 1925, for works of sewerage, towards the cost of construction of the above-mentioned sewer.

777 AUDIT OF OVERSEERS' ACCOUNTS—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—It was reported that the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee had had under consideration an extract from the District Auditor's report hereon, and that the Ministry of Health had requested to be furnished with the Council's observations thereon.

The Clerk was instructed to transmit to the Ministry the communication of which a draft was approved at the meeting;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

778 WINDSOR OPEN SPACE—NEW PUMPING INSTALLATION.—A letter was submitted from the Ministry of Health stating that before deciding on the Council's application for sanction to borrow £5,542, and for consent to the appropriation of part of the above open space, the Minister would direct a Local Inquiry to be held into the subject.

779 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars were submitted from the Branch Employment Office of the Ministry of Labour of the number of Finchley unemployed during the months of July and August, 1926 and 1927 respectively, as follows:—

	July, 1926.	July, 1927.	Aug., 1926.	Aug., 1927.
Men	172	147	188	153
Women	12	25	13	36

780 LOANS.—The Accountant submitted particulars of sums amounting to £73,336 which had been advanced to the Council since last meeting.

FINANCE (*continued*).

781 INSURANCES.—The Accountant reported that the under-mentioned insurances had been effected :—

- (a) Victoria Recreation Ground—Pavilion—£350—Municipal Mutual Insurance, Ltd.
- (b) Morris Cowley Car—Electricity Department—Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

782 £1,928 17s. 3d. 5 per cent. WAR LOAN, 1929-1947.—It was reported that the above stock had been transferred into the Corporate name of the Council.

783 AVENUE HOUSE—LOAN IN RESPECT OF LEGAL CHARGES.—A letter, dated the 8th September, 1927, from the Ministry of Health, referred to this Committee by the General Purposes Committee, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed :—

- (1) to make application to the Ministry of Health for a short term loan of the amount required under Section 3 of the Local Authorities (Financial Provisions) Act, 1921, as extended by later Acts;
- (2) to furnish the Ministry with the particulars desired.

784 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

RECOMMENDED that the sum of £1,000 be invested in 5 per cent. War Stock, 1929-1947.

785 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. J. Munro (7, Mayfield Avenue)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	... ..	£2 4s. 9d.
General District Rate		£1 7s. 3d.

FINANCE (*continued*).

Mr. B. Bath (41, Chandos Road)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate £1 10s. 9d.

General District Rate 18s. 9d.

Mrs. P. C. Bullivant (4, Ingram Rd.)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate 8s. 6d.

General District Rate 5s. 3d.

Mr. E. Charlton (3, Beresford Rd.)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate £2 7s. 10d.

General District Rate £1 9s. 2d.

Mr. H. C. Graves (28, Cyprus Rd.)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate £2 18s. 8d.

General District Rate £1 14s. 4d.

Mr. A. F. Watts (16, Bigwood Court)—Premises vacated.

Poor Rate 19s. 9d.

General District Rate 12s. 0d.

Messrs. Freeman & Son (Ground Floor Flat, Hilton House)—
Premises vacated.

Poor Rate £2 7s. 3d.

General District Rate £1 8s. 10d.

786 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

787 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £31477 14 7
Cr. (July 1st—Aug. 31st) on account of :—

FINANCE (continued).

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North ...	689	0	9		5	9
Collector, South ...	1137	15	5			
Cashier ...	27098	4	2	29	9	3
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	£28925	0	4	29	15	0
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					28954	15 4
Leaving balance overdrawn ...					£2522	19 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund—						
Proportion salaries, etc., Sept. ...	205	0	4			
Invoices and Petty Cash ...		95	11	10		
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					300	12 2
Leaving balance overdrawn ...					£2823	11 5

788 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c is the sum of £29,855 2s. 0d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report					£700	8 4
ADD—						
Transfers to Superannuation Fund—						
Employees' contributions ...	183	8	5			
Council's contributions	359	11	9			
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		543	0	2		
Less Superannuation Payments ...	91	15	3			
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				451	4	11
Cheque drawn at last Council Meeting to:—						
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, loan costs ...				228	19	6

FINANCE (continued).

Cheques drawn Aug. 20th to—

Barclays Bank, Ltd., loan costs ...	38	10	0		
Halls, C. & Sons, certificate ...	30	5	5		
Manders, W. & Co., private works ...	86	6	6		
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	45	14	7		
Stevens & Sons, certificate ...	71	1	7		
				<u>271</u>	<u>18 1</u>
					<u>952 2 6</u>

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Cr. (July 1st—Aug. 31st) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Collector, North	423	18 8	7	0	
Collector, South	682	15 4			
Cashier	16528	1 0	10	10 0	
	<u>17634</u>	<u>15 0</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>17 0</u>	
					17645 12 0
By Cashier (July 1st—Aug. 31st) general receipts ...					9211 6 7
„ Farm Clerk (Aug. 4th—25) ...					9 4 2
„ Bath Supt. (July 6th—Aug. 29th) ...					213 15 4
„ Treasurer from Ministry of Health— Grant <i>re</i> Maternity & Child Welfare					388 0 0
Ditto from Middlesex County Council— Balance <i>re</i> Main Roads, 1926/27 ...			799	2 1	
On account of Main Roads, 1927/28 ...			1162	0 0	
			<u>1961</u>	<u>2 1</u>	
Ditto from Ministry of Transport— Grant <i>re</i> " Unemployment " Loan Scheme ...					21 0 0
Transfer from E.L. Revenue Account, rent of land, sub-station ...					10 0 0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, proportion salaries and office expenses	205	0	4
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages, and petty cash from—			
Poor Rate Account	95	11	10
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	175	14	4
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	278	4	3
Genl. Loan Accounts	1293	1	11
	<u>1842</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>4</u>
			<u>31507 12 10</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	£29855	2 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Acme Flooring & Paving Co. (1904), Ltd., creosote	5	5	0
Adams Hydraulics, Ltd., ball bearings	5	1	2
Adeceks, Ltd., carbolic powder	32	0	0
Aerofilms, Ltd., certificate	1	6	8
Amory, G. F., books	21	15	6
Aveling & Porter, Ltd., repairs	4	6	5
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water, etc.	304	7	10
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., repairs	11	1	8
Blundell, Spence & Co., Ltd., distemper	13	19	0
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., spirit	16	17	6
Burley, C., cement	150	19	7
Bussey, G. C. & C., Ltd., nets	7	10	0
Cakebread, Robey & Co., Ltd., drain plugs	10	12	0
Caribonum, Ltd., carbons	1	1	4
Carpenter, C. F., Jury List expenses	154	10	0
Carron Co., boilers	40	16	7
Clarke, H., Ltd., coal	4	4	0
Cluttons, rent	26	6	2
Congregational Hall Trustees, rent	12	10	0
Connolly, J. W. & T., Ltd., stocks	1	8	3
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement	1	6	8
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	1	10	0
Cook, Hammond & Kell, Ltd., map	29	15	0
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., ceilingite	10	0	10

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Death, C., rent	3	5	0
Dell & Giles, rent	5	0	0
Dodd, J., fish	2	14	4
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., printing	5	2	6
Eager, F. & Sons, teas	1	5	10
East, E., rent	9	4	2
Endersby, W. A., timber	9	18	1
Finchley Charities, rent	37	10	0
Finchley Urban District Council, electricity, etc. ...	1643	14	7
Freeman & Son, rent	27	0	0
Friend, A., fruit, etc.	3	17	4
Gas Light & Coke Co., tar	338	10	10
Geyton, W., sign writing	2	7	0
Good, W. & Son, rope	1	1	8
Gore, C. A. & Sons, car hire	1	16	6
Gratrix, W. & Sons, certificate	95	7	9
Gray Bros., fuel, etc.	40	11	0
Griffiths, W. & Co., kerbing	90	13	5
Grose, G. & Co., putters, etc.	6	7	3
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., photographic materials ...	10	3	2
Hammond, S. & Co., repairs	18	16	0
Harbrow, W., Ltd., woodwork	215	2	11
Harrison, J. & Co., certificate	100	0	0
Haynes Trust, rent	5	10	0
Hendon Urban District Council, drainage contribution	1	4	0
Herts. Gravel & Brick Co., Ltd., gravel, etc. ...	278	12	0
Hill-Jones, T., Ltd., flux	139	13	3
Hobson & Sons (London), Ltd., uniforms	62	17	3
Hodson, J., fees	7	19	6
Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., blocks ...	108	15	6
Joyce & Co., timber	7	1	3
Judd, W., Ltd., advertisements	5	18	2
Kalamazoo, Ltd., sheets	16	7	0
Keenc's Stores, cleaning materials	2	11	7
Knight, C. & Co., time books	6	15	0
Knowles, J. & Co. (London), Ltd., sanitary fittings	28	8	5
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., pipes	1	7	6
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	68	19	7
London Co-operative Society, Ltd., overalls ...	1	5	8
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., reports	28	5	6
London & N.E. Railway Co., wayleaves	4	19	11
Macquire, J., tiling	47	17	6

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk	7	3	11
Maxfield & Sons, Ltd., envelopes	16	10	0
Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., moving standard	13	4	10
Metropolitan Water Board, water	2	9	1
Middlesex County Council, rat catching	10	0	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., printing	15	12	6
Mosses, G. C., building	18	0	0
Mudd, W. R. & Sons, meat	7	19	3
Muir, Dr. J., fees	14	14	0
Newton, Chambers & Co., Ltd., Izal	9	19	0
North British Rubber Co., Ltd., cover and tube	2	19	9
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	92	8	9
Norton & Gregory, Ltd., paper	10	13	0
Orchard, C. & Co., printing	37	0	6
Patent Victoria Stone Co., paving	34	5	2
Peake, W., rent	8	0	0
Peake, Bird Collins & Co., rent	29	1	8
Pearson, T. E. & Co., Ltd., wallpaper	1	19	5
Pilchers, Ltd., varnish	1	8	9
Plowman, C. W., rent	8	6	9
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., petrol	4	18	1
Postmaster-General, rental	12	7	9
Prices' Patent Candle Co., Ltd., oil	1	13	4
Rodick, E. E., cycle repairs	2	4	6
Rose Polishes, Ltd., disinfectant	6	16	6
Ross, M.C., indexing	5	15	5
Royal Sanitary Institute, subscription	1	11	6
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., paraffin	2	18	4
Sampson, T., Ltd., picks	17	5	7
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	3	12	0
Silvertown Tarmacadam Co., Ltd., tarmac	9	19	3
Simonis, Ltd., nozzles	1	0	9
Smart's Tar Distillery, Ltd., pitch	15	15	0
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	48	16	8
Stanford, E., Ltd., map	8	0	0
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	51	2	7
Sussex Brick & Estate Co., Ltd., bricks	23	5	0
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	93	18	4
Tarslag (1923), Ltd., tarslag	6	3	3
Turner, S., fees	1	6	0
Urban District Councils' Association, minutes	3	1	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Visible Writing Machine Co., Ltd., temporary assistant	5	5	0
Walker, J., team labour	347	19	4
Warden & Co., Ltd., advertisements	5	12	0
Watson, R., blinds	6	6	6
Wells, Mrs. G. G., rent	16	0	0
Wickstead, C. & Co., Ltd., seats	52	0	0
Williams, J. R., shoes	1	0	0
Williams Bros., grocery	13	6	9
Whitehead Morris, Ltd., copy of bill	1	1	9
Woodrow & Co., A. C., manhole covers	189	0	0
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	17	18	10
Total Invoices	£6165	3	1
Refund of deposits <i>re</i> Sewer—South of Christ Church—			
Carter, C.	1	0	0
Adams, T.	1	0	0
Turner & Co.	1	0	0
Farrow, H.	1	1	0
	4	1	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer	59	9	11
Bank of England, repayment of loans and interest	3761	5	0
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loans	3102	13	1
Bank of England, repayment of loans and interest	15507	13	6
Barelays Bank, Ltd., instalments of loans	1298	0	0
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., principal and interest on loans	288	7	11
Hearts of Oak Benefit Society, principal and interest on loans	382	14	5
Eristol, West of England, etc., Provident Society, principal and interest on loans	570	15	1
Finsbury & City of London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	960	5	5
London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	217	9	6
Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	240	14	2
Liverpool Corporation, principal and interest on loans	168	9	5
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loans	920	15	6

FINANCE (continued).

Salaries—September.—					
Clerk	...	...	...	...	102 5 1
Surveyor	...	...	...	...	89 11 8
Medical Officer	...	...	...	...	41 10 10
Farm Manager	...	...	...	...	23 15 0
Farm Clerk	...	...	...	...	11 10 9
Dentist	...	...	...	...	3 12 0
Accountant to pay staff salaries	...	...	...	...	1157 10 6
Accountant to pay fire brigade wages	...	...	...	...	129 13 10
Accountant's Wages Account	...	...	...	...	1100 0 0
Ditto	...	...	...	...	1100 0 0
Accountant's Imprest Account	...	...	...	...	744 17 9
					£38152 4 5

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	...	...	29855 2 0
Cheques recommended for payment	38152	4	5
Leaving balance overdrawn	£8297	2	5

789 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £24537 1 5

Cr. amounts received—

July 26th, from Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society on mortgage, Extension 16	...	...	5225 0 0
July 28th, from Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank on mortgage, Exten. 17	8804	0	0
Ditto	1196	0	0
	10000	0	0

Aug. 11th, from Public Works

Loan Board on mortgage, Extens. 13	1757	0	0
Ditto	3105	0	0
Exten. 14	3300	0	0
Exten. 16	9350	0	0
	17512	0	0

32737 0 0

Leaving in hand 8199 18 7

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FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Hewitt Electric Co., Ltd., certificate	1000	0	0
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd. do.	500	0	0
Universal Housing Co., Ltd. do.	150	0	0
Ditto do.	250	0	0
Ditto do.	250	0	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	1997	13	0
		<u>4147</u>	<u>13 0</u>
Leaving balance in hand		<u>£4052</u>	<u>5 7</u>

790 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was **£720 14 2**

Cr. by Cashier (July 2nd—Aug. 31st) amount received from consumers' services	571	6	4
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£1292</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6</u>

791 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was **£1342 1 6**

Deduct—

Transfers to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	85	13	3
Council's contributions	130	19	11
	<u>216</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>

Cheque added at last Council Meeting—

Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, loan costs	39	5	3
Cheques drawn Aug. 20th to—			
Barclays Bank, Ltd., costs	83	12	6
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	47	12	2
Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., tyres	3	4	3
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	204	18	0
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	12	0	2
Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	64	18	9

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	6	11	6
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	678	15	9
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	663	5	9
Cr. (July 1st—Aug. 31st) by—			
Cashier	8522	15	8
Collector	747	4	3
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	9269	19	11
Transfers for invoices, stores and wages from—			
General District Fund (gas lamps)	59	9	11
E.L. Loans Account	1997	13	0
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	2057	2	11
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	11327	2	10
Leaving in hand			
	11990	8	7
Deduct cheques drawn Sept. 14th to—			
Biram & Co., coal	122	4	0
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	292	19	6
Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., tyres	7	13	0
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	422	16	6
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	11567	12	1

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Albion Clay Co., Ltd., conduits	63	14	3
Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	20	15	0
Barnet District Gas and Water Co., water and gas	6	10	5
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., acid	7	10	0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin	8	6	1
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire	2	8	6
Callender's Cable Co., Ltd., cable, boxes, etc.	1331	6	7
Carborundum Co., Ltd., cloth	2	14	8
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., books, etc.	3	3	6
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, conduit, etc.	8	14	3

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Electricity Commission, contribution to expenses	37	3	3
Engineering and Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., globes	7	5	10
English Electric Co., Ltd., brushes	12	3	0
Ever-ready Co., Ltd., batteries	3	6	8
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	133	10	0
General Electric Co., Ltd., switches	4	0	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal and coke	43	8	0
Griffiths Bros. & Co., Ltd., paint	5	18	0
Haynes, G., cartage, etc.	78	16	1
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning cloths	3	15	8
Hobdell, Way & Co., Ltd., screws, etc.	8	4	11
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters	162	0	0
Indestructible Paint Co., Ltd., paint	5	9	8
Jackson Electric Stove Co., Ltd., radiators	3	12	7
Kelvin, Bottomley & Baird, Ltd., repairs ammeter	3	9	0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast and cement	15	18	9
London Electric Wire Co. and Smiths, Ltd., fuse wire	2	8	9
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves	6	10	6
Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., refixing fitting	2	13	1
Mortlock, W., motor car hood	3	8	6
Newcastle Savings Bank, loan costs	75	0	0
Orchard, C. & Co., printing	5	17	6
Pilkington Bros., Ltd., glass	12	1	0
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., car hire	2	16	0
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	67	4	1
Sampson, T., Ltd., globes	2	14	0
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., wire	1	1	0
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., envelopes	2	7	0
Shell-Mex, Ltd., fuel oil	82	13	2
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	3	0	0
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards	11	15	6
Total Invoices	2264	14	9
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	115	11	1

FINANCE (continued).

Electrical Engineer, Wages Account	600	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	600	0	0
Ditto Petty Cash ...	50	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	4	1	8
Liverpool Corporation, principal and interest on loans ...	149	2	8
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalments of loans	137	10	0
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., principal and interest on loans	1755	3	1
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loans ...	484	16	8
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans ...	1668	0	3
Hearts of Oak Benefit Society, principal and interest on loans ...	1169	10	1
Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans ...	821	11	4
Blackburn Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans ...	563	12	1
Hull Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans ...	292	5	2
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans ...	568	8	8
General District Fund, transfer, rent of land, sub-station ...	10	0	0
		<u>11254</u>	<u>7 6</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	£313	4 7

792 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £9106 3 7
Cr. (July 1st—Aug. 31st) amount received from frontagers ... 1068 8 10

Leaving balance in hand	...	£10174	12 5
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793 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £783 6 10
Cr. by Collector (July 7th—Aug. 31st)—

Rents ...	316	5	6
Ground rent, 8/20, Manor Cottages, less tax ...	6	0	0
		<u>322</u>	<u>5 6</u>
		1105	12 4

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—		£	s.	d.
General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	44	19	5
Leaving balance in hand	...	<u>£1060</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>11</u>

794 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—				
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2510 7 8				
Cr. by Collector (July 7th—Aug. 31st)—				
Rents	...	618	7	11
		<u>3128</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>7</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—				
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	...	130	14	11
Bank of England, principal and interest Loan No. 186	...	685	2	6
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of Loan No. 202	...	<u>53</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
		868	17	5
Leaving balance in hand	...	<u>£2259</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>2</u>

795 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £8593 19 1				
Cr. by Collector (July 5th—Aug. 31st)—				
Rents	...	1630	6	1
Transfer fee, bond	...		2	6
		<u>1630</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>
		6963	10	6

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (*continued*).

Bank of England, principal and interest on Loan 186	114	3	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of Loan 233	125	0	0
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on Loan 268	174	15	4
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	278	4	3
			<u>692 2 7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...			<u>£7655 13 1</u>

796 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £6956 12 3

Cr. amounts received from Public Works
Loan Board on mortgage—

July 12th, Waverley Grove Sewer	4318	0	0
Aug. 11th, Totteridge Sewer £2684 Waverley Grove Sewer £1803			
	<u>4487</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
			<u>8805 0 0</u>
Leaving in hand			1848 7 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices			34 10 0
			<u>£1813 17 9</u>

797 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £40014 10 0

Add cheques drawn Aug. 20th to—			
Ball, C., certificate	733	12	0
Manders, W. & Co., certificates ...	3191	5	6
			<u>3924 17 6</u>
			<u>43939 7 6</u>

FINANCE (continued).

Cr. amounts received—

July 2nd, from Middlesex County Council on account of—			
Main Roads Woodpaving, 1926/7	12067	5	9
Willow Lodge Improve- ment, 1926/7	932	14	3
	<u>13000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Aug. 2nd from ditto, balance of Main Roads Wood- paving, 1926/7	262	13	11
On account 1927/8	4706	0	0
	<u>4968</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>11</u>
July 26th, from Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, on mortgage— Main Roads Woodpaving	24406	0	0
	<u>42374</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>11</u>
		<u>1564</u>	<u>13</u>
			<u>7</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Ball, C., certificate	277	4	2
Manders, W. & Co. certificate (final)	408	7	7
Ditto certificates	2322	11	5
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, wages, etc.	298	12	0
	<u>3306</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>2</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	£4871	8	9

798 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £9912 14 11

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Tarslag (1923), Ltd., certificates	1439	18	8
General District Fund, transfer, scaveng- ing costs, invoices, etc.	449	13	0
	<u>1889</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	£11802	6	7

FINANCE (continued).

799 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this
account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board
as last reported was £5720 0 0

Deduct cheque drawn July 25th and not required —				
Chambers & Garnett <i>re</i> Wood, G. C.	900	0	0	
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	4820	0	0	
Add cheque drawn August 20th, to—				
Chambers & Garnett <i>re</i> Gunningham, P. T. ...	750	0	0	
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	5570	0	0	

Cr. amounts received from Public Works Loan Board on mortgage—				
July 20th	1705	0	0	
August 11th	4015	0	0	
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	5720	0	0	
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	150	0	0	

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be
drawn for advances to property mortgagors
as under :—

Chambers & Garnett—				
<i>re</i> Kaufmann, Mrs. E.	900	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Ganz, E. J. ...	450	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Emerson, Miss M. E.	620	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Brown, A. J. ...	760	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> McDavid, J. M. ...	880	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Deuchar, C. W. ...	800	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Armstrong, Miss W. H.	720	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Christiansen, H. N.	745	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Hull, L. V. ...	650	0	0	
Ditto <i>re</i> Davies, Mr. & Mrs.	740	0	0	
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	7265	0	0	

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board	£7115	0	0
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800 RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES LOANS AC-
COUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report
was £759 12 5

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

	£	s.	d.
Gratrix & Sons, certificate	46	2	3
General District Fund, transfer, invoices and wages	308	1	5
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	354	3	8
Leaving balance in hand	<hr/>		
	£405	8	0

801 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £888 0 1

Add cheque drawn August 20th, to—

Heenan & Froude, certificate 194 19 11

1083 0 0

Cr. amount received (July 26th) from Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, on mortgage

4821 0 0

Leaving in hand 3738 0 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Heenan & Froude, certificate ... 1580 0 10

General District Fund, transfer, invoices, wages, etc.

159 8 0

1739 8 10

Leaving balance in hand £1998 11 2

802 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £995 12 9

Cr. amount received (July 26th) from Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society on mortgage, Central Depot Cottages

1250 0 0

Leaving in hand 254 7 3

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (continued).

Compton Bros., certificate	93 13 5	
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices and petty cash	30 7 6	
	<u> </u>	124 0 11
Leaving balance in hand		<u>£130 6 4</u>

803 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT.—Recommended that this account be opened and a transfer made therefrom to—

General District Fund, petty cash, etc.	12 10 0
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£12 10 0</u>

804 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £398 18 10

Cr. transfers received—

July 29th—

General District Fund	222 11 10	
Electric Lighting Revenue A/c	100 11 0	
Education	37 16 4	
	<u> </u>	360 19 2

September 2nd—

General District Fund	228 13 1	
Electric Lighting Revenue A/c	116 2 2	
Education	37 7 10	
	<u> </u>	382 3 1

1142 1 1

Deduct cheque drawn September 14th, to—

Southard, Gilbey & Co., for investment	1000 0 0
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Leaving balance in hand £142 1 1

FINANCE (continued).

806 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement :—

(a) General District Rate.—

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	24605	9	9
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	44100	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement—			
				July	15697	11	7
				August	1937	3	5
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	2179	15	3
			£44420		£44420	0	0

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	40553	8	5
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	72907	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement—			
				July	25761	2	5
				August	3163	17	11
				Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	3778	11	3
			£73257		£73257	0	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

807 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £6,276 1s. 1d., made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report	5854	15	4
Add—			
Transfers to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions 27 17 1			
Council's contributions 47 7 1			
	75	4	2
Cheque added at Council Meeting July 25th—			
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, loan costs ...	42	5	3
Cheques drawn Aug. 20th, to —			
Calvert, Mrs. J., piano 19 0 0			
Postmaster-General, telephone charges ... 2 16 6			
	21	16	6
	139	5	11
	5994	1	3
Cr. by Cashier (July 4th—August 29th)—			
Contributions to Special			
School fees ... 40 17 8			
Medical Treatment ... 20 0 9			
Cookery Sales ... 13 9 11			
Needlework Sales ... 8 4 3			
Use of Rooms ... 9 9 2			
Miscellaneous receipt ... 1 5			
Other Authority for			
Institutional Children 5 7 5			
Unemployment claims—			
Juvenile Employment Bureau ... 5 6 6			
	102	17	1
By Board of Education—			
Substantive grant <i>re</i> 1926/7 ... 1300 0 0			
Instalment of substantive grant ... 1950 0 0			
Ditto ... 1950 0 0			
	5200	0	0

FINANCE (continued).

£ s. d.

By Poor Rate Account—			
3rd instalment of precept	...	3462	10 0
4th ditto	...	3462	10 0
By Education Loans Account, transfer, loan costs	42	5 3
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		12270	2 4
Leaving balance in hand	...	<hr/>	<hr/>
		£6276	1 1

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Arnold, E. J. & Sons, Ltd., books, etc.	... ..	355	19 10
Barnet District Gas and Water Co., water	... ..	29	3 5
Beal, F., fees	... ..	3	0 0
Bennet Furnishing Co., Ltd., cupboard, etc.	... ..	8	7 6
Boyce, T. S., repairs	... ..	1	5 10
Brodie, A., tools	... ..	9	17 4
Bryson, J. G., stationery	... ..	11	18 6
Cluttons, rent	... ..	2	6 6
Cockerell, G. I. & Co., coal	... ..	96	8 8
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses, etc.	... ..	12	8 9
Comyn, Ching & Co., Ltd., repairs	... ..	1	7 6
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	... ..	2	7 9
East Finchley Congregational Church, use of hall	...	1	19 0
Finchley, Hornsey & Wood Green Joint Special School, precept	... ..	138	7 11
Finchley Memorial Hospital, treatment	... ..	19	7 6
Finchley Urban District Council, repairs	... ..	6	16 6
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., apparatus	... ..	3	19 3
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	... ..	111	17 6
Hall Bros., repairs	... ..	100	0 0
Halls, C. & Sons, repairs	... ..	156	2 0
Hicks, Dr. T., fees	... ..	48	16 6
Hockey, L. G., hose, etc.	... ..	7	12 0
Institutional Children, fees:—			
Brighton Education Committee	... ..	5	4 10
Dover Education Committee	... ..	6	8 10
Kent Education Committee	... ..	9	0 4
Twickenham Borough Council	... ..	10	3 6
West Sussex County Council	... ..	7	14 0
Ivo Co., repairs	... ..	37	0 0
Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd., cyllin	... ..	1	4 9

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
London and North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves	1	0	0
London School of Economics, furniture	20	0	0
Managers, Christ Church School, rent	18	15	0
Managers, St. Mary's School, rent	13	0	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	2	0	6
Newton Chambers & Co., Ltd., Izal	1	8	6
North Finchley Congregational Church, rent	4	7	6
Northcotts (North London) School, fees	9	15	0
Pellow & Wright, repairs	3	17	5
Shaftesbury Society and R.S.U., fees	18	14	0
Southgate and District Gas Co., gas	7	12	2
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	22	2	2
Townson & Mercer, Ltd., apparatus	17	7	
Warden & Co., Ltd., advertisement	6	18	0
Warren, S. D. & Co., brushes	5	6	
Total Invoices	1336	19	4
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of loan 28	30	0	0
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, repayment of loans 36 and 37	222	19	2
Salaries—September.—			
Turner, A. A.	37	12	1
Cogdale, J.	54	1	5
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
Stevens, H.	25	0	0
		152	13 3
Education Salaries Account	3226	8	11
		£4969	0 8

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	6276	1	1
Cheques recommended for payment	4969	0	8
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Leaving balance in hand	£1307	0	5

FINANCE (*continued*).

808 EDUCATION LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £5558 13 3

Cr. amount received (July 26th) from—

Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society on mortgage—

Road Charges, Summers Lane site 460 0 0

Fencing ditto 525 0 0

Albert Street, Domestic Subjects
Centre, etc. 4650 0 0

5635 0 0

Leaving in hand 76 6 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

Education Account, loan costs 42 5 3

Leaving balance in hand £34 1 6

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro tem*)

GLEBE LAND.**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.**

18th March, 1927.

(Referred from Council Meetings held on the 28th March,
and 27th June, 1927).Present : Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pike,
H. O. Syrett, and C. S. Syrett.

809 GLEBE LAND—AMENDED LAY-OUT.—The Clerk read the terms of the reference from the Council and a full discussion ensued in which all the members present participated. The meeting was unanimously of the opinion that to transpose the purpose for which Sites D and E and Site G respectively were proposed to be utilised was a more practicable and economical arrangement than to attempt to put the former areas into such a condition as would fit them for letting as playing fields ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that an area comprising 11.75 acres of the site marked G on plan No. 5877 and adjoining Sites H and I be utilised for playing fields in lieu of Sites D (4.21 acres) and E (7.54 acres) on such plan ;
- (2) that the said Sites D and E and 8.52 acres of that part of Site G as is adjacent thereto (making together the equivalent of the area of Site G) be utilised for allotments purposes instead of the whole of Site G as at present proposed ;
- (3) that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare a plan showing the re-allocation of the land on the above lines ;
- (4) that notice be served upon the North Finchley Allotments League to quit and deliver up to the Council possession of the existing land held by them as Allotments in Summers Lane on the 29th September next ;
- (5) that it be an instruction to the Allotments Committee to consider these proposals generally, and the question of compensation to dispossessed allottees particularly.

GLEBE LAND—SPECIAL COMMITTEE (*continued*)

Amended 810 SURPLUS LAND.—A letter (circulated) dated the 28th February, 1927, from the Ministry of Health referred to this Committee by the General Purposes Committee was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Site N be retained for the present as an undedicated open space;
- (2) that Site M be also retained for the time being;
- (3) that the General Purposes Committee be asked to consider the question of the greater utilization of Sites H and I pending the ultimate development thereof.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

C O P Y

MINISTRY OF HEALTH,
Whitehall. S.W.1.

28th February, 1927.

Ib/1210/8522.

Sir,

GLEBE LAND.

Referring to previous correspondence and to the interview which you had at this office on the 24th instant, I am directed by the Minister of Health to state that the proposal of the Council to retain the frontage land has been under consideration.

As previously intimated, the Minister has no desire to press the Council to dispose of this frontage land immediately. He fully appreciates the reasons which have been advanced in favour of the Council retaining this land as open land, and so far as the frontage to the Great North Road is concerned, he will raise no objection, but he considers that there should not for the present be any such definite dedication to the public as would preclude the Council from using the land hereafter in some other way which might at the time appear desirable.

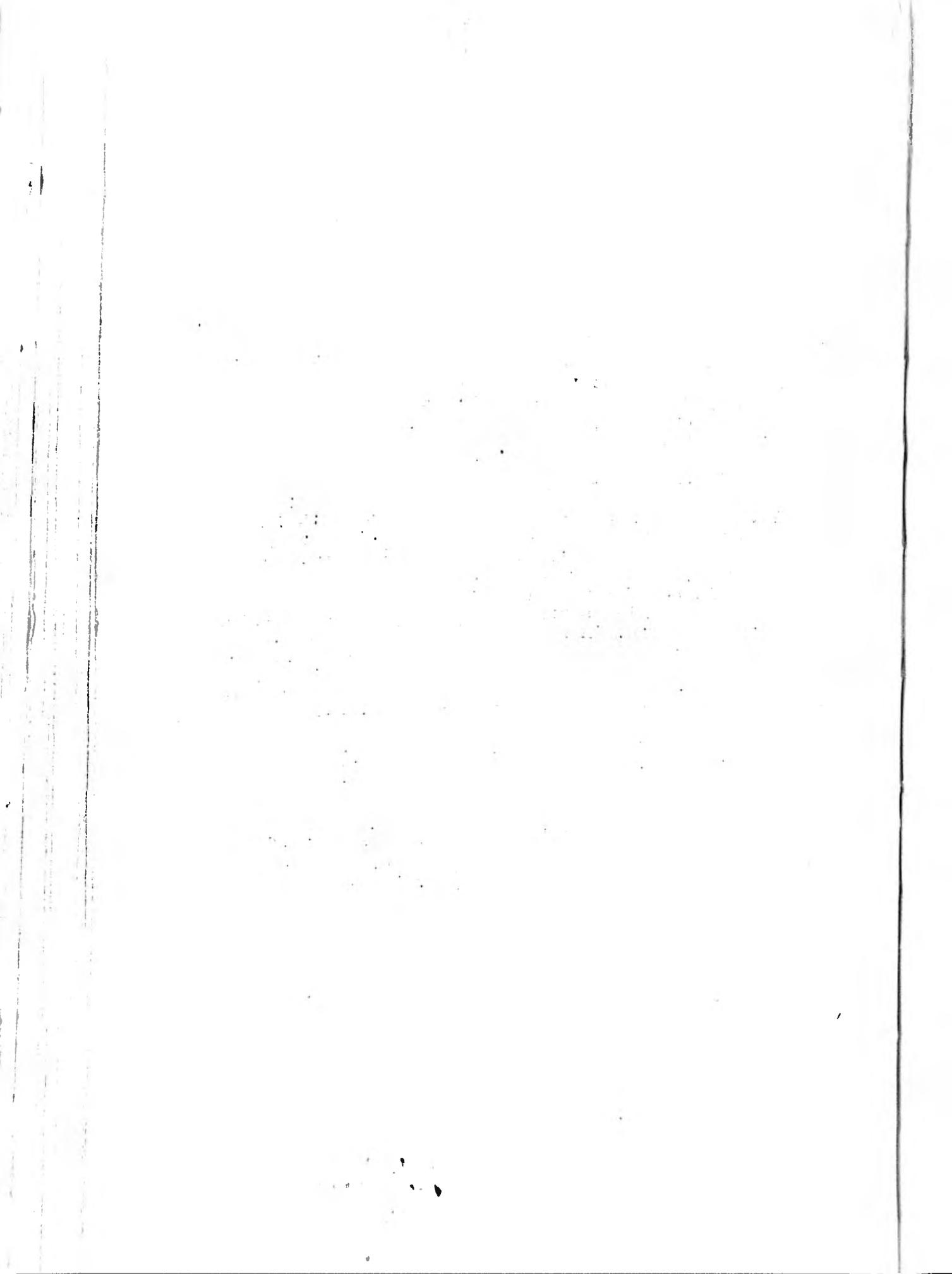
With regard to the Summers Lane frontage, it appears to the Minister that the whole of this land should not be retained as open land, but he would see no objection to the Council retaining the part at the Great North Road end until such time as they have come to a decision as to the development of the area of 10 acres at the corner of the two roads.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant
(Sgd) E. ROSS.

The Clerk to the
Urban District Council
of Finchley.

This is a copy of the letter referred to in paragraph 810 of the Glebe Land Special Report of the 18th March 1927.

Aspinall
Chairman.



Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
19th October, 1927.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 24th day of October, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 3rd October, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 4th October, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 5th October, 1927,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 6th October, 1927,
 - (e) **Education** of the 10th October, 1927,

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 11th October, 1927,
- (g) **Electricity** of the 12th October, 1927,
- (h) **Finance** of the 12th October, 1927,
- (i) **Valuation** of the 28th September, 1927.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's Report of the 12th October, 1927.”

7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

8. Tenders—Improvement Works—Ballards Lane—by Essex House Estate.

9. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

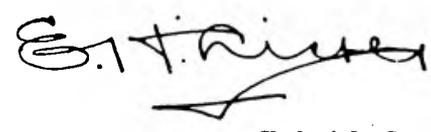
10. Reports of Committees :—

- (a) **Joint Meeting of Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and Special (Housing) Committee** of the 3rd October, 1927 ;
- (b) **Public Health** of the 4th October, 1927 ;
- (c) **General Purposes** of the 11th October, 1927.

- 11. Reports of Officers.
- 12. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

**Urban District
of
Finchley.**
**MONDAY,
26th September, 1927**

**At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
26th day of September, 1927.**

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
England, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.
Pateman, G. H.	

811 MINUTES.—The Minutes of an Extraordinary Meeting and of an Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 25th July, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

812 TENDERS.—

- (a) External Painting—160 Workmen's Dwellings ;
- (b) Low Level Sewer Works—Cyprus Gardens ;
- (c) Erection of 50 additional Workmen's Dwellings.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

813 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 5th September, 1927, Councillor Sommerfield voting against paragraph 652 (Plan No. 6205 (a)—Proposed Shops and Flats Woodhouse Road).

Arising out of paragraph 651 (a) (2) (Open Spaces—Glebe Land—Finchley Football Club's Tenancy) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Merry and duly seconded " that the proposed tenancy be confined to the land required for football purposes."

On being put the amendment was carried.

Arising out of paragraph 650 (b) (1) (Town Planning—Scheme No. 2—Public Inquiry) the Chairman of the Committee reported that the Inquiry therein referred to took place on the 13th September, 1927, and that no serious objections were raised thereat to the Council's proposals.

Arising out of paragraph 653 (Proposed Conversion—Southernwood, Ballards Lane), a further letter, dated 15th September, 1927, was submitted from Mr. A. R. Edwards;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

- (b) **Public Health** of the 6th September, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 672 (13, Alexandra Grove), a letter, dated 8th September, 1927, was submitted from Mr. W. N. Wright;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Committee for consideration.

- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th September, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 682 (No. 1 Motor—Wheel Damage), 692 (Proposed Railway Siding—East Finchley—for Manor Farm Dairy), and 702 (Highways—Lighting—Junction of High Road, Whetstone, and Totteridge Lane), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration, Councillor Pike voting against paragraph (c) of the Highways Outdoor Sub-Committee's report contained in paragraph 700.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**(d) Allotments of the 8th September, 1927.**

Arising out of paragraph 719 (a) (Allotments—Summers Lane—Glebe Land), letter, dated 12th September, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the North Finchley Allotment League stating that the League at a Special Meeting had passed the following resolution :—

“ That the N.F. Allotment League accept the terms of the District Council on principle, and ask that the Council's Allotments Committee accept a deputation with a view to further negotiations.”

RESOLVED that the League be informed that the Allotments Committee will be prepared to receive a deputation at their next meeting.

Arising out of paragraph 720 (Town Planning—Reservation of Land for Allotments) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Pike and duly seconded “ that the matter be referred to the Committee for further consideration.”

On being put the amendment was carried.

(e) Education of the 12th September, 1927.**(f) General Purposes of the 13th September, 1927.**

Arising out of paragraph 742 (Proposed Roman Catholic School) the letter, dated 28th July, 1927, from Major, the Hon. E. Cadogan, C.B., M.P., therein referred to was read.—It was thereupon moved by Councillor C. S. Syrett and seconded by Councillor Briant, “ that the question of the proposed Roman Catholic School be referred to the General Purposes Committee and that they be asked to submit a recommendation to the Council on the matter at next meeting.”

On being put the motion was carried, nine voting in favour and five against.

Arising out of paragraph 752 (Statue—La Délivrance) the Chairman of the Council reported that the ceremony in connexion with the unveiling of the statue by the Rt. Hon. David Lloyd-George, P.C., O.M., M.P., would take place on the 20th October, 1927, at 11.30 a.m.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Arising out of paragraph 738 (Mr. County Alderman B. Todd, J.P.—Departure from Finchley) the Chairman of the Council made a statement on the matter and it was thereupon

RESOLVED, unanimously (on the motion of Councillor Toyne, seconded by Councillor Pocock) "that this Council desires to place on record its sincere appreciation of the valuable public services rendered to the district by Mr. County Alderman Benjamin Todd, J.P., during the past 34 years: first, from 1893 to 1910 as a Member, and during the years 1900/1905 as Chairman of of this Council; and secondly, from 1910 to 1927 as a Member and during the years 1924 to 1927 as Chairman of the Middlesex County Council; to acknowledge on his departure from Finchley the devotion and ability displayed by him at all times in the discharge of his public duties, and its deep regret at the loss of his services, which loss will be felt, not only by this Council and the inhabitants of Finchley generally, but also by the many local Bodies and Associations with which he was connected."

(g) **Electricity** of the 14th September, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 766 (Extension of Generating Plant—Proposed Loan £24,000) a letter, dated 16th September, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the Electricity Commission stating that the Commissioners were in communication with the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority on the question and that a further letter would be addressed to the Council in due course.

(h) **Finance** of the 14th September, 1927.

(i) **Glebe Land (Special)** of the 18th March, 1927 (referred from Council Meetings held on the 28th March and 27th June, 1927), Councillor Pateman voting against.

Arising out of paragraph 809 (Glebe Land—Amended Lay-out) the Surveyor submitted a plan showing the re-allocation of the land as indicated in recommendation (3);

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RESOLVED—**

- (1) that the plan in question be submitted to the Special Committee for consideration and that such Committee be asked to submit to the General Purposes Committee a report as to the final allocation of the land;
- (2) that copies of the plan be circulated amongst the Members of the Council after the meeting of the Special Committee above referred to has been held;
- (3) that notice be given to all Members of the Council of the meeting of the Special Committee.

814 OPEN SPACES.—Letter, dated 5th September, 1927, was submitted from the Joint Hon. Secretary of the Finchley Division Liberal and Radical Association forwarding copy of the following resolution passed by the Executive Committee of that Association :—

“ That this meeting of the Executive Committee of the Finchley Division Liberal and Radical Association congratulates the Rector on his letter to the “ Finchley Press ” urging the purchase of Frith Manor as an open space and calls on the Finchley Urban District Council to consider and if possible arrange for securing to the future residents of Finchley this and any other open spaces.”

A letter, dated 19th September, 1927, was also submitted from Mr. Stanley Wildash stating that the proposal to acquire the Nethercourt Estate and adjoining fields for a public golf course was to be considered by the Hendon Council at their next meeting and asking that this Council would also take the matter into consideration;

RESOLVED that the above communications be referred to the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee for consideration.

815 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—18th BATCH—HUTTON GROVE —SECOND PORTION.—A petition signed by sixteen owners of property in the above street was submitted, protesting against the making up of such street;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration, with power to act.

816 STREET TRADING.—Letter, dated 22nd September, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the Finchley Chamber of Trade enclosing copy of a communication received by that Association from the London and Suburban Traders' Federation hereon: it was suggested by the Federation that the Council should pass a resolution urging the Home Secretary to introduce legislation to extend the scheme of regulation of street trading to all areas within the Metropolitan Police District;

RESOLVED that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

817 PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871 to 1926—Edward Dawson Gwion Harries, Petrol Supply Station, High Road, N. 20 (immediately south of Mr. N. C. Wade's office).—The Petroleum Inspector reported that an application had been received from Mr. E. D. G. Harries for permission to increase the quantity of petroleum spirit kept in bulk at the above premises from 3,000 gallons to 4,000 gallons; that it was proposed to provide an additional underground storage tank of 1,000 gallons capacity with a "Hammond" supply pump connected to same; that the details of the additional storage plant were shown on the plan No. 700 submitted; and that the whole installation was to be placed on the licensee's private premises;

RESOLVED—

(a) that the application be granted, subject:—

- (1) to the proposed additional bulk installation being constructed in the manner shown on the drawing No. 700 submitted by the licensee, and
- (2) to the installation, including the pump, fittings, pipe lines, etc., and all works incidental thereto being subject to the approval of the Council's Petroleum Inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) that, upon completion of the works to the satisfaction of the Council's Petroleum Inspector the current licence be endorsed so as to include the storage of the additional 1,000 gallons of petroleum spirit.

818 PUBLIC HEALTH ACT, 1925.—In accordance with notice Councillor J. Broadbent moved as follows :—

“ That sections 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 contained in Part II. (Streets and Buildings); and sections 37, 38 and 42 contained in Part III. (Sanitary Provisions) of the Public Health Act, 1925, be adopted by this Council and that this resolution come into operation on the 15th day of November, 1927.”

The motion was duly seconded by Councillor Bowen and on being put was carried unanimously.

819 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that Orders in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay :—

- (a) the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 14th September, 1927, amounting to £75,267 8s. 10d. and in addition the sum of £700 to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners in respect of the purchase of land in the Great North Road by Granville Road, making a total of £75,967 8s. 10d. ;

- * (b) the sum of £636 19s. 10d. to Messrs. Mills and Morley—balance of taxed costs, etc.—Avenue House.

* See report of Council in Committee.

820 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the undermentioned documents, viz. :—

- (1) Conveyance from Clark's College, Ltd., of land for widening Ballards Lane along the frontage of the Essex House Estate ;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (2) Conveyance from Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd., of land for widening Regents Park Road, opposite to Manor Parade;
- (3) Agreement with the Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., in regard to extension of Main in Ossulton Way, Hampstead Garden Suburb;
- (4) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage of No. 8, Court-house Road—Mr. N. J. Beddingham and Mr. C. H. Henderson to the Council (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (5) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage of No. 18, Brent Way—Mr. Bernard Szapira to the Council (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (6) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage of No. 48, Hervey Close—Mr. D. F. Smee to the Council (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (7) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage of No. 32, Hervey Close—Mr. A. W. Miller to the Council (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (8) Contract with Messrs. E. Wight & Co. for maintenance of inter-departmental telephones at Surveyor's Department;
- (9) Orders on the Treasurer to pay:—
 - (a) the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 14th September, 1927, amounting to £75,267 8s. 10d. and in addition the sum of £700 to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners in respect of the purchase of land in the Great North Road by Granville Road, making a total of £75,967 8s. 10d.;
 - * (b) the sum of £636 19s. 10d. to Messrs. Mills and Morley—balance of taxed costs, etc.—Avenue House,
- (10) Order for Certificate and receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £7,115 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (11) Agreement with Finchley Football Club for renewal of tenancy of Gun Station site for one year as from 30th September, 1927;
 - (12) Lease to Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd., of land situate at North Finchley for ten years, as from 25th March, 1928;
 - (13) Transfer of £1,514 Five per cent. War Stock, 1929-47 (Local Government and Other Officers' Superannuation Act, 1922).
 - (14) Assignment to Mr. H. R. Kay, of 38, Summerlee Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
 - (15) Assignment to Mrs. A. M. J. Martin, of 43, Summerlee Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
 - (16) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. G. Weir to the Council *re* 16, Brent Way (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
 - (17) Endorsement on Petroleum Licence to Mr. E. D. G. Harries in regard to increased storage of petroleum;
 - * (18) Contract with Messrs. Pellow & Wright with regard to the external painting of 160 workmen's dwellings;
 - * (19) Contract with Messrs. W. & C. French with regard to low level sewer works, Cyprus Gardens.
- * See report of Council in Committee.

821 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

822 No. 1 MOTOR—WHEEL DAMAGE.—Paragraph 682 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Chairman of the Committee submitted two quotations which had been received for the carrying out of the necessary repairs;

RECOMMENDED that the quotation of the Blaker Motor and Welding Co., Ltd., at the sum of £11 10s. 6d. be accepted.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

823 PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING — EAST FINCHLEY — FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—Paragraph 692 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Chairman of the Council reported that a further amended application and plan had now been received from the Company;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph in question be adopted;
- (b) that the further amended application be referred to the Committee for consideration and report.

824 HIGHWAYS—LIGHTING—JUNCTION OF HIGH ROAD, WHETSTONE AND TOTTERIDGE LANE.—Paragraph 702 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th September, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Surveyor reported that the Chief Electrical Engineer and himself had considered the matter and were of opinion that the case would be met by the erection of a strong light on the eastern footpath opposite to Totteridge Lane at an estimated cost of £25; he further intimated that, if this did not appear to be satisfactory, a proposal would be submitted at a later date with regard to the provision of further lighting facilities on the west side;

RECOMMENDED that the above suggestion and expenditure be approved.

825 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Chairman of the Council reported hereon and intimated that meetings of the Sub-Committee appointed to deal with the matter had been held, when certain instructions had been given to the Surveyor. He also submitted a letter, dated 23rd September, 1927, received from Lord Rothermere's Agent stating that His Lordship and Mr. Lloyd-George also agreed that Thursday, the 20th October, 1927, at 11.30 a.m. would be the most convenient date for the unveiling ceremony of the statue. The letter added that His Lordship would like immediately afterwards to invite a small party to lunch with him and Mr. Lloyd-George at the Savoy Hotel;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the draft order of proceedings submitted at the meeting be agreed and that it be transmitted to His Lordship for approval:

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) that the question of the placing of an inscription on the statue be left to His Lordship's Agent, the Chairman of the Council, the Clerk and the Surveyor to deal with;
- (c) that the Clerk ascertain from His Lordship whether he would desire to have the Band of the Middlesex Regiment in attendance at the ceremony and that it be indicated that, if so, the Council approve, and endeavours will be made to arrange accordingly;
- (d) that it be suggested that the statue be dedicated by the Rector of Finchley;
- (e) that, with regard to the guests at the luncheon, the names of thirty gentlemen (agreed upon at the meeting) be submitted to His Lordship for approval.

826 PROPOSED CONVERSION—SOUTHERNWOOD, BALLARDS LANE.—The letter, dated 15th September, 1927, from Mr. A. R. Edwards hereon, referred to the Council in Committee for consideration, was read;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee for consideration with power to act.

827 TENDERS.—

- (a) External Painting—160 Workmen's Dwellings.
- (b) Low Level Sewer Works—Cyprus Gardens.
- (c) Erection of 50 additional Workmen's Dwellings.—

The tenders received and opened in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a) the tender of Messrs. Pellow and Wright (the lowest) at the sum of £413, be accepted, and that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract, which be added to the list of documents for sealing;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(2) that as regards (b) the tender of Messrs. W. and C. French at the sum of £1,597 15s. be accepted, and that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract, which be added to the list of documents for sealing;

(3) that as regards (c)

(i) the whole question be referred to a joint meeting of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and the Special Housing Committee for consideration and report;

(ii) the Finance Committee be asked to consider the financial aspect of the matter and to report thereon to the Council, and as to the making of an application to the Ministry of Health for approval of the scheme and sanction to the necessary loan;

(iii) the Joint Meeting above-mentioned be held on the 3rd October, 1927, at 9.15 p.m.;

(iv) the times of the meetings of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and its Sub-Committees on the 3rd October, 1927, be fixed as follows:—

Plans, etc., Sub-Committee	7.30 p.m.
Full Committee	8.0 p.m.
Town Planning Sub-Committee	8.30 p.m.

828 PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee of the 6th September, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE, N. 3.—The following report was submitted by the Clerk:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

"The Committee will no doubt remember that at the last meeting of the Council, as a result of a report then submitted, I was instructed and empowered to take such further steps in this matter as might be expedient or necessary for carrying out the drainage works in question. I therefore took the opinion of Counsel, who advised that a further notice should be served upon Mrs. Dixon of intention to enter the premises, and in case of refusal that application be made to the Court for an Order under Section 305 of the Public Health Act, 1875, authorising the Local Authority, or their Officers, to enter the premises. This course was adopted, with the result that upon two occasions Mrs. Dixon refused to allow the Officers of the Council to enter her premises, and application for the before-mentioned Order was made at the Highgate Police Court on 19th August, 1927, when the Magistrates granted the Order and ordered Mrs. Dixon to pay £10 10s. costs to the Council. A copy of this Order was served upon Mrs. Dixon and an intimation given to her that a further request for entry would be made on Monday, 29th August, 1927. This further attempt to enter the premises has met with no greater success than any previous one.

The Council are now therefore faced with persistent and deliberate obstruction in the carrying out of these drainage works, and the point arises as to whether or not the Council are entitled, under the Order which has been made by the Court, to use force, if necessary, to gain access to the premises. So far as I have been able to ascertain, there is no legal decision on this point. I am therefore taking the opinion of a leading Counsel in the matter, and if possible his opinion will be submitted for consideration at your meeting."

He added that Counsel's Opinion had not yet come to hand, but that it had been definitely promised for Tuesday next, the 13th instant.

The Committee instructed the Clerk to take such further steps in the matter as might be advised by Counsel, and in the event of the Opinion not being favourable to the Council, to place the whole of the facts before the Urban District Councils' Association, with a view to steps being

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

taken to obtain an amendment of the law dealing with the point at issue.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

Arising thereout the Clerk reported that Counsel's Opinion had been duly received; that a consultation with Counsel thereon had taken place; that he had undertaken to give a further Opinion; and that the matter would be dealt with in accordance with his advice;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be received and adopted;
- (b) that the action (1) already taken and (2) proposed to be taken as indicated above be approved.

829 HIGHWAYS AND FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 7th September, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade, (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells.

- (1) IMPROVEMENT WORKS — EAST END ROAD — MANOR COTTAGE TAVERN TO HAMILTON ROAD — CEMETERY FRONTAGE.— A communication, dated 29th July, 1927, was submitted from the St. Marylebone Borough Council as follows:—

“ With reference to our previous correspondence hereon, and to the interview which the representatives of the Finchley Urban District Council had with the Borough Council's Cemetery Committee at the St. Marylebone Cemetery on the 14th June last, I am to inform you that the Borough Council have decided that the Finchley Urban District Council be and they are hereby called upon immediately to carry out their obligations under the Deed dated the 24th March, 1897, in regard to the footpath adjoining the Borough Council's Cemetery at East Finchley.”

After full consideration it was

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to reply to the effect:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (1) that this Council are astonished at the peremptory tone of the letter in question, written as it is, from one Public Authority to another;
- (2) that the position is one which has arisen through inadvertence, and that the desire of this Council is, and has from the commencement been, to arrive at an amicable settlement;
- (3) that the information asked for at the meeting held on the 14th June, 1927, on site was duly furnished by this Council to the Borough Council, and that no intimation whatever has been given as to whether same has received consideration;
- (4) that the point at issue involves not only this Council, but also the Ministry of Transport, the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Health, whose views on the matter will have to be obtained before any definite action can be taken by this Council.

(2) IVY COTTAGE—RED LION HILL.—

RECOMMENDED that notice be served upon the owner of the above premises, calling upon him to execute such works as may be necessary to prevent water from such premises from flowing over the footpath.

A. KNOWLMAN,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that as regards paragraph (1) the report be received and adopted;
- (b) that as regards paragraph (2) this be not adopted but that the Clerk be instructed to communicate with the owner asking him to carry out such works as will render unnecessary any further cause for complaint.

830 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee of the 13th September, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Broadbent Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(1) AVENUE HOUSE--ATTORNEY GENERAL V. THE COUNCIL AND OTHERS.—

(a) The Clerk reported that Messrs. Lees & Company had received from the Executors' Solicitors an intimation that they would not hand over the deeds of the property except upon payment of all the costs and expenses. He also submitted further letters from Messrs. Lees & Company, showing how they had dealt with the matter. The Clerk also reported that the War Compensation Court had ordered a new claim to be filed, such claim to be a joint one in the names of the Council and of the Executors, and setting out full particulars of the claims made by both parties respectively;

RECOMMENDED—

- (i) that Messrs. Lees & Company be instructed to press for the transfer of the property to the Council, and if they deem it advisable, to give Messrs. Mills & Morley an undertaking on behalf of the Council to pay the costs and expenses when the transfer has been made and the Council are in a position to raise the amount due out of the estate in accordance with the Order made by the Court;
- (ii) that Messrs. Lees & Company be instructed to act on the Council's behalf in the matter of the claim in respect of the occupation of the premises by the Air Ministry.

(b) A letter, dated 8th September, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health stating that the Minister regretted that he did not see his way to sanction a loan under the Public Health Acts in respect of the legal costs incurred by the Council with regard to the above property. It was added that the Minister was, however, prepared to consider an application for a short term loan under Section 3 of the Local Authorities (Financial Provisions) Act, 1921, as extended by later Acts, such loan to be repaid within a period not exceeding three years; further, that if it was desired to raise such a loan the Minister should be furnished with a copy of the resolution of the Council authorising the application, a statement shewing how the sum of £1,154 3s. 7d. was made up, the taxed

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Bills of Costs and the certificate of taxation. It was added that it was understood that this sum represented the costs for which the Council themselves were liable, and that no receipts were expected from other sources.

The Committee referred the matter to the Finance Committee, with a view to their making the necessary arrangements;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

(c) The Clerk reported that at the last meeting of the Council, he was instructed to prepare draft regulations as to the care and upkeep of the grounds, and to submit same to the Committee; that he was hoping to see the Charity Commissioners on the matter and would report further in due course.

(2) STAFF—CLERK'S DEPARTMENT—GENERAL ASSISTANT.—

RECOMMENDED that an increment in salary at the rate of £12 10s. per annum be granted to Mr. L. Watkins with effect from the 26th September, 1927.

(3) MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH—MOTOR CAR.—The attention of the Committee was drawn to the following resolution passed by the Council on the 28th March, 1927:—

“That no action be taken until **September** next, when the matter be reviewed, unless any serious repairs are in the meantime required to be carried out to the Ford car.”

After discussion, the Chairman of the Public Health Committee was authorised to indicate to the Medical Officer the views of the Committee on the subject, and to report thereon at the Council Meeting in Committee.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

Arising out of paragraph (1) the Clerk reported that he had communicated with Messrs. Lees & Co., as instructed, and that they had replied stating that they had received an intimation from Messrs. Mills & Morley that they were not prepared to hand over

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

the title deeds until payment of the Executors' expenses and taxed costs was made: that they had added that they had considerable doubt as to whether Messrs. Mills & Morley would accept the undertaking proposed to be given by the Council, for one reason that there was no certainty that the loan would be obtained; that Messrs. Lees & Co. had suggested that perhaps, under the circumstances, the Council might decide to draw a cheque for the taxed costs and expenses and so complete the transfer. The Clerk further reported that the amount which Messrs. Mills & Morley requested to be paid to them on completion was £1,329 11s. 1d.; that as, however, a cheque had already been drawn for the sum of £692 11s. 3d., the balance required would be £636 19s. 10d.;

RECOMMENDED that an Order on the Treasurer be issued for the sum of £636 19s. 10d. above mentioned.

Arising out of paragraph (3) it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that in lieu of the present arrangement, under which the Council provide a car for the Medical Officer of Health's use, an annual allowance of £150 be made to Dr. A. A. Turner, the Medical Officer of Health to the Council, for the use, for his official duties, of a motor car about to be purchased by him, such allowance to include maintenance, garage, and all other charges in connexion with the car so far as the Council are concerned, the new arrangement to date from the 1st October, 1927;
- (b) that the question of the disposal of the Ford car be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

831 FINANCE COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 14th September, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (in the Chair), Councillors H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Ryan (non-member).

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

Advance No. 151	...	11, Elmhurst Avenue.
„ 171	...	19, Summerlee Avenue.
„ 203	...	41, Summerlee Avenue.
„ 246	...	53, Hervey Close.
„ 275	...	5, Moreton Terrace, Abingdon Rd.
„ 284	...	8, Court House Road.
„ 384	...	51, Birley Road.

RECOMMENDED that, failing payment of the principal and interest due to the Council in the above-mentioned cases by the date of the Council meeting, the several premises be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Acts.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro. tempore*).

Arising thereout it was reported that as regards advance No. 284, the balance of principal and interest due to the Council had been paid and that as regards advance No. 384, a letter had been received from the mortgagor asking for an extended time for payment of the amount due;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that as regards advances Nos. 151, 171, 203, 246 and 275, the report be received and adopted;
- (b) that as regards advance No. 384, the mortgagor be informed that, unless the amount of the arrears of instalments and interest be paid on or before the 31st October, 1927, the premises will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

832 SOIL SEWER—BEECHWOOD AVENUE TO REGENTS PARK ROAD.—The Surveyor reported that during the recent exceptionally heavy rain sewage flooding took place at the houses erected at the corner of Beechwood Avenue and Regents Park Road and that as, on investigation, the soil sewer was found to be defective, he had put in a short length of pipe at a cost of between £100 and £125; further, that it was his intention to report to the Public Health

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Committee with a view to their considering the question of arranging for a further section of the sewer to be enlarged at the earliest possible moment;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Surveyor's action and the expenditure indicated above be approved;
- (b) that the matter be reported to the Finance Committee.

833 PROPOSED WIDENING—BALLARDS LANE—BY ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for advertisements to be issued inviting tenders for the carrying out of the above works.

834 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—
It was reported that notice had been received that the audit of the Council's accounts for the above period would commence on the 24th October, 1927, at 10.30 a.m.

835 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.

H. S. Smith
Chairman.

24th October 1927.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

3rd October, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Briant, Pateman, Pocock, Ryan and Wells (non-members).

836 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

837 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Requisitions be approved subject to the deletion of that numbered 564 (Avenue House—Wages—£20) which be referred to the General Purposes Committee.

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838 TOWN PLANNING SCHEME No. 1—DRAFT SCHEME.—It was reported that a meeting of the Town Planning Sub-Committee had been held on the 3rd October, 1927, when there were present Councillors Pike (Chairman), Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Bowen, Broadbent, England, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Briant, Pateman, Pocock, Ryan and Wells (non-members); that the draft Scheme had been fully discussed and the whole matter left in the hands of Councillor Pike, the Clerk and the Surveyor to deal with on the lines indicated at the meeting. It was further reported that instructions had been given for the complete draft Scheme to be circulated to all members of the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that the Council adopt the draft of the above Town Planning Scheme and the map marked "Map No. 3" to which the draft Scheme refers, and direct that the draft Scheme and map be signed and certified by the Clerk of the Council;
- (3) that the Clerk be instructed to take the necessary steps to ensure compliance with Article 10 of the Ministry of Health (Town Planning) Regulations, 1921.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

839 OPEN SPACES.—

- (1) Arden Playing Field.—Letter was read from the Headmaster of the Squires Lane Boys' School asking for permission for his scholars to play football on the Arden Playing Field on one afternoon a week;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the scholars of Squires Lane Boys' School be permitted to play football on the pitch occupied by the Old Finchleians' Football Club on Tuesday afternoons;
- (b) that the Football Club be informed of this arrangement.
- (2) Cherry Tree Wood—Warning to public of closing of—

RECOMMENDED that a hand-bell be provided at an estimated cost of £1 7s. 6d. for the use of the Superintendent at above.

- (3) General.—A circular letter was submitted from the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association enclosing a memorandum relating to the acquisition of land for sports purposes under Section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1925.
- (4) Victoria Recreation Ground—Bowling Green—Pavilion.—The Surveyor reported that the actual cost of erecting the Bowling Green Pavilion was £349 3s. 3d. as compared with the expenditure approved by the Council of £350.

840 PROPOSED CONVERSION — SOUTHERNWOOD, BALLARDS LANE.—The letter dated 15th September, 1927, from Mr. Arthur K. Edwards hereon, which had been referred to this Committee by the Council, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the Council raise no objection to the display in the windows of the room proposed to be used as an estate office of bills, etc., pertaining to the applicant's business, nor to the erection of the proposed notice boards and show case, subject to the two latter being approved in the first instance by the Surveyor of the Council.

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P I N C H L E Y U R B A N D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L .

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

3RD OCTOBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 6TH OCTOBER TO 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE	2191 0 0
EXTRA ITEMS:- Pavilion, Putting Green and Glebe land entrance.	375 0 0

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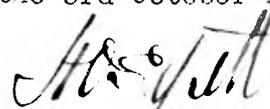
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559	17	Wages.		20 0 0	
<u>GENERALLY.</u>					
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561	0	Notice board, re depositing of rubbish - Squires Lane land.	10 0		
562	0	25 - 6'6" cleft oak poles, Cherry Tree Wood.	15 0		
563	(partly 0)	Shrubbery, Brook Farm.	55 0 0		
<u>AVENUE HOUSE.</u>					
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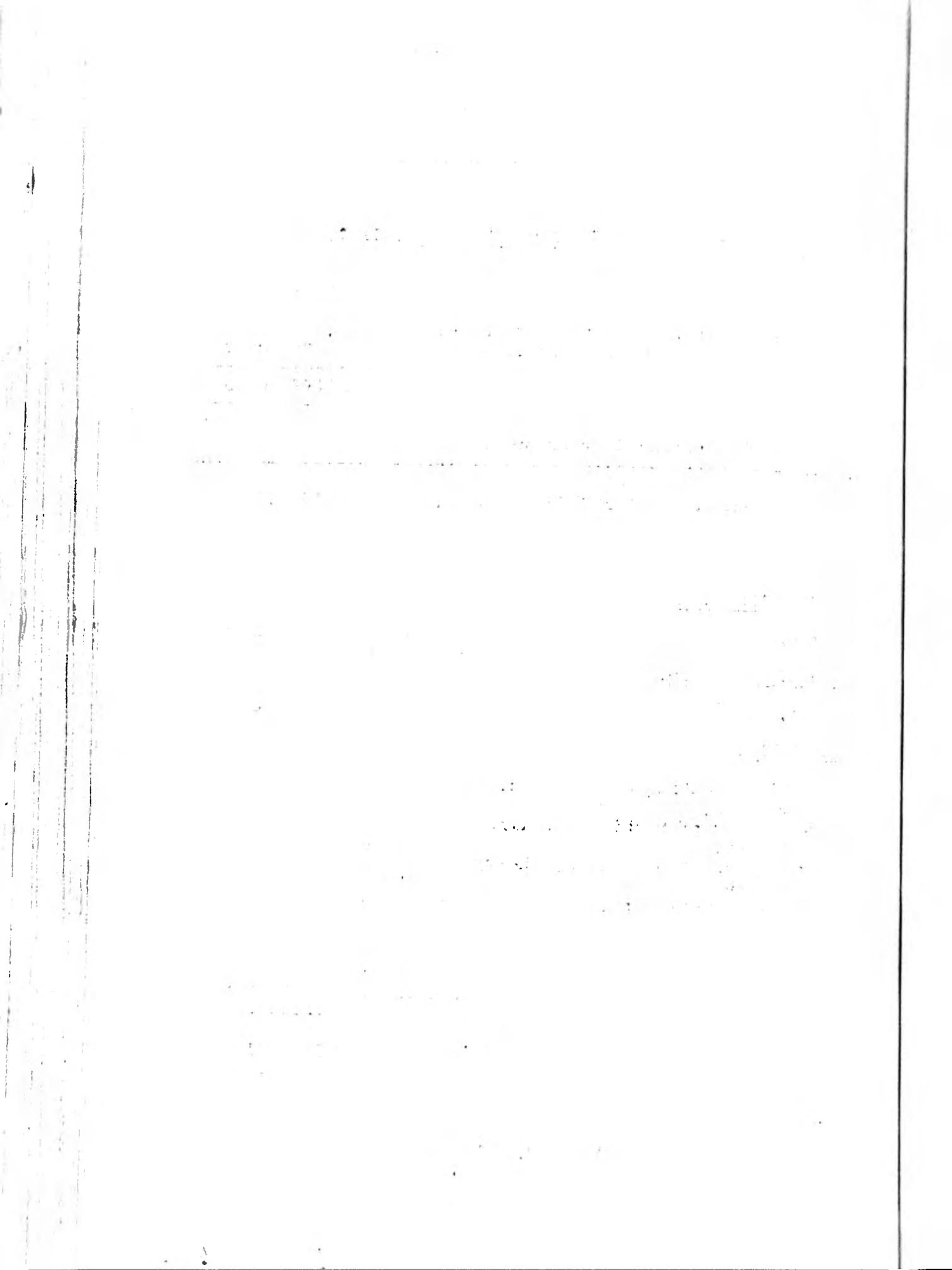
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 837 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 3rd October 1927.

28TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.





TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

841 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

842 PLANS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

Approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6165A	Garage	Rear of new houses, Cyprus Avenue	Mrs. Couston.
6205B	*8 houses	Grove Road	Dr. N. A. Duncan.
6244A	Tool Shed	Rear of house to be known as Joan's Cot, Limes Av.	Mr. J. H. Jackson.
6262	Coal and store shed	13, Castle Road	Mr. P. G. Kees.
6264	Garage	17, Fursby Avenue	Mr. P. D. Walker.
6265	Garage	On land between No. 11, and house known as "Valance," Grosvenor Road	Mr. G. G. Lidstone.
6266	Garage	Adjoining 62, Village Road	Mrs. A. B. Jardine.
6267	Garden & tool shed	Yeovil, Cyprus Gardens	Mr. W. G. Elsom.
6268	Garage	Friern Lane, south side (4th house from district boundary)	Mr. F. W. Shenton.
6269	Greenhouse	Homestead, Woodside Grove	Mr. J. J. Seaman.
6270	Cycle Shed	27, Grange Avenue	Mr. A. Fletcher.
6271	House	Plot X725, Southway	Mr. W. S. Gibson.

* Approved subject to an intimation that this decision does not imply that the further development of the estate on the lines of the present proposal will necessarily be approved.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

3RD OCTOBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 6 sets of plans have been received representing:-

GARAGES 3.
MISCELLANEOUS. 4.

- 6244A. Tool shed.
5. 9. 27. Rear of house to be know as "Joans Cot", Limes Avenue.
Mr. J. H. Jackson.
This plan which was disapproved at your last meeting is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6262. Coal and store sheds.
12. 9. 27. 13, Castle Road.
Mr. F. G. Kees.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6264. Garage.
17. 9. 27. 17, Fursby Avenue.
Mr. P. D. Walker.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6265. Garage.
13. 9. 27. On land between No.11 and house known as "Valance", Grosvenor Road.
Mr. G. G. Lidstone.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6266. Garage.
19. 9. 27. Adjoining No.62, Village Road.
Mrs. A. B. Jardine.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6267. Garden and tool shed.
20. 9. 27. "Yeovil", Cyprus Gardens.
Mr. W. G. Elsom.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

3RD OCTOBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 14 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	10
GARAGES.	6
MISCELLANEOUS	4
FLATS	24

6245. Workshop and cycle shed.
20. 9. 27. 10, Ingle Villas, Woodhouse Road.
Mr. Rowland Hill.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
- 6165A Garage.
29. 9. 27. Rear of new houses, Cyprus Avenue.
Mrs. Couston.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6205B. 8 houses.
30. 9. 27. Grove Road.
Dr. N. A. Duncan.
This plan is submitted as an amended proposal in lieu of plan No. 6205 approved by the Council on the 25th July, 1927. I will report more fully on this matter at your meeting.
- 6260A, Extension of existing garage.
3. 10. 27. 4, Woodside Avenue.
Mr. J. R. Robertson.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6263. Alterations.
15. 9. 27. 50, High Road, East Finchley.
Lloyds' Bank Ltd.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6268. Garage.
23. 9. 27. Friern Lane, south side. (4th house from district boundary.
Mr. F. W. Shenton.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6269. Greenhouse.
27. 9. 27. "Homestead", Woodside Grove.
Mr. J. J. Seaman.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6270. Cycle shed.
29. 9. 27. 27, Grange Avenue.
Mr. A. Fletcher.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

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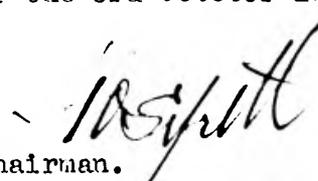
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6271. House.
1. 10. 27. Plot X725, Southway.
Mr. W. S. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6272. 24 flats.
29. 9. 27. Hill Top, Hampstead Garden Suburb.
Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6274. Garage.
1. 10. 27. The Firs, The Bishops Avenue.
Mr. D. Gilfillan.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6275. House.
3. 10. 27. Plot X729, Meadway.
Mr. W. S. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6276. Garage.
28. 9. 27. 71, Brookland Rise.
Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6277. Garage.
30. 9. 27. Killornan House, Hendon Avenue.
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

3RD OCTOBER, 1927.

This (together with the two preceding pages)
is the report of the Surveyor referred to in
paragraph 842 of the Town Planning and Open
Spaces Committee's report of the 3rd October 1927.


Chairman.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
DIVISION OF THE PHYSICAL SCIENCES

REPORT OF THE
COMMISSION ON THE
STRUCTURE OF THE
ATOMIC NUCLEUS

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6272	24 flats	Hill Top, Hampstead Garden Suburb	Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
6274	Garage	The Firs, The Bishop's Avenue	Mr. D. Gilfillan.
6275	House	Plot X729, Meadowway	Mr. W. S. Gibson.
6276	Garage	71, Brookland Rise	Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
6277	Garage	Killornan House, Hendon Avenue	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin, Ltd.

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6245	Workshop and cycle shed	10, Ingle Villas, Woodhouse Road	Mr. Rowland Hill.
6260A	Extension of existing garage	4, Woodside Avenue	Mr. J. R. Robertson
6263	Alterations	50, High Road, East Finchley	Lloyd's Bank, Ltd.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

4th October, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Wells (non-member).

843 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

844 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

845 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the four weeks ended 24th September, 1927, was submitted. *Annexed*

846 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:— *Annexed*

(a) Game Licences.—

RECOMMENDED that a licence to deal in game for the period to the 30th June, 1928, be granted to Mr. A. R. Yates, of 6, Park Parade, High Road, North Finchley.

(b) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—It was reported that an application had been received from Mr. Herbert Collins, of 4, The Broadway, Church End, N. 3, for a dealer's licence to sell Grade A milk;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

(c) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

(d) Petroleum Acts, 1871 to 1926—Norman James, Ltd.—24 and 25, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N. 3.—The Inspector reported that an application had been received from Messrs. Norman James, Ltd., for permission to increase the quantity of petroleum spirit kept in bulk at the above premises from 1,500 gallons to 2,000 gallons; that

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

it was proposed to use a 500 gallons capacity tank (part of a double compartment tank) which was installed some time ago and which had not previously been used and to attach thereto a one-gallon capacity Bowser pump; and that the details of the pipe lines, etc.; connections to the storage tank and the position of the pump were shown on plan No. 11544 submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the application be granted subject to the whole of the works including the fixing of pump, fittings, etc., the laying of pipe lines and all works incidental thereto being subject to the approval of the Council's Petroleum Inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit;
- (2) that, upon completion of the works to the satisfaction of the Council's Petroleum Inspector, the current licence be endorsed so as to include the storage of the additional 500 gallons of petroleum spirit.

847 BAKEHOUSE—35, CHURCH LANE, N.2.—It was reported that at a Coroner's Inquest into the circumstances of the death of a journeyman baker who had been employed at 35, Church Lane, N. 2, it was stated that these premises had not been registered as a bakehouse by the occupier.

The Medical Officer of Health and the Chief Sanitary Inspector reported to this Committee as follows:—

- “(1) that the occupier of a bakehouse where persons are employed is required by statute to register his premises—**not with the Local Authority**—but with the Factory Department of the Home Office.
- “(2) that the Local Authority are concerned only with the cleanliness, air space, ventilation, drainage and sanitary accommodation of bakehouses.
- “(3) that the premises, 35, Church Lane, N. 2, had been inspected regularly during the last 23 years and that at all times the requirements of the Local Authority had been complied with by the occupiers.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH. OCTOBER, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH. OCTOBER TO 28TH. NOVEMBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated cost.</u>			<u>Amt. of Est. already passed.</u>			
		<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>								
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>								
50.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.					
51.	2 new ends to mare's traces and one new chain.	5.	6.		52.	20.	16.	0.
52.	2 gallons methylated spirits.	11.	0.		80.	50.	8.	9.
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<u>General.</u>								
53.	1 gallon liquid formalin.	10.	6.		25.	18.	15.	6.

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RESERVE FUND.

Balance at credit thereof.
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RESERVE FUND.

Investments. 18000. -- --
 Cash with Treasurer. 12519. 2. 9

DEBTORS ACCOUNT.

Debtors -
 Sundry Creditors - 3345.15. 3.
 Debts by Consumers and accrued interest.
 Commissioners of Inland Revenue. 4338. --. 1.
 Other Creditors. 5233. 6. 2.
 12932. 1. 6.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Stores on Hand -
 Coal and other Fuel. 479.10. 4.
 Other Stores. 1495. --.10. 1904.21. 2.
 Sundry Debtors -
 For Current and Notice Rent. 28560.19. 7.
 Other Debtors. 1490.15. 1.
 30051.13. 6.
 Cash with Treasurer. 19089. 2. 8.

NET RECEIPTS ACCOUNT - Balance at Credit thereof.

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G. F. CARPENTER,
 Borough Treasurer.

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—LOAN EXPENDITURE.

Land for Generating Station (Loan £700) £700 0 0

Original Loan, £35,000.

Sections.	£	s.	d.
I. to XI. Original Works	35000	0	0
Less preliminary expenses written off	437	16	8
	<u>£34562</u>	3	4

Extension I.—Loan £16,600.

Sections.	£	s.	d.
I. to XII.	£16600	0	0

Extension II.—Loan £23,360.

Sections.	£	s.	d.
XIII. to XXVIII.	22530	15	1
Amount repaid to Lenders out of Capital	229	4	11
	<u>£23360</u>	0	0

Extension III.—Loan £12,000.

Sections.	£	s.	d.
XXXIV. to XXXVI.	£12000	0	0

Extension IV.—Loan £23,859.

Section.	£	s.	d.
XXX. Buildings	4084	9	8
XXXI. Galleries	51	15	7
XXXII. Stokers	739	12	10
XXXIII. Pipework	2068	11	1
XXXVII. Condenser	1171	2	10
XXXVIII. Mains	7300	0	0
XXXIX. Consumers' Connections	2000	0	0
XL. Meters	700	0	0
XLI. Switchboard	356	14	5
XLII. Feed Pump	154	4	6
XLIII. 700 K.W. Set	4686	6	3
XLIV. Contingencies	52	0	11
XLV. Safes	79	17	0
	<u>23444</u>	15	1
Balance	414	4	11
	<u>£23859</u>	0	0

PINCHLEY CORPORATION.

MAKING - BALANCE SHEET - 31st MARCH, 1934.

£. s. d.

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Land.	3062.	9.	1.	1200.	—	—	4262.
Buildings.	31404.	15.	5.	75.	2.	—	51479.
Engines, Boilers & Other							
Machinery.	199136.	—	10.	4234.	8.	—	202370.
Mains & Services.	216752.	4.	5.	1248.	17.	0.	229239.
Meters and Terminal Boxes.	6111.	4.	5.				
	<u>£ 453468.</u>	14.	—	<u>16658.</u>	1	0	<u>470124.</u>

Cash with Treasurer -
Extensions IV.

XIV.	414.	4.	11	X
XVIII.	547.	8.	1.	
XIX.	639.	1.	3.	
XXI.	268.	—	4.	
XXII.	50.	—	1.	
XXIII.	157.	8.	10.	X
XXIV.	1128.	14.	—	
XXVI.	390.	8.	—	
XXVII.	975.	14.	—	
XXVIII.	679.	8.	6.	
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH OCTOBER, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 6TH OCTOBER TO 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 9378 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

		REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	4547 3 1
Req. No.	Item No.		
565	2	Refuse removal - October.	483 16 8
566	3	Flushing - team labour.	25 0 0
567	5	do. wages.	15 0 0
568	6	Testing and sanitary works, - wages.	50 0 0
569	7	Repairs to sewers.	50 0 0
	11	<u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>	
			45 0 0
570		Wages.	
571		130 gals. petroleum.	4 17 6
572		1 ton anthracite nuts.	3 6 0
	13	<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>	
573		Wagos.	90 0 0
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH OCTOBER, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 6TH OCTOBER TO 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE 5444 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 2789 2 2

Req. No.	Item No.				
574	1	Wages, Sewage Disposal.	270	0	0
575	2	do. Refuse Disposal.	108	0	0
576	3	9 tons house coal.	16	2	6
577	10 0	1 clack valvo. 2 leathers for ejector.	1	10	0
			395 12 6		
			£ 3184 14 8		
Refuse Destructor - Additional Works.			£ 2500 0 0		

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH OCTOBER, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 6TH OCTOBER TO 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

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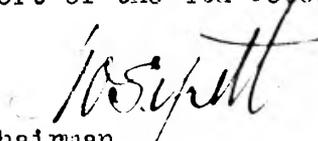
REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1041 0 7

Req. No.	Item No.			
578	1	Wages.	95	0 0
579	5	1 cwt. Chloride of lime.	17	0
580	6	6 doz. $\frac{1}{2}$ " hexagon bolts and nuts.	17	6
				<u>96 14 6</u>
				£ 1137 15 1
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists referred to in paragraph 844 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 4th October 1927.


Chairman.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH. OCTOBER, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the four weeks ended
the 24th. Sept. 1927.

Public Health Dept.,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

30th. September, 1927.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

		<u>Population census 1921-46,746</u>				
		<u>Wards.</u>				
		<u>N.</u>	<u>E.</u>	<u>W.</u>	<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
1.	<u>DEATHS.</u>					
	Number	11	4	6	21	26
	Infants under one year	1	1	-	2	5
	Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	-
2.	<u>BIRTHS.</u>					
	Number notified under the Notification of Births Act.	16	19	12	47	59
3.	<u>INFECTIOUS DISEASE.</u>					
	Number of cases notified.....	7	1	4	12	15
	Scarlet Fever	2	1	2	5	3
	Diphtheria	4	-	2	6	3
	Puerperal Pyrexia.....	1	-	-	1	-
	Pneumonia.....	-	-	-	-	2
	Erysipelas	-	-	-	-	1
	Typhoid Fever	-	-	-	-	1
4.	<u>TUBERCULOSIS.</u>					
	Pulmonary cases	3	1	-	4	7
	Non-Pulmonary cases	-	-	-	-	-
5.	<u>PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.</u>					
	Number in hospital on 2nd. September.....				18	9
	Number admitted.....				12	10
	Number discharged				9	4
	Number of deaths				-	-
	Number in hospital on the 30th. September...				21	15

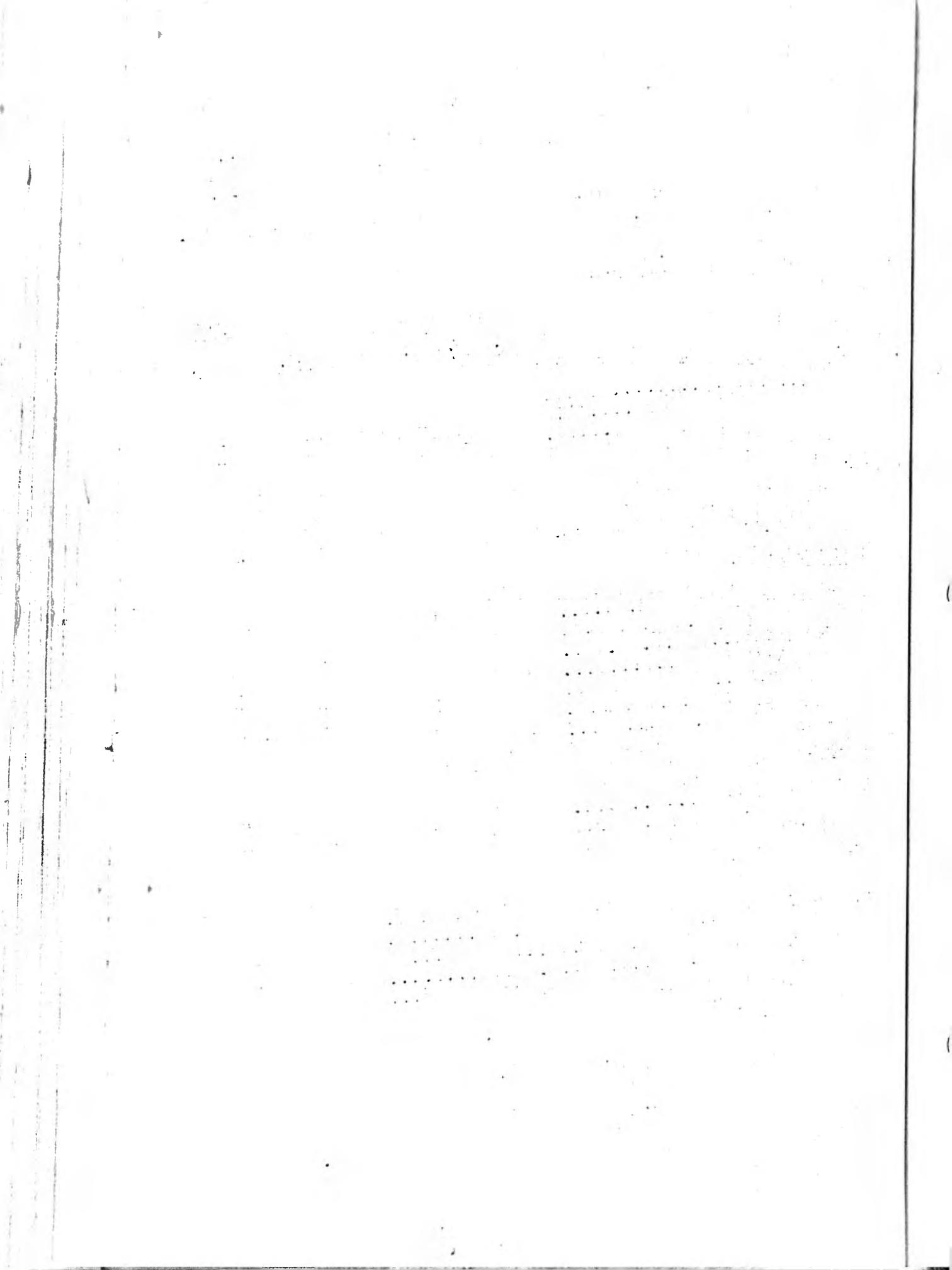
I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

This is the report of
the Medical Officer
referred to in paragraph
845 of the Public Health
Committee's Report of the 4th October 1927.

H. J. Hill
Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 4TH OCTOBER, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.3.

30th
September, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) RENT & MORTGAGE INTEREST RESTRICTIONS ACTS, 1920 & 1923.

25, Park Avenue.

An application for a sanitary certificate under the
above Acts has been received from the tenant, Mrs. De Negri.

The premises have been inspected and I have discussed
the matter with the owner and the occupier. The owner is
proceeding with the execution of the necessary repairs and
these will probably be completed at an early date.

(2) FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901 (Sec. 5)

Bishopscourt Works, Cherry Tree Hill, N.2.
11, Regents Parade, N.12.
5, The Mall, Ballards Lane, N.3.

Notices have been received from H.M. Inspector of
Factories to the effect that the sanitary conveniences
at the above-named premises communicate direct with the
workrooms otherwise than through an intervening ventilated
space or through the open air.

Appropriate action has been taken and the necessary
works are being put in hand.

(3) Mr. A.R. Yates, 6, Park Parade, High Road, N.12. - Game Licence.

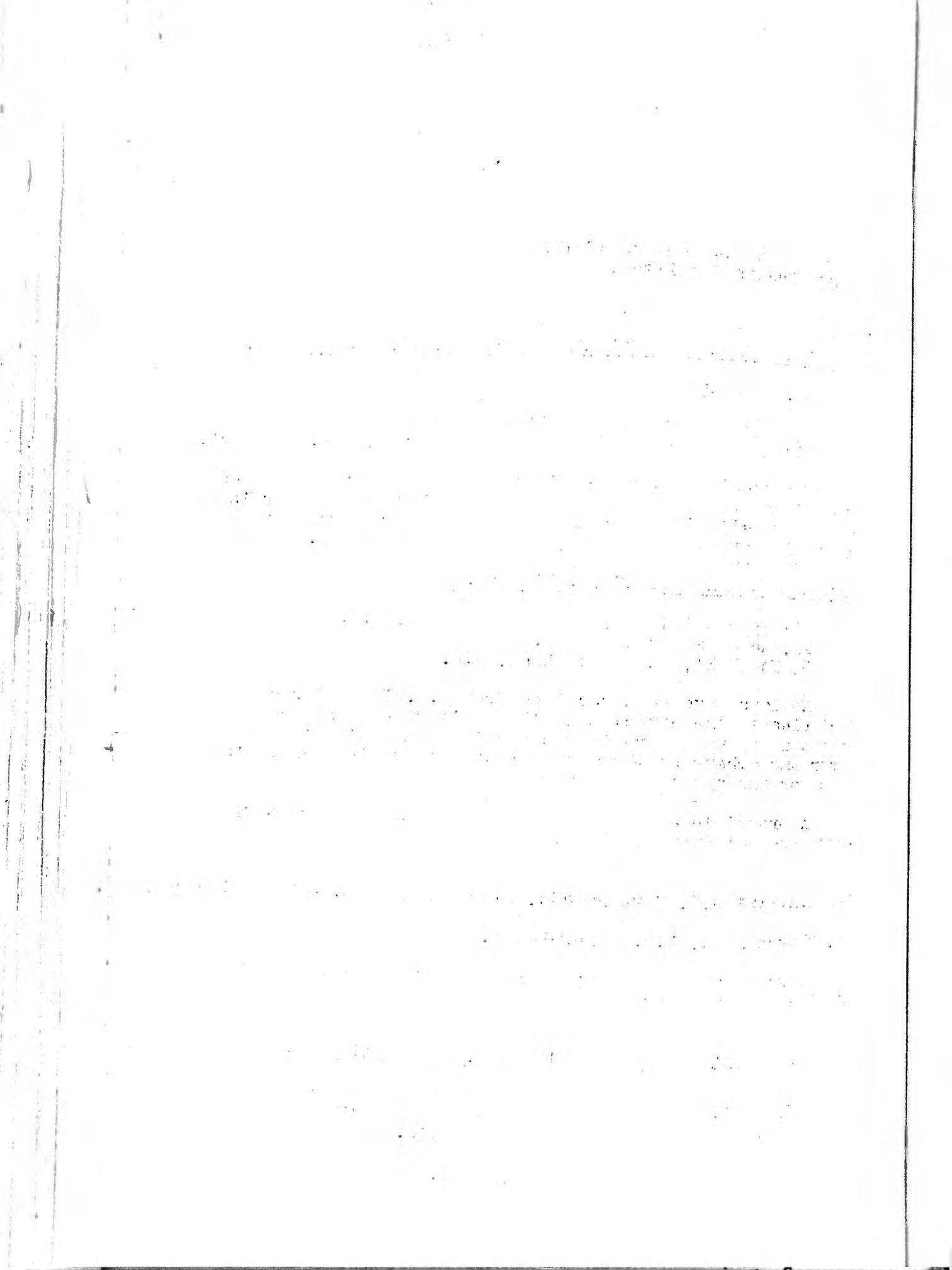
35, Church Lane, N.2. - Bakehouse.

I shall report orally upon the above matters at the
meeting of your Committee.

(4) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923 - LICENCE.

An application has been received from Mr. Joseph
Herbert Collins of 4, The Broadway, Church End, N.3. for
a dealer's licence to sell Grade A milk.

This application may be granted.



(5) UNSOOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

- 1 Forequarter & Trimmings. (Tuberculosis)
- 2 Heads and Tongues. "
- 3 Sets of Lungs. "
- 1 Liver. "
- 1 Mesentery. "
- 1 Set of Lungs. (Other Diseases)
- 5 Livers. "

Swine.

- 7 Carcasses and offals. (Tuberculosis)
- 1 Side of Pork. "
- 2 Forequarters. "
- 50 Heads. "
- 21 Plucks. "
- 2 Sets of Lungs. "
- 35 Mesenteries. "
- 4 Spleens. "
- 1 Stomach. "
- 57 Sets of Lungs. (Other Diseases)
- 38 Livers. "
- 3 Hearts. "
- 2 Spleens. "

Sheep.

- 2 Carcasses and offals. (Other diseases)
- 62 Livers. "

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

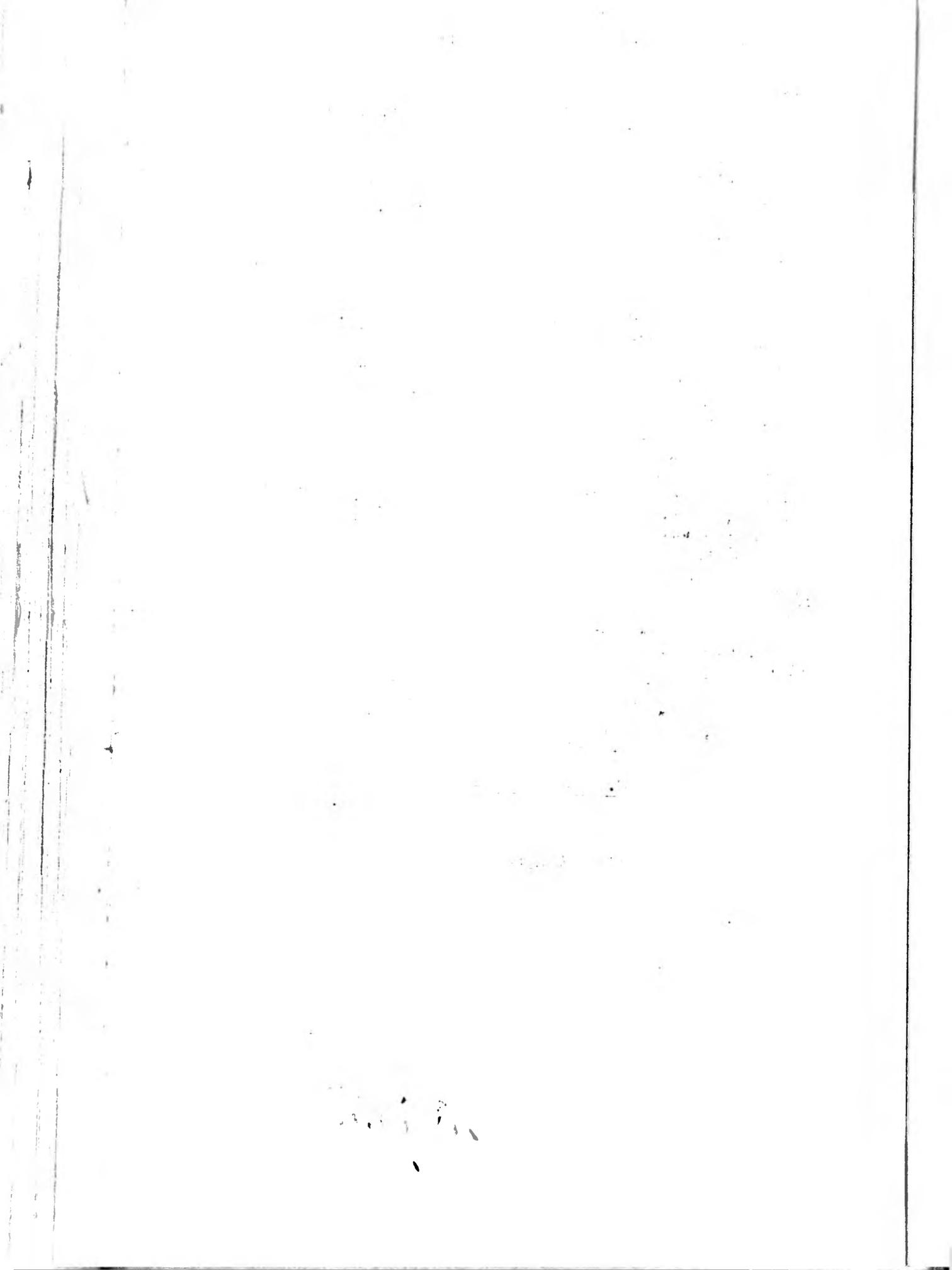
Your obedient Servant,

E.J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 846 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 4th October 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- “(4) that the examination of any employee in a bakehouse
 “ is not within the jurisdiction of the Local Authority
 “ except when the Medical Officer of Health has reason
 “ to believe that an employee is suffering from a notifi-
 “ able infectious disease.”

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the Home Office, stating that the Council were surprised to learn that there was an unregistered bakehouse in Finchley, and that at the same time it be pointed out that the Council are wishful to co-operate with them by granting facilities for inspection of their registers or otherwise;
- (b) that the action of the Committee in authorising the Chairman of the Council to forward to the Local Press a letter on the whole subject be approved.

848 BURIAL BOARD LAND.—Referring to paragraph 667 of the last report, the Surveyor intimated that he had interviewed Mr. Barton who was not desirous of renewing his tenancy of the above land which expired on the 29th September, 1927. He also reported as to the views expressed by Mr. Barton in regard to the question of his liability for the repair of the fences, etc.;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the further consideration of the matter be deferred until next meeting;
- (b) that, in the meantime, the Surveyor proceed with the preparation of the estimate of the cost of such repairs;
- (c) that the Clerk be directed to communicate further with Mr. Barton drawing his attention to the fact that his having vacated the land in question does not in any way relieve him of his obligation with regard to the repair of the fences, etc., under the terms of the agreement and that the request contained in the letter addressed to him on the 25th May, 1927, has yet to be complied with;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (d) that further steps be not taken at the moment with regard to obtaining offers for the land in view of the possibility of a portion thereof being required in connexion with the North Circular Road.

849 13, ALEXANDRA GROVE, NORTH FINCHLEY.—A letter, dated 8th September, 1927, received from Mr. W. Newcome Wright hereon (referred by the Council to the Committee for consideration) was submitted and the Surveyor reported that satisfactory action was being taken by Mr. Wright in the matter;

RECOMMENDED that, in the circumstances, the further consideration of the question be adjourned until next meeting, when the Surveyor report again thereon.

850 STAFF—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT—JUNIOR CLERK.—Referring to paragraph 665 (b) of the last report, the Chairman of the Committee reported that Miss C. Sprules had been appointed to the above position at a wage of 15/- a week; that she had passed satisfactorily a medical examination; and that she commenced her duties on the 3rd October, 1927.

851 IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—A letter, dated 20th September, 1927, was submitted from Mr. W. Dodd alleging that hardship would be caused to him if he were not allowed to continue to carry on in the proposed new premises the frying of fish as at present, as well as a wet and dried fish trade, and pointing out that he had been established in his present position for the past twenty years;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the resolution No. 257 passed by the Council on the 23rd May, 1927, be rescinded;
- (b) that consent be given by the Council to the establishment by Mr. Dodd of a fried fish business at the proposed new premises;
- (c) that the District Valuer be informed accordingly.

Annexed . 852 PUBLIC BATHS.—Statement showing the number of bathers and receipts for the four weeks ended 25th September, 1927, was submitted.

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SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 25TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH.		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Council Total	Club		Total		Crspdg		Inc. in		Dec. in									
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.		Bathers.	Schools.	Numbers.	Receipts.	f. s. d.	f. s. d.	Receipts.	f. s. d.	Receipts.	f. s. d.	Receipts.							
BET FWD.	8592	4975	3935	1734	1440	17527	38203	57	2	6	445	18	10	503	1	7	35	6	1	92	8	1	
Sept. 4.	480	319	233	96	69	500	1697	1	7	6	23	7	2	27	11	2	-	-	-	4	4	-	-
" 11.	358	250	172	65	72	1026	1942	1	5	-	18	6	5	27	7	2	-	-	-	9	-	-	-
" 18.	302	170	124	47	40	877	1560	8	2	6	21	-	10	28	-	6	-	-	-	6	19	-	-
" 25.	208	102	146	50	38	898	1442	2	8	-	13	17	1	20	13	7	-	-	-	6	16	-	-
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NETT DECREASE.

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 852 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 4th October 1927.

(Signature)
Chairman.

29TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

853 SEWER FLOODING—BEECHWOOD AVENUE.—Reference was made by the Surveyor to the report which he had made at the Council Meeting hereon and he submitted an estimate, amounting to £780, of the cost of laying a new length of sewer: this sum, he intimated, included the section already in hand which the Council had decided should be proceeded with;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the work be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

854 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

5th October, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, and Wells, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

855 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

856 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

857 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting :—

Date. 1927.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
7th Sept.	10.27 p.m.	Ingleway Fire Alarm	Test call by Chairman and Members of Fire Committee.
8th Sept.	11.1 p.m.	Valleta, Myddleton Park, Friern Barnet	A brick and timber building of one floor about 18 x 8 feet, used as motor garage and contents, also a Singer motor-car M.L. 3587 slightly damaged by fire, heat and water.
		Out of area.	
9th Sept.	8.1 a.m.	Dick Turpin Public House, Long Lane, N. 2.	The electric light distributor and several yards of wire, also about 3ft. of ceiling damaged by fire in cellar.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

Date. 1927.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
14th Sept.	9.46 a.m.	No. 9, Abingdon Rd., Long Lane, Finchley, N. 2.	A wooden mantel-piece and jambs scorched by fire, also a quantity of wearing apparel destroyed by fire in kitchen on first floor, rest of contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
15th Sept.	5.53 p.m.	Wooton Grove, N. 3.	A 12 h.p. Standard Motor-car and contents severely damaged by fire on public highway.
15th Sept.	9.40 p.m.	37, Cavendish Avenue.	An attic used as store-room and contents slightly damaged by fire, heat and water; ceilings of rooms under by water, rest of house of six rooms by smoke, water and dirt.
21st Sept.	3.15 p.m.	No. 6, Regents Parade	A chimney on fire in workroom on ground floor. Contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
21st Sept.	8.53 p.m.	17, Church Lane, N. 2.	A shop and contents on ground floor slightly damaged by fire, heat, smoke and water.
26th Sept.	11.30 p.m.	Boundary Fire Alarm	Test call by Chairman and Members of Fire Committee.

858 SUB-FIRE STATION—WHETSTONE—WATER SUPPLY.—
The Committee issued instructions for the water service pipes supplying the above-mentioned Sub-Station to be repaired at an estimated cost of £10.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEES - MEETING - 5th OCTOBER, 1927.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

Amount of estimate £3,474. 0. 0.

Req. No.	Item No.	Amount previously requisitioned	
			1,645. 2.11.
	1	Accountant to pay Fireman's Wages	130. 0. 0.
	2	Rents - Central & Sub Stations - 1/2 year	67. 0. 0.
	3	Rates & Taxes - 1/2 year	50. 0. 0.
	4	Wayleaves & Rentals - 1/2 year	132. 0. 0.
77	5 o	8 tons House Coals	14. 4. 0.
"	"	6 100 watt 250 volt Lamp Bulbs	1. 6. 0.
"	"	6 60 watt 250 volt do. do.	-.13. 6.
	6	Fire Expenses & Drills	10. 0. 0.
78	8	1 Fire Alarm Series Bell (renewal)	-.15. 0.
"	"	Rewind 6 Bell Coils	-.18. 0.
79	11	Repairs to Fence, No. 3 Royal Terrace	-.10. 0.
80	11 c	Repairs & painting Whetstone Station as per estimate	24.10. 0.
		1 sitting-room Fire Grate - renewal, Fireman Evan's quarters	3. 5. 0.
81	12 c	Repairs to Hydrant key and fitting washer to branch pipe	-. 7. 6.
82	13	2 Special mild steel bolts securing main pump drive and fork rods on No.2 motor (renewals)	1. 9. 0.
63	14 o	1 new Fire Hydrant opposite 31 Princes Parade, N. 3 (renewal) Highways Improvements - say	6.10. 0.
"	"	Repair leaky Hydrant gland at Gravel Hill, N. 3, say	1.10. 0.

AMBULANCE SERVICE.

84	Supply new Radiator)	
	" 4 new valves		
	Decarbonise Engine & grind in valves		3. 7. 7.
	Clean and adjust commutator		
	Tune and adjust ignition coils		

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 5TH OCTOBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 5TH OCTOBER TO 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE	88517 0 0
ADDITIONAL ITEMS.	134 0 0

	£ 88651 0 0

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RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

581	0	Patching - Regents Park Road.	11 14 2	
582	10	do. North Circular Road.	50 0 0	
583	19	Scavenging - Linnal Labour.	180 0 0	
584	20	do. Team do.	10 0 0	
585	21	Gritting.	50 0 0	
586	29	Repair surface water sewer, Ballards Lane, North Finchley.	30 0 0	
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PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

587	32	Balance of retention, East End Road, Stanhope Avenue to Windermere Avenue.	408 7 7	
588	49 0	Patching - Totteridge Lane.	1 15 9	
589	59	Relay kerb - Hendon Lane near church gates.	4 0 0	
590	78	Scavenging - East End Road and Totteridge Lane.	16 0 0	
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

591	66	1000 yds. recondition tarmac, Christchurch Avenue.	288 0 0	
592	68	903 tons old macadam, Dollis Road, Nether Street and patching.	564 0 0	
593	72	2930 yds. sup. relay slab paving, Cornwall Avenue, Durham Road, Princes Avenue, Salisbury Av, Woodberry Grove	402 17 6	
594	73	1359 ft. run relay kerb, Church Lane, Durham Road, Finchley Park, Princes Avenue, Prospect Place.	186 17 3	
595	74	523 yds sup. new slab paving, Chapel St. by Market Place, Holden Av. west side, Leicester Rd. No.75 to Durham Road.	250 12 1	
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	78	Scavenging - Manual Labour.	390	0	0
596	79	do. Team do.	10	0	0
597	82	Watering.	15	0	0
598	87	Maintenance of trees.	50	0	0
599		Removing and lopping trees,)			
600		Hendon Lane, East End Road,)			
		and High Road. East Finchley.)	36	0	0
601	89	Repairs, scavenging trucks, barrows, etc.	30	0	0
602	92	Maintenance - surface water system.	20	0	0

PUBLIC LIGHTING.

603	98	Electric lamps.	521	0	6
604	99	Wages - gas lamps.	30	0	0
605	102	New lamp - junction High Road, Whetstone and Totteridge Lane.	25	0	0
606	103	12 gas controllers.	23	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 5TH OCTOBER, 1927.

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607	O	232 - 2'x 2'. 30 - 2'6"x 2'			
		paving slabs.	36	18	7
608	O	2500 blue paving bricks.	23	0	0
609	O	300 - 3ft. poling boards.	3	15	0
610	O	62 yds. 24" concrete tubes.	67	8	6
611	O	1 sack grey lime. 7 lbs. hair.)			
612	O	1 sack plaster. 1 whitewood W.O.)			
		seat.)	1	10	8
613	O	3 prs. 16" cross garnets, 4 doz.)			
		screws.)			
614		16 ft. 18" x 1" teak.	2	8	0
615		72 right & left hand fire cheeks for Carron Stoves.	8	15	6
616		5 gals. metal polish.	1	6	3
617		10 " turpentine.	2	0	10
618		10 " lead colour paint.	6	10	0
619		5000 - 3" x 9" x 3½" wood blocks.	39	15	0
620		100 yds. sup. paving slabs.	30	16	8
621		50 " do. sand.	22	10	0
622		20 " stone ballast.	9	5	0
623		300 tons 3/8" granite chippings.	420	0	0
624		72 yds. No.4. sash line.	12	0	

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists referred to in paragraph 856 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 5th October 1927.

30TH SEPTEMBER, 1927.

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HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued)

859 MOTOR AMBULANCE.—

(a) Accident.—The Chief Officer reported as follows :—

“ On the 29th September, at 7.45 p.m., a message was received from Fireman Blake, stating that the ambulance had collided with the back of a stationary motor-bus, thereby damaging the radiator and other parts so that the machine was rendered unfit for further service. I ordered Hendon's ambulance on to pick up the case; then proceeded to the scene of the accident; and examined the machine, which could not be moved under her own power. Messrs. Perry were instructed to tow the ambulance to their Works, for repairs. An estimate of the damage and cost will be placed before you at your meeting, also report from No. 10 Fireman Blake, the Ambulance Driver ”;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Committee, in giving instructions for the Ambulance to be repaired at a cost of £21 13s. 0d. be approved and that the necessary claim be made upon the Insurance Company.

(b) Representations from the Finchley Chamber of Trade.—The Clerk submitted a communication, dated 19th September, 1927, from the Secretary of the Finchley Chamber of Trade as follows :—

“ The above Chamber has instructed me to write and ask if in future 2 men could be in attendance on the Ambulance, also would you consider the purchasing of a new Ambulance. Complaints have reached the above Chamber as to the riding of the present Ambulance ”;

RECOMMENDED that the Finchley Chamber of Trade be informed :

- (1) that the question of placing two men in attendance on the ambulance has been carefully considered, and that, in the opinion of the Council, in cases of ordinary illness one man is sufficient;
- (2) that the question of the purchase of a new ambulance is under consideration.

860 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting, and dealt with.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

861 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—18th BATCH.—

(a) Notices.—It was reported that the Statutory Notices herein had now been served;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, failing compliance with such notices by the Owners, the Council proceed with the carrying out of the works;
- (2) that advertisements be issued inviting tenders therefor, and
- (3) that it be referred to the Finance Committee to make the necessary financial arrangements.

(b) Hutton Grove—2nd portion.—The Committee considered the petition (referred to them by the Council for consideration with power to act) received from the Owners of premises in the above street, protesting against the making-up of such street, and in the circumstances, it was decided that the street in question be omitted from the 18th batch.

862 STREET TRADING.—A letter, dated 22nd September, 1927, from the Secretary of the Finchley Chamber of Trade, enclosing copy of a communication received by that Association from the London and Suburban Traders' Federation hereon (referred by the Council to the Committee for consideration) was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that a communication be addressed to the Home Secretary, urging him to introduce legislation to extend the Scheme of Regulation of Street Trading to **all** areas within the Metropolitan Police District.

863 CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS—GRANTS, 1927/28.—A communication, dated 23rd September, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Transport, stating that grants, as detailed below, had now been made to the Council:—

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

	DISTRICT ROADS.			Allocation of Total Grant.
	Maintenance.	Improvement.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£
Class I. Roads	1650	7106	8756	4378
Class II. Roads	533	66	599	200
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864 HIGHWAYS OUTDOOR SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 1st October, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), and Councillors Wade and Wells.

- (1) PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING—EAST FINCHLEY—FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—The Sub-Committee considered the amended application and plan received from the Dairy Company in regard to the above, and after visiting the site, were of the opinion that no objection should be raised to the proposal from a "safety" point of view, provided that arrangements are made by the Company for one of their employees to be always on duty when the siding is in use.
- (2) IMPROVEMENT—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY CLIFFORD ROAD.—The Sub-Committee considered the offer made by the Owner herein to convey to the Council free of charge a further 5ft. strip of land in Clifford Road on the Council's agreeing to pave the whole of the 10ft. strip, and were of opinion that same should be accepted. It was reported that the additional cost to the Council would be £17 10s. 0d.
- (3) HIGHWAYS—SUMMERS LANE.—The Sub-Committee inspected the surface of the above Road, and the Deputy Surveyor reported that the Surveyor was in communication with the Contractor thereon. It was suggested that it would be desirable for the question of tarring the surface to be considered.
- (4) HIGHWAYS—SUMMERS LANE—TREES.—The Sub-Committee were of opinion that it would be desirable for willow trees to be planted, as soon as possible, on the north side of the

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

above road from the Great North Road to the last of the newly-erected houses, such trees to be placed in the centre of each pair of houses. The question of the planting of trees on the south side of the road was deferred for the time being.

- (5) HIGHWAYS—GREAT NORTH ROAD—BETWEEN TALLY HO! CORNER AND SWAN & PYRAMIDS — CONSTRUCTION OF REFUGES.—This matter was considered, and it was decided to suggest to the full Committee that the views of the Ministry of Transport be obtained generally on the subject of the erection and situation of refuges in main roads.
- (6) HOARDINGS—CORNER OF CHANDOS AVENUE AND THE GREAT NORTH ROAD.—The Sub-Committee inspected the above, and were of opinion that, from the point of view of danger, no action need be taken in the matter.
- (7) HIGHWAYS—SWAN LANE.—This road was inspected by the Sub-Committee, who were informed that the Council were awaiting the consent of the Ministry of Health to the necessary loan before the improvement works could be carried out. The view was expressed that it would be desirable for a gully to be put in as soon as possible to take the flow of water on the north side of the road opposite to the existing surface water manhole.
- (8) SEAT—CORNER OF WOODSIDE PARK ROAD AND WOODSIDE AVENUE.—The Sub-Committee were of the opinion that this seat should be removed, and an alternative position therefor will be suggested later.
- (9) HOLDEN AVENUE—LOPPING OF TREES.—This matter was considered by the Sub-Committee, who decided that no action should be taken thereon.
- (10) ARGYLE ROAD—FOOTBRIDGE.—The above was inspected, and instructions were given for the necessary repairs to receive attention.
- (11) TREES—HOLDEN ROAD.—The Committee were of opinion that it would be desirable to remove each alternate lime tree outside No. 37, Holden Road, but that the birch tree remain.
- (12) CHURCH END RAILWAY BRIDGE—WIDENING OF.—The view was expressed that this matter should receive the further consideration of the full Committee at an early date.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (13) HIGHWAYS—**NETHER STREET**.—It was suggested that the making-up of the footpath in the above road between Hillcourt Avenue and Moss Hall Grove might be expedited, the Surveyor having reported that the necessary loan sanction had not yet been received.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

Arising thereout it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) Proposed Railway Siding—East Finchley—for Manor Farm Dairy—that the Company be informed that the Council have no power to grant their application, but that if they can produce evidence to the contrary, the Council will be prepared to consider same;
- (2) Improvement—Great North Road by Clifford Road.—
 - (a) that the offer in question be accepted;
 - (b) that the Clerk be directed to take the necessary steps in connection with the conveyance to the Council of the strip of land in question;
- (3) Highways—Summers Lane—that the Surveyor be directed to communicate further with the Contractor on the matter, with a view to the latter either arranging for the levelling of the surface of the road or contributing towards the cost of tarring thereof;
- (4) Highways—Summers Lane—Trees—that the suggestion of the Sub-Committee be adopted;
- (5) Highways—Great North Road—between Tally Ho! Corner and Swan & Pyramids—Construction of Refuges—that the suggestion of the Sub-Committee be adopted;
- (6) Hoardings—Corner of Chandos Avenue and the Great North Road—that the Surveyor be directed to communicate with the Owners, with a view to their splaying off the north corner of Chandos Avenue;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (7) Highways—Swan Lane—that the suggestion of the Sub-Committee be adopted;
- (8) Seat—Corner of Woodside Park Road and Woodside Avenue—that the action proposed to be taken by the Sub-Committee be agreed;
- (9) Holden Avenue—Lopping of Trees—that no further action be taken in the matter;
- (10) Argyle Road—Footbridge—that the action taken be approved;
- (11) Trees—Holden Road—that the suggestion of the Sub-Committee be adopted;
- (12) Church End Railway Bridge—Widening of—that the Surveyor be directed to proceed with the preparation of the necessary plans, and to submit them to the Committee at the December meeting;
- (13) Highways—Nether Street—that the suggestion of the Sub-Committee be adopted.

865 NEW ROAD—REGENTS PARK ROAD TO HENDON LANE—ROUNDING OF CORNER.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that notice be served upon the Owners under Section 4 of the Roads Improvement Act, 1925, should circumstances render necessary such a course.

866 GREAT NORTH ROAD—WIDENING BY CLIFFORD ROAD.—It was reported that the Vendors' Solicitors acting in this matter were prepared to agree their costs at £8 8s. 0d.;

RECOMMENDED that payment of this amount be approved.

867 LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924—SECTION 4—CLOSING OF STREETS FOR WORKS.—A letter, dated 30th September, 1927, received from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted, and it was reported that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor for attention.

868 WAYLEAVES.—

(a) The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted:—

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (1) Underground line across the High Road, North Finchley, from outside Hillside Telephone Exchange to opposite No. 7, Highwood Parade.
- (2) Underground line across and along north-east and north sides of Upper Cavendish Avenue, from Holly Park Gardens, west side, to Nos. 6/7.
- (3) Underground line along the south side of Granville Road from Chislehurst Avenue, west side, to Holdenhurst Avenue.
- (4) Underground line, west side of Queens Avenue, from Nos. 65/63 to outside No. 53.
- (5) Underground line, north side of Totteridge Lane, from Birley Road, east side, to St. Margaret's Avenue, west side.
- (6) Underground line south-west side of Elm Park Road, from Nos. 63/65 to outside No. 73;

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved subject :—

- (1) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and
 - (2) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction.
- (b) The Surveyor reported that, as regards applications Nos. 7 and 8 mentioned in the last report, which were approved by the Council subject to iron poles being erected, he had communicated with the Post Office Authorities on the matter, and that they had intimated that iron poles were not now being used by them;

RECOMMENDED that in the circumstances the proviso in question be waived.

869 WATER MAIN—EAST SIDE OF GREAT NORTH ROAD—SOUTH OF CHRIST CHURCH.—The Surveyor reported that this pipe was laid before receipt of application from the Barnet Water Company, but that he recommended the line of main for approval on the understanding that no responsibility would fall upon this

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

Council in connection therewith, through the laying of the new surface water sewer in the Great North Road;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

870 IMPROVEMENT WORKS—TALLY HO! CORNER.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a communication, dated 29th September, 1927, from the County Surveyor, with regard to the tenancy of Rosemont Cottage, and asking for the Council's sanction to the undermentioned properties being demolished:—

Ballards Lodge,
Orchard Lodge,
Park Road Hotel;

RECOMMENDED that the County Surveyor be informed:—

- (a) that this Council raise no objection to the present arrangement with regard to the tenancy of Rosemont Cottage being continued; and
- (b) that they agree to the demolition of the properties in question.

871 HIGHWAYS—RE-NUMBERING — WOODBERRY GROVE.—Plan was submitted showing the proposed re-numbering of premises in the above street;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that such plan be approved;
- (b) that, in accordance with the provisions of the Towns Improvement Clauses Act, 1847, notice be served upon the occupiers of premises in such street requiring them to adopt the numbering shown upon the above-mentioned plan.

872 CENTRAL DEPÔT—TELEPHONE EXTENSION BELL.—The Surveyor reported as to the desirability of fixing an outside extension bell in connection with the telephone at the above Depôt, and intimated that he had been informed that the Post Office Telephone Department would fit the bell free of charge, but that the rental therefor would be 12/- per annum;

RECOMMENDED that this expenditure be approved.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued)

873 HIGHWAYS — NORTH FINCHLEY — MOTOR WARNING SIGNS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a larger warning sign than the one at present existing in the High Street, North Finchley, be provided, with the words " Caution—Drive slowly " printed thereon; and
- (b) that the Surveyor obtain quotations for provision of two additional similar signs, and submit same to the Committee for consideration.

874 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—ADDITIONAL WIDENING—WEST SIDE.—The Surveyor reported that he had been in further negotiation with the Express Dairy Company hereon, and that he had informed them that he was prepared to recommend to the Council to pay to them the sum of £450 for the land shown pink on Drawing No. 6069 forwarded to them on the 11th January, 1927, subject to the following conditions :—

- (1) that such sum would cover all claims whatsoever for compensation, including the alteration to their roadway;
- (2) that the reasonable fees of their Solicitor and Surveyor be paid by the Council;
- (3) that the cost of making up the land as part of the highway be defrayed by the Council;
- (4) that no claim for betterment arising from the widening of the road be made by the Council;

Further, that he had intimated to them that these terms were, of course, subject to the approval of this Council, the Middlesex County Council, and the Ministry of Transport;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the above arrangement be approved by the Council;
- (2) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee to (a) take steps to obtain the requisite formal consents; (b) make any necessary financial arrangements.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

875 HIGHWAYS—SEAT—CORNER OF BALLARDS LANE AND WOODBERRY GROVE.—The Surveyor reported upon an application received from the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., for permission to place a seat at above;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto, subject:—

- (1) to the actual position of the seat being agreed by the Council's Surveyor;
- (2) to the Company undertaking to remove such seat forthwith, on being required by the Council so to do.

876 ROUNDING OF CORNERS—GRANVILLE ROAD—JUNCTION OF BALLARDS LANE.—The Surveyor reported that the owners of the south corner at the junction of Granville Road and Ballards Lane were prepared to throw into the highway, free of cost, the necessary land for the splaying off of such corner, on the Council's undertaking to renew the fencing, the cost of which, the Surveyor estimated at approximately £20;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the offer be accepted; and
- (b) that in this instance a conveyance of the strip of land in question be **not** obtained by the Council.

877 STREET ACCIDENTS.—The Surveyor reported receipt from the London "Safety First" Council of a communication asking whether the Council could see their way to obtain from the Police Authorities reports each week as to the number of accidents which had occurred in the district, their probable causes, and the particular points at which they had occurred;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to enquire of the Police Authorities as to whether they would be prepared to supply such information.

878 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,
Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

6th October, 1927.

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent, Grocott, H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Messrs. Robin, Stone and Tayler.

879 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

880 ALLOTMENTS.—

- (1) Summers Lane—Glebe Land.—In pursuance of the resolution passed at the last meeting of the Council the under-mentioned members of the North Finchley Allotments League attended the meeting, namely, Messrs. Bunting, Cook, Cooper, Denton, Huntley, Shipp and Sleeman.

Mr. Bunting, on behalf of the Deputation, put to the Committee a number of questions, the majority of which, concerning as they did matters in relation to which the Council had already laid down principles, the Committee were able to answer immediately. The answers to a number of questions, however, the Committee felt should be made the subjects of recommendations;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that in order to enable this Committee to consider further the question of compensation the League be requested to furnish particulars as to the number of (a) dispossessed allotment holders who do not intend to transfer to the new ground provided, (b) dispossessed pig keeping allotment holders who do not intend to transfer to the new ground, and (c) dispossessed aged and infirm and women (widows) allotment holders who are unable to break up the new ground but who otherwise would be willing to transfer thereto;
- (2) that the League's application for permission to keep pigs on the lower portion of Site E be not acceded to;
- (3) that allotment holders on the retained portion of Site P be required to desist forthwith from keeping pigs on their allotments, and that they be

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

compensated on the same basis as that on which the dispossessed pig keepers transferring to new ground are to be compensated (vide Minute No. 333, item 5 of recommendation (1);

- (4) that the Surveyor be instructed to report at the next meeting of this Committee as to the necessity or otherwise of draining the lower portions of Sites D and E;
- (5) that the Surveyor be instructed to submit at the next meeting of this Committee an estimate of the cost of fencing in Sites P, D and E;
- (6) that in the construction of new roadways and footpaths on the new ground the Surveyor be instructed to utilise as far as possible the material on the existing roads and footpaths on Site G, if in his opinion it would be economical to do so;
- (7) that the League be permitted to remove the hedge intersecting Site P;
- (8) that the Highways and Fire and Water Committee be asked to give instructions for road sweepings to be deposited in as large quantities as possible on the new ground provided during say the next three years;
- (9) that no objection be raised to the League themselves allocating to their members the plots on the new ground;
- (10) that in order to ensure uniformity of design in the huts to be erected on the allotments, the League be requested to adopt the design approved by the National Union of Allotment Holders;
- (11) that all compensation payable under Minute No. 333 and these and any subsequent recommendations be paid by a duly authorised Officer of the Council at the Sewage Farm Clerk's Office on two or more consecutive Saturday afternoons to be arranged with the League as soon as may be after the agreed transfers have been effected, and that the members of the League be required

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

to give receipts for such payments on forms to be provided by the Council;

- (12) that so soon as the League are in a position to intimate at what date they will accept, as a registered society, a Lease of the land the subject of these recommendations, the Council refer to this Committee for consideration the question of terms;

- (13) that this Committee be not charged with any portion of the expenditure involved in the adoption of these and previous and any future recommendations consequent on or incidental to the re-allocation of the glebe land as shown on drawing No. 6302, but that this aspect of the matter be referred to the General Purposes Committee with a view to the whole of such cost, when ascertained, being apportioned between the Committees benefitting by such re-allocation.

- (2) Lonsdale Meadows—Purchase of part of.—The Committee considered the revisions made in the draft Conveyance by the Vendor's Solicitors;

RECOMMENDED that such draft as further revised on behalf of the Council be approved.

- (3) Woodhouse.—The Clerk reported that preparatory to the granting of a lease to the Association Notice to Quit had been duly served on each of the tenants of the Council at above.

The Surveyor reported on the question of strengthening the existing fencing between the points of termination of the school fence and commencement of the allotments fence;

RECOMMENDED that the erection of chestnut pale fencing between the points indicated, at an estimated cost of £6, be approved.

- (4) Creighton Avenue.—A letter was submitted from Messrs. Clutton forwarding on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Notice to Quit on the 29th January, 1928, for building purposes, an area of 11 poles at above.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

The Clerk reported that the abatement of rent suggested, namely 4s. 2d. per annum, appeared to be reasonable;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Clerk be instructed to serve the Creighton Allottees Association with Notice to Quit, on the 29th January, 1928, the land the subject of the Notice served upon the Council;
 - (2) that the abatement of rent suggested be agreed.
- (5) Vale Farm.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Surveyor be instructed to execute, at an estimated cost of £12, a drainage scheme at above in accordance with his report to this Committee;
- (2) that such expenditure be defrayed out of this Committee's contingency fund.

881 TOWN PLANNING—RESERVATION OF LAND FOR ALLOTMENTS.—The Committee considered the reference from the Council hereon.

The Chairman reported that in order to ascertain whether a demand for allotments did actually exist in the area of the Hampstead Garden Suburb he had inserted in a local newspaper, at a cost of 7s. 6d., an advertisement inviting applications for allotments from residents in that neighbourhood;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Chairman be approved and that he be authorised to insert one further advertisement at the like cost in the newspaper mentioned at the meeting and that the expenditure of 15/- be approved.

882 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,
Chairman.

**REPORT OF MEETING OF EDUCATION
COMMITTEE**

held 10th October, 1927.

Present : Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, G. H. Pateman, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams.

883 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £5,372 19s. 11d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

884 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that requisitions as set out on the list circulated to members be approved.

Amended

885 REPAIRS.—

RECOMMENDED that sundry minor repairs as set out in the Works Minute Book be approved.

886 USE OF SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS, ALBERT STREET AND LONG LANE SCHOOLS.—Particulars relating to the number of children using these school playgrounds out of school hours have been considered;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangements in regard to the opening of school playgrounds for the use of children out of school hours shall be suspended from the end of October, 1927.

887 LONG LANE SCHOOL—CARETAKER.—In February last, the Authority appointed Mr. A. Glenister as caretaker of the Long Lane School, his first three months of service to be on probation. It has been reported that the services of Mr. Glenister during this period have been satisfactory;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the appointment of Mr. A. Glenister on the permanent staff in the place of Mr. F. Hocking, retired, as caretaker of the Long Lane School, be confirmed;

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- (2) that for superannuation purposes Mr. A. Glenister be appointed to the designated post vacated by Mr. Hocking.

888 LONG LANE SCHOOL—VISITS OF INSTRUCTION.—

RECOMMENDED that visits of instruction by scholars from the upper standards of the Senior Department of the Long Lane School, to places of educational and historic interest, in accordance with the scheme submitted by the Head Master, be approved, at an estimated cost to the Authority not exceeding £10.

889 MR. C. E. BRIDGES, HEAD MASTER SQUIRES LANE SCHOOL.—At the meeting of the Council held in February last, it was reported that Mr. Bridges, the Head Master of the Squires Lane School, had qualified as a barrister-at-law;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the Board of Education recognising the amount in question for grant purposes, an allowance under Section 14 of the Burnham Award equal to one increment shall be made to Mr. C. E. Bridges, as from the 1st October, 1927, in consideration of his special qualification as a barrister-at-law.

890 TEACHING STAFF AND SIZE OF CLASSES.—Details relating to the teaching staff and size of classes at the present time have been considered and circulated.

891 CELEBRATION OF ARMISTICE DAY.—A letter has been considered from Captain Thrush asking if the Education Authority will co-operate with the Finchley United Service Club in celebrating Armistice Day at St. Kilda by permitting a party of children from each School to attend there for the service;

RECOMMENDED that Captain Thrush be informed that as it is the practice to celebrate suitably Armistice Day in the schools, the Authority cannot see their way to adopt the proposals contained in his letter.

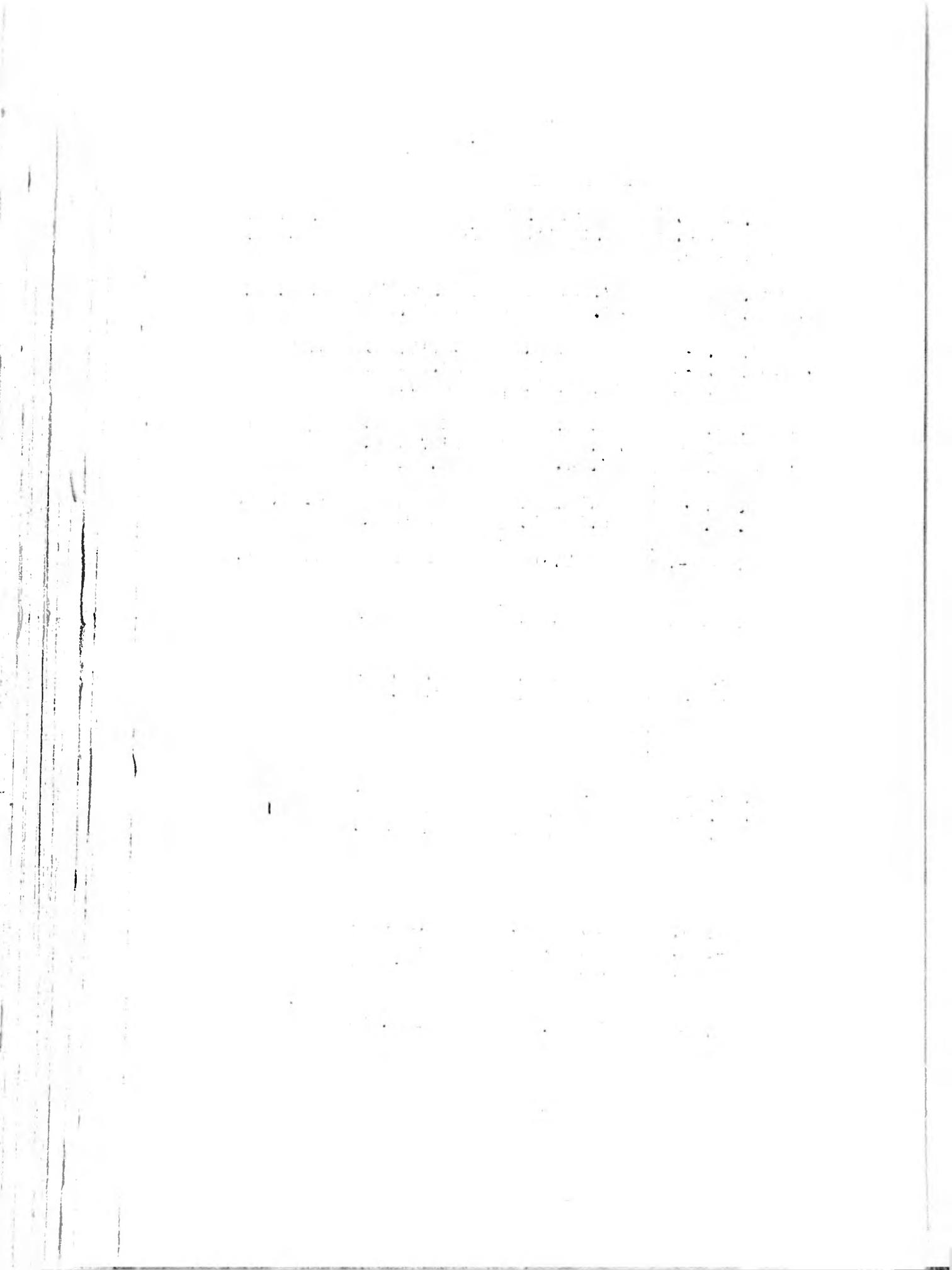
892 CENTRAL CLASSES—ADMISSIONS.—Your Committee report that on the 21st July last, the Chairman of the Education Committee and the Chairman of the School Management Committee interviewed the parents of candidates who gained 40 per

Third and Final Requisition 1927/1928.

School	Amount allowed for year	Amount of 3rd & final Requisition.	Total of all Requisitions	Caretakers Requisites
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Long Lane Mixed	147. -. -.	50.10.11.	142.15. 2.	15.12. 8.
" " Infants	30. -. -.	5.12.10.	30. 9. 8.	
Albert Street Senior	161. -. -.	27. 5. 4.	x 166.17. 1.	4.19. 7.
" " Junior	68. -. -.	20. 4. 8.	62.12.	
Squires Lane Boys'	96. 5. -.	10. 8. 7.	95.16. 9.	5. 2. 9.
" " Girls'	103. 5. -.	25.10. 1.	99.12. 7.	
" " Infants	44. 5. -.	13.15.11.	39. 7. 5.	
North Road Senior	65. -. -.	12.12. 8.	56.16. 9.	3. 8. 0.
" " Junior	87.10. -.	23. 2. 1.	81.14. 2.	
" " Central	108.15. -.	6.13. 9.	75. -. -.	
St. Mary's Mixed	94.10. -.	21.10. 2.	91.11.10.	6.16.10.
" " Infants	24. -. -.	6.18. 1.	22. 7. 9.	
St. John's Mixed and Infants	77. -. -.	22. 7.10.	ø 81. 6.10.	1.16.11.
Christ Church Mixed and Infants	123. -. -.	44.12.10.	120.10. 7.	2.18. 8.
Holy Trinity Mixed	70. -. -.	12.10. 6.	48. 3. 2.	4. 1. 8.
" " Infants	18. -. -.	1.13.10.	7. 6. 1.	
<u>Domestic Subjects:</u>				
Long Lane Centre	35. -. -.	3.17. -.	17. 4. 4.	
Albert St. "	35. -. -.	5.12. 4.	25. 8. 3.	
North Road "	35. -. -.	5.10.10.	22. 9. 9.	
<u>Handicraft:</u>				
Long Lane Centre	40. -. -.	18. 1. 6.	39.12.10.	
Albert St. "	45. -. -.	11.17.10.	43. 8. -.	
North Road "	50. -. -.	10.16. 8.	44. -. 9.	
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x Includes cost of Sewing Machine £5.15. 0.

ø Increase consequent upon re-organisation of School.



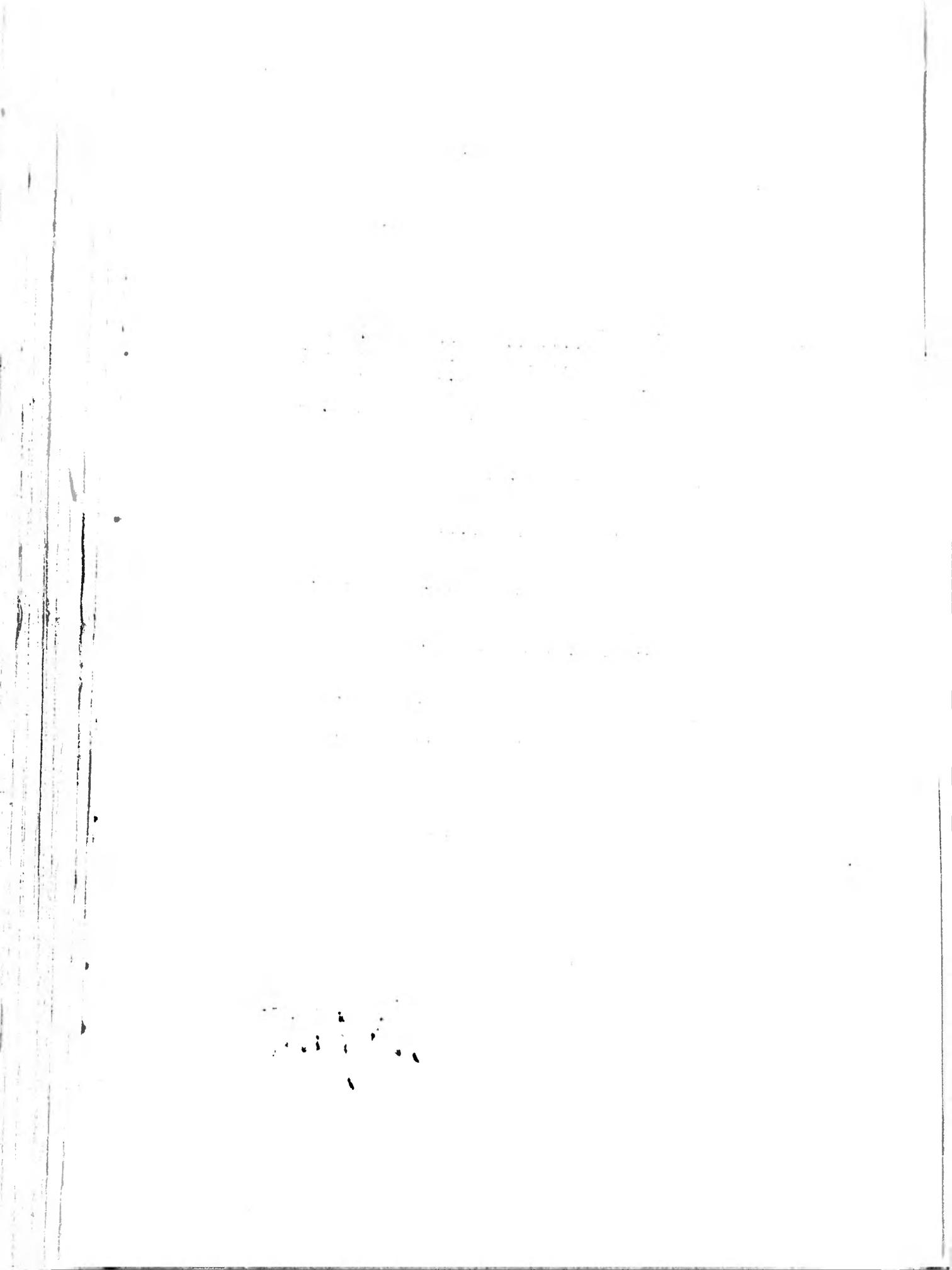
FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Requisitions, October 1927.

		<u>Estimated</u> <u>cost</u>
		£. s. d
<u>Squires Lane</u> <u>School.</u>	18 sq. yds. linoleum @ 3/6d.....	3. 3. -
	1 piano.....	55. -. -
	100 ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " hose.....	5. 2. 6
<u>Albert Street</u> <u>School.</u>	1 gate in playground.....	3.10. -
<u>North Road</u> <u>School.</u>	Re-tarring roadway.....	10. 7. 6
<u>Long Lane</u> <u>School.</u>	100 ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " hose.....	5. 2. 6
<u>St. Mary's</u> <u>School.</u>	Repairs to piano.....	7.10. -
<u>Holy Trinity</u> <u>School.</u>	1 clock.....	3. 3. -
<u>Schools.</u>	100 chairs @ 6/6d. each..	32.10. -
<u>School Medical</u> <u>Service.</u>	Drugs and printing.....	15.15. 9

These (including the preceding page) are the requisitions referred to in paragraph 884 of the Education Committee's report of the 10th October 1927.

M. J. Pratt
Chairman.



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cent. of marks and over at the examination for admission to secondary schools but who had not obtained admission to such schools, and they authorized the admission of 37 scholars (18 boys and 19 girls) to the Central Classes.

893 REPORTS OF CHILDREN'S CARE SUB-COMMITTEE AND JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.—Reports of meetings held on the 29th September, 1927, have been circulated to members.

894 APPOINTMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that Miss M. E. H. Sturrock, trained certificated assistant, be appointed to the temporary position vacant in the Infants' Department of the Squires Lane School, as from the 11th October, 1927, in place of the former married supply teacher, under the terms and conditions set out in paragraph 729 (d) of the minutes of the Council meeting held in September, 1927;
- (2) that Miss A. E. Drage be appointed a student teacher in the Mixed Department of the Long Lane School during the year ending the 31st July next, at a salary at the rate of £50 per annum.

D. A. A. MERRY.

Chairman.

1. Report of meeting of Children's Care Sub-Committee held on the 29th September 1927.

Present:- Mrs. A.S. Miall (Chairman); Councillor H.G. Sommerfield; Miss L. Davey; Mr. E.A. Bolding; Mr. J.T. Harveysen; Mr. R. Williams.

(a) Convalescent Home holiday.

An appeal was made by the Head Teacher of the Squires Lane Infants' School that a child, aged 8 years, who had been seriously ill with diphtheria and complications, might be sent to a convalescent home. After investigation, and through the agency of the National Sunday School Union, the boy was sent for two weeks to the Children's Convalescent Home, Bournemouth, at an inclusive charge of £ 1 to this Committee.

The holiday appears to have greatly benefitted the boy and the parent expresses her appreciation.

(b) Middlesex Edward VII Memorial - holidays.

On the 13th September the last batch of Finchloy school children returned from the Middlesex Memorial Hostel, Herne Bay.

During the months of May to September, 42 boys and 42 girls have enjoyed a week's holiday at the expense of this Committee.

All the arrangements made have worked very smoothly, children and parents co-operating in an appreciative and happy way. Parties were met at the Education Office and subsequently conveyed by omnibus to Victoria Station, where they were put on the train for Herne Bay. On their return they were met at Victoria and escorted back to Finchley. The explanatory ride through London also interested the children, all of whom appeared delighted with their visit to the seaside.

The boys and girls selected were from the following schools:-

<u>School.</u>	<u>Boys.</u>	<u>Girls.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
Long Lane	10	9	19
Albert Street	12	13	25
Squires Lane	3	4	7
North Road Senior	-	1	1
North Road Junior	3	1	4
St. Mary's	3	5	8
St. John's	1	1	2
Christ Church	8	5	13
Holy Trinity	2	3	5

Totals:- 42 42 84

Four free places were allocated to Finchley from the Edward VII Memorial Fund. The total expense has been £ 73. 17. 4. The staff of the Long Lane School contributed £ 1. 1. 0 and the children of Albert Street Senior School subscribed 17/6 towards the holiday fund. The Rotary Club of Finchley has also sent in a donation of £ 10. 10. 0.

Other subscriptions have been previously reported.

(c) Supply of spectacles.

Subsequent to the last report seven school children have been supplied with spectacles at a cost of £ 5. 4. 0 to this Committee. The expense is being refunded by the parents in weekly instalments.

A. S. MIALL,

Chairman.

5. Report of meeting of the Juvenile Employment Committee held Thursday, the 29th September 1927.

Present:- Mrs.A.S.Miall (Chairman), Miss L.Davey, Miss M. Shoults; Messrs.H.Barker, E.A.Bolding, E.A.Price.

(a) Ministry of Labour - Inspection.

A letter has been received from the Ministry of Labour expressing satisfaction of the work in connexion with the administration of Unemployment Insurance Benefit undertaken by the Finchley Local Education Authority.

(b) Juvenile Employment Bureau - Fifteenth Annual Report.

A copy of the Fifteenth Annual Report for the year ended the 31st July 1927 on Juvenile Employment and After-Care has been circulated to members.

(c) Juvenile Employment Bureau - General & Statistical Report.

In the first week in September there was a live register of 63 applicants, 40 boys and 23 girls. The statistics following will show the work of the Bureau since the compilation of the Fifteenth Annual Report. The usual difficulty exists of placing girls who have just left school, the majority desiring clerical or shop assistant work. The Great Marlborough Street, London, W. Exchange, has rendered material help in several placings. Eight candidates for Post Office messengers have been submitted, of these 2 were successful in obtaining appointments, 2 qualified but await vacancies, 3 failed to pass, and 1 awaits decision. Six girls were submitted for Girl Probationers (G.P.O.) and 2 were appointed, 3 rejected, and 1 did not attend an interview.

Two Finchley nominees - Edmund Goolding of Woodhouse Secondary School and Douglas Winterflood of the Northern Polytechnic, have been successful candidates in the limited competitive examination for the entry of Aircraft Apprentices held in June last.

The statistical return shows the number of applications made, placings etc. for the period 1st August to the 19th September 1927:-

		<u>Boys.</u>	<u>Girls.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
APPLICANTS TO BUREAU.	Brought forward ...	9	7	16
	Fresh applications.	40	44	84
	Re-registrations ..	<u>7</u> 56	<u>8</u> 59	<u>15</u> 115
VACANCIES AT BUREAU.	Placed by Bureau ..	29	23	52
	Cancelled	17	17	34
	Carried forward ...	<u>10</u> 56	<u>19</u> 59	<u>29</u> 115
APPLICANTS TO BUREAU.	Brought forward ...	7	2	9
	Notified	<u>35</u> 42	<u>24</u> 26	<u>59</u> 68
	Filled	31	23	54
VACANCIES AT BUREAU.	Cancelled	8	1	9
	Carried forward ...	<u>3</u> 42	<u>2</u> 26	<u>5</u> 68

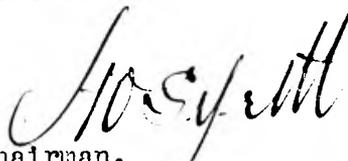
Two vacancies were filled by outside applicants.

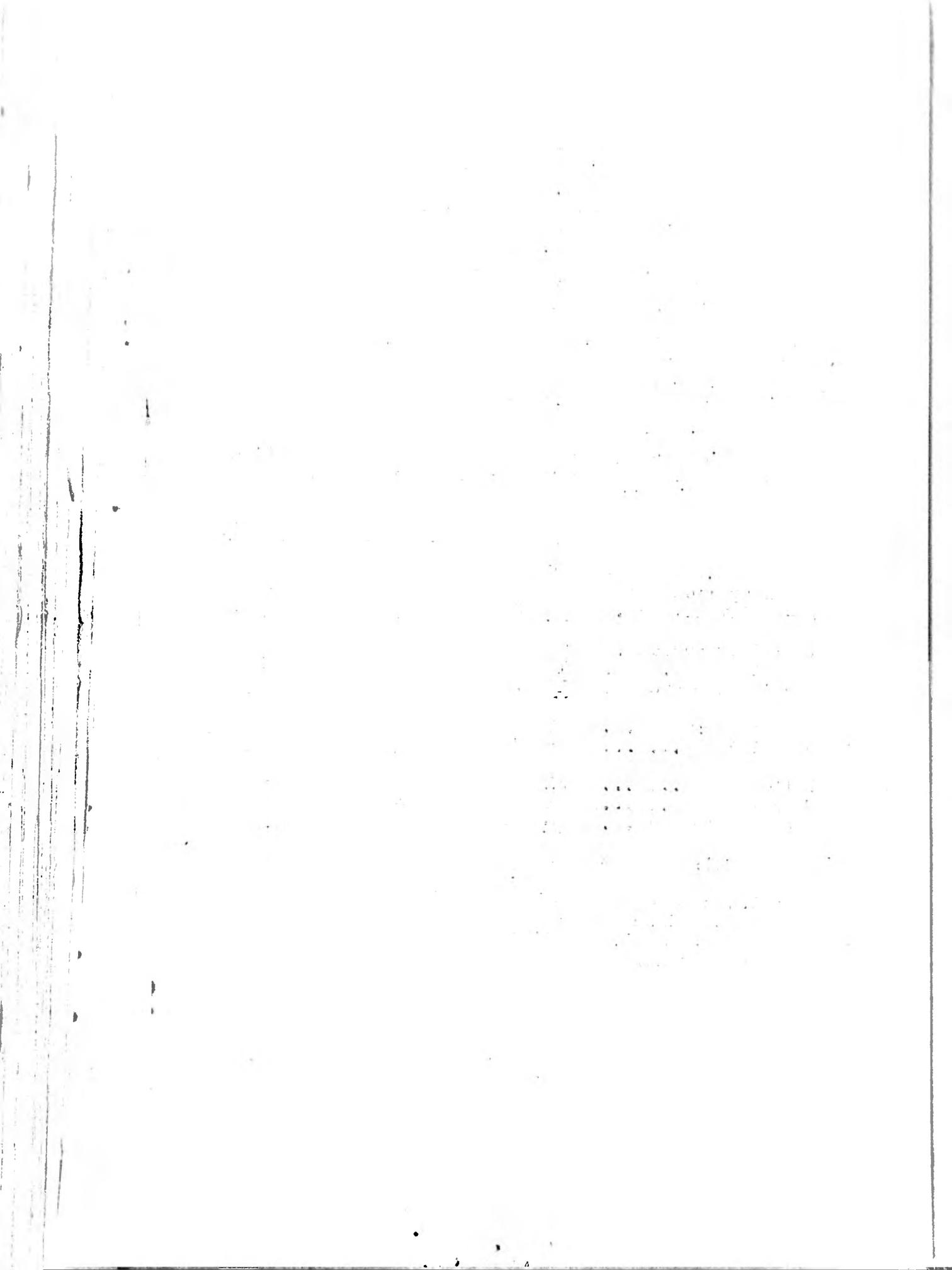
During the same period 14 boys and 1 girl have lodged claims for Unemployment Insurance Benefit. Amount paid out in respect thereof £ 7. 15. 9. At the time of writing we have 3 boys' claims in hand. Unemployment Insurance Books issued - 58.

A. S. MEALL,

Chairman.

These (together with the two preceding pages) are the reports (111) referred to in paragraph 893 of the Education Committee's report of the 10th October 1927.


Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

11th October, 1927.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Pocock (non-member).

895 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

896 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed.

897 POOR LAW REFORM.—Referring to Minute No. 734, the Clerk reported that he was in communication with the Chairman of the Council on the matter, and that so soon as the necessary information had been collated a meeting of the Sub-Committee would be convened.

898 HOUSING (RURAL WORKERS) ACT, 1926.—It was reported that a print of the Scheme adopted by the Middlesex County Council under the above Act had been circulated to each member of the Council.

899 VALUATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.—It was reported that Mr. W. Atkinson had written resigning his membership of the above Committee, owing to the fact that he was leaving the district;

RECOMMENDED that such Committee be asked to submit to this Committee a nomination for the position.

900 CHARITY TRUSTEES—CASUAL VACANCY.—It was reported that, for the reason stated in the preceding paragraph, Mr. W. Atkinson had also resigned his office as a Charity Trustee. The attention of the Committee was drawn to the fact that Mr. Atkinson was appointed as a Trustee in March last, along with the other then existing Overseers, for a period of four years from the 1st April, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. William Ramsay, be appointed as a Charity Trustee vice Mr. Atkinson, for the period ending 31st March, 1931.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

901 GLEBE LAND.—

- (a) It was reported that a further meeting of the Special Committee appointed to consider this matter had been held on the 4th October, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike and H. O. Syrett, and Councillors Briant and Wells (non-members).

(1) CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED that, in the absence of the Chairman of the Committee, Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

- (2) GLEBE LAND.—Arising out of recommendation 3 of the Committee's report of the 18th March, 1927 (adopted by the Council at their last meeting) the Committee considered Plan No. 6302 presented by the Surveyor, showing the final allocation of the above land, and certain instructions were given to him thereon;

Annexed . **RECOMMENDED** that the plan in question as now submitted (a copy of which is annexed hereto) be approved.

H. O. SYRETT,
Chairman (*pro tempore*).

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such report be received and adopted;
 - (2) that each of the several Committees concerned be asked to submit an estimate of its expenditure on the taking-over of the portion of the Glebe Land allocated to it by the Council;
 - (3) that the question of the diversion of the public foot-path across the land be considered in conjunction with the construction of the new arterial road.
- (b) It was also reported that at the last meeting of the Council the question of the greater utilisation of sites "H" and "I," pending the ultimate development thereof, had been referred to this Committee for consideration. It was stated that a portion of the sites in question at the southern end thereof was being utilised temporarily as a

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The Special
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 11TH OCTOBER, 1927.

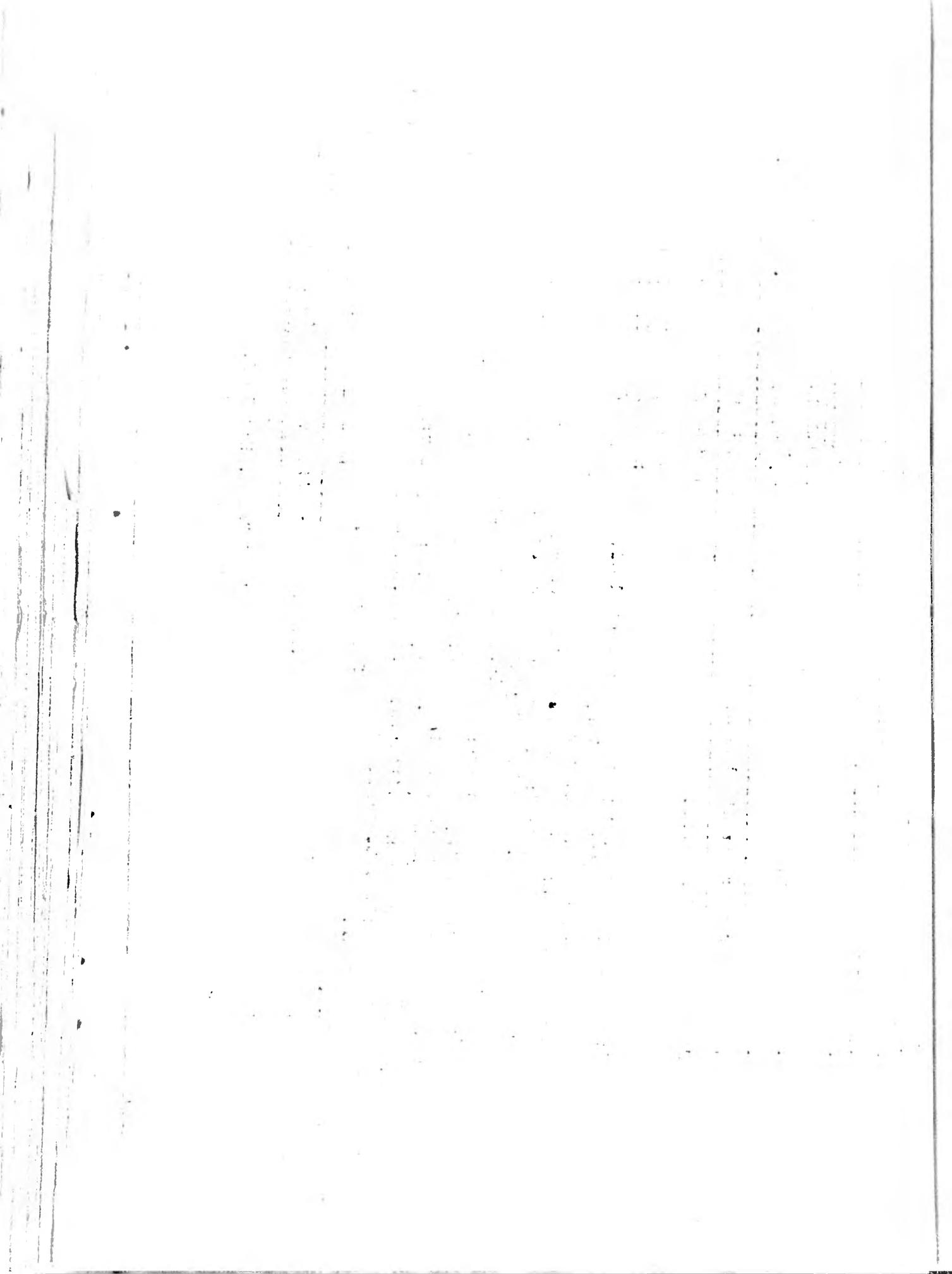
WORKMENS' DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

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		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			TOTAL.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209	5	0	404	5	0	1028	8	0
REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.		£4	18	3	192	-	4	321	12	3
625	0 Wages and team labour.	13	2	2	24	9	6	40	9	4
626	0 Stores.	5	3	-	10	19	9	5	9	3
627	0 Repair leak to supply pipe over copper. - 22 Queens Road.	-	9	6						9
628	0 Disconnect pipes, clean out kitchen boiler, renew section of pipe, provide and fix tee, plug and draw off tap and making good - 24 Crossway.							2	6	4
629	0 Opening concrete and tracing leak in W.C. - 126, Woodhouse Rd.				-	8	5			8
630	0 Remove old, supply and fix 1 - 20 gall. 1/2" plate hot water tank. 169, Summers Lane.							3	10	3
631	0 Open ground, repack stuffing box of stop cock, testing and filling in. 3, Ingleway.							-	8	5
632	0 Open ground, repair burst service pipe in front garden and fill in ground. 14, Queens Road. - 16 10									16 10
633	0 Overhaul gas stove and supply new fittings. 5, Crescentway.							-	5	-
634	0 Remove old, supply and fix 1-20 gall. 1/2" plate hot water tank. 20, Crossway.							3	10	3
635	0 External painting.	166	-	-	247	-	-			413
TOTAL.		£ 250	9	9	474	18	-	377	11	1
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

7TH OCTOBER, 1927.



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

REQUISITIONS - OCTOBER, 1927.

Estimate for year	<u>£8,893. 0. 0</u>
Amount previously requisitioned	4,780.12. 7

Ordered since last meeting.

Repairs to radiator and switches	-.15. 0
Hire of Car - Wages - 3 weeks	-.15. 0
3 tons house coal	5. 6. 6
100 Forms - Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts	-.12. 6
Extra Light - Sub-Committee Room	1. 0. 0
12 Land Registry Forms	-. 2. 6
50 Notices Public Inquiry - Pumping Station	-.17. 6
Advertising do.	-.15. 0
do. Closing of Baths	-.17. 6
Binding Index Council Minutes	-.15. 0
50 notices - Adoption of Public Health Acts	-.17. 6
Advertising do. (2 papers)	4.18. 0
do. Audit of accounts (do.)	1.10. 0
3 books of Certificates (450 in duplicate)	3. 0. 0
Repairs - Typewriters - Public Health Department	1. 0. 0

Now requisitioned

Clerk's Department.

Post Office London Directory, 1928	2. 5. 0
Binding 1 Letter Book No. 146	1. 1. 0
Printing Minutes & Reports - October 1927	30. 0. 0
Subscription to Local Government Chronicle	-.17. 6
Local Government 1927	2. 3. 0
Local Government & Legislation 1926 (Dumday)	1.18. 9
2 Typewriter Ribbons Red/Black Record-Royal	-. 5. 0
2 Ribbons - Red/Black Record L.C.Smith & Sons	-. 5. 0
Waste-Paper Basket for Roneo Room	-. 5. 0
3 Electric Radiators	6. 6. 0

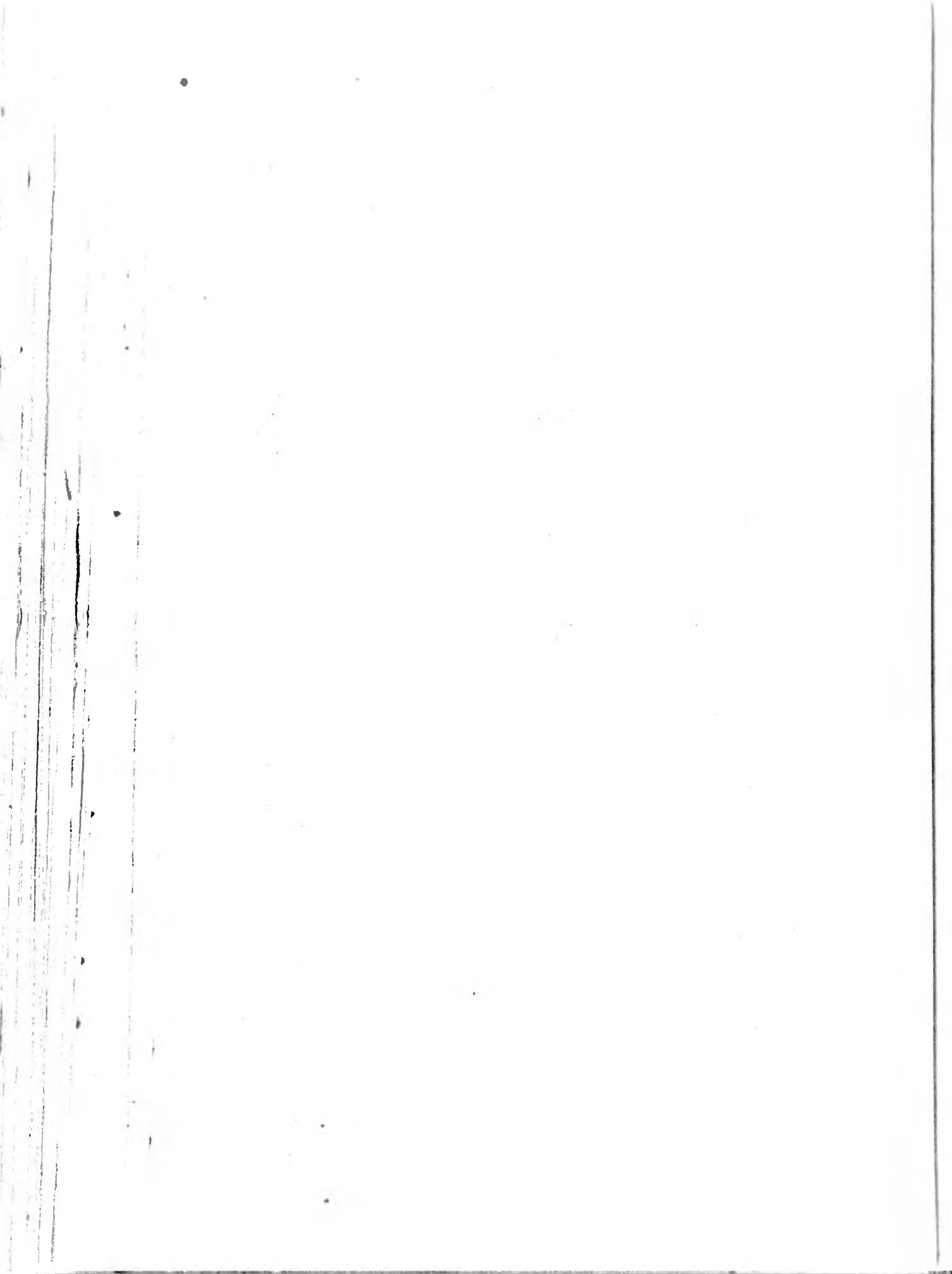
Surveyor's Department.

1 Foolsoap size Eureka copying Cloth Bath	1.11. 6
Maintenance of Typewriters	2. 0. 0
5,000 staples for bo stitch	-. 8. 6
20 yards of Lino for 9 The Hawthorns	5. 0. 0

Drawing Office.

2 Rolls Printing Linen No. 5413	2.13. 0
4 Red Sable Brushes, plated ferrules, Ref.2790 No.5	-. 7. 6
6 rolls Printing Ferro-Gallic Paper, Ref.No. 11185	<u>2. 3. 0</u>

Carried Forward	£4,870. 4. 4
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Public Health Department.

Repairs to Car - M. O. H.	2. 9. 3
2 reams foolscap-headed notepaper, C.S.I.	-.19. 6
Inspector's visiting-cards (3 sets - 50)	-. 5. 6

Valuation Department.

600 letters - Statutory Forms - Rating & Valuation Act.	1. 0. 0
Ordinance Maps	1.10. 0
1,000 Compliment Slips	-.10. 0
2,000 Circular letters - return of forms	1.12. 6

Finance Department.

4,000 Allotments A/c. Forms	2.12. 0
1,000 Reference Letters - Small Dwgs. Acquisition Acts.	2. 0. 0
2,500 Receipts - 5 books - do. do.	2.10. 0
4,000 Occupier's Return Forms	2. 8. 0
4 Rate Books & Summary	21. 0. 0
4 Books - Owners Statements	2. 0. 0
4 Hand Books - Rates	3.15. 0
1 Steel Cupboard for Receipt Books, etc.	8. 0. 0
500 printed envelopes	-.12. 6
1,000 Compliment Slips	-.10. 6

Stores & General use.

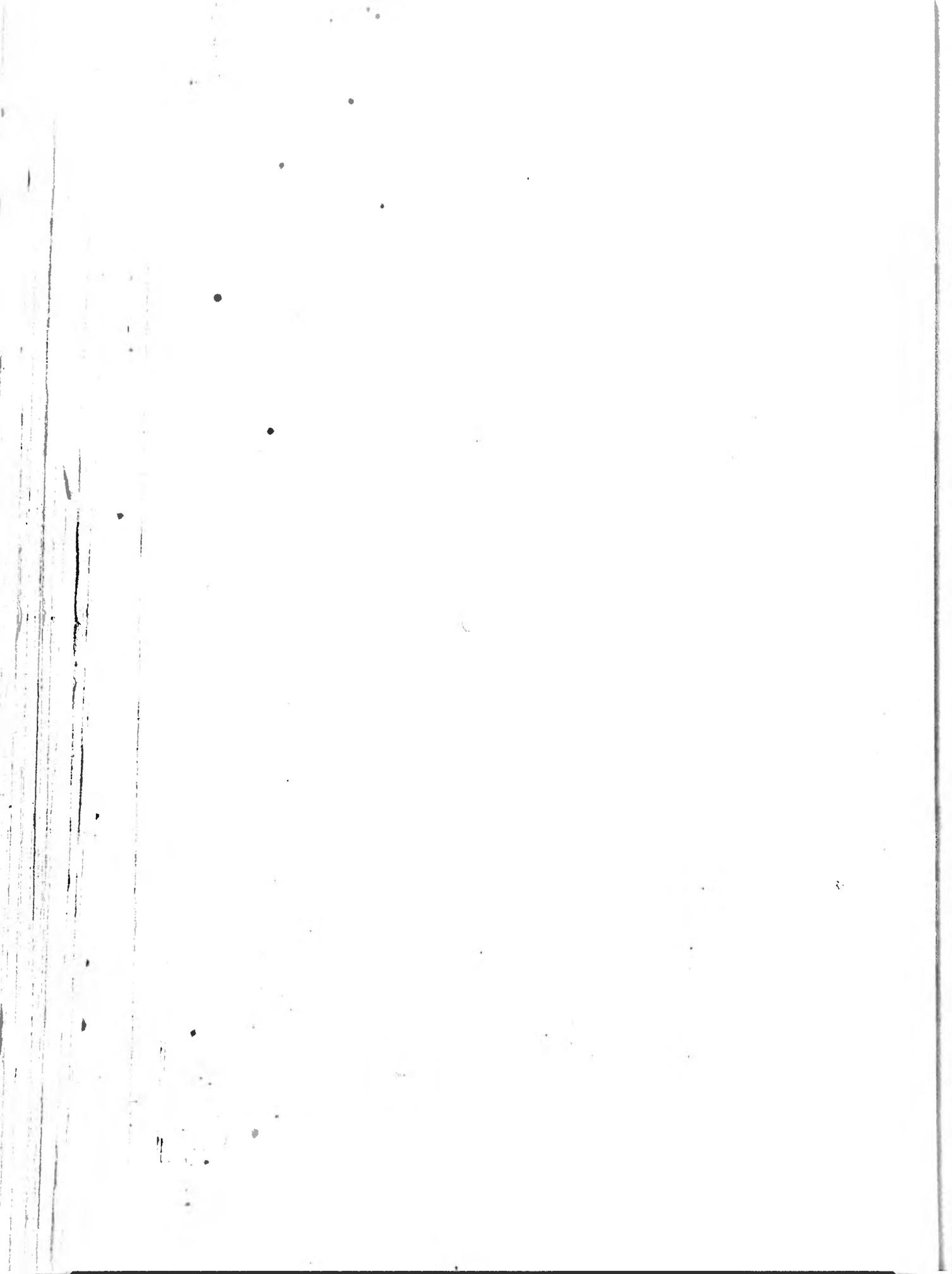
3 doz. Wolffs pencils	-.11. 3
6 doz. British Lever files	9. 0. 0
6 do. do. cases	1.10. 0
2 reams Cabro Stencils	7. 0. 0
25 reams foolscap thin paper	2. 5. 0
3 special lamps (Council Chamber)	1. 2. 6
3 doz. lamps	2.15. 6
1 do. do.	2. 8. 0
Rents of Offices - $\frac{1}{2}$ year	94. 0. 0
Rates & Taxes do.	62.10. 0
Telephones rentals do.	80. 0. 0
Telephone Operator - Wages - $\frac{1}{2}$ year	78. 0. 0
Messenger do. do.	100. 0. 0
Chainman do. do.	94. 0. 0
Petty Cash - Postages, etc. do.	285. 0. 0
Summons fees do.	40. 0. 0
National Insurance do.	270. 0. 0
Maintenance of Cars & Cycles do.	225. 0. 0
Small Dwgs. Acquisition Acts - Costs of Loan & fee Superannuation	200. 0. 0
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Avenue House.

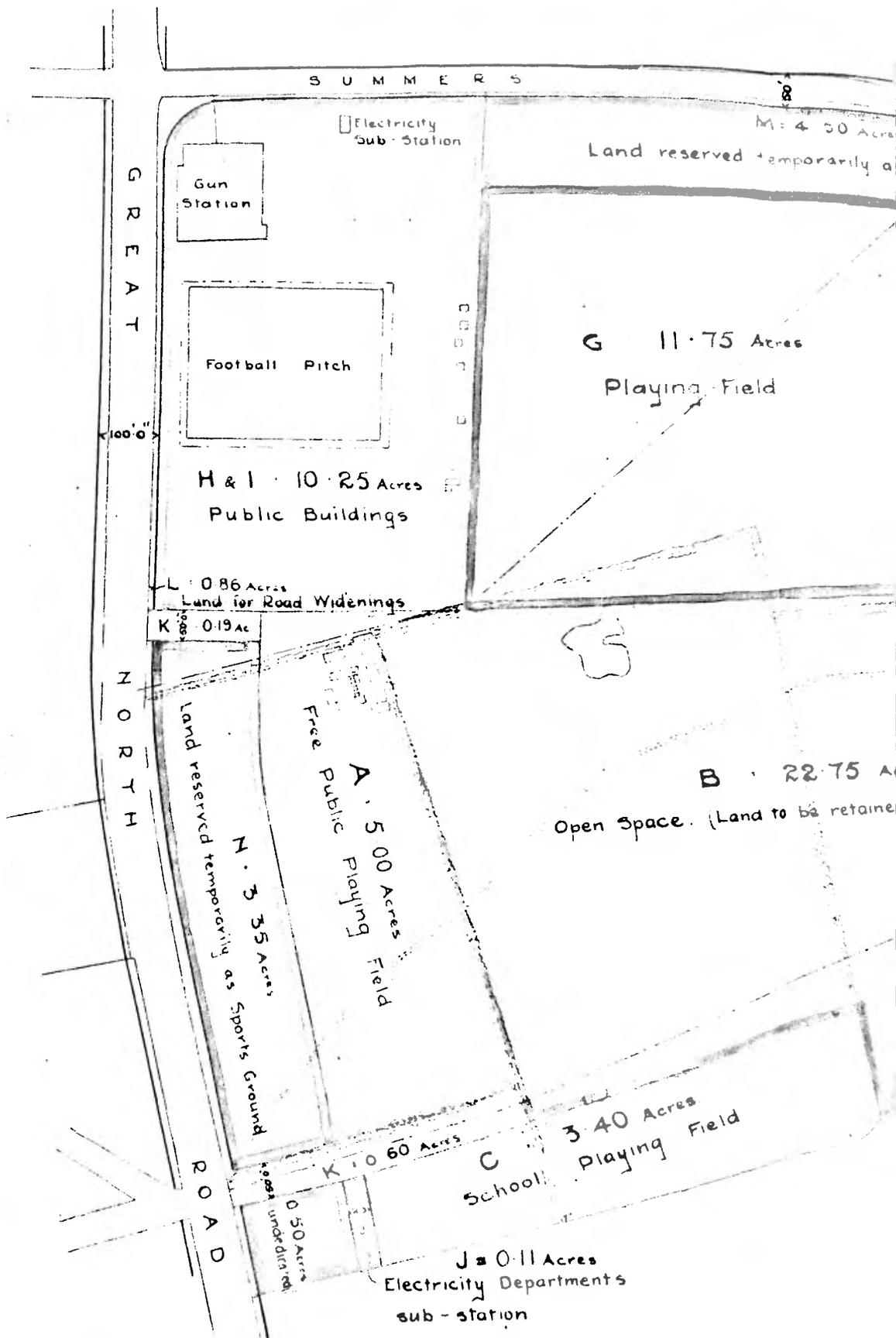
Wages & Pencing - September	£46.10. 3	
do. October	20. 0. 0	66.10. 3

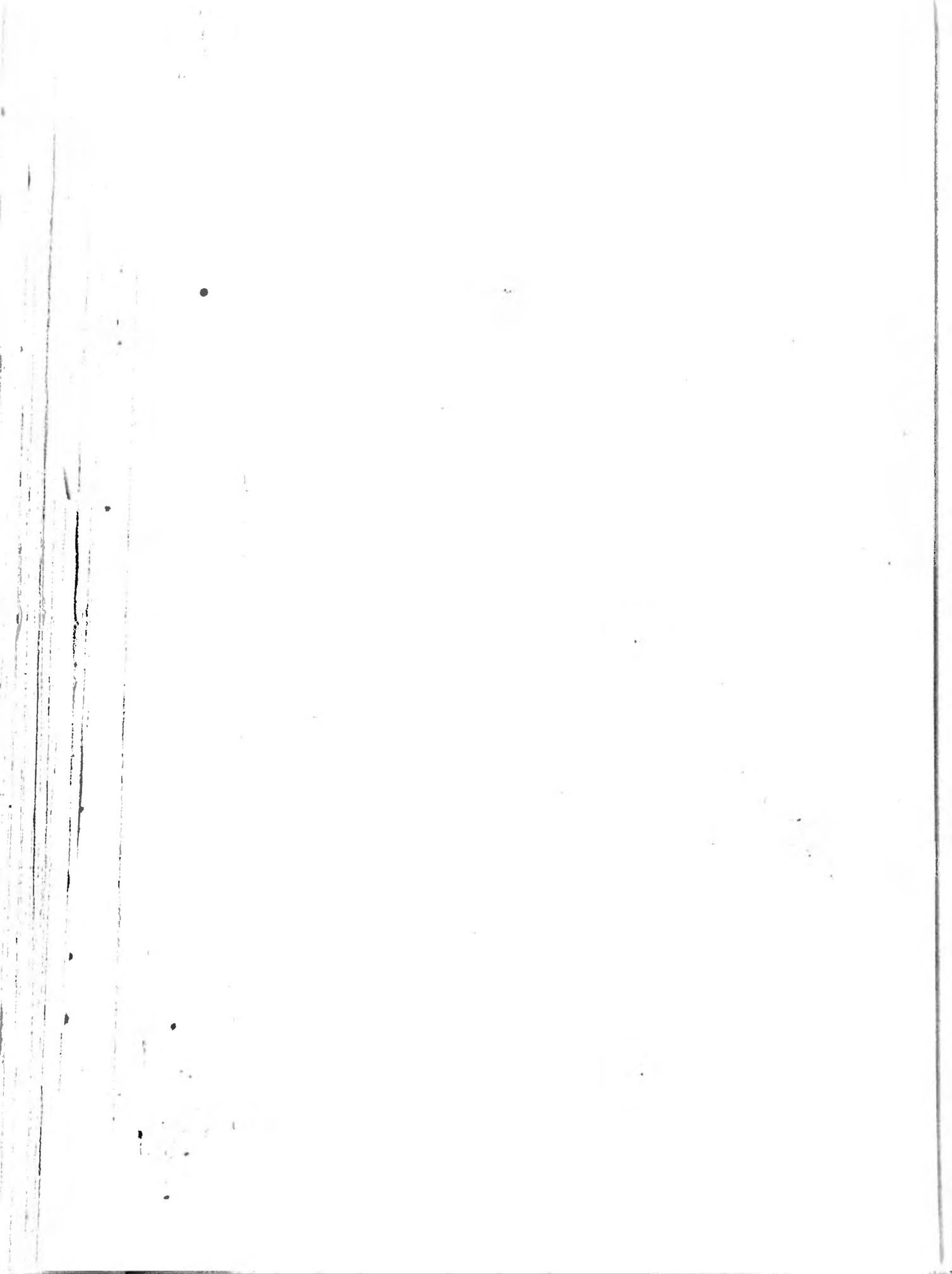
These (together with the two preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 896 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 11th October 1927. £7,595 11. 7

M. J. M. J.
Chairman.



FINCHLEY U. D. COUNCIL
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GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

school playing-field. The Committee decided that the whole matter should receive their further consideration at a later date, and a report thereon will be submitted in due course.

902 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922—VACANT DESIGNATED POSTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the persons mentioned in column 1 of the under-mentioned statement occupy, as from the 1st January, 1928, the designated posts set opposite to their respective names :—

Name. (1)	Designated Post. (2)	In lieu of. (3)
A. Glenister *	Caretaker— Education Dept.	F. Hocking.
R. D. Channon †	Clerk— Finance Dept.	E. A. Dunham.
I. Goult †	Labourer— Surveyor's Dept.	J. Turner.
J. G. F. Norris †	Sweeper— Surveyor's Dept.	D. Billimore.

* Subject to passing satisfactorily a medical examination.

† Satisfactory medical certificates were submitted.

903 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—It was reported that this matter had, at the last meeting of the Council, been referred to this Committee, with a view to their making a recommendation to the Council thereon. Letters were submitted from :—

- (a) The Secretary of the Education Committee, dated 4th October, 1927, forwarding information as to the estimated cost of maintaining the proposed school;
- (b) The Revd. J. C. Joyce, dated 10th October, 1927, acknowledging receipt from the Clerk of the Council of the

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

plans of the proposed school, and copy letter from the Board of Education, dated 27th August, 1927, and stating that in due course full consideration would be given to all the points raised by the observations made by the Board.

The Committee decided that they had no recommendation to make to the Council on the matter, and instructions were given for the letter from the Revd. J. C. Joyce above-mentioned to be referred to the Education Committee.

904 FINCHLEY CITIZENS' COMMITTEE—ALLOCATION OF SURPLUS FUNDS.—A letter, dated 28th September, 1927, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the Finchley District Nursing & Benevolent Society, assuring the Council that the conditions, subject to which the transfer of the balance of the above Committee's funds was made to his Society, would be duly observed. It was added that, under a resolution passed at a meeting held on the 10th February, 1922, it was agreed that the Society, formerly known as "the Finchley Charity Organisation and Nursing Society," should in future be known as "the Finchley District Nursing & Benevolent Society."

905 FREDERICKS PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS.—It was reported that at the last meeting of the Electricity Committee the Chief Electrical Engineer reported that he had discussed with the Surveyor the question of using parts of the above depôts for electricity purposes, and had indicated to him the portions which probably would be of service. Further, that the Committee had decided to suggest to this Committee that the portions of the depôts shown on the plans submitted at the meeting be allocated for the purposes of the Electricity Undertaking, and that the charge to the Undertaking therefor be *pro rata* to that which might be obtained by the Council for the remainder of the sites;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that this be agreed; and
- (b) that the Surveyor report at next meeting as to what he would suggest be done with the remainder of the sites.

906 LOCAL LAND CHARGES.—A circular letter, dated 26th September, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health,

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GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

enclosing copy of Rules entitled "The Local Land Charges Rules, 1927," which had been made by the Lord Chancellor under the Land Charges Act, 1925, as amended by the Law of Property (Amendment) Act, 1926, and which will come into operation on the 1st December, 1927.

907 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—The Clerk reported as to the action taken with regard to the Unveiling Ceremony on the 20th October, 1927, in connection with the above, which was approved. He also submitted draft of an Address proposed to be presented by the Chairman of the Council to the Rt. Hon. Viscount Rothermere, P.C., in the following terms:—

"WE, the URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL, of and for the URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY, hereby accept on our own behalf and on that of the inhabitants of our district Your Lordship's gift of the beautiful STATUE LA DELIVRANCE which will be much appreciated not only by the inhabitants of Finchley but by the public generally.

We also desire to express to Your Lordship our grateful thanks for the gift and to acknowledge the generous spirit which prompted it.

The Statue which has now been entrusted to our care will at all times remind us of the connection which Your Lordship's family has with this neighbourhood, a relationship which we hope will grow even closer as the years go by.

GIVEN under our Common Seal this Twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven."

The Committee decided:—

- (1) that the terms of the Address be approved, and that arrangements be made for the engrossing thereof, at a cost not exceeding £5 5s.;
- (2) that the Chairman of the Council be authorised to affix the Common Seal of the Council to the Address;
- (3) that authority be given for the printing of the Order of Proceedings, and for its insertion in each of the four local papers;

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (4) that authority be also given for the purchase of a bouquet for presentation to Dame Lloyd George;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

908 PAWNBROKERS' ACT, 1872—PAWNBROKER'S CERTIFICATE.
—A letter, dated 29th September, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. W. W. Box & Company, forwarding Statutory Notice of the intention of their client, Mr. D. A. Thomson, to apply to this Council on the 24th instant for a Certificate, under the above Act, enabling him to carry on the business of a Pawnbroker at No. 9, Market Parade, North Finchley. They added that they were taking the usual steps with regard to service of notice upon other persons affected, and that they desired to know whether the Council would require their client and themselves to attend on the 24th instant in support of the application, or if the Council would accept a statutory declaration as evidence that the statutory requirements as to notices had been complied with.

Police report of result of enquiry as to the character of the applicant was submitted.

The Clerk was directed to inform Messrs. W. W. Box and Company that it would not be necessary for them or their client to attend the Council Meeting on the 24th instant in support of the application, and that the Council would accept a Statutory Declaration as evidence that the statutory requirements as to notices had been complied with;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that a certificate be granted to Mr. D. A. Thomson to carry on the business of a Pawnbroker at the premises in question for the period ending 31st July, 1928, subject to the statutory requirements being complied with;
- (3) that the certificate granted to Mr. A. E. Garrud in July, 1927, be withdrawn.

909 MALT & HOPS PUBLIC HOUSE—HIGH STREET—NORTH FINCHLEY.—Notice of application to the Justices for transfer of Licence in respect of the above premises from Walter Shilling to Alfred Shilling was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

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GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

910 STAFF.—

- (a) Stabilization of Salaries.—A letter, dated 7th October, 1927, from the Honorary Secretary of the National Association of Local Government Officers (Finchley Branch) as follows was submitted :—

“ At a General Meeting of the Finchley branch of the National Association of Local Government Officers held last evening, the following resolution was passed and I was requested to transmit same to you for the consideration of the Council :—

“ That in the opinion of this branch of the National Association of Local Government Officers the time has arrived when the Council should take into consideration the question of stabilization of salaries, as two-thirds of the staff are now in receipt of fixed salaries.

It is suggested that the rate of remuneration in force on the 30th September, 1927, be the basis of such stabilization.”

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the further consideration of the matter be adjourned until next meeting ;
- (b) that in the meantime a Sub-Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Vice-Chairman of the Council, Councillor Agar, and Councillor C. S. Syrett, be asked to go into the matter with the Clerk of the Council, the Accountant, and the Surveyor, and report to this Committee.
- (b) Valuation Department—Clerical Assistant.—The Valuation Committee reported that Miss Winifred A. Smith had served her probationary period, and that she had carried out her duties satisfactorily. They recommended that she be placed upon the permanent staff, and that her post be designated. A satisfactory medical certificate was submitted ;

RECOMMENDED that she be placed upon the permanent staff, and that the question of the creation of a designated post be considered at the appropriate time.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (c) Education Department—Long Lane School—Caretaker—A. Glenister.—The recommendations of the Education Committee hereon were reported and approved.
- (d) Finance Department—Junior Clerk.—The Accountant reported that the services of R. D. Channon, Junior Clerk in his Department, had been satisfactory, and he recommended that he be placed upon the permanent staff. A satisfactory medical certificate was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (e) Surveyor's Department—Draughtsman.—The Surveyor reported that, in accordance with the authority given at the Council Meeting in June last, Mr. A. S. Hamilton had been placed upon the staff of the Council as and from Saturday, 1st October, 1927, at a salary of £3 per week;

RECOMMENDED that this be approved.

911 MANSE IN CONNECTION WITH NORTH FINCHLEY BAPTIST CHAPEL—PROPOSED SALE.—A communication, dated 10th October, 1927, was submitted from the Charity Commissioners, forwarding, for the information of the Council, copy of Notice of a Proposed Order of the Board in connection with the above.

912 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—

- (a) Sweeper—D. Billimore.—The Surveyor reported the death of the above employee, which took place on the 28th September, 1927.
- (b) Sweeper—W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported that this employee, who met with an accident on the 30th August, 1927, was, he understood, making satisfactory progress towards recovery;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

913 COMPASSIONATE GRANTS.—

- (1) J. Davey, deceased.—

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity of 5/- a week

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GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

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- (2) J. Bowman, deceased.—The Surveyor reported that the Council in June, 1927, granted to the above (who had been absent, owing to illness, since the 13th December, 1926), £1 a week until the 31st December, 1927, and that, as intimated at last meeting, Bowman died on the 3rd August, 1927, the payment, under the resolution, being discontinued from the date of his death; that he had now received an application for financial assistance from the widow; that Bowman was in the service of the Council for 24 years, and that his wages at the time of his death were £2 18s. 2d. a week;

RECOMMENDED that a gratuity of £1 a week be granted to the widow until the Ordinary Meeting of the Council in June, 1928, when the matter be reviewed.

914 SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT—9, THE HAWTHORNS.—

- (a) Additional Office Accommodation.—The Surveyor reported that this matter was now proceeding.
- (b) Telephones.—The Surveyor reported upon the necessity for providing additional telephonic facilities in his Department;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the installation of one additional line and two internal extensions, at an annual cost for rentals of £10 12s. 0d.

915 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

12th October, 1927.

Present : Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Agar, Bowen, Ryan and Wade, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

916 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

917 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Amended.

918 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

919 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 600 tons as compared with the same quantity at last meeting ; further, that there was a stock of about 280 tons of Bohemian Brown coal in hand ;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following " spot " lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer, be approved :—

Amended.

137 tons Harworth Washed Small,
135 tons Harworth Washed Small,
100 tons Eastwood Washed Slack,
110 tons Scotch Washed Peas,
10 tons Yard Slack.

920 INSURANCE.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported the result of negotiations which he had had with the Insurance Company hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the Council agree to continue the " fire " insurance with the present Company for a period of five years from the 29th September, 1927, and that the " riot and civil commotion " insurance be continued to the 29th September, 1928, at the reduced rate quoted by the Company in their letter of 4th October, 1927.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

921 ELECTRICITY CHARGES—ADJUSTED ACCOUNTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the following amounts be written off as irrecoverable :—

Consumer's No.	Quarter.	Amount. £ s. d.
1247	March, 1927	9 1
4097	March, 1927	2 10 2
3299	June, 1927	21 5 0
Total		<u>£24 4 3</u>

922 LAND—SQUIRES LANE.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, at the time the reservoir site was purchased, an iron fence was erected along that portion of the agreed boundary between the Council's property and that of Messrs. P. E. Kay, Ltd., but that no fence was erected between the Council's property and that of Messrs. Shoults; he added that, as the adjoining land was now being developed, in his opinion, the fence should be continued to the Railway Company's property and that the cost of such additional fencing was estimated at £95;

RECOMMENDED that this expenditure be approved and that the work be put in hand.

923 EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN £24,000.—Referring to Minute No. 766, the Clerk reported that he had not yet heard anything further from the Electricity Commissioners on the matter. The Chairman of the Committee reported upon an interview which, at the suggestion of the Chief Engineer of the Joint Electricity Authority, had taken place between himself and the Chairman of the Electricity Committee of the Hornsey Borough Council, in company with the Electrical Engineers of Finchley and Hornsey, with a view to ascertaining whether it would be possible for arrangements to be made between the two authorities whereby the supply of electricity could with the existing plant be continued in each District during the Winter of 1928/9, having regard to the estimated increase in the load on both Undertakings. Certain figures were placed before the Committee and, after full discussion, it was



REQUISITIONS.

REVENUE.

Emergency requisition.....	200. 0. 0.
Turbine repairs.....	150. 0. 0.
2 magneto wall telephones.....	13.15. 0.
Lifting jack for motor vehicles.....	5. 0. 0.
Standard of timber.....	45. 0. 0.
5 dial thermometers.....	10. 8. 0.
Motor tyres.....	10. 0. 0.
Meters.....	300. 0. 0.
Motor parts.....	10. 0. 0.
50 carboys accumulator acid.....	37.10. 0.
100 carbon lamps.....	8. 6. 8.
2 tons cement.....	5.10. 8.
200 yards 3/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	2. 8. 8.
200 yards 7/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	4. 4. 0.
6 dozen 5 ampere damper fuses.....	3. 4.11.
100 pairs house cut-outs.....	81. 5. 0.
56 lbs. block tin.....	8. 8. 0.
1 cwt. "Hermetax".....	2.18. 0.
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	6. 1. 0.
48 gross assorted screws.....	4.17. 0.
200 gallons petrol.....	10.16. 8.
15 gallons "Kewato" paint.....	16.10. 0.
10 gallons "Kalkbitum" paint.....	2. 0. 0.
10 gallons bitumastic solution.....	2.10. 0.
Repairs to testing set.....	6.19. 8.
Motor vehicle parts.....	10. 0. 0.
36 boiler ash plates.....	32.13. 0.
10,000 commercial envelopes.	
4,000 foolscap envelopes.	
1 report book.	
2,000 filing folders.	
1,000 motor index cards.	
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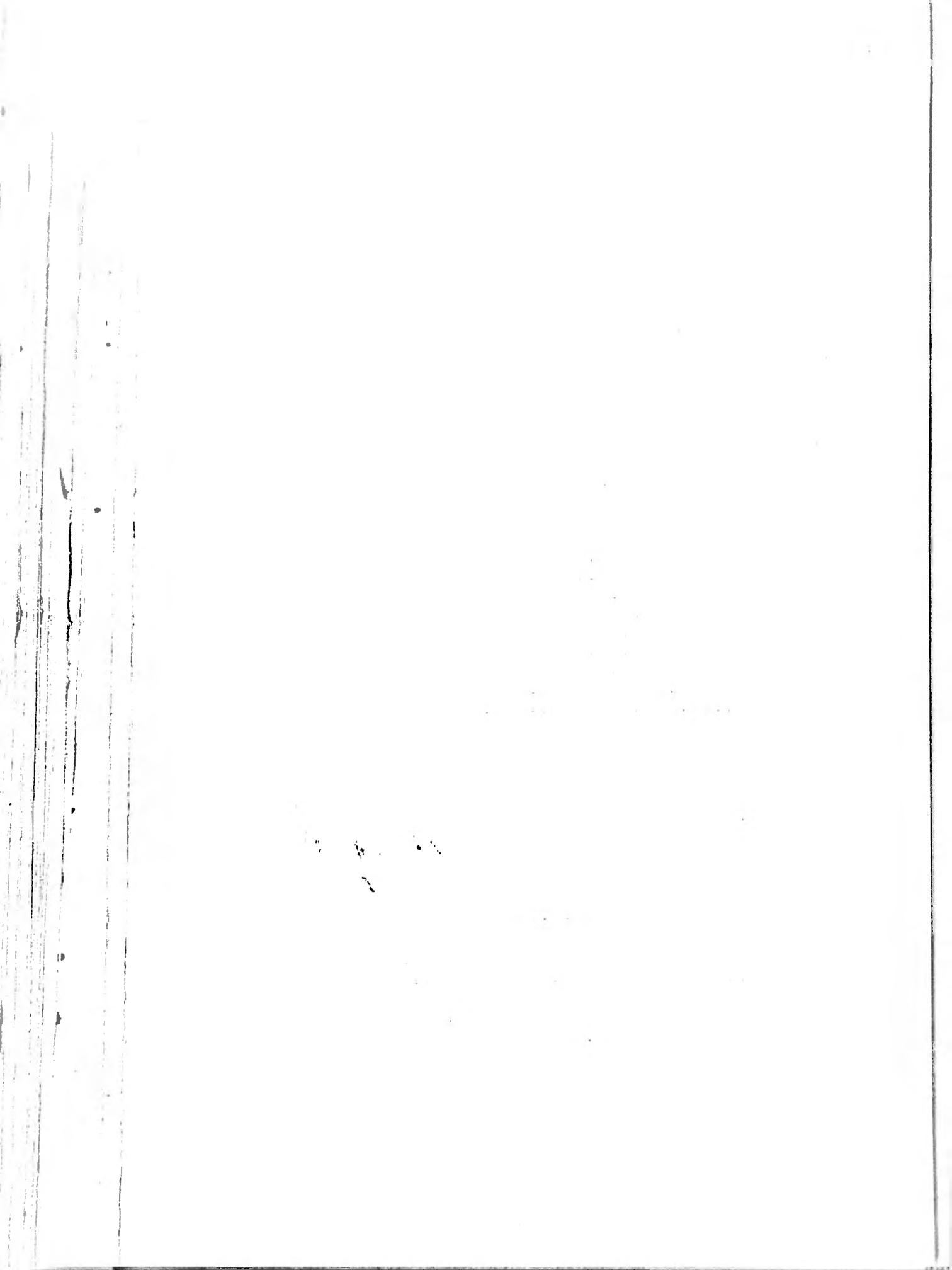
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General cartage.....	10. 0. 0.
2,000 yards tarred boards.....	41.13. 4.
1,000 yards .0225 concentric cable.....	127. 0. 0.
500 yards .2 three core cable.....	352.10. 0.
500 yards .12 three core cable.....	352. 0. 0.
2, 3 way network boxes.....	55. 5. 0.
1, 4 way network box.....	<u>34.15. 0.</u> <u>£ 833. 3. 4.</u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 917 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 12th October 1927.

A. S. Pitt
Chairman.

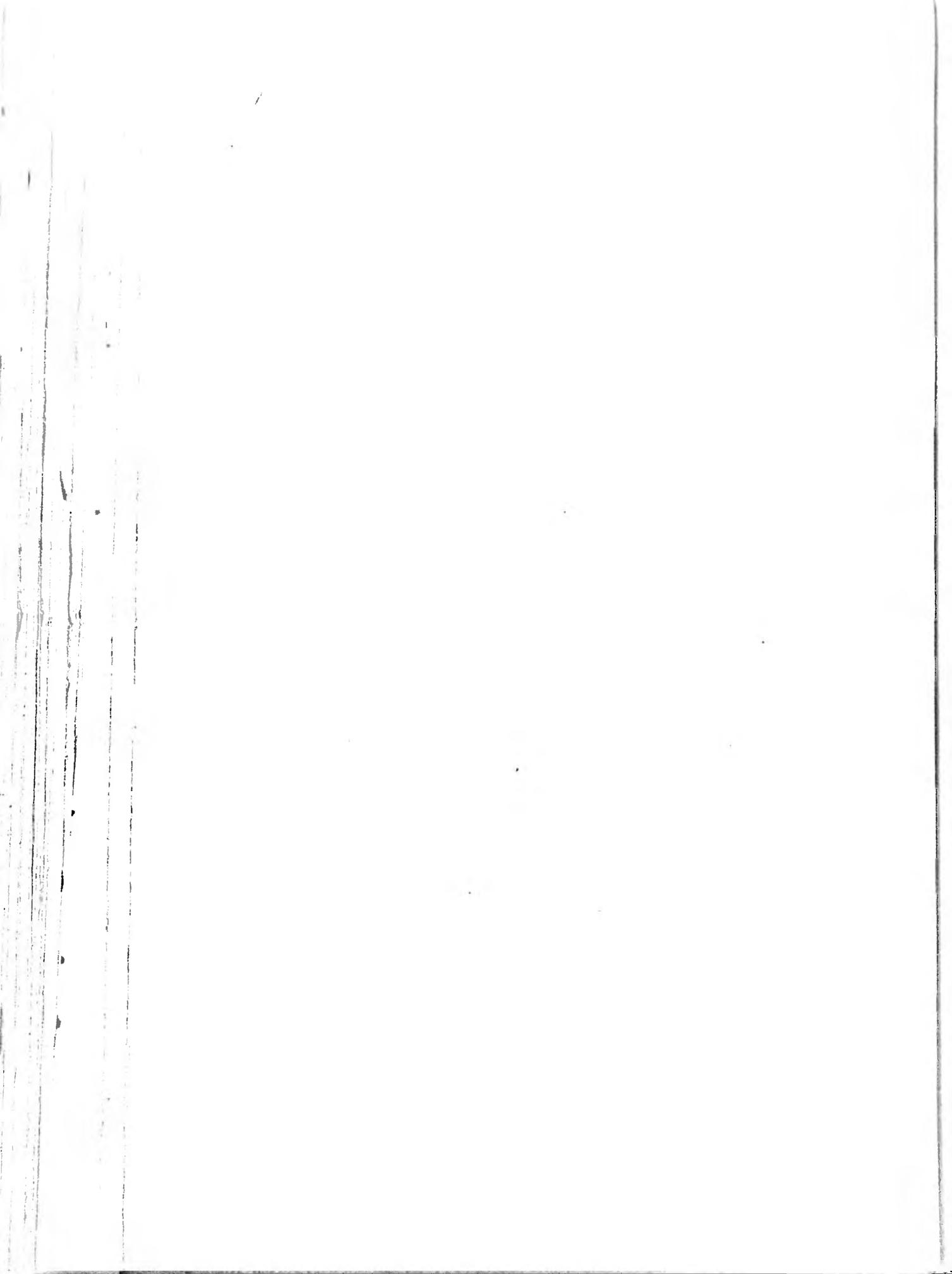
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110	Scotch Washed Peas	@	22/6d. " "
10	Yard Slack	@	19/- " "

This is an extract from the Chief Electrical Engineer's report of the 12th October 1927 dealing with the price of the coal referred to in paragraph 919 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 12th October 1927.


Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the negotiations be continued, if necessary, with the Chief Engineer of the Joint Electricity Authority and that the Council continue to press for the sanction to the loan in question.

924 **MAXIMUM LOAD.**—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that the maximum load was now about 2,830 kilowatts, approximately 400 kilowatts higher than last year.

925 **APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.**—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

Applications for supply	8252 =	32982 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8169 =	37638 „ „ „
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Increase	83 =	5344 „ „ „
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Lamps connected	32321 lamps of 33 watts	
Public lamps (1439)	4537 „ „ „	
High c.p. lamps (45)	796 „ „ „	
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Total	329154 „ „ „	
Last meeting	324278 „ „ „	
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Increase	4876 „ „ „	
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Applications in hand but not yet connected	*77 =	4627 lamps of 33 watts

* *The figure of 77 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.*

926 **EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.**—

(a) **Mains.**—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had since last meeting been laid in Broughton Avenue (from Waverley Grove);

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for mains to be laid as follows:—

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

	Estimated Cost.
St. Margaret's Avenue	£250
New road off Fursby Avenue	£160
Wentworth Avenue	£ 45

- (b) High Tension Feeder Extension, 1927.—It was reported that the high tension feeder to Cherry Tree Wood Sub-station had now been completed and would be tested at an early date.
- (c) High Tension Feeder Extensions, 1926.—It was reported that the high tension feeder extension to the new Sub-Station site at Percy Road was well advanced.
- (d) Sub-Station Extensions, 1926/1927.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported as follows :—
- (1) Percy Road.—That the contractors were progressing satisfactorily with this Sub-Station which was now nearing completion ;
 - (2) Cherry Tree Wood.—That the building contractors had completed the Sub-Station building ; and that the low tension feeder had been laid and the feeder pillar erected ; further, that the contractors for the rectifying plant were delivering the apparatus and would commence erecting on site next week.

927 LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY.—Print of a report of the proceedings of the above-mentioned Authority for the year ended 31st March, 1927, was submitted.

928 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—SCHEME.—Letter, dated 29th September, 1927, was submitted from the Central Electricity Board, forwarding print of a Scheme relating specifically to South-East England, prepared in accordance with the above Act, which the Electricity Commissioners had forwarded to the Board. The period within which any representations might be made to the Board would, it was stated, be fixed at six weeks from the date of publication (4th October, 1927), and that it was not until these representations had been considered that the Board

ELECTRICITY (continued).

could adopt the Scheme, with or without modification. Accompanying the letter was also a Supplementary Memorandum prepared by the Commissioners to give their estimates of the financial aspects of the Scheme. It was pointed out that this Memorandum did not form part of the Scheme and that the estimates therein contained might be modified by the Board and would, in any case, require amendment from time to time as the Scheme progressed. The Clerk reported that a print of the Scheme and of the Memorandum had been forwarded to each Member of the Committee.

The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that the matter had been considered at a Conference of representatives of 59 Local Authority Authorised Undertakers within the area covered by the Scheme held on the 11th October, 1927, when a resolution was passed requesting the Central Electricity Board to furnish to the constituent authorities sufficient information to enable them to check the estimates of future cost, etc., set out in the Supplementary Particulars accompanying the Scheme and in the meantime to extend until the 1st January, 1928, the time allowed for representations to be made to the Board, and further requesting the Board to hold in due course a Public Inquiry into the representations made by Authorised Undertakers as contemplated by Section 4 of the Act.

The Clerk was instructed forthwith to take steps to retain the services of Counsel, either alone or jointly with Hornsey, or other Local Authority or Authorities, in order that the interests of the Council may be safeguarded;

RECOMMENDED—

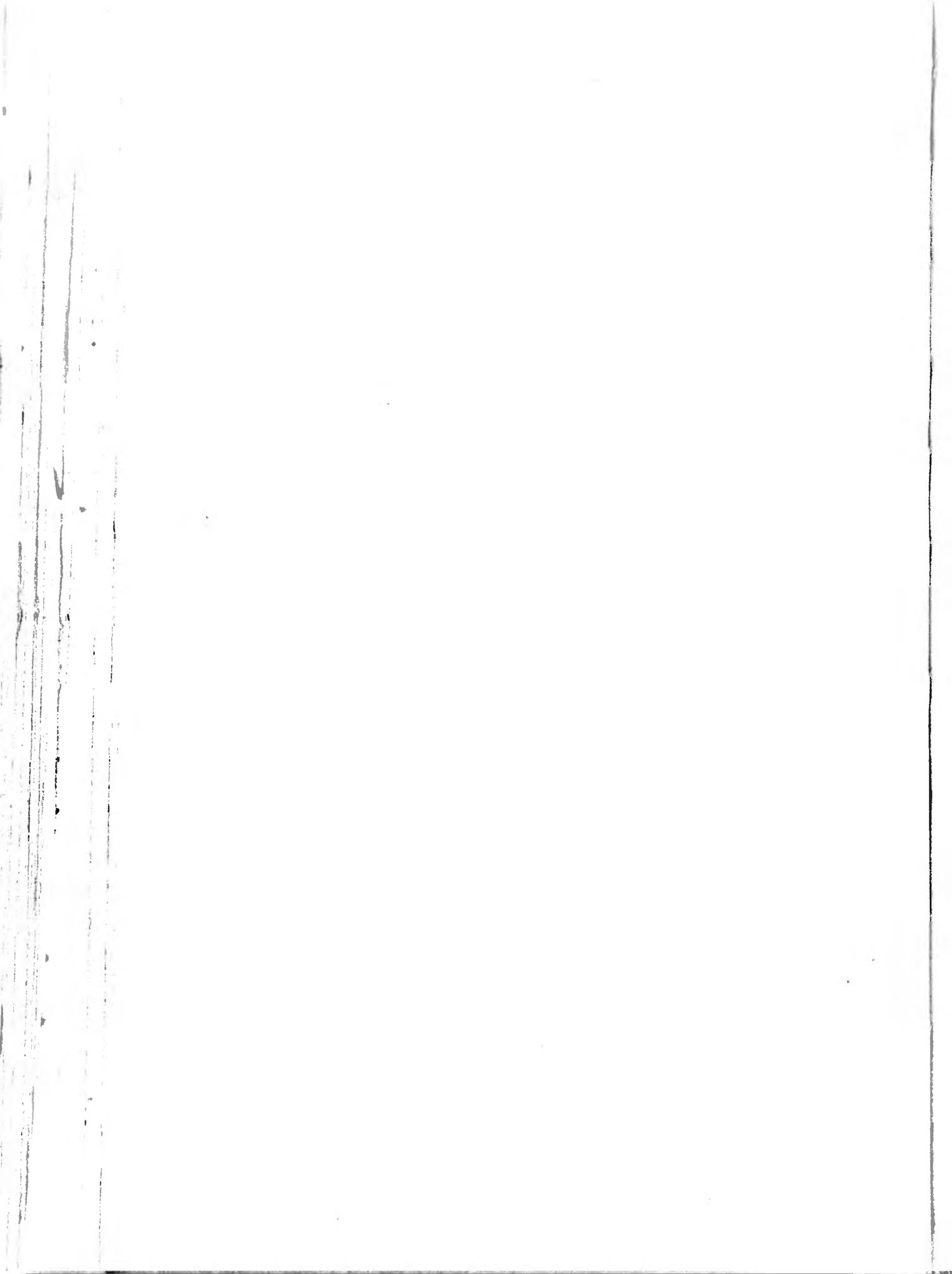
- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that formal objection to the Scheme be lodged by the Council;
- (3) that the Board be urged to hold a Public Inquiry into the whole matter.

929 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instruction given to the Chief Electrical Engineer, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.



FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

12th October, 1927.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillor C. S. Syrett (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors England, Pocock, Sommerfield, H. O. Syrett and Wells.

930 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

931 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

932 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£4,610.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £4,610, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

Annexed

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £4,610.

- (b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting, the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £329,365.

FINANCE (continued).

- (c) Advance No. 10—32, Hervey Close.
 „ „ 48—18, Brent Way.
 „ „ 92—48, Hervey Close.
 „ „ 284— 8, Court House Road.

The Accountant reported that the balances in respect of the above Mortgages had been repaid, together with all interest charges.

933 STREET WIDENINGS—REGENTS PARK ROAD—ADDITIONAL WIDENING—WEST SIDE.—The recommendations of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that Minute No. 401 be rescinded;
- (3) that the Clerk be instructed to make application (i) to the Middlesex County Council for a contribution of the sum of £1,050, being 25 per cent. of the estimated cost of the above-mentioned improvement; (ii) to the Ministry of Transport for a grant of the sum of £2,100, being 50 per cent. of such estimated cost; and (iii) to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,058, calculated as follows:—

	£
Acquisition of land—West side—Arden Estate frontage	1200
Acquisition of land—West side—Express Dairy Company's frontage	450
Alteration to Express Dairy Company's entrance	2450
Road Works	2450
Vendors' legal costs and Surveyors' charges (say)	100
Total estimated cost	£4200

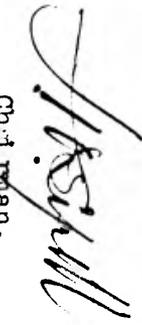
FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

OCTOBER, 1927.

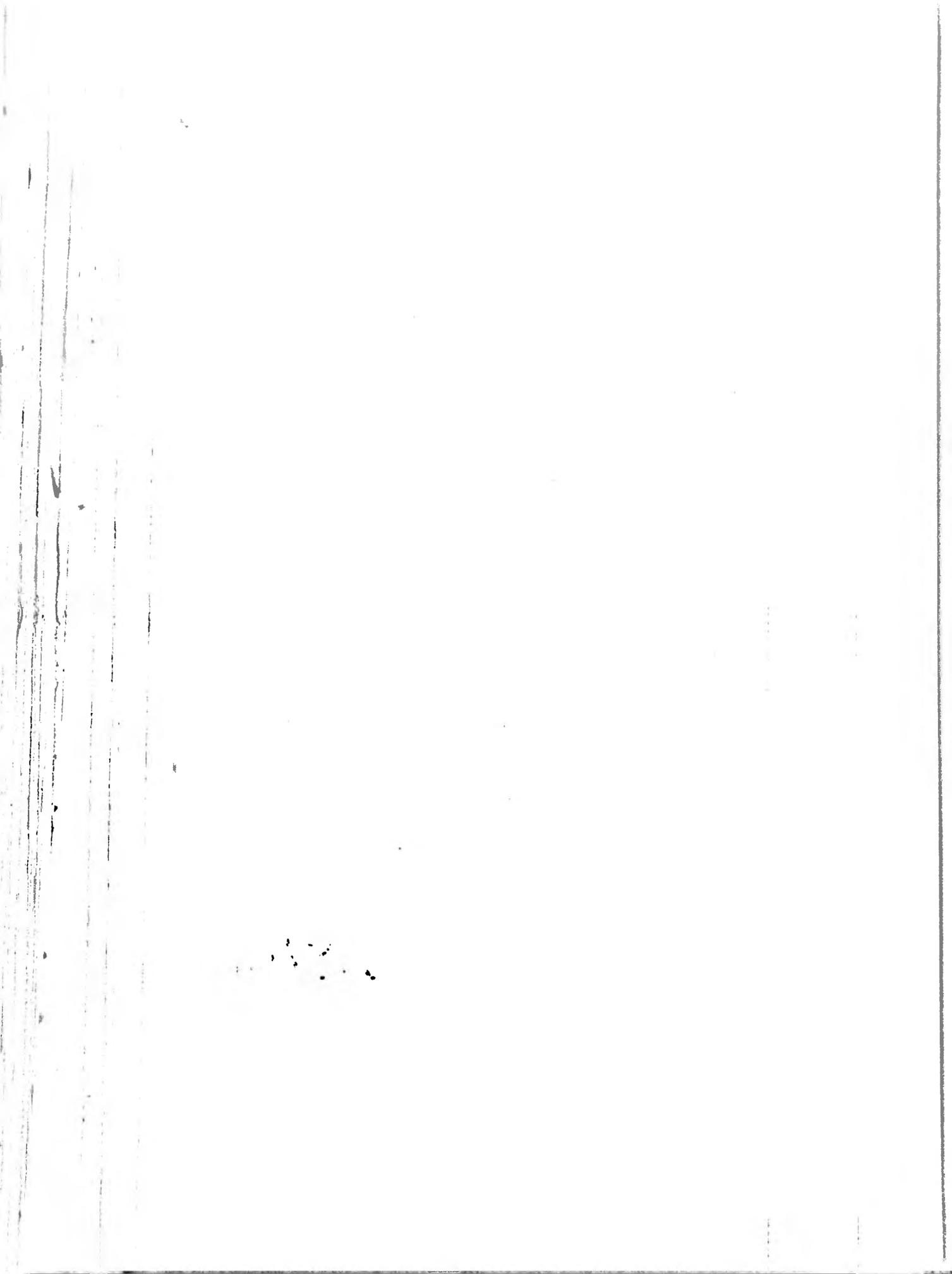
No.	Name.	Locality.	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percent-age to valuation.
						£.	£.	
478.	Bolton, F. A.	12, Lyndhurst Gardens.	F	600	20	875	850	70.6
479.	Barrett, Mr.E.W. & Mrs. C. B.	45, Wentworth Avenue.	F	700	20	1,150	1,125	62.2
480.	Cruwys, W. J.	47, Fortis Green.	F	880	20	1,220	1,100	80
481.	Killby, J. S.	"Minaburn", Nether Street.	L 99 yrs.	650	15	830	840	77.4
482.	Bornzweig, S.	100, Holden Road.	F	880	20	1,200	1,100	80
483.	Tiggell, G. V.	4, Westway, Long Lane.	F	900	20	1,150	1,125	80

£ 4,610

This is the list referred to in paragraph 932 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 12th October 1927.


 Chairman.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINANCE (continued).

Less—	£
Anticipated contribution from Middlesex County Council ...	1050
Anticipated contribution from Ministry of Transport	2100
	--- 3150

Balance to be borne by the Council	£1050
Loan charges	8

	£1058

934 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—18th BATCH.—The reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon was considered.

The Surveyor reported that he estimated the cost of the proposed works at £14, 991, on which the loan charges would amount approximately to £112;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £15,103 for the purpose of the execution of the above works under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875.

935 SEWER FLOODING—BEECHWOOD AVENUE.—The recommendations of the Public Health Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £786, made up as follows:—

FINANCE (*continued*).

Cost of Works	...	...	£780
Loan Charges	...	...	6
			£786

936 STREET WIDENINGS.—

- (1) Regents Park Road opposite to Manor Parade.
- (2) Ballards Lane—Essex House Estate.—

Referring to paragraph 773 of the Committee's report of the 14th September, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter from the Ministry of Health stating that where it was intended that the cost of the acquisition of land and of works in connexion with the proposals for street improvements was to be defrayed by means of a loan, it was necessary that the Minister's sanction be obtained before the Council were committed to any expenditure in respect thereof. It was pointed out that failure to observe this rule might lead to the Council having to defray the cost out of revenue if for any reasons the Minister found himself unable to sanction the loan.

937 HOUSING.—The Committee considered the reference from the Council hereon, and a report of a joint meeting of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and the Special Committee *re* Housing, which had been held on the 3rd October, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection on financial grounds be raised to the recommendations contained in such report; and
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £22,852, calculated as follows :—

FINANCE (continued).

	£
50 Cottages	17702
Additional four cottages	1416
Construction of roads, provision of sewers, and execution of incidental works	3564
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	£22682
Loan charges	170
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	£22852
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938 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.— Referring to Minutes numbered 580 and 784, the Accountant reported that the sum of £1,485 16s. 0d. Five per cent. War Loan Stock, 1929/1947, had been purchased at a cost of £1,521 6s. 6d.

939 LOANS — UNEXERCISED SANCTIONS.—The Accountant submitted a list of certain sanctions issued to the Council by the Minister of Health which had not been exercised;

RECOMMENDED that the under-mentioned sanctions be transmitted to the Ministry of Health for cancellation :—

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FINANCE (continued).

Date.	Purpose.	Amount.	
		£	£
27th Feb., 1903—	Sewage Disposal Works, Cottage	350	
30th Nov., 1914—	Land opposite North Road Schools	520	
30th Nov., 1914—	Ditto (laying out) ...	100	
4th Jan., 1915—	Sewage Disposal Works, Cottage	300	
4th Jan., 1915—	Sewage Disposal Works, Air Compressors ...	610	
27th August, 1921—	Street Improvements—East End Road—additional ...	1200	
21st March, 1922—	Sewage Disposal Works—Filters No. 3 (U.G. Scheme) ...	2480	
29th Dec., 1924—	Open Spaces, Brook Farm—(U.G. Scheme) ...	6862	
9th Oct., 1925—	Waverley Grove Sewer (U.G. Scheme) ...	4221	
			16643
13th Feb., 1920—	Electric Lighting—Reservoir ...	1150	
9th April, 1923—	Mains ...	250	
			1400
30th Nov., 1914—	Education—Land opposite North Road Schools ...	1208	
30th Nov., 1914—	Ditto (fencing) ...	320	
			1528
			<u>£19571</u>

continued).

Amount.
£

516

FINANCE (continued).

940 ALLOTMENTS — LONSDALE MEADOWS — PURCHASE OF PART OF.—It was reported that the Minister of Health had sanctioned the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £600 for the above purpose.

941 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars were submitted from the Branch Employment Office of the Ministry of Labour of the number of unemployed registered in Finchley, as follows :—

As at 11th October, 1927.—

Men, 193; Women, 31.

Last Return (August)—

Men, 153; Women, 36.

October, 1926.—

Men, 164; Women, 25.

942 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. F. E. Cooke (187, Lyttelton Road, N.W. 11).

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	9s. 8d.
General District Rate	5s. 11d.

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Mr. B. E. King (31, Etchingham Park Road).

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	£1 12s. 8d.
General District Rate	19s. 11d.

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Mr. F. J. Robertson (7, Park Side, N. 3.) Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	19s. 9d.
General District Rate	12s. 1d.

Mr. C. Pilsley (143, Etchingham Park Road).

Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	7s. 1d.
General District Rate	4s. 4d.

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£19571

FINANCE (continued).

Crane, Christmas & Co. Rates paid by Glover & Co.

	Poor Rate.			G.D. Rate.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
95, High Road, N. 2—						
1st flat	2	18	1	1	15	5
2nd flat	2	7	10	1	9	2
97, High Road, N. 2—						
1st flat	2	18	1	1	15	5
2nd flat	2	7	10	1	9	2
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	£10	11	10	£6	9	2

Mr. B. Bernard (18, Brent Way). Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	8s.	7d.
General District Rate	5s.	3d.

Mrs. E. Manson (19, Claverley Grove). Premises vacated.

Poor Rate	11s.	3d.
General District Rate	6s.	10d.

943 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £2823 11 5 Cr. (Sept. 1st—30th) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North	193	17	7	5	0	
Collector, South	244	7	3	5	0	
Cashier	3365	6	3	46	1	0
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	£3803	11	1	46	11	0
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				3850	2	1
Leaving balance in hand	1026	10	8

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Barnet Guardians, precept	4997	0	0			
General District Fund, transfer						
Proportion salaries, etc., October	208	16	9			
Invoices and petty cash	179	7	10			
				388	4	7
					5385	4 7
Leaving balance overdrawn					£4358	13 11

945 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £825 14s. 0d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report	£8297	2	5
ADD—			
Transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	94	3	9
Council's contributions	182	5	5
	276	9	2
Less Superannuation payments and re-funds of contributions	106	16	10
			169 12 4
Cheque drawn at last Council Meeting to:—			
Mills & Morley, costs re Avenue House	636	19	10
			806 12 2
			9103 14 7

Cr. (Sept. 1st—30th) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Collector, North	113	8 9	1	6
Collector, South	143	13 6	2	0
Cashier	2053	18 5	21	2 6
	2311	0 8	21	6 0
			2332	6 8

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	
By Cashier (Sept. 1st—30th) general receipts	5142	0	1	
„ Farm Clerk (Sept. 15th—29th) ...	5	4	2	
„ Bath Supt. (Sept. 6th—27th) ...	76	2	2	
„ Collector (Sept. 7th—28th) general rents	13	14	8	
„ Treasurer from Ministry of Health—Grant <i>re</i> Unemployment Loan Schemes	1467	1	10	
Transfers for proportion cost of audit stamp from :—				
Electric Lighting Revenue Account ...	57	1	11	
Education Account ...	34	11	6	
		91	13	5
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, proportion salaries and office expenses	208	16	0	
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages, and petty cash from :—				
Poor Rate Account	179	7	10	
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	133	1	2	
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	170	18	5	
Genl. Loan Accounts	209	8	3	
		692	15	8
			029	15
			926	0
Deduct cheque drawn October 12th to—				
London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loan 287	100	6	10	
Leaving balance in hand ...		£825	14	0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Adams, T., certificate	226	16	0
Andrews & Co., paper	14	13	8
Archer, W. & F., brooms	2	5	6
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement ...	4	4	3

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Aston Construction Co., Ltd., joists, etc.	28	10	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water, etc. ...	318	12	10
Bayliss Jones & Bayliss, Ltd., hurdles	36	10	2
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	6	7	6
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	13	13	9
Carpenter, C. F., audit stamp	240	0	0
Carron Company, seats	6	13	0
Coller, W. L. & E., paper	1	5	2
Cannolly, J. W. & T., Ltd., stocks	2	5	9
Constable Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement, etc. ...	281	3	6
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., paint, etc.	2	2	9
Dawson & Co., Ltd., paving	46	0	0
Deards, R., certificate	483	16	8
Dick, R. & J., Ltd., belting	3	0	2
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., printing, etc. ...	12	3	4
Elsworth Bros., Ltd., blotting paper	1	15	0
Endersby, W. A., timber	3	18	8
Finchley Urban District Council, public lighting re- pairs, etc.	539	12	2
Gas Light & Coke Co., tar, etc.	167	16	6
Gestetner, D., Ltd., stencils	4	7	6
Gibb, J. & Co., Ltd., name plates	2	11	9
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., spirit	3	11	6
Gray Bros (E. Finchley) Ltd., coal	21	6	0
Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., paving	1	3	0
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., paper	4	18	3
Hall, J. & Sons, Ltd., paint	4	2	0
Harrison, J. & Co., certificate	44	0	0
Hill-Jones, T., Ltd., flux	130	6	1
Hornsey, Finchley & Wood Green Joint Hospital Committee, precept.	1183	17	10
Jordan & Sons, Ltd., pads	1	4	0
Judd, W., Ltd., journal	1	2	2
King, Dr. C. A., fees	27	6	0
Lighting Trades, Ltd., mantles	12	11	0
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., asphalt	4	2	6
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., reports	33	9	0
Main, A. & J. & Co., Ltd., gates	11	8	2
Manders, W. & Co., certificate	20	1	10
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	2	8	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	94	1	7
North Middlesex Window Cleaning Co., cleaning ...	4	10	0
Orchard, C. & Co., receipt books	26	8	6
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	78	0	10

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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Pearson, T. E. & Co., Ltd., wallpaper	1	1	0
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	3	7	9
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., car hire	14	15	2
Postmaster-General, rentals	45	8	0
Remington Typewriter Co., Ltd., operator	3	10	0
Rodick, E. E., repairs	1	10	0
Royal Northern Hospital, grant	20	0	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., cleaning materials	1	8	3
Sampson, T., Ltd., paint	14	12	6
Scholefield, J., fees	12	6	0
Seaward, W., cupboard	4	0	0
Shanks, A. & Son, Ltd., repairs	1	5	0
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	44	8	7
Smith, Mrs. K., fees	7	2	7
Steele, A., repairs	11	10	0
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	91	16	1
Underwood Typewriter Co., Ltd., operator, etc.	8	16	3
Walker, J., team labour	326	0	2
Westminster Fire Office, premium	4	12	0
White's Library, diaries	1	0	0
Williams, J. R., shoes	1	10	0
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	26	1	10
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Total Invoices	4806	5	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, wages	24	17	6
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans	686	9	2
Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 75	25	11	0
London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loan 203	143	5	0
Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 82	298	0	0
Salaries—October.—			
Clerk	100	3	5
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	17	11
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay staff	1113	4	6
Ditto firemen	148	19	9
Accountant's Wages Account	1400	0	0
Ditto ditto	1100	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	358	16	0
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FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	825	14	0
Cheques recommended for payment	10381	4	2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£9555	10	2

946 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £4052 5 7

Deduct cheques drawn October 12th, to—

Universal Housing Co., Ltd., certificate	137	10	4
Ditto ditto	117	10	0
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	3797	5	3

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Cullender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., certificate	1000	0	0
Ditto ditto	1000	0	0
Hewittie Electric Co., Ltd., certificate	69	0	0
Ditto ditto	64	3	0
Universal Housing Co., Ltd. ditto (final)	32	10	0
Ditto ditto	15	2	8
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	444	11	10
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	2625	7	6
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Leaving balance in hand	£1171	17	9

947 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1292 0 6

Cr. by Cashier (Sept. 1st—30th) amount received from consumers' services	279	18	7
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Leaving balance in hand	£1571	19	1

FINANCE (continued).

948 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £313 4 7

Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—

Employees' contributions	...	38 16 0	
Council's contributions	... ..	61 9 4	
		<u> </u>	100 5 4
			<u>212 19 3</u>

Cr. (Sept. 1st—30th) by—

Cashier	... ..	4257 18 7	
Collector	... ..	69 3 9	
		<u> </u>	4327 2 4

Transfers for invoices, stores and wages from :—

General District Fund (gas lamps)	... ..	24 17 6	
E.L. Loans Account	... ..	444 11 10	
		<u> </u>	469 9 4
			<u>4796 11 s</u>
			<u>5009 10 11</u>

Deduct cheques drawn October 12th, to—

Biram & Co., coal	... ..	233 1 4	
Goard, T. W., cartage	... ..	5 15 11	
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	... ..	224 11 2	
Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., tyres	... ..	5 15 6	
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	... ..	72 15 6	
Universal Housing Co., Ltd., certificate	... ..	100 14 0	
		<u> </u>	642 13 s
			<u>4366 17 6</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	... ..	12 0 0
Eabcock & Wilcox, Ltd., stoker parts	... ..	58 13 2
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water	1 11 6
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., acid, etc.	20 15 0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin	8 5 2

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FINANCE (continued).

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Brightside Foundry & Engineering Co., Ltd., pipes	50	0	0
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire	3	18	6
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	41	13	11
Calvert, E., expenses	4	2	0
Collins Electrical, Ltd., grinding commutator	12	0	0
Dorman & Smith, Ltd., fuse, etc. ...	4	7	11
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, lamps	83	19	10
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., fittings	28	15	0
Farmiloe & Sons, Ltd., sheet lead ...	2	11	2
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	72	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council, reinstatement	186	12	8
Griffiths Bros. & Co., Ltd., enamel	1	0	6
Hall, J. P. & Sons, Ltd., repairs ...	13	16	11
Haynes, G., cartage	61	3	0
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning cloths	2	14	7
Hobdell, Way & Co., Ltd., screws ...	1	12	5
Keith & Blackman, Ltd., fan	12	0	0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., cement	2	15	4
London County Council, testing fees ...	4	15	0
Low's Typewriter Co., Ltd., paper, etc.	4	16	6
Morgan-Webb, C. C., printing	2	7	6
Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., rent	4	4	0
Park Royal Engineering Co., Ltd., voltmeter, etc.	49	14	6
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	22	1	5
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil	119	2	7
Swedish General Electric Co., Ltd., regulator	7	15	0
Tapp & Toothill, Ltd., covers	5	8	0
Underfeed Stoker Co., Ltd., stoker parts	3	4	0
Universal Housing Co., Ltd., certificate	5	6	0
Venner Time Switches, Ltd., time switches	39	0	0
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards ...	11	15	6
Yale & Towne Co., Ltd., latches	5	2	0
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	12	7	9
Total Invoices	983	8	4

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	122	3	0
Electrical Engineer, wages account ...	800	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	800	0	0
Ditto petty cash account ...	50	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	6	1	7
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loan 61 ...	458	4	9
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans	52	11	10
General District Fund, transfer, proportion cost of audit stamp ...	57	1	11
			<u>3329 11 5</u>
Leaving balance in hand ...			<u>£1037 6 1</u>

949 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £10174 12 5

Cr. (Sept. 1st—30th) amount received from frontagers	170	15	3
			<u>170 15 3</u>
Leaving balance in hand ...			<u>£10345 7 8</u>

950 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1060 12 11

Cr. by Collector (Sept. 7th—28th)—			
Rents	141	11	6
Allotments		16	3
			<u>142 7 9</u>
			<u>1203 0 8</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Bank of England, principal and interest on Loan No. 73	36	13	9
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, etc.	41	15	4
			<u>78 9 1</u>
Leaving balance in hand ...			<u>£1124 11 7</u>

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FINANCE (continued).

951 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—

The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £2259 18 2

Cr. by Collector (Sept. 7th—28th)—
Rents 276 7 10

2536 6 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

General District Fund, transfer, invoices, etc.	91 5 10	
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loan 202, one quarter	1 6 9	
	<u>92 12 7</u>	

Leaving balance in hand £2443 13 5

952 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance

overdrawn upon this account per last report was £7655 13 1

Add Interest Warrants (Housing Bonds) half-year to September 30th 1286 9 1

8942 2 2

Cr. by Collector (Sept. 7th—28th)— Rents 733 12 6	
Transfer fee, bond 2 6	
	<u>733 15 0</u>

By Treasurer from Ministry of Health, on a/c of Exchequer Subsidy ...	2300 0 0	
	<u>3033 15 0</u>	

5908 7 2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Middlesex County Council, loan charges	2885 3 9	
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loan 233, one quarter	179 11 9	
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, etc.	170 18 5	
Bloomfield, Miss E. D., redemption of bond and interest	10 1 0	
	<u>3245 14 11</u>	

Leaving balance overdrawn £9154 2 1

FINANCE (continued).

953 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1813 17 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoice	... ..	6 0 2
Leaving balance in hand	... ..	<u>£1807 17 7</u>

954 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £4871 8 9

Add cheque drawn at Council Meeting, Sept. 26th, to—

Ecclesiastical Commissioners, purchase money, land Great North Road	... ..	700 0 0
		<u>5571 8 9</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Ball, C., certificate	... ..	109 1 7
Manders, W. & Co., certificates	... ..	1112 9 3
Ditto ditto	... ..	3787 18 8
Rainbow, T. A. ditto	... ..	81 9 1
Lane & Cottier, purchase money, lane, East End Road	... ..	400 0 0
Ditto costs <i>re</i> ditto	... ..	10 10 0
Martineau & Reid, purchase money, land, Great North Road	... ..	250 0 0
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash, etc.	... ..	45 11 0
		<u>5796 19 7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	... ..	<u>£11368 8 4</u>

955 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £11802 6 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash	24 0 0
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£11826 6 7</u>

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ACCOUNT.—

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FINANCE (continued).

956 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.

—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was £7115 0 0

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under :—

Chambers & Garnett—

	<i>re</i> Bolton, F. A.	...	600	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Barrett, Mr. & Mrs.				
	E. W.	...	700	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Cruwys, W. J.	...	880	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Killby, J. S.	...	650	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Bernzweig, S.	...	880	0	0
Ditto	<i>re</i> Tiggell, G. V.	...	900	0	0
					<u>4610 0 0</u>

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £11725 0 0

957 RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £405 8 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoice	...	...	...	5	5	6
						<u>5 5 6</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...	£400	3	3

958 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1998 11 2

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, wages, etc.	...	93	17	1
				<u>93 17 1</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	£1904	14	1

FINANCE (continued).

959 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £130 6 4

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoice, etc.	10 7 4
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Leaving balance in hand	...	£119 19 0
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960 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £12 10 0

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash, etc.	24 7 2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£36 17 2
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961 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £142 1 1

Cr. by Treasurer (Sept. 23rd) from —

Southend Corporation, Transfer Value, S. H. Barnett	16 1 2
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Transfers received (Sept. 30th) from—

General District Fund	169 12 4
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	100 5 4
Education Account	39 11 2
			<u>309 8 10</u>

Leaving balance in hand	...	£467 11 1
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	Present Actual Balance 30th Sept., 1927		Recommended per Report, 10th Oct., 1927.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
	CR.	DR.	Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques.	CR.	DR.
			CR.	DR.			
Poor Rate	£ 1026	£ ...	£ ...	£ 388	£ 4997	£ ...	£ 4359
General District Fund ... ..	...	67	993	25	10457	...	9556
Private Street Works Fund	10345	...	...	...	...	10345	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	1203	...	...	42	36	1125	...
" " " " No. 2	2536	...	...	91	1	2444	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	5908	...	171	3075	...	9154
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans	1814	...	...	6	...	1808	...
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	5571	...	46	5751	...	11368
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	11802	...	24	...	...	11826
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	405	...	...	5	...	400	...
Hospitals Loans	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Refuse Destructor Loan	1999	...	...	94	...	1905	...
Public Conveniences Loans	68	...	...	...	...	68	...
Allotments Loans	21	...	...	...	...	21	...
Public Offices Loans	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Storeyards Loans	130	...	...	10	...	120	...
Workmen's Dwellings Loans ... ..	...	13	...	24	...	...	37
Electric Lighting Revenue	4540	...	469	57	3915	1037	...
" " Capital Suspense	1572	...	...	...	...	1572	...
" " Loans	4052	...	...	444	2436	1172	...
Education	2872	...	...	35	5363	...	2526
" Loans	34	...	...	...	...	34	...
	£ 32620	23361	1462	1462	36031	22054	48826
Net Debit	£ 26,772						

FINANCE (continued).

963 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement:—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement	42240	4	9
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	44100	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement—	2311	0	8
Supplemental Assessments	500	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	900	0	0
Estimated excess of product over estimate (first instalment)	531	5	5				
	<u>£45451</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>		<u>£45451</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	69478	8	9
Estimated product of rates for half-year ending 30th September, 1927	72907	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement—	3803	11	1
Supplemental Assessments	800	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	1700	0	0
Estimated excess of product over estimate (first instalment) ...	924	19	10				
	<u>£74981</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>10</u>		<u>£74981</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>10</u>

FINANCE (continued).

964 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £2,871 13s. 8d., made up as follows:—

Balance in hand per last report	...	...	£1307	0	5
Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—					
Employees' contributions	14	18	1
Council's contributions	24	13	1
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			39	11	2
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			1267	9	3
Cr. by Cashier (Sept. 1st—30th)—					
Contributions to Special					
School fees	...	23	10	4	
Medical Treatment	...	12	8	6	
Needlework Sales	...	3	0	2	
Use of Rooms	...	4	5	6	
Managers' proportion cost					
of fuel, light, etc.	...	3	0	0	
Other Authority for					
Institutional Children	...	7	6	2	
Insurance claim, third					
party	...	5	0	0	
Middlesex County Council,					
rent, Summers					
Lane School site	...	32	10	0	
Unemployment Claims—					
Juvenile Employment					
Bureau	...	4	3	9	
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			95	4	5
By Board of Education—					
Instalment of Substantive Grant		1509	0	0	
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			1604	4	5
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Leaving balance in hand	...		£2871	13	8
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RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., stationery, etc.	16	2	1
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water	...	...	17	17	1
Bennet Furnishing Co., Ltd., table	...	...	5	1	6
Berry, A., tools	...	...	9	17	6
Bryson, J. G., stationery, etc.	...	...	6	5	6

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses, etc.	5	19	8
Dental Manufacturing Co., dental supplies	5	7	4
East London Home & School for Blind Children, fees	37	10	0
Finchley Urban District Council, light, repairs, etc.	397	9	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	50	15	0
Griffiths, D. R., repairs	7	10	0
Hall Bros., certificate	25	2	6
Hendon Tarpaving Co., tarpaving	10	7	6
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., supplies	1	12	4
Institution Children, fees—			
City of Cardiff	5	11	6
Wood Green Urban District Council	1	8	10
Joyce & Co., timber	24	15	1
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., cloth, etc.	48	4	4
North Middlesex Gas Co., gas and coke	131	7	10
North Middlesex Window Cleaning Co., cleaning ...	23	2	6
Northcotts (North London) School, fees	9	17	2
Parke, Davis & Co., supplies	18	0	0
Prior, Dr. J. R., fees... ..	21	0	0
Rooke, Dr. W. S., fees	2	2	0
Royal National Orthopædic Hospital, fees	16	11	4
Royal School for Deaf and Dumb Children, Mar-			
gate, fees	75	0	0
St. Andrew's Home, maintenance	18	10	0
St. Vincent's Orthopædic Hospital, maintenance ...	22	10	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., cleaning materials	9	5	0
Stella Lamp Co., Ltd., lamps	14	0	10
Sheldrake, J., gate	3	10	0
Taylor, H. J., firewood	17	5	10
Wight, E. & Co., repairs	86	2	0
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Total Invoices	1127	19	3
General District Fund, transfer, proportion cost of			
audit stamp	34	11	6
Clerical, Medical & General Life Assurance Society,			
principal and interest on loans	169	9	10
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans ...	110	14	10
Ditto ditto ditto	258	14	5
Barelays Bank, Ltd., ditto ditto	370	4	2
Bank of England, ditto ditto	49	13	10

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FINANCE (continued).

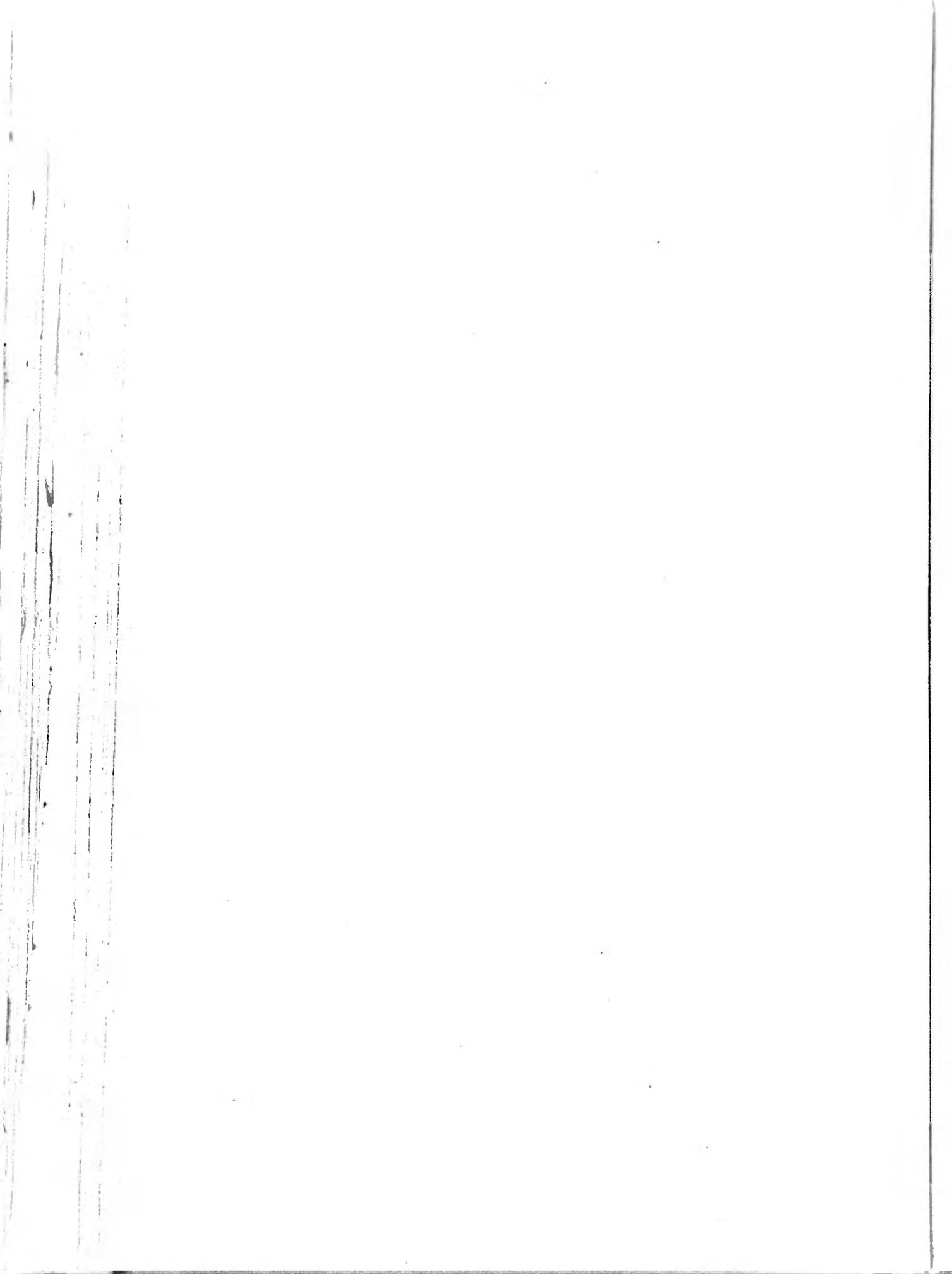
						£	s.	d.
Salaries—								
Turner, Dr. A.	43	17	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
Cogdale, J.	52	18	1
Education Salaries Account	3143	18	8
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						£5398	1	5
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SUMMARY.

				£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	2871	13	8
Cheques recommended for payment	5398	1	5
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Leaving balance overdrawn				£2526	7	9
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F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.



VALUATION COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Mr. Percy H. Chambers (Chairman).
 Cr. H. O. Syrett, J.P. Mr. Wm. Atkinson.
 Cr. E. Toyne. Mr. J. H. Fry.

1. RATING AND VALUATION ACT, 1925.—

- (a) Statutory Forms—Section 40.—The Clerk to the Committee reported that 13,000 notices had been issued to the owners, lessees or occupiers in the District in accordance with section 40 of the Act and that approximately 96 per cent. of the forms had been returned.

Whilst the Committee is of opinion that this response is gratifying, it is hoped that those who have not complied with the provisions of the section referred to will do so at the earliest possible moment as the delay in this respect is impeding the work of the Committee.

- (b) Panel of Valuers.—The Middlesex County Council have passed a resolution to the effect that the County Valuation Committee in consultation with the several Assessment Committees and Rating Authorities be authorised to form a panel of professional valuers and that, where valuers from such panel are engaged by Rating Authorities for the valuation of special properties in co-operation with the County Valuation Officer, their fees be paid by the County Council. Subsequently a communication was received from the County Council enquiring whether this authority desired to submit the name of a professional valuer for inclusion on the panel. The Committee gave the matter careful consideration and submitted the name of Mr. Phillip G. Sneath, of 32, Great St. Helens, E.C., on behalf of this authority.
- (c) New Draft Valuation List.—Conferences have been held with the North Middlesex Assessment Committee to discuss various matters arising under the Act and the preliminary work in connection with the new draft list is proceeding. It is, however, not possible for the Committee to make much progress with the actual valuations until the County Valuation Committee have come to a definite decision in regard to the method and standard to be adopted in the County.

VALUATION (*continued*).

The Committee is informed that this matter is to be discussed at a conference to be convened by the Middlesex County Council at the end of October or at the beginning of November.

- (d) Generally.—Owing to the complex character of the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925, the work of compiling the new Valuation List is difficult and the Committee trust that the ratepayers of the District will assist them in their task by promptly complying with any requests that may be made for details to enable them to carry out the duties cast upon the Rating Authority under the Act.

2. SUPPLEMENTAL VALUATION LIST.—Supplemental Valuation List No. 57 has been lodged with and approved by the North Middlesex Assessment Committee.

3. APPEALS.—Several Finchley appeals have been heard by the North Middlesex Assessment Committee and in no case has the decision of this Committee been reversed.

4. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE.—The Committee have heard with regret of the resignation of Mr. Wm. Atkinson, and they desire to place on record their high appreciation of the services rendered by him, not only on this Committee but also for some years previously as an Overseer.

PERCY H. CHAMBERS,

Chairman.

28th September, 1927.

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

23rd November, 1927

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 28th day of November, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 7th November, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 8th November, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 9th November, 1927,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 10th November, 1927,
 - (e) **Education** of the 14th November, 1927,

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 15th November, 1927,
- (g) **Electricity** of the 16th November, 1927,
- (h) **Finance** of the 16th November, 1927.

- 3. Correspondence.
- 4. Reports of Officers.
- 5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

- 6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the **Finance Committee's Report** of the 16th November, 1927.”

- 7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.
- 8. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

- 9. Reports of Committees :—

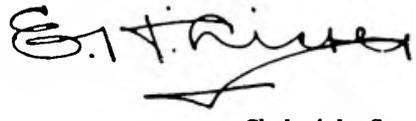
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- (b) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 9th November, 1927.
- (c) **Allotments** of the 10th November, 1927,
- (d) **General Purposes** of the 15th November, 1927,
- (e) **Electricity** of the 16th November, 1927,
- (f) **Sub-Committee re Nether Court Estate—Proposed Golf Course** of the 24th November, 1927.

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- 10. Reports of Officers.
- 11. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

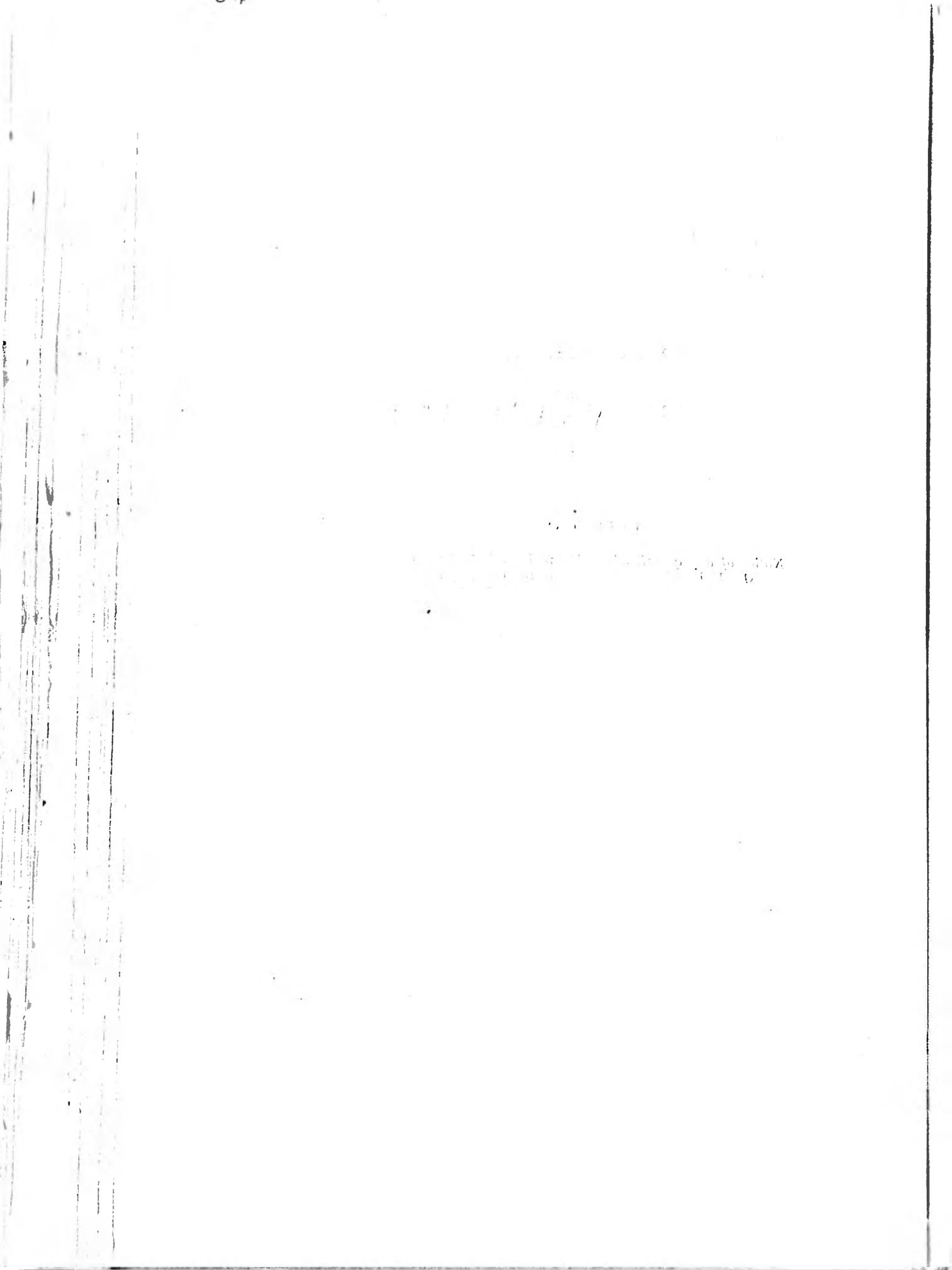
Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
24th October, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
24th day of October, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pateman, G. H.
Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
England, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

965 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

966 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

(a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 3rd October, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 838 (Town Planning Scheme No. 1—Draft Scheme), the Chairman of the Committee made a statement on the matter and indicated, for the information of the Members, the effect of the provisions of the more important clauses in the draft Scheme.—The recommendations of the Committee contained in such paragraph were then put and carried unanimously.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) **Public Health** of the 4th October, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 851 (Improvement—Tally Ho! Corner), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 846 (b) (Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923), it was

RESOLVED that the word " Joseph " be inserted after the word " Mr." in the second line thereof.

- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 5th October, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 857 (Fires), it was

RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Committee make a statement, in Committee, with regard to the test calls given on the 7th and 26th September, 1927, respectively.

Arising out of paragraph 864 (Highways Outdoor Sub-Committee) it was

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor C. S. Syrett and duly seconded, that the words " as at present submitted " be inserted after the word " application " in the fourth line of recommendation (1) relating to the proposed railway siding, East Finchley, for Manor Farm Dairy.

- (d) **Allotments** of the 6th October, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 880 (2) (Allotments—Lonsdale Meadows—Purchase of part of), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 880 (1) (Allotments—Summers Lane—Glebe Land) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Agar and seconded by Councillor Merry " that recommendation No. 13 be deleted."

On being put the amendment was carried.

The paragraph, with the deletion of recommendation (13) was then put and carried, fourteen voting in favour and two against (Councillors Briant and C. S. Syrett).

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- (e) **Education** of the 10th October, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 889 (Mr. C. E. Bridges, Head Master Squires Lane School), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 11th October, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 902 (Local Government and Other Officers' Superannuation Act, 1922—Vacant Designated Posts) a letter, dated 13th October, 1927, was submitted from the Medical Officer of Health stating that he had examined Mr. A. Glenister and had found him to be in good health and of sound physique.

Arising out of paragraph 903 (Proposed Roman Catholic School) an amendment was proposed by Councillor C. S. Syrett and seconded by Councillor Agar "that the Council as the Education Authority, advise the Board of Education that they do not propose to take any part in the management of the school in question."

On being put the amendment was lost, five voting in favour (Councillors Agar, Pocock, Briant, Wade and C. S. Syrett) and eleven against (Councillors Broadbent, Merry, Knowlman, Wells, Sommerfield, England, Bowen, Pateman, Grocott, Pike, and Toyne).

Arising out of paragraph 907 (Statue—La Délivrance) it was **RESOLVED**—

- (1) that a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to the Chairman of the Council for the able and dignified manner in which he conducted the proceedings in connexion with the unveiling ceremony;
- (2) that the thanks of the Council be also accorded to the Clerk of the Council and to the Surveyor for the services rendered by them respectively in connexion with the making of the necessary arrangements.

Arising out of paragraph 908 (Pawnbrokers' Act, 1872—Pawnbroker's Certificate) a letter, dated 21st October, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. W. W. Box and Co. forwarding Statutory Declaration as evidence

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that the Statutory requirements as to notices had been complied with in connexion with their client's application for a Pawnbroker's Certificate.

Arising out of paragraph 914 (a) (Surveyor's Department—9, The Hawthorns—Additional Office Accommodation) the Clerk reported that the licence had been sealed by the Council and that the part signed by the freeholder was expected to be received within the next day or so.

- (g) **Electricity** of the 12th October, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 928 (Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926—Scheme), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (h) **Finance** of the 12th October, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 937 (Housing) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (i) **Valuation** of the 28th September, 1927.

967 MR. COUNTY ALDERMAN B. TODD, J.P.—DEPARTURE FROM FINCHLEY.—A letter, dated 4th October, 1927, was submitted from County Alderman B. Todd, J.P., conveying to the Council his grateful thanks for, and high appreciation of, the sentiments contained in the resolution passed at last meeting.

968 GLEBE LAND.—A letter, dated 10th October, 1927, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the Finchley Football Club pointing out that the Club had given to the Education Authority the free use of a portion of the ground for the past three years and suggesting that, in the circumstances, the Council might see their way to make a nominal reduction in the rent of say £5, thereby making the rent £45 per annum only;

RESOLVED that such reduction in the rent be made this year.

969 PUBLIC HEALTH (SMOKE ABATEMENT) ACT, 1926—CONFERENCE.—A letter, dated 21st October, 1927, was submitted from the Coal Smoke Abatement Society stating that the proposed conference would be held at the Guildhall in the City of London, on Thursday, the 3rd November, 1927, at 3.30 p.m., and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend thereat;

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RESOLVED that the Medical Officer of Health and the Chief Sanitary Inspector be so appointed.

970 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 12th October, 1927, amounting to £41,107 2s. 6d.

971 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the undermentioned documents, namely:—

- (1) Licence to Mr. A. R. Yates to deal in game at 6, Park Parade, North Finchley;
- (2) Endorsement on licence to Messrs. Norman James, Ltd., in regard to increased storage of petroleum;
- (3) Licence to Mr. D. A. Thomson to carry on the business of a Pawnbroker at 9, Market Parade, North Finchley;
- (4) Address to the Rt. Hon. Viscount Rothermere, P.C., in connexion with the gift of Statue—La Délivrance;
- (5) Contract with Universal Housing Company, Ltd., for erection of Electricity Sub-Station at Percy Road, North Finchley;
- (6) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 12th October, 1927;
- (7) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £4,610 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- * (8) Contract with Messrs. Turner & Payne for erection of 54 brick-built cottages on the Glebe land site, North Finchley;

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- (9) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage No. 216 from Mrs. Tarry to the Council *re* 30, Summerlee Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (10) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage No. 67 from Mr. M. Moore to the Council *re* 52, Brent Way (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (11) Agreement with Clark's College, Ltd., for Widening — Ballards Lane — Essex House Estate;
- * (12) Contract with Mr. C. Carter for the carrying out of Improvement Works in Ballards Lane, along the frontage of the Essex House Estate;
- (13) Licence from Mr. E. C. Arden to make alterations at No. 9, The Hawthorns;
- (14) Agreement with Middlesex County Council for transfer of Christ's College to the County Council;
- (15) Representations of the Council in regard to the South East England Electricity Scheme, 1927.

* See report of Council in Committee.

972 TENDERS—IMPROVEMENT WORKS—BALLARDS LANE—BY ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

973 PLAYING FIELDS.—Reference was made by the Chairman of the Council to the efforts which were being made by the Finchley Playing Fields Appeals Committee to raise funds for the purpose of acquiring additional playing fields in Finchley; he appealed to each Member of the Council to do what he could personally, and also to use his influence in the matter; it was hoped that it would be possible to raise a considerable sum of money and, if that were accomplished, the Committee, he stated, intended to approach the Council and to ask them to contribute an equal amount; any lands purchased or given would be handed to the Council for control and management.

974 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

975 HOUSING.—A report of a Joint Meeting of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and the Special Committee re Housing, dated 3rd October, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered, in conjunction with paragraph 937 of the Finance Committee's report of the 12th October, 1927:—

Present: Councillors Bowen, Briant, Knowlman, Patoman, Pike, H. O. Syrett, Toyne, Wade and Wells, and Councillors Pocock and Ryan (non-members).

CHAIRMAN: Councillor H. O. Syrett was appointed Chairman of the Joint Meeting.

HOUSING.—

- (1) Surveyor's Report.—The Surveyor reported upon the tenders received for 50 brick-built cottages which had been opened and referred to this Joint Meeting for consideration at the last meeting of the Council, and stated that assuming the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Turner & Payne (the lowest) at £17,702, the approximate capital cost per house would therefore be £354, plus £26 in respect of incidental services (not therein included), making a total of £380 per house as compared with his original estimate of £443. He further stated that it had been found that owing to the irregularity of the site, it would be uneconomical to erect more than ten houses to the acre, and he suggested that as the area available was 5.4 acres, 54 houses should be built thereon.
- (2) Capital Cost.—Based on the foregoing report, the following is a statement of the probable cost of erecting each of the houses with land, roads and sewers, as compared with the estimate on which the Special Housing Committee's Report was based:—

	Original estimated cost. (16 houses to 1 acre).			Probable cost. (10 houses to 1 acre).		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
House ...	443	0	0	380	0	0
Land ...	15	12	6	25	0	0
Roads ...	13	2	6	20	0	0
Sewers ...	15	12	6	20	0	0
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	£492	7	6	£445	0	0

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- (3) Annual Repayments of Capital Cost.—Calculated on the same basis as was the figure mentioned in the Special Housing Committee's Report, the annual charges per house are now estimated at £24 3s. 10d., as compared with the Special Committee's estimate of £26 12s. 5d.
- (4) Annual Cost.—Adding to the above mentioned amount of £24 3s. 10d. the sum of £15 12s. 0d. in respect of rates and water, repairs and administration, it will be seen that the estimated annual cost per house is now £39 15s. 10d. instead of £42 4s. 5d.
- (5) Weekly Rent.—Based upon the foregoing amended estimates, the Committees had under consideration the alternative approximate rents at which the houses could be let. These are hereunder compared with the figures which appear in the Special Committee's report:—

	Rents based on annual charge of £42 4s. 5d. per house.	Rents based on annual charge of £39 15s. 10d. per house.
Rent without Government Subsidy	16/2 a week.	15/4 a week.
Rent with Government Subsidy of £4 for 20 years	14/8 a week.	13/10 a week.
Rent with Government Subsidy of £7 10s. for 40 years	11/8 a week. (say 12/- a week).	11/2 a week.

In the last mentioned case, however, it would be necessary for the Council to contribute a sum equal to £4 10s. 0d. a year per house from the rates in order to qualify for the Government Subsidy of £7 10s. 0d.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

After carefully considering the whole matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—

- (i) that 51 (in lieu of 50) brick-built cottages containing the accommodation indicated in the Special Housing Committee's Report submitted at the meeting of the Council held on the 25th July, 1927, be erected on that part of the Glebe Land set apart for housing purposes;
- (ii) that an inclusive rent of 13/10 a week be charged;
- (iii) that the tender of Messrs. Turner & Payne for the erection of 50 cottages at the sum of £17,702 be accepted, subject—
 - (a) to such tender being amended so as to provide for the erection of an additional four cottages of a similar type at a price *pro rata* to that for the fifty cottages;
 - (b) to the Ministry of Health's approving the Scheme and sanctioning the borrowing by the Council of the necessary moneys;
- (iv) that tenders be invited for the construction of the roads, provision of sewers and execution of incidental works (estimated cost, £3,564);
- (v) that application be made to the Ministry of Health for approval to the Scheme; and
- (vi) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to the necessary financial arrangements being made.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

After full discussion it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the report above set forth, and also the said paragraph of the Finance Committee's report be received and adopted, subject to the words " with a subsidy of £4 per annum per house for twenty years " being inserted after the word " Scheme " in recommendation (iii) (b) of the report of the Joint Meeting ;
- (2) that the Contract with Messrs. Turner & Payne be added to the List of Documents for Sealing.

976 IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO ! CORNER.—Paragraph 851 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 4th October, 1927, was considered ;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

977 FIRES.—The Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee made a statement with regard to the test calls given on the 7th and 26th September, 1927, respectively, and intimated that a further report on certain matters connected with the Fire Brigade would be made to the Council at a later date.

978 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS—PURCHASE OF PART OF.—Paragraph 880 (2) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 6th October, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Clerk reported that he had further revised the draft Conveyance as instructed by the Committee and had received a letter, dated 14th October, 1927, from Messrs. Boulton Sons & Sandeman stating that if the Council persisted in the deletion of the Clause relating to the fencing the matter would be at an end.

The Chairman of the Committee reported that the estimated cost of the erection of the close boarded fencing was £95 ;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to negotiate further with Messrs. Boulton Sons & Sandeman on the matter and to state, without prejudice, that the Council will be prepared to contribute one-half of the cost of such fencing and, at the same time, to point out that the Coun-

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cil were never informed when the offer to purchase was made that there would be an endeavour to throw upon them this liability.

979 MR. C. E. BRIDGES—HEAD MASTER SQUIRES LANE SCHOOL.—Paragraph 889 of the Education Committee's report of the 10th October, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

980 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—SCHEME.—Paragraph 928 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 12th October, 1927, was considered, and the following correspondence was submitted :—

(a) Letter of the 12th October, 1927, from the Acting Hon. Secretary of the Conference of Local Authorities Owning Electricity Undertakings in Greater London forwarding copy of the following resolutions passed at a meeting held on the 11th October, 1927, viz. :—

(i) "That this Conference, representing the under-mentioned 59 Local Authority authorised undertakers requests the Central Electricity Board to furnish to the constituent Authorities sufficient information to enable them to check the estimates of future cost, etc., set out in the Supplementary Particulars accompanying the Scheme, and, in the meantime, to extend until the 1st January, 1928, the time allowed for representations to be made to the Board."

(ii) "That the Board be urgently requested to hold in due course a Public Inquiry into the representations made by authorised undertakers as contemplated by Section 4 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926."

and asking the Council to make similar representations to the Central Electricity Board at an early date.

(b) Letter of the 14th October, 1927, from the Central Electricity Board enclosing copy of correspondence which had passed between the Secretary of the Board and the Acting Hon. Secretary of the Conference of Local Authorities Owning Electricity Undertakings in Greater London.

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- (c) Letter of the 19th October, 1927, from the Conference of Local Authorities Owning Electricity Undertakings in Greater London forwarding certain suggestions as to the lines which should be followed by the Council in making their representations to the Central Electricity Board.

The Chairman of the Committee made a full statement on the matter;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (2) that the whole question be referred to a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Electricity Committee, together with the Clerk of the Council and the Chief Electrical Engineer, and that they be empowered to take such action as may be expedient or necessary in order to safeguard the position of the Council;
- (3) that the Conference be informed that the Council have decided to lodge formal objection to the Scheme;
- (4) that the Central Electricity Board be notified that the Council have had before them copy of a letter, dated 12th October, 1927, addressed to the Board by the Conference and that they support the resolutions and views contained therein.

981 PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 4th October, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Wells (non-member).

PRIVATE DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—The Clerk reported as follows :—

“The Committee will no doubt remember that at the meeting of the Council held on the 25th July, 1927, I reported fully as to what had transpired in this matter up to that date. The Council thereupon instructed and empowered me to take, on their behalf, such further steps as might be expedient or necessary for the carrying out of the drainage works.

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I accordingly deemed it advisable, under the circumstances, to consult Mr. John Hodson on the matter, who advised that it was necessary for the Council to obtain a further Order from the Justices authorising the Council to enter the premises. Such Order was obtained at the Highgate Court on the 19th August, 1927, and Mrs. Dixon was ordered to pay the Council £10 10s. 0d. costs. The Order was served on Mrs. Dixon, but she still refused to allow the Council's Officers access to her premises and the question then arose as to whether or not, in view of the Order which had been obtained, the Council were empowered to use force to enter the premises in order to enable them to carry out the work.

Upon this point I deemed it necessary to obtain the Opinion of Mr. Joshua Scholefield, K.C. Although Mr. Scholefield was definitely of the opinion that force could not be used, he yet stated in his Opinion that in the various Notices and Orders there was a 'lack of sufficient precision as to what the Local Authority require as regards the single private drain and/or the branch drains.' As the Officers of the Council who had been dealing with this matter were of opinion that so far as they were concerned, the provisions of the Statutes had been rigidly complied with, it was arranged that I should have a consultation with Mr. Scholefield and discuss the matter further with him, in conjunction with the Surveyor and the Chief Sanitary Inspector. I mentioned this proposal to the Chairman of the Council, and he agreed.

As a result of such consultation Mr. Scholefield agreed to amend his Opinion. This has now come to hand, and he states that he is satisfied that up to now the Council have done all that could properly be done in order to cope with a difficult situation, and that he wishes to withdraw his view that there had been a lack of sufficient precision in the wording of the various Notices and Orders.

The course of action which should be pursued was discussed and agreed upon at the consultation with Mr. Scholefield. This was to the effect that under the last Order of the Justices the Council should proceed to deal with the drain which ran under the forecourt of the premises. If after having executed the work of repairing the drain under the forecourt Mrs. Dixon still refused admittance to her house, then Mr. Scholefield advised that a fresh Order

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should be obtained from the Justices authorising the Council to enter her house for the purpose of repairing the single private drain, so that there could be no doubt as to what was required. If, after such Order was obtained and served upon her, Mrs. Dixon still persisted in refusing admittance, then Mr. Scholefield advised the Council to obtain from the High Court a Declaration that they were entitled to enter and execute the necessary works, and to obtain an Injunction restraining Mrs. Dixon from preventing them so doing.

I have, therefore, to report that in accordance with the line of action agreed upon, the work of repairing the drain under the forecourt of the premises has been concluded, and that it has become necessary to obtain admittance to the house to deal with the single private drain.

Mrs. Dixon still refuses to grant admittance to her house, and I propose, therefore, to make an application to the Highgate Court for an Order in the terms suggested by Mr. Scholefield, and this I have arranged with the Clerk of the Court shall be done on the 12th October, 1927.

If the Council are successful in obtaining such Order, and if Mrs. Dixon, after the service thereof upon her, still persists in her refusal to admit the Council's Officers to her premises, I shall be glad of the Committee's instructions as to whether the proceedings in the High Court should be taken as suggested by Mr. Scholefield."

After full discussion it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken, and proposed to be taken as indicated above, be approved;
- (b) that, if the Council are successful in obtaining an Order from the Justices above-mentioned, and if, after service upon her, Mrs. Dixon still persists in her refusal to permit the Council's Officers to enter her premises, the proceedings in the High Court as suggested by Counsel be instituted and that the Clerk be instructed to take the necessary action;
- (c) that the whole of the facts be laid before the Urban District Councils' Association with a view to their making a contribution towards the expenses which

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will be incurred by the Council in the event of their taking the High Court proceedings referred to.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

Arising thereout the Clerk reported that the Highgate Justices made an Order for entry on the 12th October, 1927, and awarded the Council ten guineas costs;

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

982 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 11th October, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillor Toyno (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Pocock (non-member).

AVENUE HOUSE—ATTORNEY GENERAL v. THE COUNCIL AND OTHERS.—

- (a) The Clerk submitted a letter, dated 20th September, 1927, from the Estate Duty Office, asking to be informed, in due course, the result of the claim for rent and dilapidations, and stating that the application for abatement of interest on Estate and Succession Duty would then be considered.
- (b) The Clerk also submitted a letter, dated 6th October, 1927, from Messrs. Lees & Co., stating that the Transfer was completed on that date; that the property was therefore now vested in the Council, and that they assumed the Council would take immediate steps to carry out the Trust declared by Clause 14 of the late Mr. Stephens' Will.
- (c) The Clerk also submitted a letter of the 10th October, 1927, from Messrs. Lees & Co., enclosing copy Case (in relation to the Council's claim for rent, etc.), for the Opinion of Counsel, together with Sir Herbert Cunliffe's Opinion thereon.

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- (d) The Clerk reported upon an interview which he had had with the Charity Commissioners in regard to the question of the Council's making regulations for the care and upkeep of the grounds in accordance with the terms of the Will, when he stated he had ascertained that such Regulations would not need the approval of the Commissioners, but that a copy should be forwarded to them for their information before adoption. Further, that usual Open Spaces Byelaws were generally made applicable;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the question of draft Regulations be referred to the Avenue House Sub-Committee, with a view to their submitting them to this Committee for approval;
- (2) that Messrs. Lees & Co. be requested to obtain a further Opinion from Sir Herbert Cunliffe, K.C., on the points raised at the meeting; that if Sir Herbert Cunliffe was still of his original Opinion after further consideration, the Clerk be instructed to arrange an interview with the Air Ministry; endeavour to effect a compromise with regard to the payment of rent, etc., and report further to the Council in Committee.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

Arising thereout, the Clerk submitted a letter, dated 19th October, 1927, from Messrs. Lees & Co. enclosing further Opinion of Sir Herbert Cunliffe, K.C., and reported upon an interview which he had had with Mr. Failes, of the War Office, and with Messrs. Lees & Co. on the matter;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the report be received and adopted;
- (b) that Messrs. Lees & Co. be instructed to communicate with the Treasury Solicitor, as suggested at the interview above-mentioned, with a view to ascertaining whether it is possible for any sum to be obtained

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in respect of rent and, failing success, that the claim for rent be abandoned; further, that they be also instructed, if necessary, to obtain from the Treasury Solicitor an assurance that, should the Council abandon their claim for rent, the other items will be agreed and a contest in Court thereby avoided.

983 ELECTRICITY SUB-STATION SITE—PERCY ROAD.—A letter, dated 18th October, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Merton, Jones & Lewsey hereon;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration.

984 ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING — EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN, £24,000.—A letter, dated 20th October, 1927, was submitted from the Electricity Commissioners, referring the Council to the provisions of the South-East England Electricity Scheme on the questions which had been raised as to the probable date and price of a supply for the requirements of the Council and stating that, as the Scheme was now in the hands of the Central Electricity Board, the Council would no doubt approach the Board for any further information which might be desired on these questions;

RECOMMENDED that the Electricity Commissioners be informed that the Council consider the reply extremely unsatisfactory and that they be asked to furnish the Council with definite replies to the points raised by them in the previous correspondence and also to supply the undertaking referred to therein; that it be pointed out again that the Council are very concerned as to their ability to meet their Statutory obligations for the coming Winter and still more so for the Winter of 1928, unless the additional plant is installed and that, in view of the possibility, which it is understood is not remote, of the Council's not being able to obtain a supply from the Central Electricity Board for some time to come, they feel most strongly that the only course open is for the Commissioners to grant them the sanction to the loan which they applied for early in 1926.

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985 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—Referring to Minute No. 831, the Clerk reported that the Mortgagors in question had paid the amounts due to the Council.

986 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—

- (a) The Chairman of the Council submitted photos of the Unveiling Ceremony which had been received;

RECOMMENDED that it be left to the Chairman of the Council to arrange for some of such photos to be enlarged, framed and hung in the Committee Room.

- (b) The Chairman of the Council reported as to the temporary arrangement which had been made for the illumination of the Statue at night;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved and that the arrangement be continued until the end of the present month;
- (2) that thanks be accorded to the Chief Electrical Engineer for his assistance in the matter.

- (c) A letter, dated 21st October, 1927, was submitted from Mr. E. Outhwaite enclosing a translation of the speech of Mons. Guillaume (the Sculptor) at the luncheon following the Unveiling Ceremony;

Annexed **RECOMMENDED** that the Clerk be directed to forward to each of the local Papers a copy of such translation.

987 EAST END ROAD WIDENING—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.—Letter, dated 19th October, 1927, was submitted from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone hereon;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

988 COBLEY'S FARM—SITE OF.—The Chairman of the Council submitted a letter, dated 18th October, 1927, received by him

Translation of

Speech made by M. Emile Guillaume

at Lord Rothermere's Luncheon at the Savoy.

20th October, 1927.

I regret very much that I am unable to express myself so fluently, even in French, as I can in sculpture. I should like to say how grateful I am and how deep my emotion is at the references which have been made to my country, France. Mr. Lloyd George is a friend of my great friend, M. Briand, and I was greatly touched by what he said about France in his speech this morning.

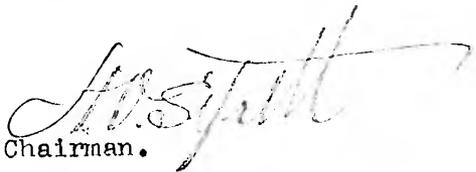
It may perhaps interest you to know how this statue came into existence. It was not so much conceived by me as imposed upon me by events. Immediately after the Battle of the Marne I felt the inspiration of all that this great Allied victory meant to humanity, and I tried to realise in clay what Mr. Lloyd George has expressed so well in words.

My feeling was that all of us were delivered from a terrible danger. It was not France alone which was delivered from that danger but the whole of humanity, all those who loved and worked for their country. To them I dedicated my statue - to the Allied Armies and to the people of every land who served their fellow-men. This is an eternal service. It is not only of yesterday but of today and to-morrow. Those who worked for this cause in the past can work for it also in the future, not only in war but in peace as well.

Let those who feel thus take my statue for a symbol.

I was engaged on the work for two years, from the time of the Battle of the Marne. Amid all the discouragements of the campaign I continued. There were 720 sittings for "La Delivrance", each of two hours. My model was an admirable woman. In drinking my health you drank hers also, for she did as much towards the success of the work as myself. I thank you in her name as well as mine. I thank you all and I embrace you.

This is a copy of the translation of the speech of Mons. Guillaume referred to in paragraph 986 (c) of the Council Minutes of the 24th October 1927.


Chairman.

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from Major The Hon. E. Cadogan, C.B., M.P., forwarding sketch of the tablet proposed to be erected at or near to above;

RECOMMENDED that same be approved.

989 NETHERCOURT ESTATE—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—The Chairman of the Council read a letter, dated 22nd October, 1927, received by him from Mr. P. H. Chambers hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that same be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration;
- (b) that Mr. Chambers be informed that, in the absence of a report from the appropriate Committee, the Council are unable to express any definite views on the proposal submitted but that, if satisfactory financial arrangements can be made, they are prepared to give the matter their careful consideration.

990 TENDERS—IMPROVEMENT WORKS—BALLARDS LANE BY ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE.—The tenders received in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the tender of Mr. C. Carter at the sum of £315 1s. 2d. be accepted, subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health being received to the necessary loan;
- (b) that the Contract be added to the list of documents for sealing.

991 STAFF—SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT — CHIEF ASSISTANT ENGINEER.—The Surveyor reported that, owing to a breakdown in health, Mr. H. W. Melhuish had been granted by the Chairman of the Council leave of absence and that he would, in all probability, be away for three or four weeks;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken by the Chairman of the Council be approved;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) that authority be given for the appointment of a temporary assistant in the Surveyor's Department for a period not exceeding six months at a salary of from six to seven guineas a week according to the qualifications of the selected candidate;
- (c) that it be left to the Chairman of the Council and to the Surveyor to make the appointment, subject to report.

992 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume, and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Pateman voting against paragraph 579).


Chairman.

28th November 1927.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

7th November, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Wells (non-member).

993 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

994 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

995 TOWN PLANNING.—

(a) Scheme No. 2.—

- (i) Objections and representations.—The Clerk submitted (a) letter dated the 14th October, 1927, from the County Solicitor, intimating that it was the County Council's intention to object to the above Scheme in so far as it restricted certain land situate in Rosemont Avenue, North Finchley, to the erection of dwelling-houses, unless this Council were prepared to exclude such property from that restriction; and (b) letter also dated the 14th October, 1927, from the Ministry of Health requesting to be furnished with the Council's observations on a letter which had been addressed to that Department by Messrs. Emden, Egan & Co. on behalf of Messrs. Pope & Sons. The latter communication asked that certain property at the rear of Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Dantzic Parade, Ballards Lane, belonging to Messrs. Pope & Sons should be released from the restriction imposed on it by the Council's Preliminary Statement and scheduled for industrial instead of for residential purposes;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a), the Clerk be instructed to communicate with the County Solicitor asking that the County Council's representations in the first instance be addressed to the Ministry of Health, and intimating that

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

this Council will give consideration to any observations which that Department may have to make in the matter;

- (2) that as regards (b), the matter be left in the hands of the Surveyor for negotiation and report.

- (ii) Suggested preservation of Historical Stone at Whetstone.—The Clerk reported on correspondence which he had had with the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Health hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left in the hands of the Clerk and that he report further at next meeting.

- (iii) Premises—8, Rosemont Villas.—A letter was submitted from Messrs. Peacock, Fisher & Co. stating that it was the intention of their client, Mr. Charles William Miller, to use the above premises for the business of a boot repairer, which would necessitate his installing machinery; that in all probability the garage at the rear of the property would be used as the workshop, but that Mr. Miller did not anticipate that much noise would be occasioned.

It was reported that the property in question was situate within the area of Town Planning Scheme No. 2, which area under the Preliminary Statement was scheduled for residential and business purposes, industrial buildings being allowed only by the special consent of the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the Council offer no objection to the proposal.

- (b) Scheme No. 1.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health (Town Planning) Regulations, 1921, required that a Local Authority by whom a draft Town Planning Scheme had been adopted should serve notice of the resolution of such adoption on the owners of land included in the Town Planning Scheme, and having regard to the fact that the 31st December, 1927, had been advertised as the last day for the receipt of objections and representations,

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P I N C H L E Y U R B A N D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L .

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,
7TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 10TH NOVEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE	2191 0 0
EXTRA ITEMS:- Pavilion, Putting Green.)	
Globe land entrance.)	375 0 0
	£ 2566 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1815 11 7

Req. Item
No. No.

RECREATION GROUND.

636	1	Wages.	35 0 0
637	5&13	0 Transfer from stores, tools etc.	- 12 5
638	6	Water.	1 0 7
			36 13 0

CHERRY TREE WOOD.

639	17	Wages.	12 0 0
640	21	Water and sundries.	2 1 2
641		2 tons top dressing for hard courts.	7 0 0
642	25	0 Transfer from stores, oil, paint, etc.	15 6
643	0	1 oil stove.	13 6
644	0	1 hand bell.	1 7 6
			23 17 8

ARDEN PLAYING FIELDS.

645	24	Water and gas.	6 8 5
646	0	Wages, attending conveniences.	1 9 10
			7 18 3

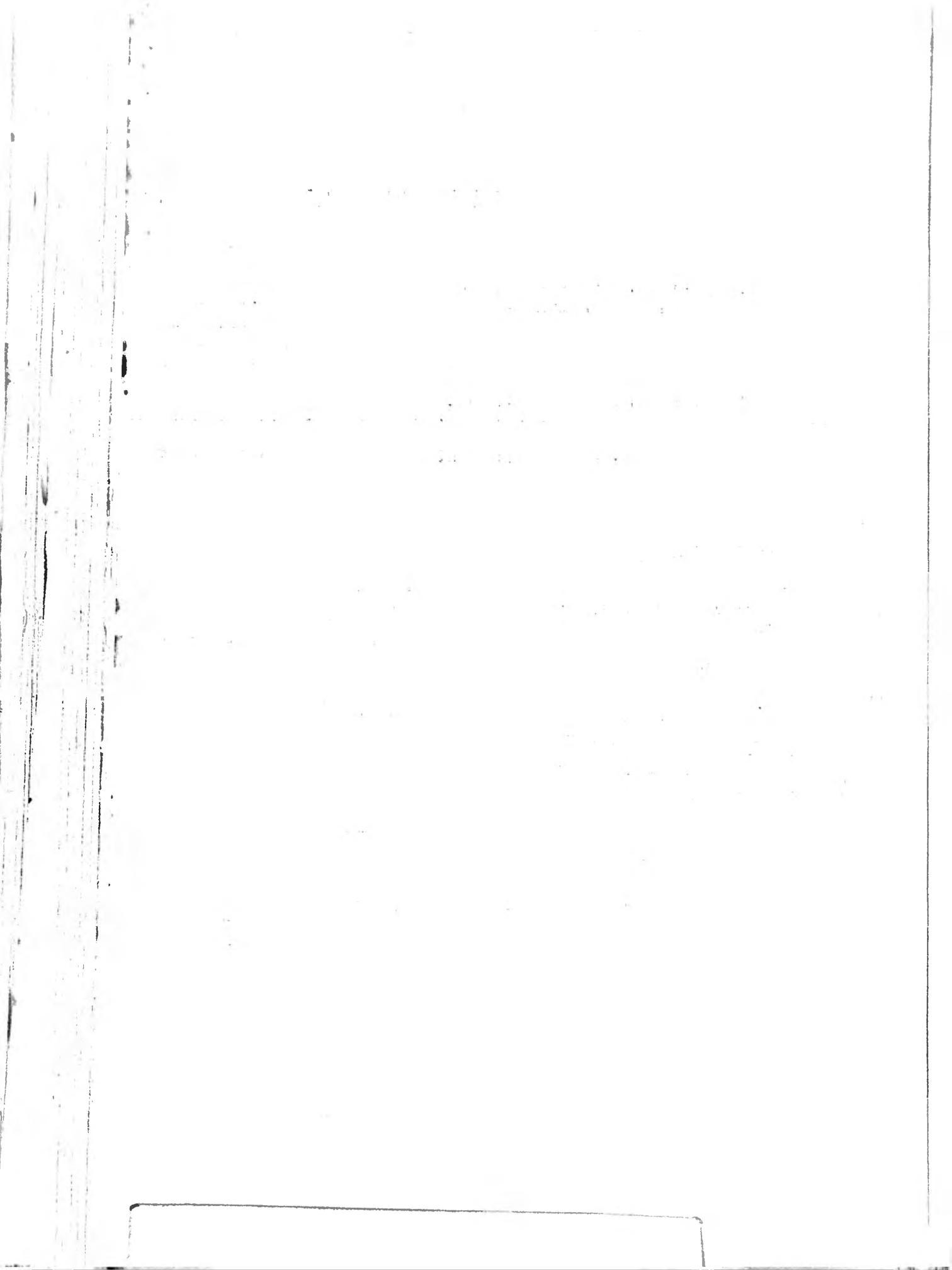
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND NOVEMBER, 1927.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 994 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 7th November 1927.

Percival T. Harrison
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

it was essential that service on the prescribed persons should be effected by not later than the 2nd December, 1927.

It was decided (1) that a temporary Assistant be appointed in the office of the Surveyor of the Council, to formulate the list of owners affected and to serve upon them the notice above referred to; and (2) that the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of this Committee be empowered to make the appointment and to fix the salary in connexion therewith, subject to report to the General Purposes Committee;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

996 OPEN SPACES.—

- (1) Cherry Tree Wood—Tithe Act, 1925.—The Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 11th October, 1927, from the Secretary and Treasurer of the Bounty Office, suggesting that the Council should consider the question of redeeming the "modus rent" of 3s. 6d. per annum which is at present paid in respect of the above land;

RECOMMENDED that the suggestion be adopted and that the Clerk be instructed to take the necessary steps to effect redemption.

- (2) Arden Playing Field—Finchley Cricket Club.—Referring to Minute No. 43 (2) (b), the Clerk submitted the draft Lease herein as revised by the Solicitor to the Finchley Cricket Club;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the deleted clause providing for (*inter alia*) the payment by the Club of rates and taxes, assessments and gas and water charges be re-inserted as originally drafted;
- (2) that the amendment made on behalf of the Club so as to provide for the user of the land being extended to the playing of bowls and tennis be accepted;
- (3) that, subject to (1) above the draft Lease, as revised on behalf of the Club be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

997 GLEBE LAND.—

- (a) The Clerk reported receipt of the formal consent of the Minister of Health to the appropriation of land at above for allotments and playing field purposes respectively.
- (b) The reference from the Council hereon was considered, and it was arranged for a special meeting of the Committee to be held on the site on the 26th November, 1927.

Annexed.
998 NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.—
A report (as circulated) of the Quarterly Meeting of the Joint Committee was submitted by the Chairman and received by the Committee.

999 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.

Report of Quarterly Meeting (referred to in Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's Report dated the 7th November, 1927.)

The Chairman reported that the Quarterly Meeting of the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee was held at the Guildhall on September 13th last, when the Report of the Consultants on Zoning was considered.

The Consultants' Report directed attention to the three characteristic belts into which the North Middlesex Region is divided, the inner, the intermediate sub-urban, and the outer semi-rural belt.

The first mentioned belt is already completely built up. The second-mentioned belt is mainly residential in character, and offers greater scope for town planning; it is the view of the Joint Committee that the present amenities of this belt should be preserved by a recognisable physical boundary such as the park strip along the streams which in many cases separate adjacent districts.

It was recommended by the Consultants, and accordingly the Joint Committee recommend to its constituent Authorities, that between the outer semi-rural belt and the intermediate suburban belt a definite ring of open spaces should be preserved, which would form practically a continuous green girdle between Ruislip Reservoir and Epping Forest. It is not suggested that this should consist wholly of public open spaces, but that the numerous golf courses, private parks and occasional commons occurring on its route should permanently be kept free from building.

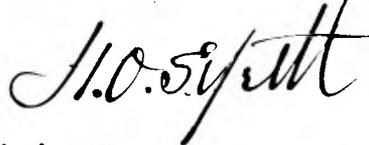
The only predominantly industrial areas in the region at the present time are situated at Willesden and along the Lea Valley, and the Joint Committee are recommending

to the appropriate Authorities that special provision should be made to encourage industries to locate themselves in those districts rather than in other parts of the region which are predominantly residential.

The Joint Committee also had before it various provisions as to height of buildings and density, which have already been adopted in the Council's own Town Planning Schemes.

A. T. PIKE.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report referred to in paragraph 998 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 7th November 1927.



Chairman.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

1000 PLANS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

Annexed

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6049A	Six houses	Nos. 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, and 23, Essex Park	Mr. A. Ibbetson.
✓ 6167A	Four houses	North Crescent	Mr. A. H. C. Arnell.
✓ 6226	Four houses	Deans Way	Co-Partnership Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6245A	Workshop and cycle shed	10, Ingle Villas, Woodhouse Road	Mr. Rowland Hill.
✓ 6258	New road and sewers	Hampstead Garden Suburb, from Hill Top to Ossulton Way (to be known as "Maurice Walk")	The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6260	Extension of garage	Rear of 4, Woodside Avenue	Mr. J. R. Robertson.
✓ 6273	14 garages and flat	Northway	Second Hampstead Tenants
✓ 6278	Tool shed	Rutland, Cyprus Gardens	Mr. W. Lane.
✓ 6279	Four garages and one tool shed	Garages at Nos. 5, 23, 25 and 31, Claremont Park	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6280	*Five garages	The Drive, Brent Lodge, Nether St.	Mr. W. A. Cooper.
✓ 6281	Garage	Brookside Garage, Great North Road	Messrs. Jillings and Co.

* Subject to the drainage arrangements being to the satisfaction of the Surveyor.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6282	Garage	Le Paradou, The Bishop's Avenue	Mr. A. H. Comoy.
✓ 6283	Home for Children	Nazareth House, East End Road	Superior General, Nazareth House, Hammersmith.
✓ 6284	Garage	86, Holden Road	Miss Gant.
✓ 6285	Cycle and tool shed	37, Station Road	Mr. C. W. Francis.
✓ 6286	Two pairs of houses	Nos. 21, 23, 33 and 35, Hill Rise	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
✓ 6287	Addition to Barclays Bank	1, The Broadway	Barclays Bank, Ltd.
✓ 6288	Garage	45, Wentworth Avenue	Mr. E. Barrett.
✓ 6289	Garage	Oldways, The Bishop's Avenue	Mr. F. Whiting.
✓ 6290	Lavatory	College Cabinet Works Regents Park Road	Mr. S. H. Pickard.
✓ 6291	Two houses	Nether Street	Messrs. Barrett and Co.
✓ 6292	Two houses	Claremont Park	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6293	New garage and alterations to existing garage.	Tatchley House, Dollis Avenue	Dr. W. Cunnington.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

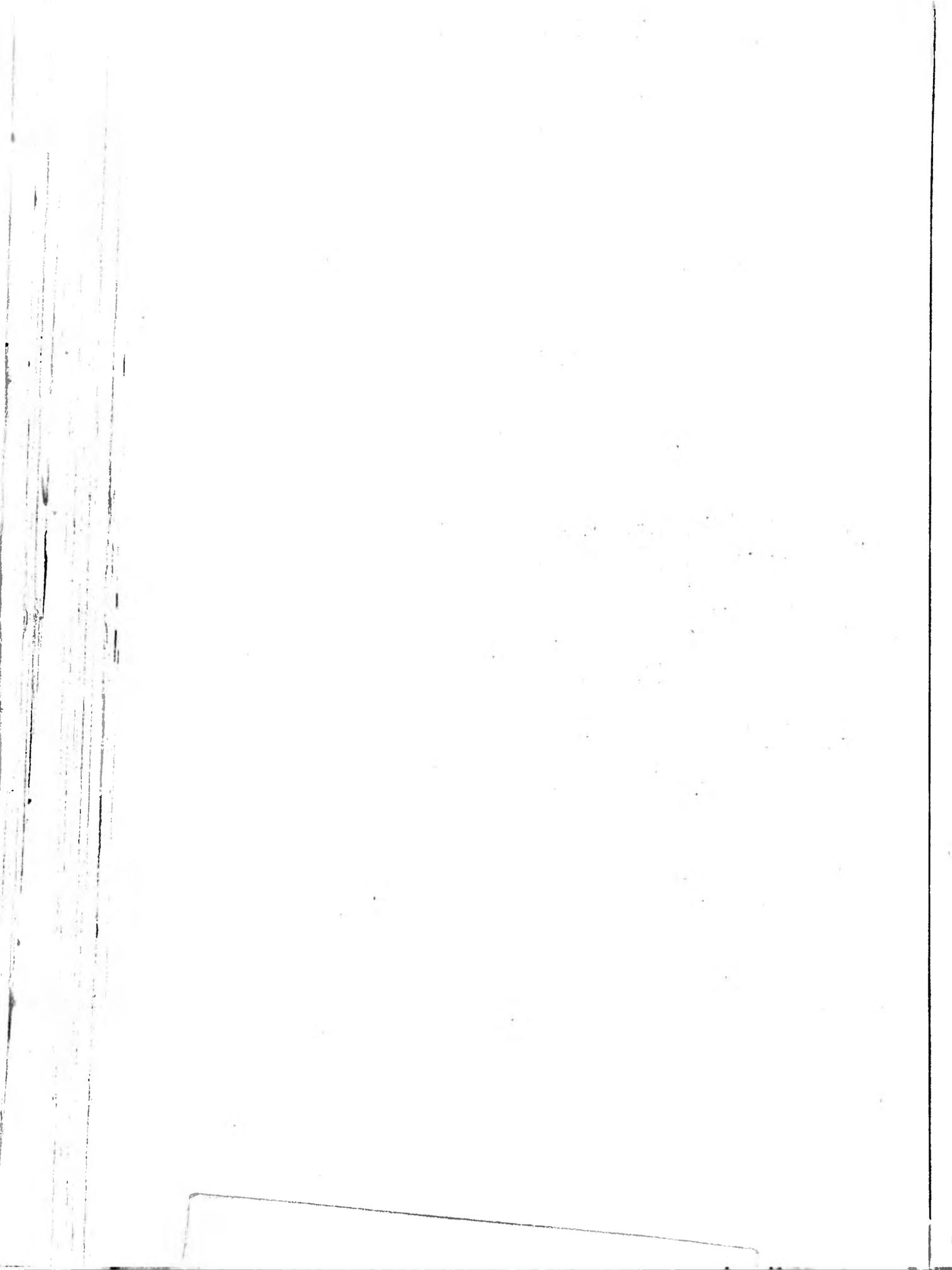
7TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 20 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	18
MISCELLANEOUS	4
GARAGES	23
HOME FOR CHILDREN.	1
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	3
SHOPS	2

- 6049A. 6 houses.
28.10.27. Nos. 13, 15, 17, 19, 21 & 23, Essex Park.
Mr. A. Ibbetson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6226 4 houses.
2. 8. 27. Deans Way.
Co-Partnership Tenants Ltd.
This plan, which was disapproved at your September meeting is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6345A. Workshop and cycle shed.
20. 9. 27. Mr. Rowland Hill.
10, Ingle Villas, Woodhouse Road.
This plan which was disapproved at the last meeting of your Committee is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6260 Extension of garage.
31. 9. 27. Rear of 4, Woodside Avenue.
Mr. J. R. Robertson.
This plan, which was disapproved at the September meeting of your Committee is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
6273. 14 garages and flat.
29. 9. 27. Northway.
Second Hampstead Tenants.
This plan is in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6278 Tool shed.
29. 9. 27. "Rutland", Cyprus Gardens.
Mr. W. Lane.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6279. 4 garages and 1 tool shed.
4. 10. 27. Garages at Nos. 5, 23, 25, & 31, Claremont Park.
Tool shed at No. 21, Claremont Park.
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin,
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



- ✓ 6283 11.10.27. Home for Children.
Nazareth House, East End Road, East Finchley.
Superior General, Nazareth House, Hammersmith.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6284 12.10.27. Garage.
86, Holden Road.
Miss Gent.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6285 13.10.27. Cycle and tool shed.
37, Station Road.
Mr. C. W. Francis.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6286 13.10.27. 2 pairs of houses.
Nos. 21, 23, 33, & 35, Hill Rise.
Mr. G. C. Swanson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6287 14.10.27. Addition to Barclays Bank.
1, The Broadway.
Barclays Bank Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6288 17.10.27. Garage.
45, Wentworth Avenue.
Mr. E. Barrett.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6289 20.10.27. Garage.
Oldways, The Bishop's Avenue.
Mr. P. Whiting.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6290 21.10.27. Lavatory.
College Cabinet Works, Regents Park Road.
Mr. S. H. Pickard.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6291 24.10.27. 2 houses.
Nether Street.
Messrs. Barrett & Co.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6292 24.10.27. 2 houses.
Claremont Park.
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6294 26.10.27. Garage.
Rear of 21, Tetteridge Lane.
Mr. C. Miller.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6297 1. 11.27. Workshop and store.
Leslie Road.
Mr. W. A. Fleming.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

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6299 ✓
28.10.27.

Garage.
Ashleigh, Crescent Road.
Mr. E.M.E. Hohly.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

6300 ✓
1. 11.27.

2 shops.
Fortis Green.
Mr. A. J. Hooper.
I do not think the Committee would be well advised to allow these shops to be built as shewn, taking into consideration the future requirements of this road, and I would remind the Committee that Fortis Green at this point is approximately 44 feet wide and the Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee recommend a width of 80 feet.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND NOVEMBER, 1927.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

7TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 16 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	6.
GARAGES.	12.
MISCELLANEOUS.	3.
NEW ROADS AND SEWERS.	2

6091A. ✓
23.10.27.

Garage.
20, Mayfield Avenue.
Mr. W.H.J. Burholt.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

6157A. ✓
2. 9. 27.

4 houses. (Amended plan.)
North Crescent.
Mr. A.H.C. Arnell.
This plan is in order from the standpoint of the byclaws, but the proposed building line is not satisfactory. I hope to get this amended before the date of the Council meeting.

625A. ✓
2. 9. 27.

New road and sewers. (To be known as "Maurice Wallt"
Hampstead Garden Suburb, from Hill Top to Ossulton Way
The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
This plan (which was disapproved at your last meeting) shows a road in accordance with the Town Planning Scheme, though not of full bylaw width and it MAY BE APPROVED.

6280. ✓
5. 10.27.

5 garages.
The Drive, Brent Lodge, Nether Street.
Mr. W. A. Cooper.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED, subject to the drainage arrangements being to the satisfaction of the Surveyor.

6281. ✓
6.10.27.

Garage.
Brookside Garage, Great North Road.
Messrs. Jillings & Co.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6282. ✓
13.10.27.

Garage.
"Le Paradou", The Bishop's Avenue.
Mr. A.H. Comoy.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6293. ✓
24.10.27.

New garage and alterations to existing garage.
Tatchley House, Dollis Avenue.
Dr. W. Cunningham.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6295. ✓
2. 10.27.

Garage.
45, Alexandra Grove,
Mr. Z. Asgerzadeh.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6296. ✓
23.10.27.

New road and sewers. (To be known as "West Avenue".)
Fursty House Estate.
Mr. P. D. Walker.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

6298. ✓
23.10.27.

One house.
The Bishop's Avenue.
Mr. A. Pitt.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

6301. ✓
5. 11.27.

Garage.
81, Lyndhurst Gardens.
Mr. F. L. Fletcher.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6302. ✓
3. 11.27.

One house.
Plot X618, Middleway.
Mrs. M. H. Tiltman.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6303. ✓
2. 11.27.

Lean-to.
"Rocklands", Talbot Avenue.
Miss B. Hammond.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

6304. ✓
5. 11.27.

Garage.
50, Westbury Road.
Mr. E. L. Pickles.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6305. ✓
5. 11.27.

Cycle and tool shed.
18, Brent Way.
Mr. A. Hewitt.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6306. ✓
1. 11.27.

Conversion into 3 flats.
78, Lincoln Road.
Mr. W. Hedgecock.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

PROPOSED ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS - "WESTWOOD", THE BISHOP'S AVENUE.

I will submit for your consideration sketch plans shewing a proposal to enlarge "Westwood", The Bishop's Avenue, by constructing an addition in front of the front main wall of the existing building.

PERCIVAL T. HERRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

7TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the Surveyor's report referred to in paragraph 1000 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 7th November 1927.

A. O. Hewitt
Chairman.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Promises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6294	Garage	Rear of 21, Totteridge Lane	Mr. C. Miller.
✓ 6295	Garage	45, Alexandra Grove	Mr. Z. Asgarzadeh.
✓ 6297	Workshop and store	Leslie Road	Mr. W. A. Fleming.
✓ 6298	One house	The Bishop's Avenue	Mr. A. Pitt.
✓ 6299	†Garage	Ashleigh, Crescent Road	Mr. E. M. E. Hohly.
✓ 6301	Garage	81, Lyndhurst Gardens	Mr. F. L. Fletcher.
✓ 6302	One house	Plot X618, Middleway	Mrs. M. H. Tiltman.
✓ 6304	Garage	50, Westbury Road	Mr. E. L. Pickles.
✓ 6305	Cycle and tool shed	18, Brent Way	Mr. A. Hewitt.

† Approved, subject to owner agreeing to set back building when called upon so to do, without payment of compensation.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
6091A	Garage	20, Mayfield Avenue	Mr. W. H. J. Burholt.
6300	Two shops	Fortis Green	Mr. A. J. Hooper.
6303	Lean-to	Rocklands, Talbot Avenue	Miss B. Hammond.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

8th November, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, and H. O. Syrett.

1001 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1002 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

1003 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's report (circulated) for the five weeks ended 29th October, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

1004 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:—

Annexed

(a) Houses without proper dust-bins.—

63 and 65, Market Place, East Finchley, N. 2.

4, William Street, N. 12.

The Sanitary Inspector reported hereon:—

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that a notice be served upon the owner of each of the above-mentioned premises requiring him to provide a strong galvanized iron dustbin with suitable cover;

(2) that, failing compliance, proceedings be taken for the recovery of the penalties mentioned in Section 22 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908.

(b) Housing Act, 1925 (Section 3).—

63 and 65, Market Place, N. 2.

The Inspector reported that the owner of the above-named dwelling houses, which were suitable for occupation by persons of the working classes, had failed to

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KE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

make and keep the said dwelling houses in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation and submitted a schedule of the defects found;

RECOMMENDED that the statutory notices now submitted be served upon the owner under Section 3 of the said Act requiring him to execute the necessary repairs within the time stated in the said notices.

(c) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—

The Inspector reported upon six samples of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.

(d) Milk & Dairies (Amendment) Act, 1922.—

Milk and Dairies Order, 1926—Registration.—

Joseph Herbert Collins, 4, The Broadway, Finchley, N.3.

The Inspector reported that the business of a Retail Purveyor of Milk was, until recently, carried on at the above premises by Messrs. Collins Brothers; that Mr. J. H. Collins was now, however, the sole proprietor of the business;

RECOMMENDED that the application by Mr. J. H. Collins for registration be granted.

(e) Unsound Food.—

The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

(f) Petroleum Acts, 1871 to 1926.—

(1) Application for Licence—John William Porter, 189, Squires Lane, N. 3.—The Inspector reported that the above applicant desired to keep 60 gallons of petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins; that it was proposed to keep the petroleum spirit in a metal storage receptacle placed in an open space on the south-west side of Long Lane in the position shown on the plan marked "A" submitted;

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH. NOVEMBER, 1927.

RESOLUTIONS - 29TH. NOVEMBER TO 26TH. DECEMBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

No. of Ref.	Item.	Estimated Amt. of cost.			Amt. of Req. Est. already passed.			
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>								
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>								
54.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.	52.	21.	11.	6.	
55.	34 ft. $\frac{3}{4}$ inch hose for washing vehicles.	1.	16.	0.	30.	4.	4.	7.
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		2.	6.	0.				
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<u>General.</u>								
56.	7 lbs. formalin tabloids.	2.	12.	6.	25.	19.	6.	0.
57.	$\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. dog biscuits.		14.	6.	30.	4.	4.	7.
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		3.	7.	0.				
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 10TH NOVEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 9378 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

647	1	Transfer from stores - disinfectants.	12	6	
648	2	Refuse removal - November.	483	16	8

FLUSHING.

649	3	Team labour.	20	0	0
650	4	Wages.	15	0	0
651	6	Testing and Sanitary works - wages.	25	0	0
652	8	0 Transfer from stores - waste, etc.)	4	11	3
653	0	0 Repair sewer boots.			

10 SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.

654		Wages.	40	0	0
655		Electricity and supervision.	24	0	1
656		130 gals. petroloum.	4	17	6
657		5 gals. engine oil.	-	16	3
658	0	26'6" - 4" x 4 ply balata belting and fasteners.	3	0	2
659	0	Transfer from stores - timber, etc.	9	17	0

13 PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.

660		Wages	60	0	0
661		Water, gas and electricity.	25	3	4
662	0	Transfer from stores, cleaning and toilet sundries.	8	10	3
663	18	Use of Friern Barnet sewers - Friern Watch.	95	0	0

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£ 6134 8 3
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

3RD NOVEMBER, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 10TH NOVEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE

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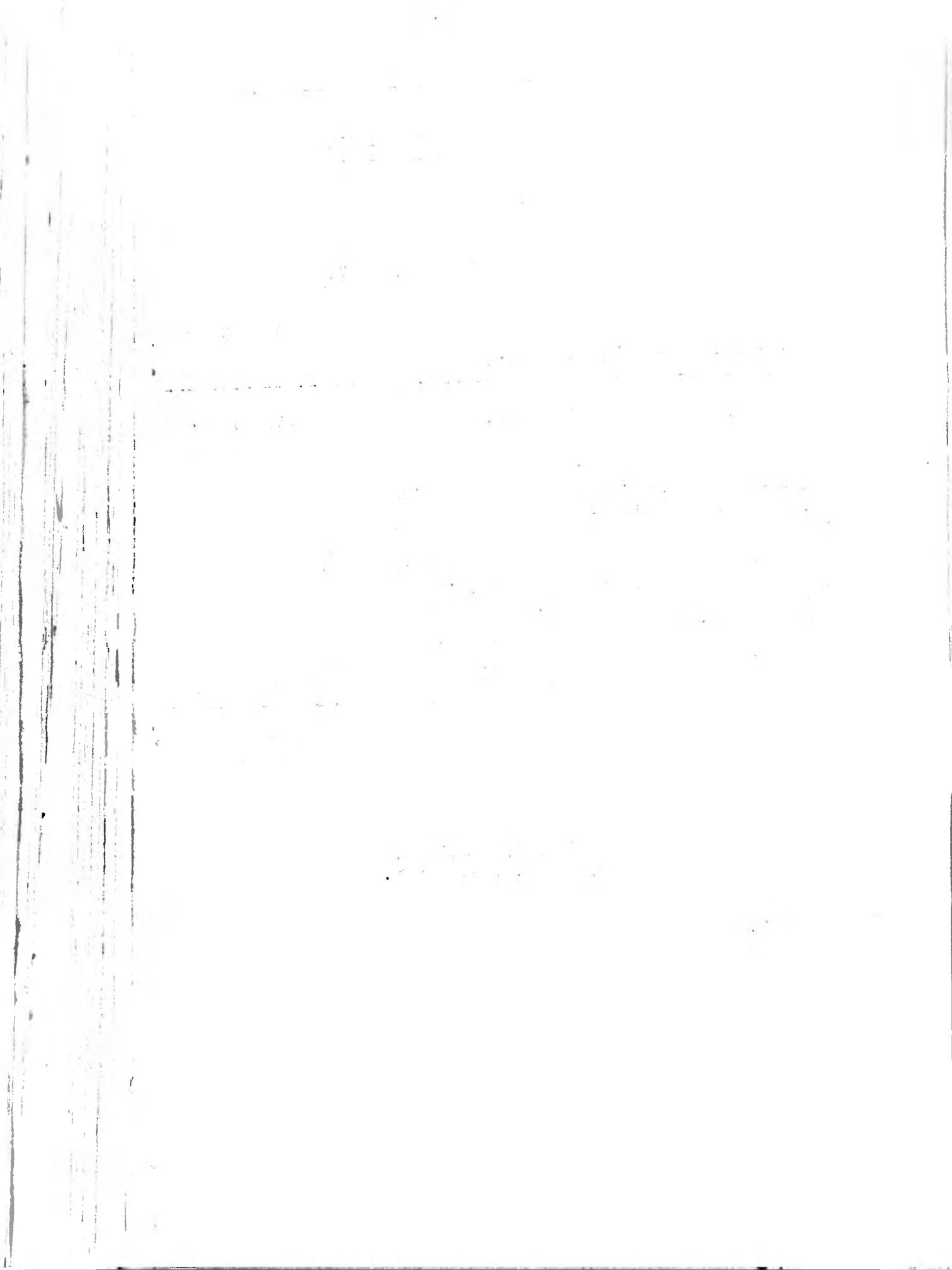
REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.	Item No.				
664	1	Wages - sewage disposal.	220	0	0
665	2	do. refuse disposal.	90	0	0
666	5	Water.	2	2	9
667	6	Gas	8	4	5
668	7	Electricity.	23	10	5
669	10 O	Transfer from stores, tools, waste, etc.	1	2	0
670	13	Salaries - October, November.	62	12	10
671	15 O	15 tons coke. - Destructor.	24	7	6
672		40 gals. lubricating oil, - Destructor.	7	10	0
673		40 gals. cylinder oil. Do.	7	10	0
674		Steam piping for compressor.	42	0	0
					488 19 11
					£ 3673 14 7

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

3RD NOVEMBER, 1927.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 10TH NOVEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE

£ 1524 0 0

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
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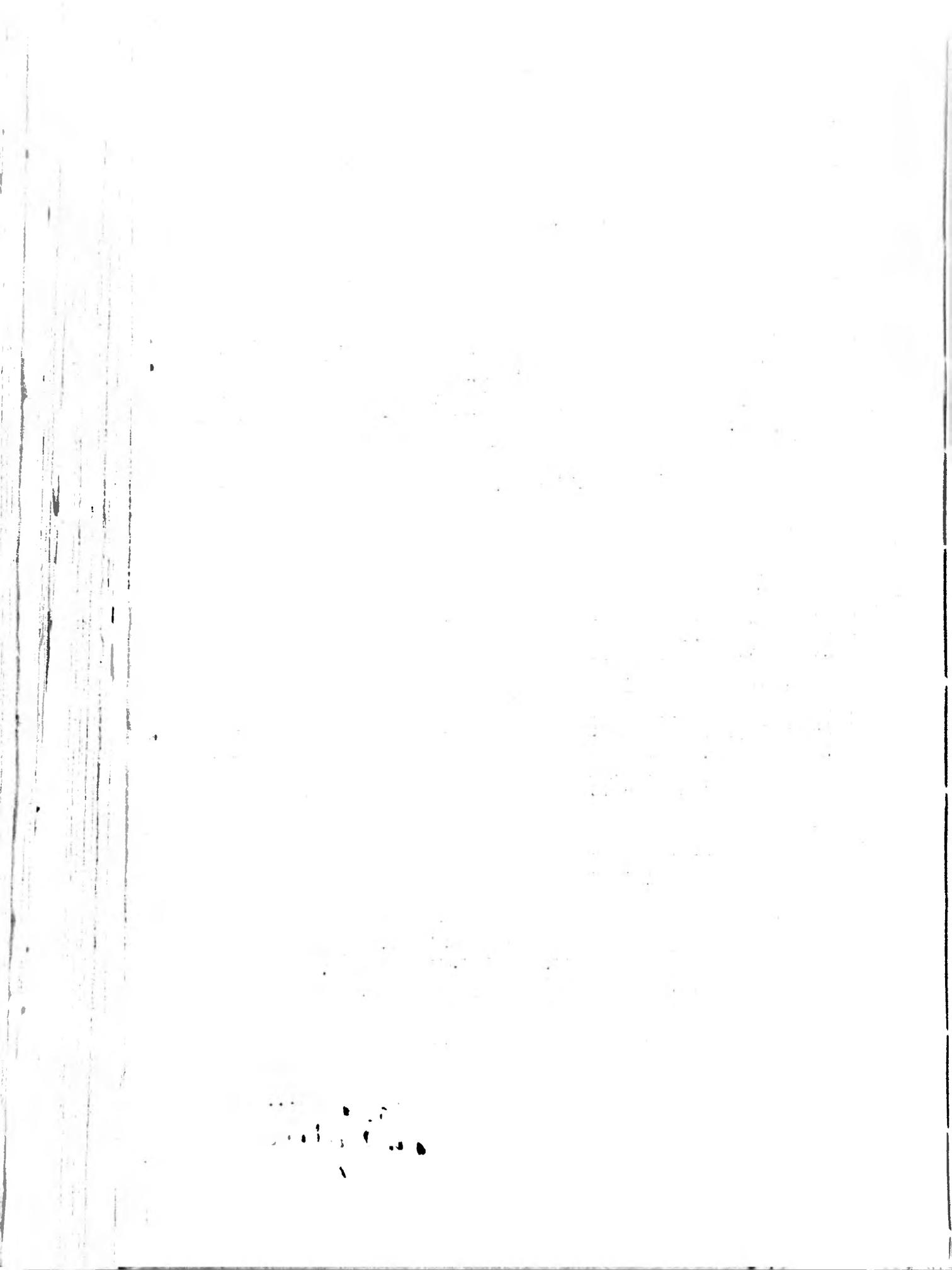
675	1	Wages.	20	0	0	
676	3	Water	12	18	0	
677	4	Electricity.	17	12	4	
678	5 & 6	Transfer from stores - sundries.	10	3		
679	6	Painting and sundry repairs.	64	0	0	115 0 7
						£ 1332 15 8

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

31ST NOVEMBER, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1002 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 8th November 1927.

Percival T. Harrison
Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH. NOVEMBER, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the five weeks ended the 29th. October, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

4th. November, 1927.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

Population census 1921-46,716.

	Wards.			1927.	1926.
	N.	E.	W.		
1. DEATHS.					
Number	10	7	12	29	29
Infants under one year	-	-	-	-	2
Infectious Disease	-	-	1	1	-
2. BIRTHS.					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Act	17	17	16	50	54
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.					
Number of cases notified....	13	4	6	23	24
Scarlet Fever.....	4	-	1	5	14
Diphtheria	5	3	1	9	2
Puerperal Pyrexia.....	1	-	-	1	-
Influenzal Pneumonia	-	-	2	2	-
Pneumonia (other forms)..	2	-	1	3	3
Typhoid Fever	-	1	1	2	-
Erysipelas	1	-	-	1	-
Puerperal Sepsis	-	-	-	-	1
Poliomyelitis	-	-	-	-	2
Encephalitis Lethargica..	-	-	-	-	1
4. TUBERCULOSIS.					
Pulmonary cases	-	2	-	2	8
Non-Pulmonary cases	-	-	-	-	-
5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.					
Number in hospital on the 30th. September.....	21			21	15
Number admitted	9			9	16
Number discharged	15			15	14
Number of deaths	1			1	-
Number in hospital on the 4th. November	14			14	17

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

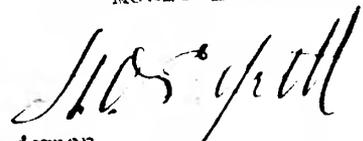
Your obedient servant,

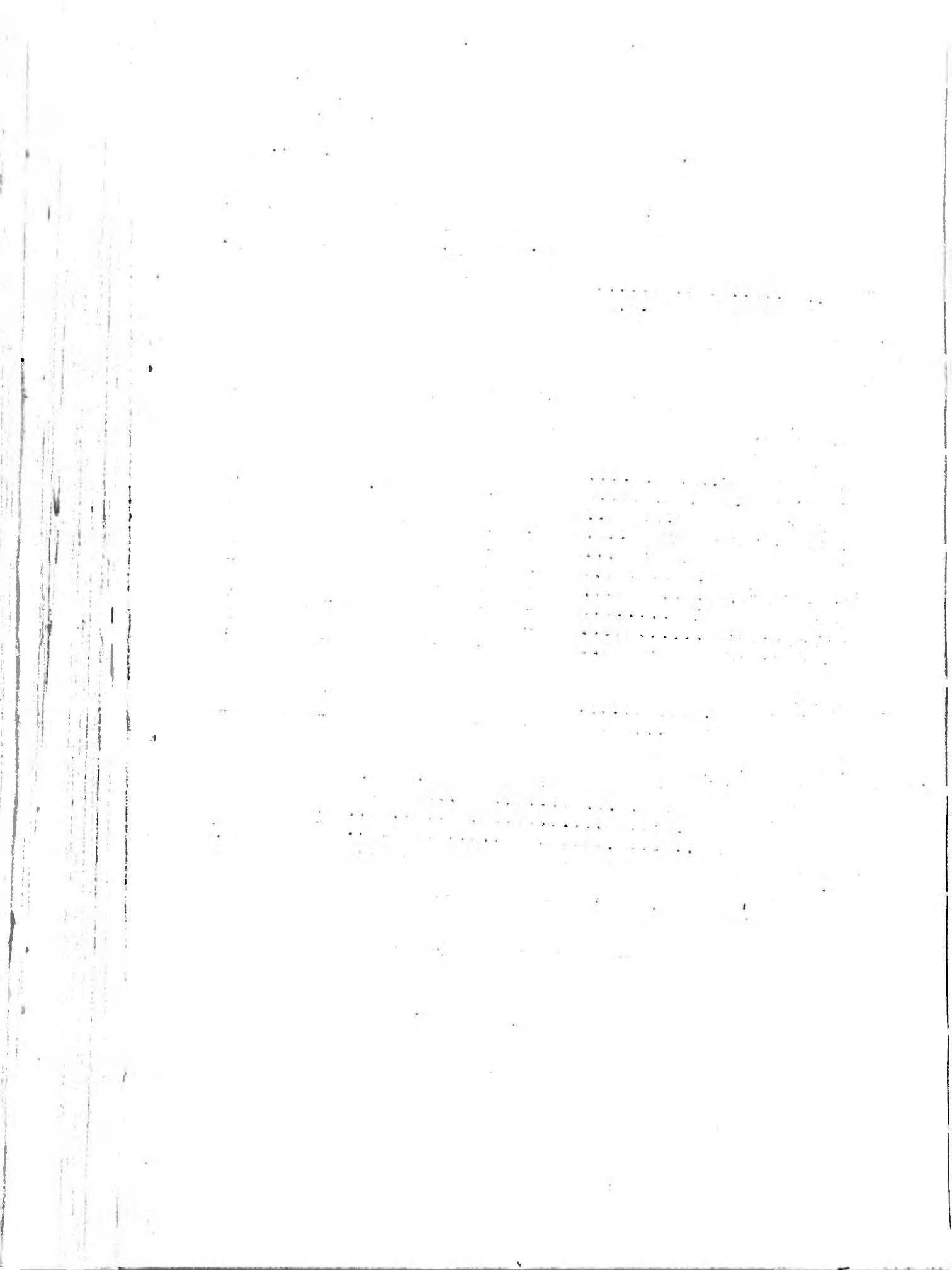
This is the
report of the Medical
Officer referred to in
paragraph 1003 of the
Public Health Committee's
report of the 8th November
1927.

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

Chairman.





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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 8TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.S.

4th November, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) HOUSES WITHOUT PROPER DUSTBINS (SEC. 23 F.U.D.C. Act, 1908.)

63 & 65, Market Place, East Finchley, N.3.
4, William Street, N.3.

The above houses are not provided with proper dustbins and I suggest that notices be served upon the owners requiring them to provide at each house a strong galvanised iron dustbin with a suitable cover.

(2) HOUSING ACT, 1925 (SECT. 1.)

63 and 65, MARKET PLACE, N.3.

I have to report that the owner of the above-named dwelling-houses, which are suitable for occupation by persons of the working classes has failed to make and keep the said dwelling-houses in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation.

The following is a schedule of the defects which exist at these houses, namely:-

63, Market Place.

Defective main roof of house.
Defective roofs of washhouse and watercloset.
Cracked watercloset basin.
Defective door of watercloset.
Defective cementing round sink gully.
Defective wooden floor boards and joists to floors of kitchen, passage, and front room, ground floor.
Broken sash cords to windows of kitchen and front room, ground floor and back bedroom, first floor.
Defective grating and door to firebox of copper.
Defective cementing to top of copper.
Defective stove in front room, ground floor.

65, Market Place.

Defective main roof of house.
Defective roof of washhouse.

Damp flank wall of Passage and Kitchen.
 Wall paper on Passage wall above dado damaged by dampness.
 Defective yard paving.
 Broken sash cords to windows of Kitchen and front room,
 ground floor,
 Defective door to watercloset.
 Dirty walls and ceiling of front room, first floor.
 Dirty walls and ceiling of staircase.
 Defective plaster to wall at foot of staircase and
 damaged wall paper.

I suggest that the statutory notices submitted herewith be served upon the owner under section 2 of the Housing Act, 1925, requiring him to execute the necessary repairs within the time specified in the said notices.

(3) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923.

The following samples of designated milk have been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

<u>Date.</u>	<u>No. of samples taken.</u>	<u>Name and Address of Dealer or Producer.</u>
25th September, 1927.	1	A.L. & Dollis Dairies, Ltd. 5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N.3.
26th September, 1927.	2.	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., 39, High Road, East Finchley.
20th October, 1927.	1.	Express Dairy Co. Ltd. College Farm, Finchley, N.3.
20th October, 1927.	1.	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. 39, High Road, East Finchley.
2 0th October, 1927.	1.	A.L. & Dollis Dairies, Ltd. 5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N.3.

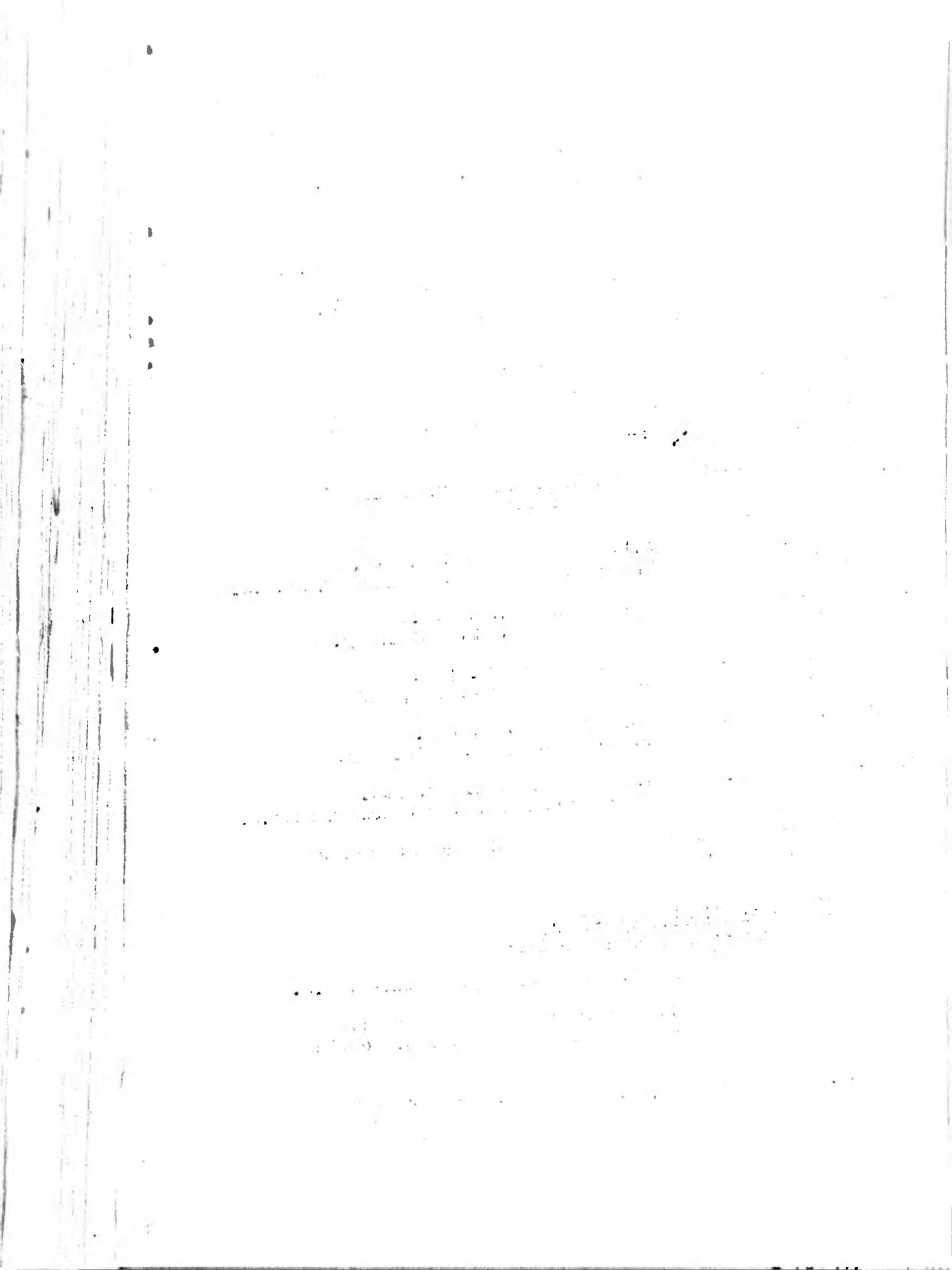
All the above samples passed the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(4) MILK & DAIRIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1922.
MILK & DAIRIES ORDER, 1926 - REGISTRATION.

Joseph Herbert Collins, 4, The Broadway, Finchley, N.3.

The business of a retail purveyor of milk was until recently carried on at the above premises by Messrs. Collins Brothers.

Mr. J.H. Collins is now, however, the sole proprietor of the business and I suggest that his application for registration which is submitted herewith be approved.



(5) UNSOOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

2 Carcasses and offals.	(Tuberculosis)
2 Heads and tongues.	"
3 Sets of Lungs.	"
2 Mesenterics.	"
1 Skirt.	"
2 Sets of Lungs.	"
12 Livers.	(Other diseases)
1 Spleen.	"
1 Skirt.	"

Swine.

9 carcasses and offals	(Tuberculosis)
51 Heads.	"
9 Plucks.	"
6 Sets of Lungs.	"
39 Mesenterics.	"
2 Spleens.	"
1 Carcase	(Other diseases)
Portion of a carcase (65lbs.)	"
1 Head.	"
1 Pluck.	"
4 Spleens.	"
66 Sets of Lungs.	"
57 Livers.	"
4 Hearts.	"
2 Kidneys.	"
2 Mesenterics.	"

Sheep.

Portion of a carcase. (22 lbs.)	(Other diseases)
14 Livers.	"

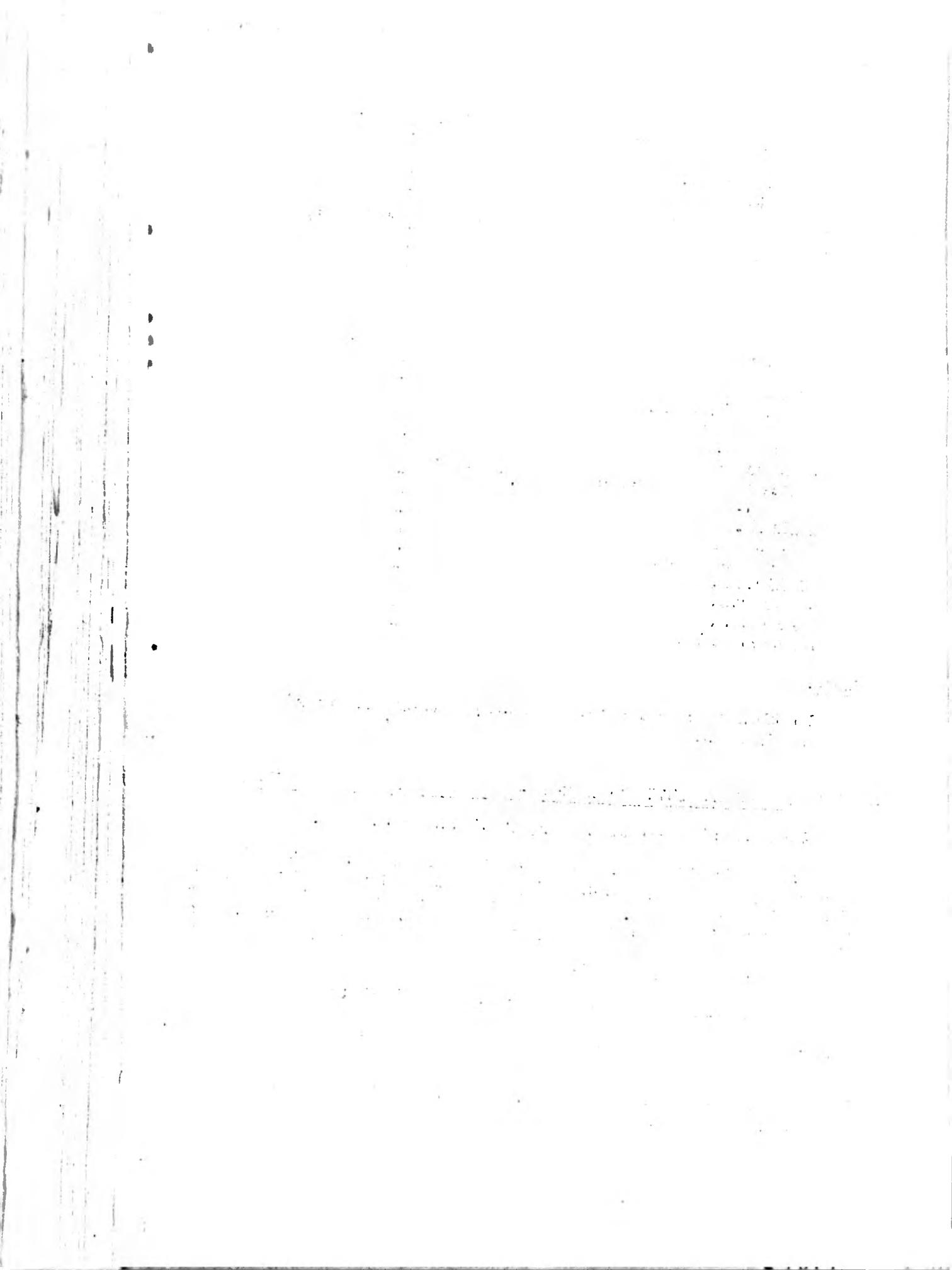
(6) PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871 to 1926. - APPLICATION FOR LICENCE.

John William Porter, 189, Squires Lane, N.3.

An application has been received from Mr. Porter for a licence to keep 60 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins. It is proposed to keep the petroleum spirit in a metal storage receptacle placed in an open space on the south-west side of Long Lane in the position shown on the plan marked "A" submitted by the applicant.

This application may be granted subject to

- (1) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of your petroleum inspector.
- (2) the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.



- (1) 1, FALLOWCOURT AVENUE, N.11. - General condition of house.
- MILTON HOUSE, EAST END ROAD - Complaint as to condition of house.
- PETROLEUM LICENCES - Action to be taken upon expiration of certain licences.
- THE GRANGE WORKS, OAK LANE - Smoke nuisance.
- KING EDWARD BUILDINGS - Dustbins and removal of house refuse.

I shall report orally upon the above matters at the meeting of your Committee.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

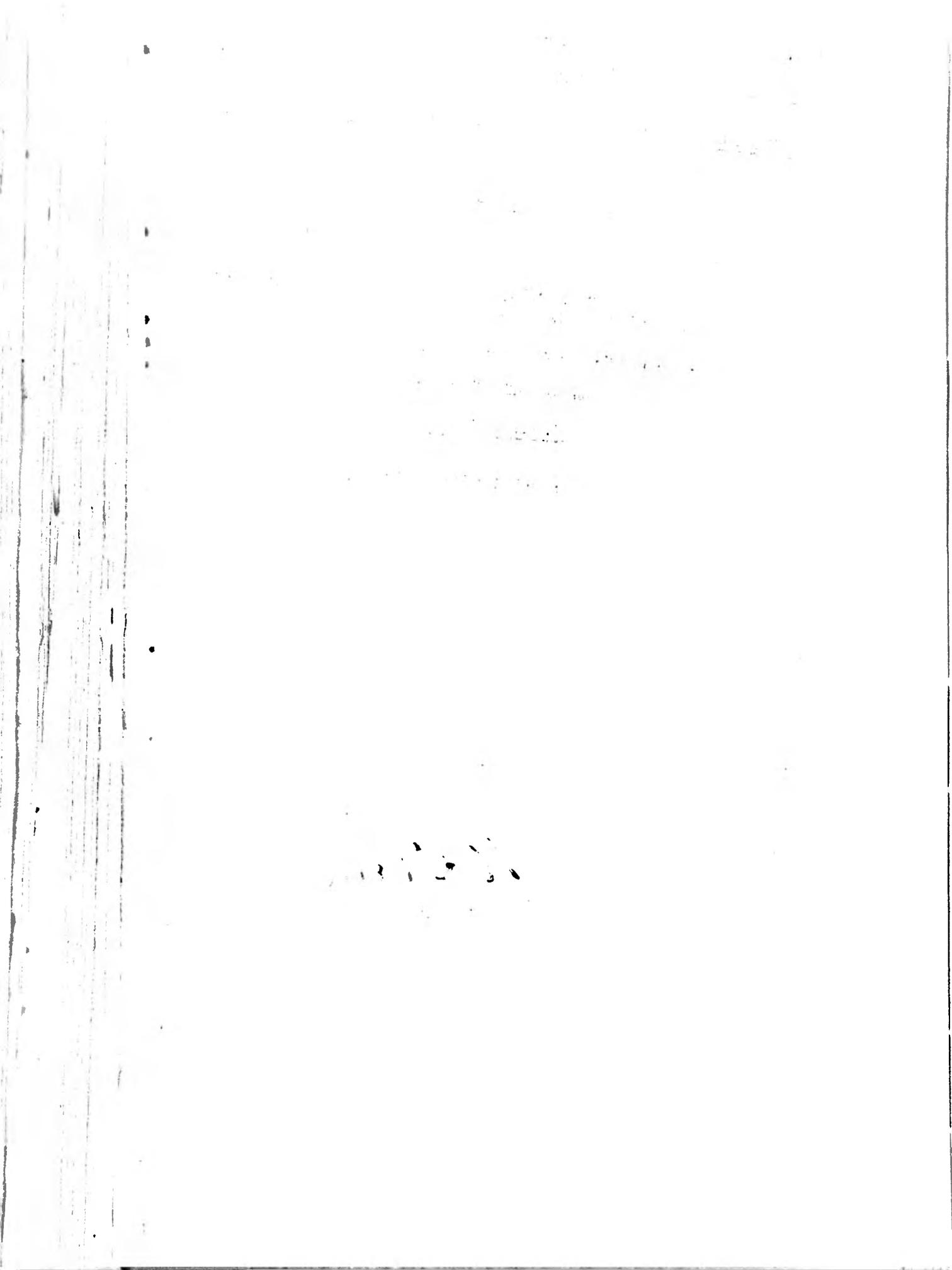
Your obedient Servant,

E. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1004 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 8th November 1927.

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Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject to—

- (i) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of the Petroleum Inspector;
 - (ii) the conditions annexed to the Council's Licence being strictly observed.
- (2) Generally.—The Inspector reported that certain Licences granted by the Council, to keep petroleum spirit, and/or carbide of calcium, would expire prior to the 30th June, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that, as regards such Licences, the Inspector be directed to communicate with the Licensees, with a view to their making application for the renewal thereof for the period ending 30th June, 1928, and that a *pro rata* fee be charged to them.

1005 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 8th November, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Briant, Pike, and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing, Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. C. S. Syrett.

(a) **MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.**—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the nine weeks ended the 29th October, 1927, was submitted.

(b) **REQUISITIONS.**—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

(c) **INSTRUCTIONS.**—

RECOMMENDED that the instruction given to the Accountant, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted.

Annexed
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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

1006 13, ALEXANDRA GROVE—NORTH FINCHLEY.—Referring to Minute No. 849, this matter was considered further, and the Surveyor reported that the defects complained of in connection with the property had now been remedied.

1007 PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—CHURCH END—PROVISION OF.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare an estimate of the cost of the provision of a Public Convenience at Church End, and submit same to this Committee for consideration.

1008 PUBLIC HEALTH (INFECTIOUS DISEASES) REGULATIONS, 1927.—The Clerk submitted a circular letter, dated 24th October, 1927, from the Ministry of Health, forwarding print of the above regulations.

1009 PETROLEUM (CARBIDE OF CALCIUM) ORDER, 1927, AND THE PETROLEUM (MIXTURES) ORDER, 1927.—A print of each of the above Orders was submitted, together with a memorandum thereon received from the Home Office.

1010 ROYAL NORTHERN HOSPITAL—DONATION TO FUNDS OF.—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the above, thanking the Council for their donation of £20.

1011 PUBLIC BATHS.—

(a) Statement.—Statement showing the number of bathers and receipts for the five weeks ended 30th October, 1927, was submitted.

(b) Fencing.—

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the fencing on the north-east side of the Council's land at the rear of the Baths be repaired, at an estimated cost of £30.

1012 REFUSE DESTROYER.—The Surveyor reported as follows:—

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 8TH. NOV. 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the nine weeks ended the 29th. October, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

4th. November, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

	<u>1927.</u>			<u>1926.</u>		
	<u>North Finch</u>	<u>East Finch</u>	<u>Church End</u>	<u>North Finch</u>	<u>East Finch</u>	<u>Church End</u>
1. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.</u>						
Children under 2 yrs.	574	550	373	-	-	-
Children over 2 yrs.	131	125	70	-	-	-
Total attendances.	705	675	443	618	755	-
No. seen by doctor.	256	192	197	-	-	-
New Babies.	16	32	27	26	41	-
2. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CRECHE.</u>						
Total attendances.	1505			844		
Average attendance per day.	33			19		
Receipts from mothers.	151. 11. 2.			131. 8. 2.		
3. <u>ATTENDANCES AT ANTENATAL CLINIC.</u>						
(5 sessions)	52			48		

I am, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

This is the report of the Medical Officer referred to in paragraph 1005 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 8th November 1927.

Your obedient servant,

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

W. J. Gill
Chairman.

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PINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 8TH. NOVEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 29TH. NOVEMBER TO 26TH. DECEMBER, 1927, INCLUSIVE.

No of Req.	Item.	Estimated Amt. of Amt. of Rec.		
		cost.	Est.	already passed.
		£. s. d.	£.	£. s. d.
<u>CRECHE.</u>				
36.	Food- December & January	60. 0. 0.	325.	210. 0. 0.
<u>CENTRES.</u>				
37.	1 stationery rack.	4. 6.	40.	25. 2. 9.
<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE - GENERAL;</u>				
38.	Cleaning materials - December & January.	4. 0. 0.	140.	69. 1. 5.

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF
THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

BOURCHIER HOUSE GENERAL

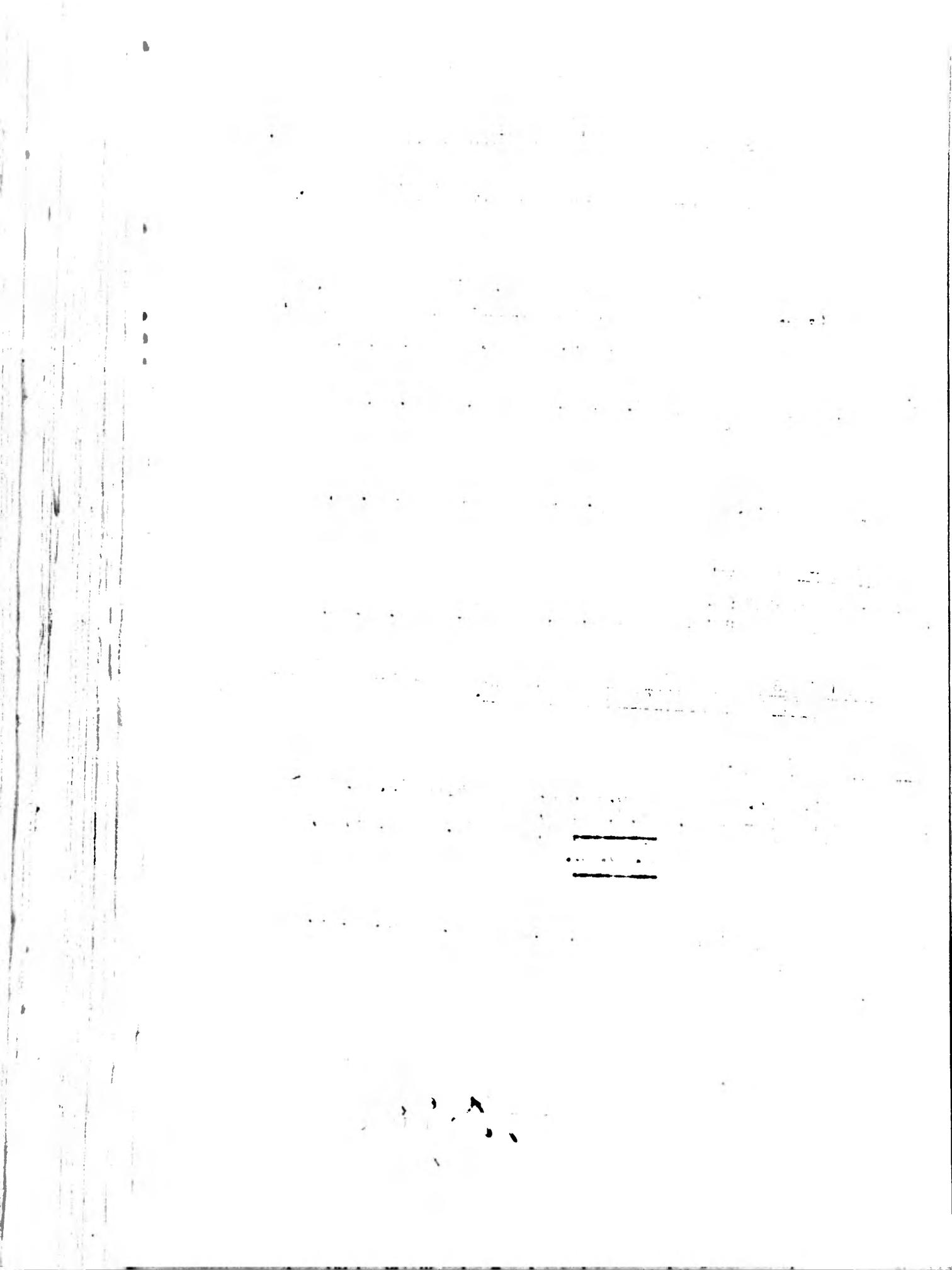
39.	Gas - Sept. Qtr.	6.18. 9.	140.	69. 1. 5.
40.	Electric light - Sept. Qtr.	3. 3.11.		
41.	Repairs to hot water tap.	3. 6.		
		<u>10. 6. 2.</u>		

CENTRES.

42.	Heating - Sept. Qtr. (Church and Centre)	4. 2.	140.	69. 1. 5.
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This is the list of requisitions referred
to in paragraph 1005(b) of the Public Health
Committee's report of the 8th November 1927.

W. J. Pitt
Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 30TH OCTOBER, 1927.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH.		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Bathers.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Cmrdg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. in Receipts.		
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.				£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	
BRT FWD.	9940	5816	4610	1992	1659	20827	44844	70	5	6	522	10	4	606	14	-	35	6	1	119	9	
Oct. 2.	117	90	116	48	28	908	1307	2	6	6	10	10	-	13	19	2	-	-	-	3	9	
" 9.	98	48	140	70	20	607	1183	5	17	-	13	9	10	12	15	3	-	14	7	-	-	
" 16.	84	35	144	63	12	823	1161	-	12	6	7	16	11	8	19	8	-	-	-	1	2	
" 23.	91	45	113	42	8	664	963	2	2	-	8	11	7	6	13	5	1	18	2	-	-	
" 30.	104	53	130	64	9	503	873	387	14	6	394	12	3	380	9	8	14	2	7	-	-	
	10434	6097	5253	2279	1735	24532	50331	468	18	-	957	10	11	1029	11	2	52	1	5	124	1	
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NETT DECREASE.

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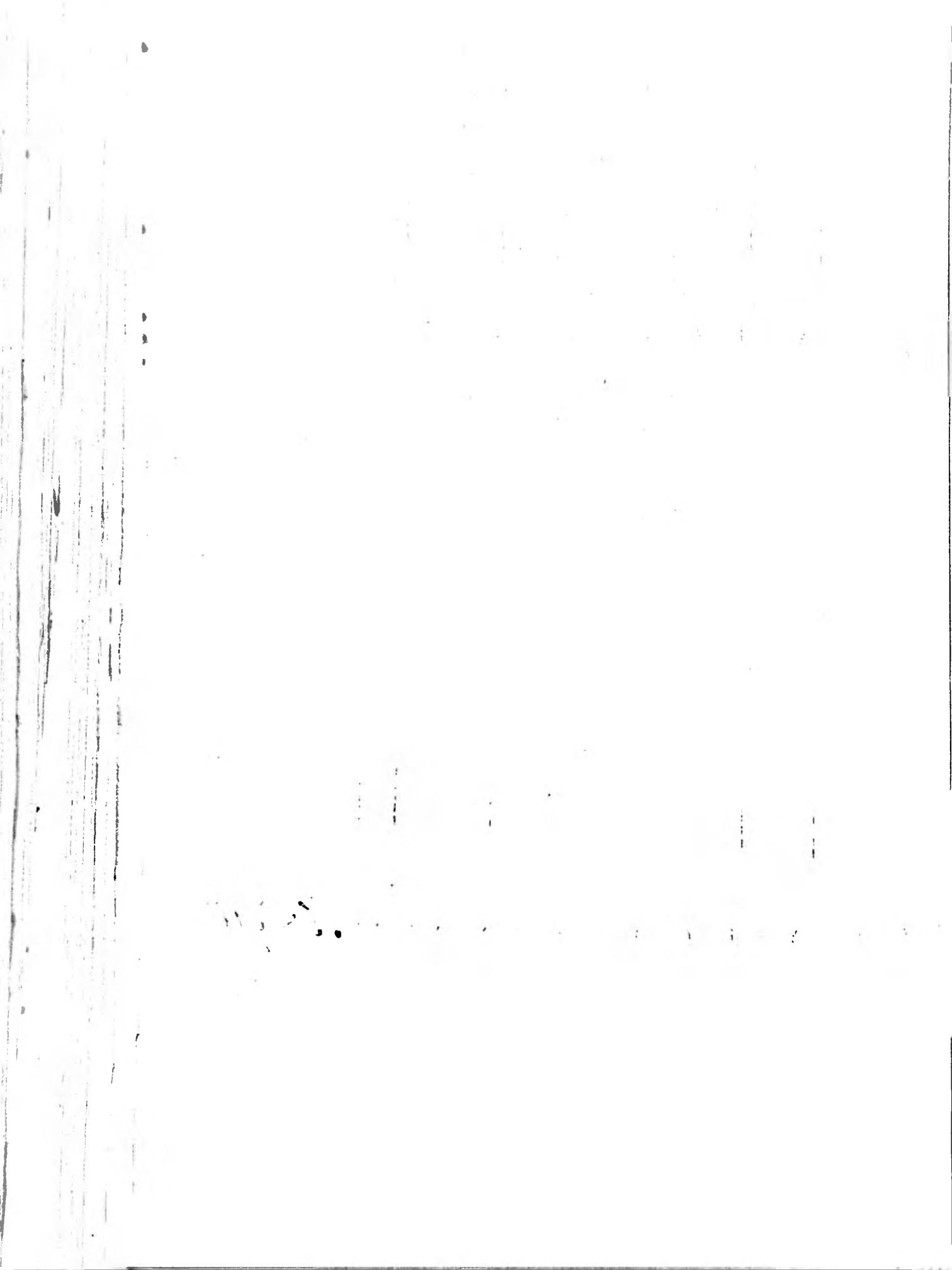
PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 10(1)(a) of the Public Health Committee's Report of the 8th November 1927.

Chairman.



3RD NOVEMBER, 1927.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

"It is proposed to commence the drying out of the furnaces, etc., with light refuse on the 7th November, 1927, and I am of opinion that the actual destructor plant would be ready to be put into full operation within three weeks of that date, which might be considered an opportune time for an official opening.

Unfortunately, the scheme will be by no means complete, as the Ministry have not yet sent their sanction to the raising of the necessary loan recently applied for."

In the above circumstances, the Committee decided to defer until next meeting the question of fixing a date for the official opening of the destructor. They also approved the action of the Surveyor in giving an Order for the installation of the electric lighting, and instructed him to report at a later date upon the question of the number of employees which would be required in connexion with the destructor;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1013 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—CONTINUATION OF.—The Surveyor presented plans received by him from the County Engineer, showing the proposed line of the above;

RECOMMENDED that in any representations which may be made by the Council, after receipt officially of the plans, steps be taken to see that the interests of this Committee are safeguarded.

1014 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—R. LAWRENCE, Deceased.—The Surveyor reported the death of Refuse Burner R. Lawrence, which took place on the 19th October, 1927.

1015 SEWAGE ANALYSIS.—The Surveyor reported that a sample of sewage effluent was taken from the Low Level Works by the Middlesex County Council on the 12th October, 1927, and the analysis figures of the check sample were submitted.

1016 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6258—New Road and Sewers—Hampstead Garden Suburb.
- (b) No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

The Surveyor reported that these plans were considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, and that they were recommending that the lay-out be approved. Further, that as regards the soil sewers, it was a matter for this Committee to deal with;

RECOMMENDED that such plans be approved, so far as this Committee is concerned.

1017 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

9th November, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

1018 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1019 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1020 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
14/10/27.	10.17 p.m.	Carnbrea, Lansdowne Rd., Finchley, N. 3.	Several feet of match-lining damaged by fire and cutting away in attic on third floor, used as bedroom, rest of contents in same slightly by smoke, water and dirt, ceilings of rooms under by water.
20/10/27.	3.59 p.m.	47, Church Crescent, Finchley, N. 3.	Some fat destroyed by fire in domestic oven in kitchen on ground floor. There was a previous fire here in January, 1927.
21/10/27.	9.43 p.m.	High Road, Whetstone, N. 20.	An Isotta Fraschini Motor Car Y.F. 9037 slightly damaged by fire on public highway.
22/10/27.	10.21 a.m.	No. 4, Stanley Villas, Regents Park Rd., N. 3.	A chimney on fire in kitchen on third floor, contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.

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HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
25/10/27.	9.32 a.m.	25, Briarfield Avenue, Finchley, N. 3.	A fire grate damaged by removal in dining-room on ground floor, contents in same slightly by dirt.
31/10/27.	2.0 a.m.	North Finchley Sub-Station.	Electrical false alarm.

1021 WHETSTONE SUB-STATION.—It was reported that the repairs and painting of the above-mentioned Sub-Station had been completed.

1022 FIRE HYDRANTS.—It was reported that, in conjunction with the extension of water mains in St. Margarets Avenue, Whetstone, and in Essex Park Estate, Church End, Finchley, by the Barnet Water Company, one new hydrant had been fixed to each extension at a cost of £10 10s. in each case.

1023 FIRE HYDRANTS—INSPECTION OF.—The Chief Officer reported that the fire hydrants within the district had been tested and found to be in a satisfactory working condition.

Annexed. 1024 AMBULANCE—PURCHASE OF.—Referring to paragraph 859 (b) of the Committee's report, dated 5th October, 1927, the question of the purchase of a new ambulance was considered further in connexion with a statement issued by the Clerk relating to the ambulance service in other districts around London;

RECOMMENDED that provision be made in the estimates of the Committee for next year for a new motor ambulance.

1025 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matters had been dealt with:—

- Lamp Column—Avondale Road,
- Paving Stones—Finchley Avenue,
- Street Watering Standpost—Cornwall Avenue,
- Ornamental Tree—Great North Road,
- Orderly Truck,
- Lamp Column—Friern Lane.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - 9th NOVEMBER, 1927.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

Amount of estimate £3,474. 0. 0
 Amount previously requisitioned £2,093. 8. 6

Item. Ord.

1		Amountant to pay Firemen's wages	150. 0. 0
5	0	100 Bundles of Firewood	-. 5. 6
5	8	6 Telephone Cords - renewals	1.7 . 0
5	8	56 lbs. sal-ammoniac	1.15. 0
		Repair Magneto relay	-.15. 0
		do. 2 Telephone ear-pieces	-. 9. 6
7	9	1 pair Uniform Fire Boots - Fireman Holmes	1.18. 6
	9	1 Cloth Tunic & Badge)	
		1 pair Cloth Trousers) Fireman Webb	1. 2. 0
	9	1 pair Cloth Trousers - Fireman Edwards	1. 2. 0
8	10	60 gallons No. 1 Petrol	3. 0. 0
9	13	1 gallon Black enamel	1. 5. 0
0	" 0	2 new strap eyes for Levers - repairing and setting Lever stays to Fire Escape	-.12. 6
1	" 0	Reclining in gold 1 near side back wheel No. 1 Motor	-. 6. 0
2	14 0	1 New Fire Hydrant - Essex Park Estate, N.3.	10.10. 0
"	" 0	1 " " " - St.Margarets Avenue, N.20.	10.10. 0
2	15	2 gallons Metal Polish	-.15. 4
"	"	6 Dock Scrubs	-. 7. 0
"	"	3 Hair Broom Heads	-.18. 9
"	"	1 Dozen Blanco	-. 2. 0
"	"	6 Chamois Leathers	1.13. 0
14	"	2 quires of Emery Cloth	-. 7. 8

AMBULANCE.-

15		5 gallons Lubricating Oil	-.15. 0
		1 new bracket for Index Number Plate	-. 2. 6
		1 Bendix drive for Self Starter.	1. 6. 0

£2,284.13. 9

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 10TH NOVEMBER TO 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

ESTIMATE	88517	0	0
ADDITIONAL ITEMS.	134	0	0
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"0" = expended or on order.

	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	33612	16	7
Req. No.	Item No.			

RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

680	1	150 yds relay wood paving, Great North Road.	184	0	0			
681	0	Patching - Regents Park Road.	25	12	0			
682	0	Slab paving, Manor Parade, Regents Park Road.	203	10	8			
683	0	Clinker path - North Circular Rd.	120	0	0			
684	0	Slab paving by Status - Regents Park Road and North Circular Road.	217	0	11			
685	16	1200 yds sup. relay slab paving - Regents Park Road.	180	0	0			
686	19	Scavenging - Manual Labour.	170	0	0			
687	20	Do. - Team Labour.	10	0	0			
688	22	0 Shingle - transfer from stores.	20	11	0			
689	26	0 Tools - " " "	7	11	5			
690	29	Maintenance - surface water system.	30	0	0			
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PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

691	39	60 tons tarmac - Hendon Lane.	175	0	0			
692	46	0 Relay wood paving - Fortis Green Rd.	52	15	7			
693	78	0 Scavenging - East End Road and Totteridge Lane.	13	0	0			
			-----			240	15	7

NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

694	22	Water for fountains and troughs.	6	16	2			
695	0	Hire of car, reading water meters.	1	13	9			
696	23	0 Repair notice board re cyclists, Lovers Walk.	15	7				
697	69	690 ft. run relay channel. } Birkbeck Rd, Churchfield Ave, Lambert Road, Etchingham Park Rd, Sedgemere Ave, Squires Lane, Woodgrange Avenue. }	94	17	6			
698	71	240 tons fine old mac. } Lyndhurst Gardens to brock, Nether Street. }	198	0	0			

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		Brought forward.	302	3	0	35021	18	2
78	Item No.	Scavenging - Manual labour.	365	0	0			
79		Do. - Team labour.	35	0	0			
82		Watering - water and meter rents.	21	10	0			
85	0	Tools - stores transfer.	15	5	9			
	0	Hire of car - reading water meters.	1	4	8			
86	0	Street name plates inspection, providing and fixing new, and refixing existing.	10	1	11			
87		Maintenance of trees.	30	0	0			
88		New trees.	150	0	0			
89		Repairs scavenging trucks.	20	0	0			
93		Water and electricity, Central Depot.	2	1	1			
	0	Fuel and sundries - transfer from stores - Central Depot.	3	12	3			
	0	Repair fence, Woodhouse Rd Depot	1	11	3			
	0	Dismantle block making machine and shedding and re-erect in new position.	9	15	0			
			<hr/>			967	4	11
		<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>						
98		Electric lamps.	521	0	9			
99		Gas lamps - wages.	30	0	0			
100		Gas.	162	0	5			
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			<hr/>			£ 35702	4	3
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		<u>IMPROVEMENTS.</u>						
		Swan Lane widening.	245	0	0			
		Gainsborough Rd, east side, slab paving.	273	0	0			
		Squires Lane by Manor View, new kerb.	169	0	0			
		Squires Lane railway bridge.	500	0	0			
			<hr/>			£ 1187	0	0
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

4TH NOVEMBER, 1927.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 9TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

STONES.

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.					
719	0	10 gals. Clensol.	1	0	0
720	0	1200 ft. 2" x 1½" deal.	3	15	0
721	0	4 secondhand 3¼" x 2' doors; 54'6" 3-ply.	8	0	0
722	0	1 Yale night latch and 3 extra keys.	14	11	
723	0	4 padlocks, 3 master keys.	2	19	5
724	0	392 ft. 3" x 9".	7	7	0
725	0	288 ft. 1½" x 9".	5	0	8
726	0	16 ft. 1½" x 3"; 8 ft. 2" x 4"; 24 ft.) ¾" x 3¾")		3	8
727	0	25 ft. 12" x 8" circular kerb.	4	17	11
728	0	105 ft. 6" x 12" straight "	14	8	9
729	0	10 tons 4" x 4" Leicester cubes.	27	10	0
730		5000 wood blocks.	46	8	9
731		5 tons lightning cement.	24	3	9
732		10 tons portland "	27	7	6
733		60 yds. stone ballast.	23	2	6
734		20 " paving sand.	9	0	0
735		2500 blue paving bricks.	23	0	0
736		2000 Lingfield wire cut bricks.	9	6	0
737		30 tons 1½" tarmac.	48	10	0
738		30 " ¾" "	50	15	0
739		50 yds. shingle.	22	10	0
740		40 gals. lubricating oil.	5	0	0
741		80 gals. paraffin oil.	2	16	8
742		80 " creasote oil.	4	6	8
743		3 blue donkey jackets.	2	12	6
744		6 doz. ruby glasses for watching lanterns.	2	6	6
745		6 " 5ft. ash broom handles.	2	6	6
746		5 gals. black bitumastic paint.	17	6	
747		1 cwt. stauffer grease.	1	5	4
748		2 doz. copper balls for ½" ball valves.	1	6	0
749		1 " 8-gallon portable coppers.	35	2	0
750		1 " lengths flue pipe for coppers.	3	4	0
751		1 ton forge coal.	2	17	6
752		3 doz. 60 watt electric light lamps.	3	12	0
753		1 pair scales and set of weights to 28lbs.	3	0	9
754		1 table for stores office.	2	10	0
755		1 standard 3" x 9" timber.	20	0	0
756		2 pairs phosphor bronze bearings.	2	15	0
757		100 - 4"x 9" saddle junctions.	19	6	8
758		200 - 4" stoneware pipes.	18	6	8
759		2 gals. cycle burning oil.			
760		2 " spirits of salts.			
761		2 F.U.D.C. branding irons.	3	3	3
762		½ cwt. cart grease.			
763		3 - 1" iron taps for barrels.			
764		12 lavatory brushes.			

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No.

SPARE PARTS FOR MILLENIUM STOVES

165	12 fire covers each R and L. oven.	3	12	0	
166	12 rings and plugs for fire covers.	1	11	0	
167	12 oven safety plates each R and L.	3	12	0	
168	12 bottom fire bars.		18	0	
169	6 front " "	1	1	0	
170	6 fall bars.		7	6	
171	1 gross washers for $\frac{3}{4}$ " taps)	1	1	0	
172	1 " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ " ")				
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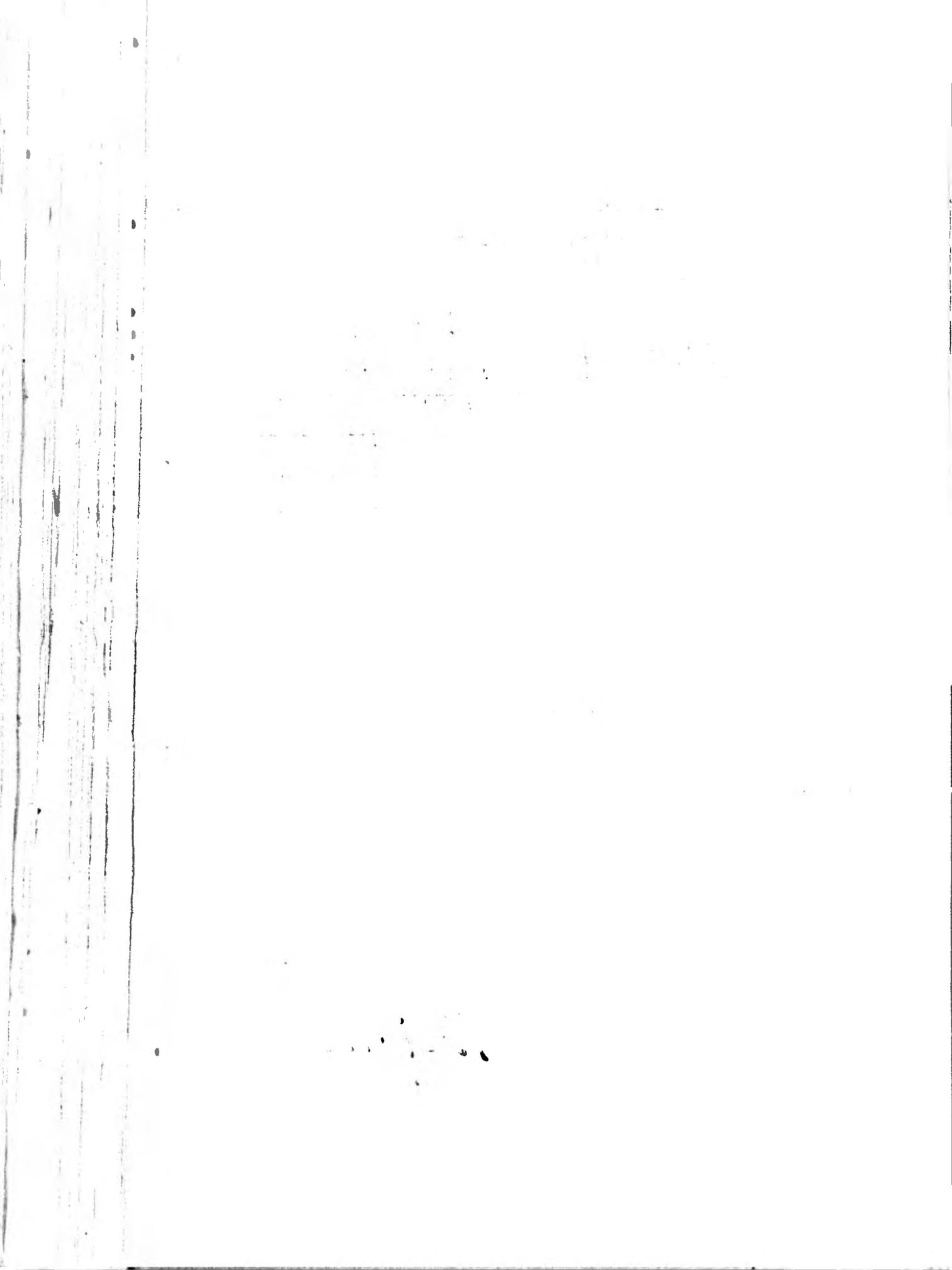
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

4TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

These (including this and the four preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1019 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 9th November 1927.

M. J. J. J.
Chairman.



Information re Motor Ambulances in
use by other Local Authorities.

Name of Authority	Type of Ambulance	Date purchased	Remarks
Elmington Urban District Council	Ford	Approx. 1924	Satisfactory
Barnet Urban District Council	Ford (light pat. chassis)	1925	Cost of running and up-keep extremely low compared with former C.M.C. type - highly satisfactory. Number of cases conveyed each year 525 and 563 respectively.
Borough of Acton	Morris Cowley	1924	Satisfactory.
Hendon & Isleworth U.D.C.	20 h.p. Austin (Local Govt. type body)		do.
Tottenham Urban District Council	(Crossley and Austin)		Both satisfactory.
Harrow-on-the-Hill U. D. C.	Ford		Satisfactory.
Wood Green Urban District Council.	25 h.p. Clement Talbot "Huddart"	1926	Cost £800 - has given satisfaction.
Southgate Urban District Council	Talbot		Satisfactory, except that the springs required improving. Some work has been done, but they are still not in the condition the Council desire.

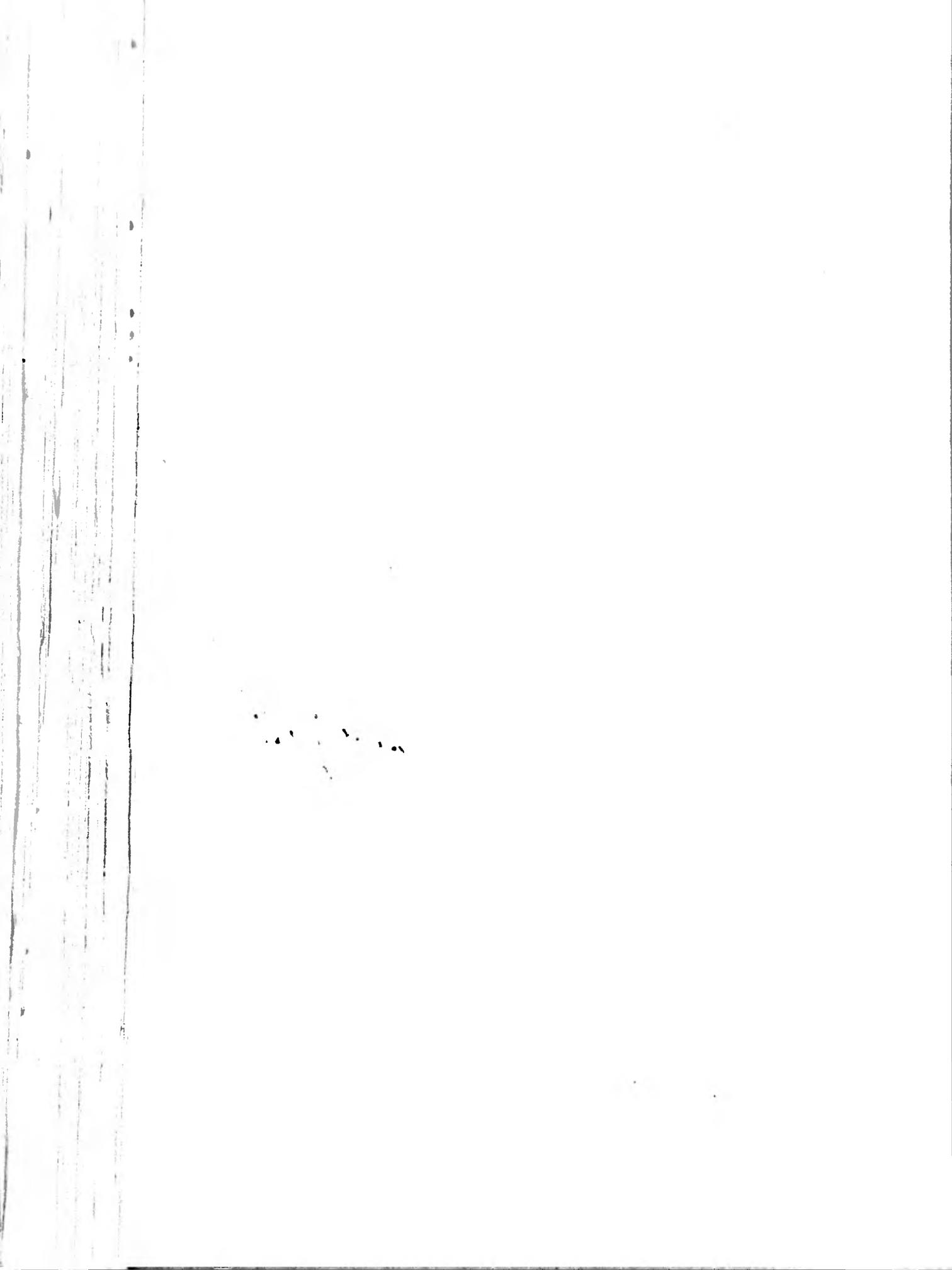
Name of Authority	Type of Ambulance	Date purchased	Remarks
Hendon Urban District Council (Fire Brigade)	Straker Squire		Used for accident work. As it is an ordinary chassis with ambulance body built thereon, not likely that Council will get similar type when the question of a new accident ambulance arises.
do. (Public Health Dept).	Drimler		Used for infectious diseases. Very satisfactory.
Borough of Hornsey	Talbot	1924	Cost £871. Satisfactory.
Borough of Ilford	3 20 H.P. Austins	1923, 1924 and 1927 respectively.	Satisfactory. Approximately 1,000 calls p.a.
Borough of Ealing	20 H.P. Austin Chassis Body constructed by Messrs. Wilson & Stockall, Bury.	1925	Cost £595 and has given every satisfaction.
Willesden Urban District Council	Single bedded Napier 19.6 H.P.	1913	Used for infectious cases. Unobtainable - not being built now.
do.	do. Crossley Ambulance 25.- 30 H.P.	1924	Used for sickness and accident cases. Also unobtainable. Cost £892.



Name of Authority	Type of Ambulance	Date Purchased	Remarks
Borough of Wimbledon	Clement Talbot	July 1925	Dealt with over 1,000 cases, and is most satisfactory.
Kingston Corporation	Ford Red Cross	1924	Cost £200, including accessories. Satisfactory, but highly probable that when next considering the matter the Corporation will purchase a better and more expensive make of Ambulance.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the statement referred to in paragraph 1024 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 9th November 1927.


Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

1026 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—R. HACK.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with.

1027 HIGHWAYS—ALL-NIGHT LIGHTING—SIDE STREETS.—This matter was considered by the Committee and the Clerk submitted a tabulated statement of replies received from a number of Local Authorities showing the practice adopted in their respective districts. He also submitted a communication, dated 9th November, 1927, from the Chief Electrical Engineer suggesting that very little useful purpose would be served by extending the lighting by one or two hours, but that, on the other hand, to continue the lighting all night in the more important roads, including through roads to other districts, would be a practical step towards lighting the whole district all night, that is assuming further lighting facilities during the night were of immediate importance.

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As regards the question of cost, the following statement was submitted by the Surveyor :—

Description	No. of columns	Remarks	First year	Subsequent years
			£	£
All night	1099 •		1466	932
Until 2 a.m.	1099 •	By time switch	845	311
" "		By hand	—	371
" 3 a.m.	1099 •	By time switch	1066	532
" "		By hand	—	592
All night	450 †		417	300

• This is the number of lamps now turned out at 1 a.m.

† These lamps light the principal roads not now lit after 1 a.m.

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the 450 columns mentioned in the

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

above statement be forthwith kept in lighting all night at the cost indicated.

Annexed 1028 HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 5th instant. A report of the proceedings thereat was submitted and, arising thereout, certain instructions were given to the Officers concerned.

1029 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—A communication, dated 27th October, 1927, was submitted from the Clerk to the Tottenham Urban District Council forwarding copy of the Minutes of the adjourned Conference of representatives of Local Authorities in Middlesex held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 12th October, 1927. It was reported that the Conference at their adjourned meeting passed a number of resolutions;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the further consideration of the matter be adjourned until next meeting and that, in the meantime, a copy of the resolutions before referred to be forwarded to each Member of the Council;
- (b) that the Surveyor be appointed as this Council's representative on the proposed deputation to the Ministry of Transport.

1030 GLEBE LAND.—It was reported that at the last meeting of the Council it was resolved as follows :—

- (a) that this Committee be asked to give instructions for road-sweepings to be deposited in as large quantities as possible on the new allotment ground, during, say the next three years;
- (b) that each of the several Committees concerned be asked to submit to the General Purposes Committee an estimate of its expenditure on the taking-over of the portion of the Glebe Land allocated to it by the Council.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a) the Surveyor be instructed accordingly;

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - MEETING - 9th

STREET LIGHTING.

NOVEMBER, 1927.

Summary of Replies received from Various Local
Authorities re All Night Lighting in Side Streets.

<u>Name of District.</u>	<u>Summary of Reply.</u>
HARROW	Lights in side streets extinguished at about 12.30 a.m. Only all night lamps at important junctions.
WILLESDEN	Lights in all streets extinguished one hour before sun-rise. No distinction between main and side roads.
BARNET	Gas lamps in side streets extinguished at 11.45 p.m. Electric lamps in side streets extinguished at midnight.
RICHMOND	Lights in all streets alight the whole night.
ACTON	Lights in side streets alight the whole night.
TWICKENHAM	Lamps in all streets alight all night.
TOTTENHAM	All lamps alight until half-an-hour before sunrise.
SOUTHGATE.	All street lamps lighted for full lighting hours.
HESTON & ISLEWORTH	All streets lighted from dusk to dawn.
HENDON	All streets lighted in accordance with standard time table. At present extinguished at 5.20 a.m. No distinction made between streets.
HORNSEY	No difference between side streets and other streets.
HAMPSTEAD	All streets lighted until half-an-hour before sunrise.
EAST BARNET VALLEY	All lamps extinguished at midnight, except certain point lamps alight all night in winter, and one or two important lamps kept alight all night throughout the year.

Name of District

Summary of reply

WOOD GREEN

All lights extinguished half-an-hour before sunrise.

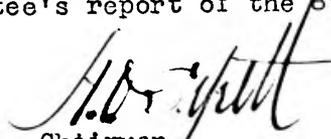
FRIERN BARNET

Lights in side streets extinguished at 1 a.m. Lights in main streets extinguished an hour before sunrise.

E. H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

This (together with the preceding page) is the statement referred to in paragraph 1027 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th November 1927.


Chairman.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT

5th November, 1927.

PRESENT:- Councillor Knowlman (Chairman) and Councillor Wells.

1. BRIDGE - BOTTOM OF WAVERLEY GROVE.-

Having regard to the probable early making up of Waverley Grove the Sub-Committee inspected the above bridge, and were of the opinion that the Surveyor should enter into negotiations with the Hendon Council, with a view to the same being put into a proper state of repair.

2. TELEPHONE KIOSK - JUNCTION OF GRANVILLE ROAD AND THE GREAT NORTH ROAD.-

This matter was considered, and the Sub-Committee expressed the view that it would be desirable, if possible, for arrangements to be made for the London Telephone Service to place the proposed kiosk on the Great North Road by the south corner of Granville Road, near Mr. Green's Estate Office.

3. HIGHWAYS - SUMMERS LANE.-

The Sub-Committee inspected the above road, and were of opinion that it would be desirable for the Surveyor to prepare an estimate of the cost of carrying out temporary repairs on the north side thereof, opposite to the Mortuary, in order to make the road safer for traffic at that point.

4. LAND - SUMMERS LANE BY MORTUARY.-

Instructions were given for the attention of the Public Health Committee to be drawn to the accumulation of litter, etc. on the land on the south side of the above road, situate to the east of the Mortuary.

5. HIGHWAYS - WOODHOUSE ROAD (NORTH SIDE) - PAVING.-

The Sub-Committee inspected the footpath in the above road between Ashurst Road and Hilton Avenue, and were of opinion that the matter should receive the consideration of the full Committee.

6. HIGHWAYS - SEATS.-

The Sub-Committee considered an alternative position for the seat which had been removed from the corner of Woodside Park Road and Woodside Avenue, and suggest that it be placed on the west side of the Great North Road, at a point north of Granville Road.

7. STREET WIDENINGS - WOODSIDE LANE.-

The Sub-Committee inspected the above road, and instructions were given to the surveyor to prepare, in time for the meeting of the full Committee, a plan showing a partial widening in front of The Bungalow.

8. HIGHWAYS - TREE OUTSIDE NO. 43 HOLDEN ROAD.-

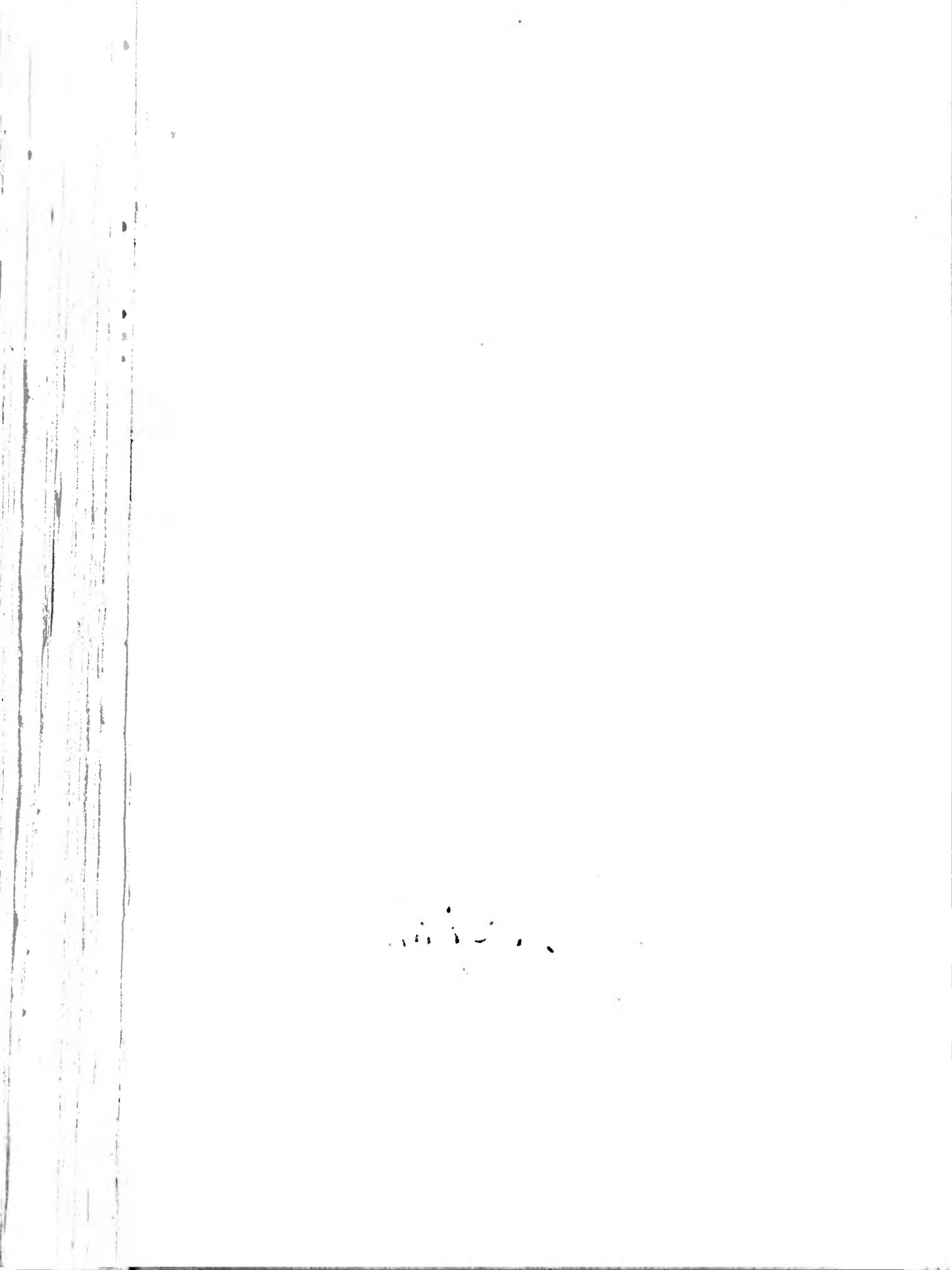
The Sub-Committee inspected the above tree, a request for the removal of which had been received, and were of opinion that the position would be met by cutting off the whole of the branches, with the exception of the one overhanging the footpath.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Outdoor Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph 1028 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 9th November 1927.

A. Knowlman
Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (2) that as regards (b) the General Purposes Committee be informed that this Committee do not propose to proceed with any widening works at the present time.

1031 HOARDINGS—CORNER OF CHANDOS AVENUE AND THE GREAT NORTH ROAD.—A communication was submitted from the Friern Barnet Urban District Council asking that this Council would use their best endeavours to arrange for the removal of the hoardings at the above point and also endeavour to secure some rounding off of the two corners at the junction of Chandos Avenue and the Great North Road for the safety and convenience of road users. Reference was also made in the letter to the question of the making-up of the small portion of Chandos Avenue which is situate within this district;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect

- (a) that arrangements have been made by the Billposting Company for splaying at the north corner of Chandos Avenue;
- (b) that, as regards the south corner, the land is likely to be developed in the near future, which will necessitate the removal of the hoarding; and
- (c) that, as regards the making-up of the small portion of Chandos Avenue in question, this is included in the next batch of private streets to be made up by the Council.

1032 PROPOSED RAILWAY SIDING—EAST FINCHLEY—FOR MANOR FARM DAIRY.—A communication, dated 3rd November, 1927, was submitted from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., forwarding plan of siding showing proposed bridge over the railway line which it was desired to construct to enable them to cross the footpath with their glass-lined milk tanks. The letter added—" You will note that the Railway Company propose to construct a sloping bridge, without steps, over the existing footpath, so as to enable the public traffic to continue as before, the work to be done to the entire satisfaction of your Surveyor, without costing the Council a penny, and no additional cost in the future over and above what you are put to at present—that is to say, the cost of maintenance of the footpath only. We also agree to provide one light on the bridge free of charge."

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RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised by the Council to the proposals, subject

- (a) to the rights of the public not being interfered with;
- (b) to the Company undertaking to **maintain** the proposed lamp on the bridge;
- (c) to non-slip paving being provided;
- (d) to the whole of the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the Council's Surveyor;
- (e) to the Company undertaking that no liability or cost whatsoever will fall upon the Council in connexion with the matter;
- (f) to the Company agreeing to maintain the foot-path in a satisfactory condition for a period of five years.

1033 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—The Clerk reported that he had again communicated with the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council enquiring whether he had yet heard anything definite from the Ministry of Transport in regard to the question of their contribution towards the cost of the above improvement but that up to the time of the meeting he had not received any reply.

1034 HIGHWAYS—TELEPHONE POLES.—The Clerk reported that, in accordance with the instructions of the Committee, this matter had been placed before the Urban District Councils' Association and that, at the last meeting of the Executive Council, it was referred to the Law and Parliamentary Committee for consideration. He also reported that the Clerk to the Barnet Council had since written stating that his Council had placed on record their accord with the views submitted by this Council and had directed him to express to the Association the hope that they would be able to take up the matter with the Government Department concerned with satisfactory results.

1035 HIGHWAYS—ILLUMINATED ADVERTISEMENT SIGN—HIGH ROAD, WHETSTONE.—An application was submitted from the St. Paul's Advertising Service, Ltd., on behalf of Messrs. Lewis, Morgan & Co., of High Road, Whetstone, for permission to fix

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*)

an illuminated advertisement sign upon a tramway standard in High Road, Whetstone. They stated that they had received permission from the Tramways Company to fix such a sign, subject to the consent of the Council being obtained; that the outside measurements of the sign would be 3ft. x 2ft. 6ins. and that its design and method of fixing would be subject to the approval of the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the application in question be not granted.

1036 ARGYLE ROAD—FOOTBRIDGE.—A communication was submitted from Mr. R. S. Cattell stating that he was communicating with the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., who leased his clients' fields, with a view to their making some contribution towards the cost of repairing the above bridge; that the matter was having his personal attention, and that any necessary repairs would be put in hand with the utmost dispatch.

1037 IMPROVEMENT WORKS—LONG LANE.—The Surveyor reported that these works were practically completed;

RECOMMENDED that the Finance Committee be asked to consider the question of payment of the Contractors' account.

1038 STREET WIDENINGS—MANOR PARADE, REGENTS PARK ROAD.—The Surveyor reported that this work had now been completed.

1039 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office Authorities were submitted:—

- (1) Underground line south side of Totteridge Lane, from Birley Road, east side, to outside No. 15.
- (2) Underground line along the east side of Stanhope Avenue, from East End Road to outside No. 37.
- (3) Underground line north-east side of Arden Road, from Salisbury Avenue to outside No. 48.
- (4) Underground line across and along the south side of Fallowcourt Avenue, from Nos. 60/58 to opposite Nos. 18/16.

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from the St.
Messrs. Lewis,
mission to fix

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (5) Underground line north-east side of Hervey Close, from outside No. 16 to outside No. 32.
- (6) Underground line south-east side of Woodberry Way, from Nos. 12/14 to outside "Frinton."
- (7) Underground line north-east side of Elm Park Road, from Nos. 42/44 to outside No. 74a.
- (8) Underground line north-west side of Brent Way, from Nos. 9/7 to Nos. 5/3;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such applications be approved, subject :—
 - (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and
 - (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction; and
- (2) that as regards No. 7, the cost of reinstatement be borne by the Council.

1040 TELEPHONE KIOSK.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a letter, dated the 26th October, 1927, from the London Telephone Service together with plan, showing two alternative positions for a proposed telephone kiosk at the junction of Summers Lane and the Great North Road;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that arrangements be made if possible for the London Telephone Service to place the proposed kiosk on the Great North Road by the south corner of Granville Road, near to Mr. Green's Estate Office;
- (2) that in the event of this being agreed by the London Telephone Service, such position be approved by the Council on the terms of the existing arrangement.

1041 GAS MAIN CONNEXION—HIGH ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY, BY HIGHWOOD AVENUE.—The Surveyor reported receipt of an application with plan, dated the 19th October, 1927, from the Southgate and District Gas Company for permission to lay a 6in. gas main connexion across the Great North Road in the position described above;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

1042 NORTH MIDDLESEX JOINT TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.—The Surveyor presented a communication, dated the 24th October, 1927, received from the County Engineer, making the following observations upon the proposals of the above-mentioned Committee:—

“ Great North Road and Regents Park Road.—The widths suggested by the Joint Committee are, no doubt, those they desire to be aimed at, but I think, having regard to the developments along the frontages of these two roads, greater widths than those being obtained are impracticable.

North Circular Road and Barnet Bye-pass.—Generally speaking the County Council are arranging for a 20ft. building line except along the Arden Estate.

Woodhouse Road and East End Road.—As no doubt the North Circular Road will relieve these roads considerably I think the 60ft. width now being obtained is sufficient”;

RECOMMENDED that the views expressed by the County Engineer be endorsed by this Council.

1043 ANNUAL ESTIMATES—1928/29—MAIN, CONTRIBUTORY AND LIGHT RAILWAY ROADS—PROGRAMME.—The Surveyor reported that the Middlesex County Council had asked for particulars of this Council's programme of works for the ensuing year, and submitted details thereof;

RECOMMENDED that the programme submitted by the Surveyor be approved and transmitted to the County Council.

1044 SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE—GRIFFIN INN P.H., WHETSTONE.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the owners of the premises be allowed to connect the surface water drain to this Council's sewer subject to an agreement being entered into with the Friern Barnet Council on the usual terms.

1045 IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that the carrying out of the following works, for which provision has been made in this year's esti-

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

mates, be approved, and that the necessary tenders be invited, namely :—

- (1) Swan Lane widening ;
- (2) Gainsborough Road, east side—slab paving ;
- (3) Squires Lane by Manor View—new kerb ;
- (4) Squires Lane Railway Bridge ;

(b) that the matter be reported to the Finance Committee.

1046 STAFF—SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT.—The Surveyor reported to the Committee, as a matter of urgency, that owing to the resignation of Mr. R. Massey, the Chairman of the Council had given authority for advertisements to be issued inviting applications for the appointment of a successor, and it was decided that the Chairman of the Council be authorised to interview the candidates and to submit a recommendation to the General Purposes Committee ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1047 CENTRAL DEPÔT — TELEPHONE EXTENSION BELL.—Referring to Minute No. 872, the Surveyor reported that there would be an additional rental of 3s. 9d. a quarter, owing to the external wiring being longer than that allowed in the first mentioned rental ;

RECOMMENDED that this additional expenditure be approved.

1048 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6258—New road and sewers—Hampstead Garden Suburb ; and
- (b) No. 6296—New road and sewers—Fursby House Estate.—

The Surveyor reported that these plans were considered by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, and that they were recommending that the lay-out be approved ; further, that as regards the surface water sewers, it was a matter for this Committee to deal with ;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the plans be approved so far as this Committee is concerned.

1049 PRIVATE STREETS—NAMING OF.—

- (a) The Surveyor reported that it had been suggested that the new road on the Fursby House Estate might be named West Avenue;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (b) The Surveyor also reported that it had been suggested that the proposed new road on the Hampstead Garden Suburb might be known as Maurice Walk;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1050 HIGHWAYS—BARONSMERE ROAD.—The Surveyor presented a petition signed by a number of residents in the above road asking that the road might be swept more frequently than at present, and also if possible that it might be swept late on Saturday evenings in order that the road might be clean for Sundays;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect :—

- (1) that the road is at present swept twice a week;
- (2) that the portion of the road at its junction with the Great North Road is cleansed early on Sunday mornings; and
- (3) that notwithstanding the above, the road will be kept under observation by the Surveyor's Department.

1051 GULLEY BY WOODSIDE GRANGE, WOODSIDE GRANGE ROAD.—The Surveyor reported that the cost of connecting to the public sewer the gulley at the entrance to the above premises was estimated at £15, and that the owner had deposited an amount equal to one-half of such cost;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be authorised to proceed with the carrying out of the work, and that the balance of the cost be borne by the Council.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1052 HIGHWAYS — NORTH FINCHLEY — MOTOR WARNING SIGNS.—Referring to Minute No. 873, the Surveyor submitted a number of quotations for warning signs received by him. Instructions were given to the Surveyor as an experiment to obtain and have affixed to the tramway standard near to Dr. Tunnicliffe's premises in the High Road, North Finchley, a 4ft. x 2ft. luminor sign in place of the existing one, at an estimated cost of £5.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1053 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

10th November, 1927.

Present : Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent and Wells, and Messrs. Robin, Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

1054 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1055 ALLOTMENTS.—

- (1) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—On the invitation of the Chairman of the Committee three representatives of the North Finchley Allotments League, namely Messrs. Bunton, A. Cook, and T. Cook, attended the meeting, and as a result of the discussion which took place, a number of instructions were given to the Surveyor.

The Committee had under consideration a list of transferring and non-transferring dispossessed allottees, which had been furnished by the League;

*Annexed***RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, compensation as hereunder stated be paid to the persons mentioned in the list circulated herewith :—
- (i) Dispossessed allotment holders transferring to new ground—5/- a pole to cover cost of manures, etc (See Minute No. 333).

ALLOTTEES TAKING UP :—

10 pole plots.	12 pole plots.	14 pole plots.	15 pole plots.	18 pole plots.	20 pole plots.
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- (ii) Dispossessed allotment holders who do not intend to transfer to new ground—2/- a pole.

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- (iii) Disposessed, aged and infirm, and women (widows) allotment holders who are unable to break up new ground but who otherwise would be willing to transfer thereto—2/6 a pole.

AREA OF WHICH DISPOSSESSED :—

8 pole plots.	10 pole plots.	20 pole plots.	
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| (iv) Compensation for loss of piggeries greenhouses, being the mean between the League's valuations and the Surveyor's valuations | 304 15 0 |
| (v) Cost of removal of greenhouses (Agreed by Surveyor and League) ... | 70 10 0 |
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- (2) that, subject also to the approval of the Finance Committee, the provision and erection of fencing and the construction of roads be approved at the under-mentioned estimated costs :—

Fencing ...	£140
Main Roads ...	£200;

- (3) that the Surveyor be instructed to submit at the meeting of the Council an estimate of the cost of filling holes on the new land with materials and mould;
- (4) that, subject to (3) above, the foregoing statement be regarded as a complete estimate of this Committee's expenditure on their taking over

COMPENSATION.

List referred to in Allotments Committee's Report dated 10th November, 1927. (2/- a pole)

(1) Dispossessed allotment holders transferring to new ground.

Plot No. on old ground.	Name.	Address.	Area to be taken up on new ground. (Poles)	Compensation payable. £. s. d.
3	Lee, J.	1, Belgrave Terrace	10	2.10. 0.
4a	Streader, A.	81, High St. N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
4b	Palmer, S.	23, Fallowcourt Ave.	10	2.10. 0.
6a	Cooper, R.	Rosslyn House, Nether St., N.3.	10	2.10. 0.
6b	Cook, W.	13, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
8a	Wilding, G.	77, Grange Ave,	10	2.10. 0.
13b	Evans, W.	20, William St., N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
14	Barrett, F.	51, Fallowcourt Ave.	20	5. 0. 0.
18	Elcock, S.	1, Warwick Cottages, N.12.	20	5. 0. 0.
30a	Allured, S.	2, Crystal Cotts. N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
30b	Fowler, F.	do.	10	2.10. 0.
32	Deed, G.	81, Lodge Lane, N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
33	Raynor, F.	Pretoria Villa, Leggatt Grove.	20	5. 0. 0.
30c	Pope, G.	24, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
34	Washbrook, W.	35, Squires Lane	20	5. 0. 0.
36	Anderson, J.	3, Hall St., N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
40	Sinton, R.	21, Birkbeck Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
1	Bracketone, G.	65, Crescent Way.	20	5. 0. 0.
3a	Petch, A.	11, Dale Grove.	10	2.10. 0.
5	Denton, A.	7, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
7a	Woolner, H.	96, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
7c	Evans, W.	3, Hall Street.	10	2.10. 0.
9	Mold, H.	66, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
11a	Bray, F.	64, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
13	Arnett, J.	193, Woodhouse Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
15a	Lines, T.	2, Primrose Villas, Granville Road.	10	2.10. 0.
17	Woolner, F.	2, Wallingford Villa, Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
19	Holliday, W.	Ashleigh, Castle Rd.	10	2.10. 0.
21	Mayne, C.	Tresmere, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
23	Webb, A.	1, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
25	Cook, A.	Marlow Villa, Hutton Grove.	12	3. 0. 0.
29	Bickers, E.	47, Lodge Lane.	15	3.15. 0.
31	Thompson, W.	76, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
33	Prayle, W.	10, Avenue Road.	10	2.10. 0.
35	Tinsley, E.	71, Grove Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
37	Sinton, J.	Terrington Cottage, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
39	Cook, T.	55, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
42	Collwell, H.	28, Crossway.	20	5. 0. 0.
44	Murray, J.	33, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
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	Hayes, J.	78, Ingleway.	20	5. 0. 0.
45	Geaves, S.	Ford Villa, Grunelien Road.	10	2.10. 0.
45a	Geaves, W.	4, Grove Villas, Hutton Gro.	10	2.10. 0.
45b	Bodinead, F.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
50a	Page, H.	194, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
53	Gray, W.	13, Percy Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
54	Taylor, G.	10, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
55	Lansbury, H.	13, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
55a	Fowler, W.	50, Lodge Lane.	30	5. 0. 0.
60	Carter, F.	Roseneath, Woodgrange Ave.	20	5. 0. 0.
65	Bunton, T.	Eliacombe, Dale Grove.	20	5. 0. 0.
70	SHIFF, G.	High Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
72	Pateman, S.	78, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
74	Wetton, T.	13, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
76	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
76a	Gale, F.	44, Hutton Grove.	18	4.10. 0.
80a	Fowler, G.	1, Albion Cotts., High Rd., N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
80b	Pryke, C.	44, Stanhope Road.	14	3.10. 0.
85a	Escott, H.	18, New Trinity Road.	12	5. 0. 0.
85b	Adams, H.	7, Dunger Place, N. 12.	12	3. 0. 0.
41	Wilding, H.	9, William Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
43a	Beck, S.	2, Avenue Road.	12	3. 0. 0.
43b	Humphries, W.	15, Upway.	12	3. 0. 0.
45	Wilding, G.	77, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
47a	Tubb, F.	63, Crescentway.	10	2.10. 0.
49	Sitton, J.	79, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
52a	Sleeman, W.	9, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
55	Richardson, J.	102, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
57	Bond, W.	141, High Road, N. 2.	20	5. 0. 0.
59	Fensome, W.	Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
61	Tinsley, W.	17, Fredericks Place.	20	5. 0. 0.
65	Fowler, Mrs.	1, Albion Cottages, High Road, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
69	Hookham, G.	1, Garthway.	20	5. 0. 0.
71	Major, J.	131, Station Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
73	Oliver, B.	19, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
75	Windmill, E.	6, Birkbeck Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
79	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
84	Vivian, C.	48, Clifford Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
86	Toogood, F.	75, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
88	Poulter, G.	St. Bride's, Castle Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
90a	Tinsley, F.	39, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
90b	Bennett, A.	18, Crossway.	10	2.10. 0.
92	Griffin, G.	92, Granville Road.	10	2.10. 0.
94a	Conisbee, J.	8, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
94b	Young, A.	18, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
96	Hathaway, H.C.	1, Albert Street.	10	2.10. 0.
100	Gibson, H.W.	St. George's Villa, Ballards Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
102	Willet, C.	2, Birkbeck Road.	10	2.10. 0.
104	Fensome, H.	2a, do.	10	2.10. 0.
106	Lansbury, G.	16, Lodge Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
108	Bryant, C.	3, Dantsie Cottages, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
110	Davies, D.	156, Squires Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
112	Shuttleworth, G.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
114	Hammersley, G.	6, Percy Road.	10	2.10. 0.
116	Richard, E.	67, High Road, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
118	Desbry, J.	29, Queens Road, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
120	Bursted, F.	Ballards Lane, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.

Carried forward 351.15. 0.



Plot No.	Name.	Address	Area of dispossessed Poles.	Compensation payable. £. s. d.
83	Ranson, T.	16, Upway.	20	£5. 0. 0.
85b	Mann, F.	Delhi Villa, Leicester Rd., New Barnet.	10	2.10. 0.
87	Hatchett, J.	Wallingford Villa, Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
89	Cole, J.	17, Gruneisen Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
91	Sing, J.	8, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
93	Taylor, T.	10, Percy Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
95b	Thatcher, S.	25, Chisbaurst Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
97b	Dixon, J.	38, Derby Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
99	Mousley, T.	9, New Oak Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
101	Mrs. D. Roberts	46, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
103	Searle, S.	7, Fredericks Place.	20	5. 0. 0.
105a	Gallyer, F.	Bresdene, Leggatt Grove.	10	2.10. 0.
105b	Quarrington, W.	7, Upway.	10	2.10. 0.
107a	Player, J.	50, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
107b	Comer, H.	188, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
109a	Nutkins, C.	56, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
111a	do.	do.	10	2.10. 0.
111b	Turner, H.	47, Crescent Way.	10	2.10. 0.
113	Gilks, C.	16, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
117	Halsey, A.	Oakwood, Castle Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
121a	Richards, J.	1, Prospect Cotts., Summers Lane.	10	3.10. 0.
121b	Bird, A.	160, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
123a	Bungay, T.	37, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
123b	Hudson, H.	74, Woodgrange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
123a	Rolph, F.	10, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
123b	Finch, G.	7, Summers Row,	10	2.10. 0.
124a	Hasell, E.	51, Grove Road.	10	2.10. 0.
124b	Keen, T.	164, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
126	Pryor, G.	9, William Street.	20	5. 0. 0.
Total				£451.15. 0.

(2) Dispossessed allotment holders who do not intend to transfer to new ground. - 2/- a pole.

Plot No.	Name.	Address	Area of dispossessed Poles.	Compensation payable. £. s. d.
31	Danby, E.	59, High St., N. 12.	20	2. 0. 0.
53b	Calkin, J.	130, Long Lane.	10	1. 0. 0.
63	Jacques, F.	76, Clifford Road.	20	2. 0. 0.
3b	Townsend, H.	76, Clifford Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
15b	Dunkley, A.	Kilminton, Castle Rd.	10	1. 0. 0.
27	Bickers, S.	8, Friern Park.	20	2. 0. 0.
10	King, W.	47, Lodge Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
12	Croft, E.	1, High Street, N. 12.	20	2. 0. 0.
16	Barklett, F.	Tillydene, Castle Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
24	Smith, H.	121, Squires Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
26a	Taylor, G.	38, Derby Avenue.	10	1. 0. 0.
26b	Webb, J.	98, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
52	Brown, C.	Since deceased. Oak Lodge, Christchurch Ave.	20	2. 0. 0.
62	Colman, F.	Station Villas, Mill Hill.	20	2. 0. 0.
64	White, A.	125, Squires Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
95a	Armstrong, W.	68, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
115	Kirby, C.	3, St. John's Terrace, Friern Lane	30	2. 0. 0.
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119	Young, A.E.	20	2. 0. 0.
383	Warne, W.	10	1. 0. 0.
39	Bickers, E. 47, Lodge Lane.	5	10. 0.
31	Thompson, W.	10	1. 0. 0.
2	} Lee, J. 1, Belgrave Terrace.	20	2. 0. 0.
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38a	Bira, A. 160, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
44	Murray, J. 33, Ingleway.	10	1. 0. 0.
58	Lansbury, H. 13, Theobalds Avenue.	10	1. 0. 0.
76	Wetton, T. 13, Grange Avenue.	10	1. 0. 0.
Total			<u>£37.10. 0.</u>

(3) Dispossessed aged and infirm and women (widows) allotment holders who are unable to break up the new ground. 2/6d. a pole.

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Area of which dis-possessed. Poles.</u>	<u>Compensation payable. £. s. d.</u>
67	} Smith, C.	3, Avenue Road.	40	5. 0. 0.
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77	Irons, G.	20, Gruneisen Road.	20	2.10. 0.
47a	Fensome, C.	Sandown, Dale Grove.	10	1. 5. 0.
80	Currell, W.	The Almshouses, Oak Lane.	10	1. 5. 0.
30a	Kemsley, E.	73, Queens Avenue.	10	1. 5. 0.
85a	Hows, E.	North Holme, Nether St.	10	1. 5. 0.
123a	Joiner, J.	6, William Street.	10	1. 5. 0.
11b	Rea, Mrs.	50, Clifford Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
97a	Davy, Mrs.	St. Denys, Castle Rd.	10	1. 5. 0.
109b	Wildman, Mrs	1, Stanhope Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
19	Holliday, W.	Ashleigh, Castle Rd.	10	1. 5. 0.
22	Deed, G.	81, Lodge Lane, N. 12.	10	1. 5. 0.
25	Cock, A.	Marlow Villa, Hutton Grove.	8	1. 0. 0.
33	Prayle, W.	10, Avenue Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
37	Sinton, J.	Torrington Cottage, N. 12.	10	<u>1. 5. 0.</u>
Total				<u>£33.10. 0.</u>

(4) Piggeries -(Mean between Surveyor's and League's valuations.)

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Surveyor's Valuation. £. s. d.</u>	<u>North Finchley Allotments League's valuation. £. s. d.</u>	<u>Compensation payable. £. s. d.</u>
29	Bickers, E.	10. 0. 0.	15. 0. 0.	13.10. 0.
31	Thompson, W.	5.10. 0.	6. 0. 0.	5.15. 0.
39	Cook, T.	17.10. 0.	25. 0. 0.	21. 5. 0.
2	Lee, J.	4.10. 0.	5. 0. 0.	4.15. 0.
38	Warne, W.	5. 5. 0.	5. 0. 0.	5. 2. 6.
41	Wilding, H.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
45	Wilding, G.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
65	Fowler, Mrs.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
Carried forward		<u>70. 10. 0.</u>	<u>86. 0. 0.</u>	<u>78. 5. 0.</u>



48	Brought forward	£70.10. 0.	£86. 0. 0.	£78. 5. 0.
43	Hayes, J.	10.15. 0.	12. 0. 0.	11. 7. 6.
50a	Lee, J.	4.10. 0.	5. 0. 0.	4.15. 0.
50b	Bouinead, F.	9. 3. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
54	Gray, W.	11. 5. 0.	12.10. 0.	11.17. 6.
56	Taylor, G.	10. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.
58	Lassberry, H.	5.15. 0.	5. 0. 0.	5. 7. 6.
60	Fowler, W.	11. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	10.10. 0.
63	Smith, C.	16. 0. 0.	30. 0. 0.	19. 0. 0.
87	Hatchets, J.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 5.
93	Taylor, T.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
108	Bryant, C.	7.15. 0.	8.10. 0.	8. 2. 6.
110	Davis, D.	11.15. 0.	13. 0. 0.	12. 7. 6.
114	Hammersley, G.	11.15. 0.	13. 0. 0.	12. 7. 6.
131	Lee, J.	9.10. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.15. 0.
141	Davies, W.	2. 5. 0.	2. 0. 0.	2. 2. 6.
143	Smith, G.	12.10. 0.	14.10. 0.	13.10. 0.
149	Lawrence, J.	11. 5. 0.	15. 0. 0.	13. 2. 6.
151	Matthews, E.	12. 0. 0.	12. 0. 0.	12. 0. 0.
128	Fowler, G.	12. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	11. 0. 0.
128a	Lee, J.	15.10. 0.	10. 0. 0.	12.15. 0.
114	Randall, G.	7.10. 0.	9. 0. 0.	8. 5. 0.
150	Ellis, J.	8.15. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9. 7. 6.
Totals		£292. 0. 0.	317.10. 0.	304.15. 0.

(5) Cost of removal of greenhouses. Estimates agreed by the League and the Surveyor of the Council.

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name of tenant.</u>	<u>Amount payable.</u>
5	Denton, A.	£15. 0. 0.
9	Moles, H.	7.10. 0.
16	Barratt, F.	6.10. 0.
17	Wocler, F.	3.10. 0.
18	Ellicock, S.	4. 0. 0.
40	Sinton, R.	15. 0. 0.
61	Tinsley, W.	1.10. 0.
69	Hookham, G.	3. 0. 0.
74	Patenan, S.	5. 0. 0.
78	Cresswell, W.E.	7. 0. 0.
83	Ranson, T.	2.10. 0.
Total		£70.10. 0.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the list referred to in paragraph 1055 (1) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 10th November 1927.

M. J. P. Smith
Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

the portion of the Glebe Land allocated to them by the Council, and as such be referred to the General Purposes Committee.

- (2) Woodhouse.—The Clerk submitted the draft Lease to the Woodhouse Allotments, Limited, and reported on several minor amendments which he had made thereto on the request of the Secretary of the Association;

RECOMMENDED that such draft as now submitted be approved.

1056 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

**REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION
COMMITTEE,**

held on the 14th November, 1927.

Present : Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), G. H. Pateman, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams.

1057 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £4,678 12s. 2d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

1058 PAYMENT OF DECEMBER SALARIES.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be give for the payment of salaries in December before the schools break-up for the Christmas holidays on the 22nd of that month.

1059 WEAR AND TEAR REPAIRS.—

RECOMMENDED—

1. St. Mary's School—that the Authority contributes £20 9s. 0d., being 2/3rds of certain items of expenditure amounting to £30 13s. 6d., for wear and tear renovations and repairs carried out by the Managers during the summer holidays;
2. Holy Trinity School—that the Authority contributes £16 15s. 9d., being 5/6ths of certain items of expenditure amounting to £20 2s. 1d., for wear and tear repairs carried out by the Managers during the summer holidays.

1060 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that approval be given to the requisitions as set out on the list circulated to members.

Annexed

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1061 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended the 14th October last the returns were as hereunder:—

Schools	Official recognized accom.	Accom. per Council's policy	Average No. on books	Average Attendance	Percentage
Council	4096	3369	2848	2621	92.0
Voluntary	1719	1484	1447	1335	92.2
Totals	5815	4853	4295	3956	92.0

1062 DEFECTIVE CHILDREN.—

1. A school-boy who was admitted to the Royal National Orthopædic Hospital last August, and for whom this Authority accepted responsibility for the cost of his education and maintenance, has successfully undergone an operation. He is now to be provided with a splint which is necessary to complete the treatment. If it is not provided the boy's condition will rapidly deteriorate.

RECOMMENDED that this Authority accepts responsibility for the cost of the splint at a sum not to exceed £3.

2. A school-boy who was admitted to the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital in June last, is still detained there although progressing satisfactorily. Under a previous Minute the Council accepted responsibility for the cost of his education and maintenance there for a period not exceeding three months, at a fee of £90 per annum.

RECOMMENDED that responsibility be accepted for an additional period of three months.

1063 EXTRA-DISTRICT CHILDREN.—Consideration has been given to the application of the parent of a child living at The Spaniards Road, Hampstead (within the Finchley area) that his daughter, aged 5½ years, might be admitted to the Christ Church School, Hampstead, the London County Council consenting.

RECOMMENDED that the responsibility of the cost of this child's education be defrayed by this Authority while the child is in attendance at the L.C.C. Christ Church School, Hampstead, and continues to reside at her present address.

WINDLEBY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Requisitions - November, 1927.

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St. Mary's School:	1 Piano trolley.	1. 5. -
Long Lane School:	9 Suggestions to Teachers, @ 2/- each.	18. -
Albert Street School:	Curtain and rod, junior hall.	12. - . -
Schools:	League of Nations literature:-	
	130 Covenant of the League, @ 5/- per 100.	6. 6
	130 Declaration concerning schools and peace of the world, @ 15/3 per 100.	1. - . -
	15 Recommendations by Professor Gilbert Murray, @ 3d. each.	3. 9

This is the list referred to in paragraph 1060 of the Education Committee's report of the 14th November 1927.

W. G. Smith
Chairman.

EDUCATION (*continued*).**1064 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—**

RECOMMENDED that the undermentioned supply appointments, consequent upon the absence of teachers through illness, be approved :—

Name.	School.	From.
Clothier, Miss	N.R.S.	27th Sept., 1927.
"	A.S.J.	11th Oct., 1927.
Collison, Mrs.	L.L.I.	27th Sept., 1927.
"	L.L.I.	17th Oct., 1927.

1065 LEAGUE OF EMPIRE—TRANSFER OF TEACHERS SCHEME.
—The Council will remember that leave of absence for one year has been granted for Miss L. Andrew, assistant mistress at the Albert Street School, to exchange positions with a colonial teacher.

The League of Empire announces that Miss J. W. Simpson, of Cape Town, trained certificated teacher, has been allocated to serve at the Albert Street School, from January next, during the absence of Miss Andrew.

1066 OXFORD VACATION COURSE FOR TEACHERS.—The Middlesex Education Committee has arranged a course of instruction for teachers to be held at Oxford from the 5th to 10th January next.

Mr. Bridges, the Head Master of the Squires Lane School, and Mr. Harrington, Assistant Master at St. Mary's School, propose to attend the course, and leave of absence has been granted for the 9th and 10th January next.

1067 SCHOOL MEDICAL SERVICE—OCULIST.—The resignation of Dr. J. R. Prior from the post of school oculist has been accepted with regret, and he has been informed that the Authority appreciate to the fullest extent his work as school oculist during his many years of service as such in Finchley;

RECOMMENDED that John Smedley Boden, O.B.E., M.B., B.S. (London), M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., be appointed, as from the 1st December, 1927, oculist in connexion with the School Medical Service, in the place of Dr. J. R. Prior resigned, and that payment for such services be at the rate of £2 2s. 0d. per morning or afternoon session.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1068 SQUIRES LANE SCHOOL—RETIREMENT OF MISS MORTIMER.—An intimation has been received from Miss Mortimer, Head Mistress of the Girls' Department of the Squires Lane Council School, that she intends to retire at the end of March next. Miss Mortimer has rendered service in Finchley since January, 1890.

RECOMMENDED that the resignation of Miss Mortimer be accepted with regret, coupled with an expression of appreciation of the valuable services she had rendered to education in Finchley.

Consequent upon the above-mentioned resignation, the question of the future administration of the senior sections of Squires Lane School has been considered.

Having regard to the possible desire of the Education Authority to effect developments arising from consideration of "The Report of the Departmental Committee of the Board of Education on the Education of the Adolescent" issued recently; it is

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject to the approval of the Board of Education, the following re-organisation shall operate from 1st April, 1928, until 31st July, 1929;

(31st July is the end of an educational year);

- (a) that, on the retirement of the head mistress, Miss A. Mortimer, at the end of March 1928, the boys' and girls' departments be combined under the control of the present head master, Mr. C. E. Bridges;

- (b) that the combined senior section of Squires Lane School be placed in Grade IV. for the purpose of the salary of the head master;

(The effect of this will be to increase the present salary of the Head Master by £24 per annum as from the 1st April, 1928);

- (c) that Miss F. Battson be appointed first assistant mistress with supervisory duties (other than connected with the school curriculum) in respect of the girls' side of the school,

EDUCATION (*continued*).

- (d) that an allowance equal to one annual increment (£9) be granted to Miss F. Battson under the terms of the Burnham Award in respect of the post of responsibility as first assistant mistress;
- (2) that, until the Education Authority otherwise direct, the distribution of the scholars in the combined school shall continue as at present, that is, a boys' side and a girls' side; in each standard the classes for boys and girls remaining separate;
- (3) that in May, 1929, the Education Committee shall report to the Council upon the effect of the above-mentioned re-organisation with recommendations as to the administration of the school subsequent to the 31st July, 1929.

1069 GLEBE LAND.—Letters from the Clerk to the Council asking for an estimate of expenditure upon that portion of the Glebe land allocated to the Education Committee have been considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Council be informed that, in the opinion of the Education Committee, the portion of Glebe land marked " C " on the plan submitted is unsuitable for school playing field purposes, an opinion in which the Board of Education concurs;
- (2) that, in lieu of site " C " the Education Committee accept the use temporarily of that portion of the Glebe land immediately south of the Finchley Football Club ground, formerly part thereof, being part of site " H " and " I " and agree to incur reasonable expenditure upon maintenance, subject to the approval of the Board of Education;
- (3) that, during the current financial year the estimated expenditure upon the maintenance of the ground referred to in (2) above will be £15, and during the next financial year £100;
- (4) that the Board of Education be asked to sanction the expenditure referred to above.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1070 SUMMERS LANE SCHOOL SITE.—The Committee have considered the application from the Middlesex Education Committee to remove the hedge and certain trees now standing upon the Summers Lane School site, at present occupied as a playing field by pupils from a Middlesex Secondary School;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that approval be given to the proposal of the Middlesex Education Committee to remove part of the hedge with the dead and partially dead trees now on the school site, and to plough and re-condition the strip of ground between the hedge and the west boundary;

(The three elm trees standing in the line of the hedge to remain);

- (2) that if the existing agreement with the Middlesex Education Committee be not renewed when it is due to expire, namely Michaelmas, 1929, the Finchley Education Authority will re-imburse the Middlesex Education Committee £60 towards the cost of the work referred to in the foregoing resolution;

(It is estimated that the total cost of the work referred to above will be £120).

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

15th November, 1927.

Present: Councillor Merry, Vice-Chairman (in the Chair), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Wells (non-member).

1071 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1072 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the addition of the following:—

Clerk's Department—Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—

Safe for Deeds (balance of cost) £8 5s. 0d.

As regards the undermentioned items, it was

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to make formal application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the expenditure under the Local Authorities (Expenses) Act, 1887:—

LA DÉLIVRANCE.

	£	s.	d.
Advertising unveiling of Statue	6	0	0
Engrossing Address—Viscount Rothermere	4	4	0
Bouquet and hire of car	1	12	6
1,000 copies—Order of Proceedings, etc.	5	4	0

1073 VALUATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.—Referring to Minute No. 899, the Chairman of the Council reported on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. F. J. Taylor, of East Finchley, be appointed to fill the vacancy on the above Committee rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. W. Atkinson.

1074 LOCAL LAND CHARGES.—The Clerk reported hereon, and authority was given to him to purchase for use in connexion with the Register an Ordnance Map of the District, and also any

Amended

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

other necessary forms which might be required in consequence of the new Rules which come into force on the 1st December, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1075 STATUE—LA DÉLIVRANCE.—The Clerk reported that at the request of the Armistice Club (Ex-Servicemen) at Manchester he had loaned to them the block of the above Statue, and that prints thereof had been reproduced and affixed to the front page of the menu in connexion with their Fifth Annual Dinner, which was held on the 11th November, 1927. Further, that a communication had since been received, expressing their appreciation and thanks for the kindness shown to them by the Council in the matter.

1076 NORTH LONDON TRAVELLING FACILITIES COMMITTEE.—It was reported that the Town Clerk of Hornsey had forwarded copy of the recently published report of the London and Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee, and that he had intimated that it was intended to call a meeting of the Travelling Facilities Committee at an early date, to consider such report. The Clerk was instructed to forward the report in question to Councillor Toyne, he being the Council's representative on that Committee.

1077 CHARITY TRUSTEES—CASUAL VACANCY.—A letter was submitted from Mr. William Ramsay, stating that he would be very pleased to act as a Charity Trustee, and thanking the Council for having appointed him to the position.

1078 ALEXANDRA PALACE.—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the Alexandra Park Trustees, giving particulars of contributions agreed to be made by a number of Local Authorities towards the upkeep of the Park, and enquiring whether this Council would also consider making a Grant;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1079 NETHER COURT ESTATE—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—The letter dated 22nd October, 1927, received by the Chairman of the Council from Mr. P. H. Chambers hereon, which was at the last meeting of the Council referred to the Committee for consideration, was placed before the Committee. Mr. Chambers attended the meeting, and indicated, for the information of the members, the present position of the negotiations. He also

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

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WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			TOTAL.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
"O" = expended or on order.										
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209	5	0	404	5	0	1028	8	0
Req. No.	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	250	9	9	474	18	0	377	11	1
773	O Wages and team labour.	4	10	11	34	-	5	37	9	2
774	O Stores.	2	8	6	18	13	11	8	11	1
775	O Take out existing kitchen range, boiler, pipes, etc; render out opening, make up hearth and provide and fix 34" Larbert portable range.									
					66	Ingleway.		10	-	-
776	O Replace 1" flow pipe with 1 1/4", fit cleaning plug and draw off tap, remove boiler, clean and tap for 1 1/4" pipes and make good.				8	Crescentway.		4	12	9
777	O Remove old, supply and fix new 20 gallon 3/8" plate hot water tank.				64	Ingleway.		3	10	3
778	O Open ground, repair leak on service pipe repair and rewasher stop cock, testing and filling in.				97,	Squires La.		1	4	9
	TOTAL.	258	19	11	527	12	4	441	14	4

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON,
Engineer and Surveyor.

11TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF PINCHLEY

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

REQUISITIONS - NOVEMBER, 1927.

Estimate for year	£8,893. 0. 0.
Amount previously requisitioned	7,595.11. 7
<u>Ordered since last meeting.</u>	
3 remittance registers	1.11. 6
2 tons anthracite	6. 9. 0
2,000 interview slips	-.10. 0
1,000 wages envelopes	-.10. 6
Repairs to radiator and switches	-.12. 6
1 chain to bicycle	-. 5. 6
Advertising unveiling of Statue	6. 0. 0
Engraving Address - Viscount Rothermere	4. 4. 0
Bouquet & hire of Car	1.12. 6
1,000 copies - Order of Proceedings, etc.	5. 4. 0
Advertising Engineering Assistants	5. 0. 0
Covering Office Table	-.10. 6
Advertising Town Planning Scheme (2 papers)	6. 0. 0
Hire of Car - Outdoor Committee	1. 1. 0
<u>Now requisitioned</u>	
<u>Clerk's Department.</u>	
Printing Minutes and Reports - November	30. 0. 0
Encyclopaedia of Forms & Precedents 1927 Supplement	1.18. 3
Law Reports, 1928 - Entire Series	5.15. 0
Subscription to Solicitors' Journal to Octr., 1928	2.14. 0
1 Office Chair (Legal Assistant)	3. 0. 0
Binding one letter book No. 147	1. 1. 0
Subscription to Justice of the Peace	2.19. 6
Seal Register	1. 5. 0
1,000 Forms L.L.C. 1a.	1.15. 0
<u>Surveyor's Department.</u>	
12 - 60 watt lamps	1. 4. 0
1 Highways Register (2 quires)	1. 3. 0
12 Foolscap Mortimer Files	-.14. 0
2 doz. Foolscap Slip In Files	-. 9. 0
1 Wayleaves Register	1.12. 6
12 Foolscap Compiler Files	1.15. 0
1,000 Unsuccessful postcards	-.12. 6
24 Overhanging Tree Notice Books	1.18. 9
250 draft envelopes	-. 3. 9
Wages of Caretaker - Avenue House	16. 0. 0
1 ream Abstract Paper	1. 5. 0
Lino for new Office	5.15. 6
Interdepartmental telephone	10. 0. 0
Furniture for new Office	17. 0. 0
3 doz. fsp.Oil Sheets	-. 4. 0
<u>Drawing Office.</u>	
2 rolls printing linen No. 5413	2.13. 0
4 rolls printing paper No. 5406	1. 8. 8
2 reams foolscap paper, as sample	1. 3. 0
Carried forward	£7,750.12. 0



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	Brought forward	£7,750.12. 0
<u>Public Health Department.</u>		
200 Medical Practitioners' Accounts		1.15. 0
"Smoke Abatement" manual		-. 7. 6
Asbestos for gas fires		-. 4. 6
Underwood typewriter		15.10. 0
<u>Valuation Department.</u>		
1 No. 2246 - 5 ft. Slide Rule - Interlox		-. 7. 0
5 filing baskets		1. 2. 6
3 pen trays		-. 3. 0
<u>Finance Department & Stores.</u>		
1 Education - General Ledger		3. 0. 0
25 reams Quarto . Thin - Typewriting paper		1.15. 0
25 " Quarto Duplicating paper		2.18. 4
2 boxes Ploxograph Pen Nibs		-. 9. 0
1,000 Cut Off Notices		-.14. 0
5 Allotment Receipt Books		3. 0. 0
5 Ambulance Report Books		2.10. 0
5 Charge Note Books		3. 0. 0
Gents 2nd class (4d) Slipper Bath Tickets 10 bundles)		1.10. 0
Children (under 14) 2nd class (2d) 10 bundles)		
3 doz. Typewriting Erasers		-. 9. 0
1 doz. Hanks red tape		-. 9. 0
3 " " green tape		-. 4. 6
1 box Waverley Pen Nibs		-. 4. 6
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These (together with the two preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1072 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 15th November 1927.

S. J. Smith
Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

furnished, so far as he was able, certain information of a financial character. After full discussion, a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council and Councillors Agar, Pike, and C. S. Syrett, was appointed for the purpose of considering the whole matter further, in conjunction with Mr. Chambers, and one or two other representatives of the proposed Club, at a meeting to be held on the 24th instant at 8 p.m., and such Sub-Committee were asked to report direct to the Council. In the meantime, Mr. Chambers kindly undertook to furnish the Clerk of the Council with details of the information given by him verbally to the Committee, in order that same might be circulated amongst the members of the Sub-Committee, and the Surveyor was instructed to circulate a small tracing from the Ordnance Map, showing the area under discussion;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1080 STAFF.—

- (a) Finance Dept.—Junior Clerk.—Referring to Minute No. 745 (e), it was reported that the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of this Committee had interviewed three applicants for the above position, and had appointed, for a probationary period of three months, Mr. F. G. McMinn, at a commencing salary at the rate of £1 a week.
- (b) Clerk's Dept.—Legal Assistant—Practising Certificate.—It was reported that the above was due for renewal;

RECOMMENDED that as hitherto the cost of such certificate be borne by the Council.

- (c) Stabilization of Salaries.—It was reported that a meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed to consider this matter took place on the 3rd November, 1927, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillors Agar, C. S. Syrett, H. O. Syrett, and Toyne.

(1) CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED that Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (2) **STABILIZATION OF SALARIES.**—The reference from the Council hereon was considered by the Sub-Committee in conjunction with the Clerk of the Council, the Accountant, and the Surveyor. After full discussion, it was

RECOMMENDED that the request for stabilization of the salaries of the Staff affected be acceded to, provided the same take effect on the 1st April, 1928, and on a cost of living figure of 60.

H. O. SYRETT,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted by the Council.

- (d) **Surveyor's Dept.**—Temporary Town Planning Assistant. —Referring to the recommendation of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon, it was reported that Mr. R. T. Marsh had been appointed to the position at a wage of £3 10s. 0d. a week;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that the appointment be reviewed at the end of three months.

- (e) **Surveyor's Dept.**—Chief Assistant Engineer.—The Surveyor reported that Mr. H. W. Melhuish, to whom leave of absence had been granted by the Council at last meeting, owing to illness, was still absent from the Office; that he understood from the Doctor who was attending Mr. Melhuish that he would not yet be able to resume his duties. The Surveyor added that he was expecting to receive a further communication from the Doctor in due course;

RECOMMENDED that the leave of absence granted to Mr. Melhuish be extended until the next meeting of the Committee, when the Surveyor report further on the matter.

- (f) **Surveyor's Department — Engineering Assistant.**—The Surveyor reported that Mr. R. Massey had resigned his position, he having been appointed Surveyor to the Rhymney Urban District Council, and that he would be

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leaving the service of this Council on the 25th instant. He further reported that, acting on the instructions of the Chairman of the Council, advertisements had been issued inviting applications for the appointment of a successor at a salary of £250 per annum (no bonus) and that a number of candidates had been interviewed;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. C. T. Read, of Ilford, be appointed to the position, subject to his passing satisfactorily a medical examination.

- (g) Surveyor's Department—Appointment of Temporary Engineering Assistant.—The Surveyor reported that, in accordance with the instructions of the Council, the Sub-Committee had appointed Mr. E. G. Thorpe, of Herne Bay, to the above position, at a wage of £7 7s. 0d. a week.

1081 MEETINGS—ALTERATION IN DATES OF.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Council meeting in December be held on the 28th instead of on the 25th of that month;
- (b) that the Council meeting in January, 1928, be held on the 30th instead of on the 23rd of that month, and that the meetings of the several Committees in January, 1928, be held one week **later** than usual.

1082 COUNCIL OFFICES—CLOSING OF—CHRISTMAS VACATION.

RECOMMENDED that the above Offices be closed on Boxing Day and on the following day.

1083 LAW OF PROPERTY ACT, 1925—ELM GRANGE ESTATE—NETHER STREET—APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANT.—The Clerk reported that the Inquiry by the Official Arbitrator in regard to the above was held at the Council Offices, Finchley, on the 1st November, 1927.

1084 SHOPS (EARLY CLOSING) ACT, 1920.—A communication, dated 9th November, 1927, was submitted from the Home Office, stating that the Secretary of State had made an Order under the powers conferred on him by Section I (1) of the above Act suspending the operation of the General Early Closing Order for

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

Shops from Saturday, 17th December, to Saturday, 24th December, 1927, both days inclusive.

1085 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

RECOMMENDED that the persons mentioned in column 1 of the under-mentioned statement occupy, as from the dates mentioned respectively in column 4 thereof, the designated posts set opposite to their respective names :—

Name. (1).	Designated Post. (2).	In lieu of (3).	Date from which Post to be occupied. (4).
T. C. Judge	Storekeeper and Yard Foreman—Surveyor's Department.	—	1st Dec., 1927.
*F. Tofield	Sweeper—Surveyor's Department.	W. Hulkes	1st Jan., 1928.

* Satisfactory medical certificate was submitted.

1086 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—

(a) Refuse Burner—R. Lawrence.—The Surveyor reported the death of the above employee, which took place on the 19th October, 1927.

(b) Sweeper—W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Insurance Company, the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

1087 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman (*pro tempore*).

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

16th November, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, H. O. Syrett, and Wade, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

1088 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1089 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed.

1090 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

1091 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 1,100 tons, as compared with 600 tons at last meeting; further, that there was also a stock of about 270 tons of Bohemian Brown Coal in hand.

1092 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected No. 5 Boiler and Superheater internally and externally with hammer test; that they had drawn attention to moderate pitting in three of the mud drums, and to slight leakage from one of the connecting nipples; that the latter had since been renewed, and that the Company had stated that the Boiler and Superheater were satisfactory for further service.

1093 MAXIMUM LOAD.—It was reported that the maximum load had reached about 3,200 kilowatts.

1094 STAFF.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported upon the death of Mr. T. E. George, which took place, after a very short illness, on the 1st November, 1927.

1095 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

RECOMMENDED that it be suggested to the General Purposes Committee:—

ELECTRICITY (continued).

(a) Vacant Designated Posts—that the persons mentioned in column 1 of the under-mentioned statement occupy as from the 1st January, 1928, the designated posts set opposite to their respective names, subject to their passing satisfactorily a medical examination :—

Name. (1)	Designated Post. (2)	In lieu of. (3)
R. G. Barlow	Junior Engineer in Charge Electricity Dept.	J. S. Beak.
A. W. Bull	Junior Engineer in Charge Electricity Dept.	T. W. Pither.
J. H. Doughty	Engine Driver— Electricity Dept.	J. W. Porter.
A. Rogers	Lamplighter— Electricity Dept.	J. F. English.
J. J. Williams	Stoker— Electricity Dept.	A. W. Hayler.

(b) Retirement—that as from the 31st March, 1928, Mr. E. J. Scruton, a Clerk in the Electricity Department, be granted the superannuation allowance to which he is entitled under the Act.

1096 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report :—

Applications for supply	8299	=	387446 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8252	=	382982 „ „ „
Increase	47	=	4464 „ „ „

16th. November 1927.

REQUISITIONS.

REVENUE.

5 Cwt. Asbestos & Magnesia Composition	4.	0.	6.
1, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Lift Pump	3.	0.	0.
Emergency Requisition	200.	0.	0.
3 Lamp Guards for Oil Engine	3.	5.	0.
Rates (2nd. half year)	770.	0.	0.
Motor Car Licences	49.	0.	0.
Cylinder End for Oil Engine	160.	0.	0.
Repairs to Instruments	20.	0.	0.
One Steam Trap	12.	0.	0.
1,000 Tons Coal	1,200.	0.	0.
Carting 1,000 Tons Coal	113.	10.	0.
Five Tons Coke	8.	5.	0.
Thirty Tons Fuel Oil	165.	0.	0.
Meters	300.	0.	0.
28 Lbs. Insulating Tape	6.	14.	0.
Twelve dozen Motor Boards	23.	11.	0.
500 Gallons Lubricating Oil	70.	15.	8.
100 Pairs House Cutouts	81.	5.	0.
15 Cwt. Box Compound	49.	0.	0.
Rental of Cable Drums	10.	0.	0.
58 Lbs. Block Tin	7.	12.	0.
One dozen Manifold Books			
100 Perfection Files			
One gross Yards Single Flexible			
One gross Yards Cotton Covered Twin Flexible			
Repairs Cable Float			
Repairs 2 Mains Trucks			
At an estimated cost of	46.	16.	6. <u><u>£3302.15.8.</u></u>

CAPITAL.

2,000 Yards Tarred Boards	41.	13.	4.
Service Boxes	200.	0.	0.
1,000 Yards .0225 Concentric Cable	124.	0.	0.
1,000 Yards .0225 Twin Cable	143.	0.	0.
500 Yards .12x.12x.06 Triple Concentric Cable	312.	0.	0.
250 Yards .06x.06x.06 Triple Concentric Cable	85.	0.	0. <u><u>£ 805.13.4.</u></u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to
 in paragraph 1089 of the Electricity Committee's
 report of the 16th November 1927.

A. J. Smith
 Chairman.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

Lamps connected	330181 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1,439)	4537 " " "
High c.p. lamps (45)	796 " " "
Total	335817 " " "
Last meeting	329154 " " "
Increase	6663 " " "
Applications in hand but not yet connected	*49 = 2360 lamps of 33 watts

* *The figure of 49 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.*

1097 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (1) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, Mains had, since last meeting, been laid in Sandringham Gardens, North Crescent, and Wentworth Avenue;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the mains to be extended in Essex Park, at an estimated cost of £312, and in a new road from the Regents Park Road to Finchley Avenue, at an estimated cost of £800, subject, in the latter case, to a guarantee of 20 per cent.

- (2) High Tension Feeder Extensions, 1926.—It was reported that the high tension feeder extensions between Ballards Lane and Percy Road, and between Percy Road and the Whetstone Sub-Station, had now been completed, and satisfactorily tested.

- (3) Sub-Station Extensions, 1926/1927.—

- (a) Percy Road.—It was reported that the building in connexion with the above had now been completed; further, that the contractors had delivered the rectifying plant and other apparatus, which was now in process of erection;

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

- (b) Cherry Tree Wood.—It was reported that the rectifying apparatus had now been delivered, and that the erection thereof was at an advanced stage; further, that the low tension switchgear and the motor balancer had been delivered and erected. It was also reported that, unfortunately there had been delay in the delivery of the high tension switchgear and automatic regulating apparatus, which was causing consequential delay in the completion of this Sub-Station; that the high tension switchgear had now been delivered and that it was understood that the remaining gear would be delivered within a week's time, but that the testing of the high tension feeders could not be carried out until the switchgear had been completed.

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1098 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—SOUTH-EAST ENGLAND SCHEME.—It was reported that this matter had been dealt with by the Sub-Committee, which was appointed at the last meeting of the Council, and that the Council's Representations in regard to the Scheme (circulated) had been duly lodged with the Central Electricity Board.

1099 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—J. H. WOODS—(LAMPLIGHTER)—AND WILLIAM DAVIS—(JOINTER).—It was reported that each of the above employees had met with an accident since last meeting, and that the matters had been dealt with.

1100 FREDERICKS PLACE AND HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔTS.—The Clerk reported that the suggestions of this Committee hereon were approved by the Council at their last meeting, when the Surveyor was directed to report to the General Purposes Committee as to what he would suggest be done with the remainder of the sites.

1101 GLEBE LAND.—It was reported that, at the last meeting of the Council, it was resolved that each of the several Committees concerned be asked to submit to the General Purposes Committee an estimate of its expenditure on the taking-over of the portion of the Glebe Land allocated to it by the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the General Purposes Committee be informed that this Committee do not propose at the present time to expend any money on the portions of the land

CENTRAL ELECTRICITY BOARD.ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT 1926.SOUTH EAST ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME 1927.

R E P R E S E N T A T I O N S

of the

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL of FINCHLEY.

The Urban District Council of Finchley (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") desire to make the following representations in regard to the above Scheme which has been prepared by the Electricity Commissioners in pursuance of section 4 of the Electricity (Supply) Act 1926.

1. The Council are the authorised undertakers in respect of the urban district of Finchley under the Finchley Electric Lighting Order 1899 and the Finchley Urban District Council Act 1908. The supply of electricity was commenced in 1903.

2. It is proposed by section 3 of the draft Scheme that the new Brimsdown generating station of the North Metropolitan Power Station Company, Limited, and the Willesden generating station of the London Power Company, Limited, should be selected stations, and by section 4 and the Third appendix to the draft Scheme that a transforming station in connection with secondary main transmission lines should be provided at Hornsey to comprise transformers having in aggregate a rating in kilowatt amperes of not less than 15,000. No provision, however, is made in the Scheme for the laying of transmission lines in or near the district of the Council.

3. The Council submit that the Scheme is defective and incomplete inasmuch as it does not include proper and sufficient provision for the inter-connection of selected and other stations by transmission lines under the direct control of the Board, and that the benefits to be derived from the Scheme will be seriously reduced unless such provision is made and at the same time the Scheme provides for the construction of transformer stations, both main and secondary, under the direct control of the Board.

4. The district of the Council is about half way between the proposed selected stations at Brimsdown and Willesden, and a main connecting these two stations is in course of being laid. Express authority is given by section 8 of the Electricity (Supply) Act 1926 for the inclusion in a scheme of provision for the acquisition by the Board of any main transmission line belonging to any authorised undertakers, and it is submitted that unless advantage is taken of this power so far as regards the acquisition of the transmission line from Brimsdown to Willesden and the construction of other transmission lines in the neighbourhood of the district of the Council, serious difficulties and complications will arise.

5. In Table 6 included in the Supplementary Particulars submitted to the Board by the Electricity Commissioners (page 52) it is contemplated that an indirect supply shall be given by the Board to the Council in 1928 through the mains of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company or the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority.

6. By section 13 of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Act 1909 it is provided that the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company shall not supply electricity in the district of the Council without the Council's consent under their common seal.

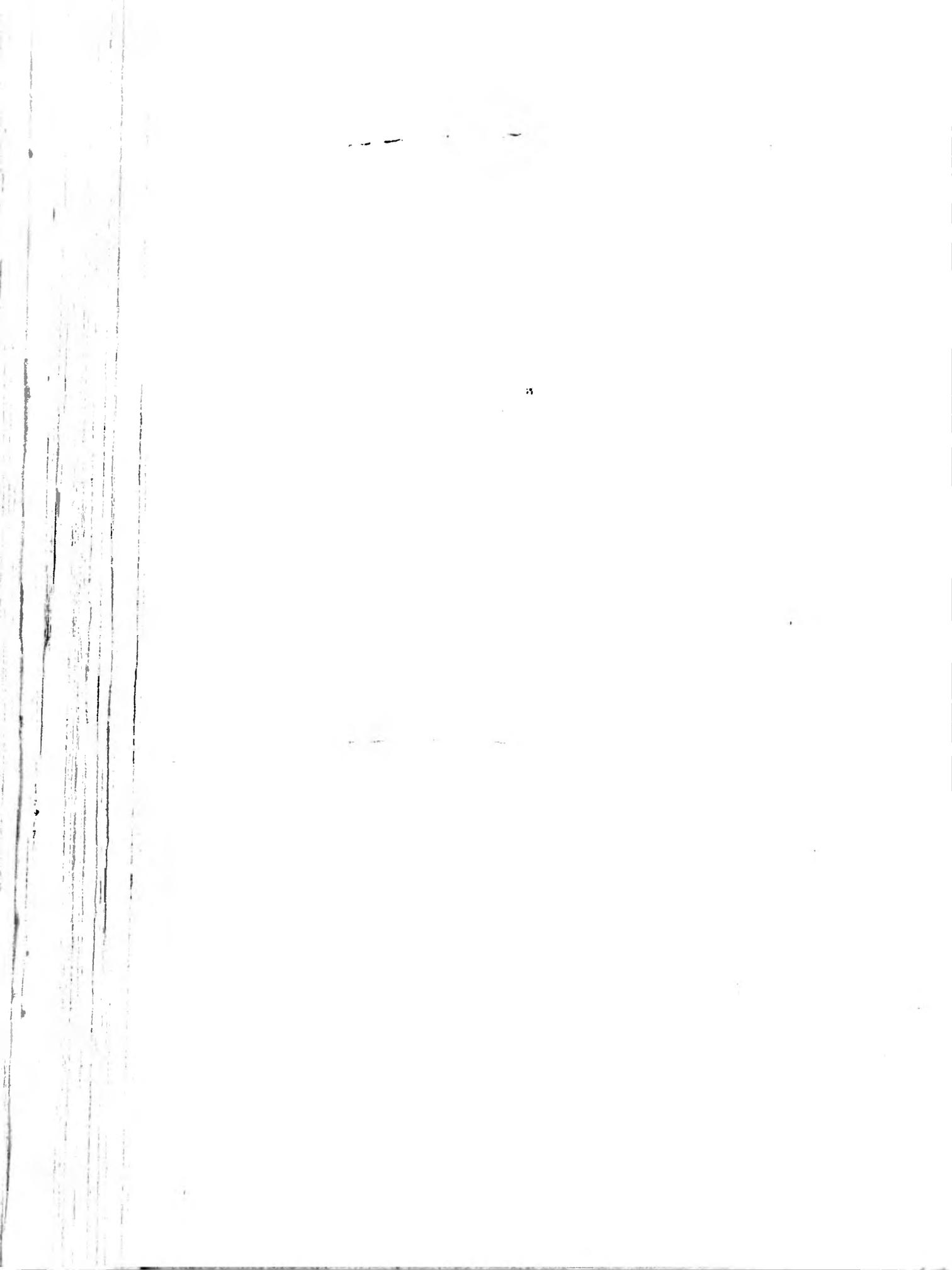
7. Under section 15 of the London and Home Counties Electricity District Order 1925, the Joint Electricity Authority are entitled to supply electricity to the Council with the consent of the Electricity Commissioners, but before giving any such consent the Commissioners are to have regard to the proposed terms and conditions of such supply and the cost to be incurred by the Joint Electricity Authority in giving such supply and any terms or conditions for such supply offered by the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company.

8. By reason of the said provision and of the provisions of section 10 of the Electricity (Supply) Act 1926, the Council apprehend that difficulties may arise in connection with any bulk supply which the Council may in future require, and that these difficulties will be increased unless proper provision is made for the construction or acquisition under the scheme of adequate and sufficient transmission lines and transforming stations.

9. In June 1926 (that is to say, before the passing of the Electricity (Supply) Act 1926) the Council made application to the Electricity Commissioners under section 11 of the Electricity (Supply) Act 1919 for their consent to the extension of their generating station and have not yet received such consent. The Council understand that the delay is explained by the view of the Commissioners that possibly the application of the Council is governed by the provisions of section 18 (2) of the Act of 1926, and that before giving or withholding their consent or approval they are under the obligation of having regard to the provisions of the Act and the effect of any Scheme or proposed Scheme thereunder.

10. In submitting these Representations to the Board, the Council desire to refer to the circumstances of their generating station and to urge that as their application for the extension of their plant was made prior to the passing of the Act of 1926 the Commissioners are not justified in withholding their consent under section 18 (2) of the Act.

11. The application was for permission to instal a new 3,000 kilowatt set and for sanction to a loan for that purpose to the amount of £24,000. The position of the Council under the Scheme will be materially affected if the Electricity Commissioners' consent is still withheld.



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12. The Council have cause for serious apprehension in regard to the financial prospects of the proposals under the Scheme and they doubt the accuracy and the reliability of the Supplementary Particulars which have been submitted to the Board by the Electricity Commissioners.

13. No separate details are given in regard to the under-taking of the Council, but it is doubted whether under the Scheme in its present form (particularly in the absence of proper provision for transmission lines and transformer stations) it would be possible for a supply of electricity to be given to the Council on more favourable terms than those which would be involved if the Council's station were extended as proposed.

14. The Council submit that in view of the gravity of the issues raised by the draft Scheme it should be considered at a public Inquiry and they desire to be heard at such Inquiry in support of these Representations.

DATED this 14th day of NOVEMBER, 1927.

THE COMMON SEAL of the Urban)
 District Council of FINCHLEY)
 was hereunto affixed in the)
 presence of)

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(Sgd) E. H. Lister,

Clerk of the Council.

(Sgd) H. O. Syrett,

Chairman of the Council.

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Central Electricity Board.

Electricity (Supply) Act 1926.

South Eastern England Electricity Scheme 1927.

Supplementary Representations of the Finchley Urban
District Council.

The Council has already lodged formal representations with the Board, and desires to supplement these representations as follows:-

GENERAL SCHEME.

1. The Board's Scheme ought to include all main and secondary transmission lines, costs, and charges.

All selected stations ought to be interconnected by transmission lines under the Board's direct control.

2. The like remarks as regards transformer stations, both main and secondary.

3. All expenditure under the Scheme ought to be a charge on the Scheme and not upon individual undertakers.

If the main and secondary transmission lines and transformer stations, even in a substantial part, are to remain or are to be the property of private owners, then the grid price will only be available to a limited number of undertakers and will be lower at the expense of those undertakers who are not actually on the grid.

4. The proposals contained in clause 5 of the Scheme appear to be ultra vires the Act of 1926.

5. It is observed from the supplementary Particulars furnished, that the foundation upon which the savings proposed by the Scheme are to be effected is without justification.

It is difficult to believe that in 12 years the units sold per head of the population will reach the considerable total of 426 when we bear in mind the large sums of money expended in the Gas Industry, the comparative cheapness of coal, and that nearly every urban area, worthy of consideration as such, covered by the Scheme, has already an electricity supply of same kind available, and the rural character of large portions of the area of the Scheme.

6. No tariff has been published, it is impossible, therefore, for individual undertakers to form an estimate of their position in the future under the Scheme.

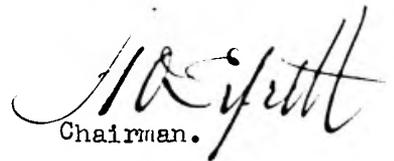
The Scheme as it would appear to
affect Finchley.

1. In the Scheme and maps annexed thereto there is no provision for Finchley's future needs.
2. At the adjoining district of Hornsey a 15,000 kilowatt transforming station is provided; presumably this is part of the Board's transmission scheme as it is attached to the grid and that, therefore, energy will be available from this transforming station at the grid price for the London & Home Counties' Area, without detailed transmission expenses.
3. Finchley has at considerable expense maintained a position of freedom of action in reference to supplies of electricity and it is unreasonable that, supposing a supply from the grid direct to be cheaper than a supply from any other source, or than by local generation, such a supply should not be available. Under the 1926 Act, because Finchley has the absolute right of veto it is possible for the Central Board to afford a direct supply (with the consent of the Joint Electricity Authority).

(Sgd) E. H. LISTER,
Clerk of the Council.

(Sgd) EDWARD CALVERT,
Chief Electrical Engineer.

These (including this and the four preceding pages) are the representations of the Council referred to in paragraph 1098 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 16th November 1927.


Chairman.

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ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

in question allocated to them, and that it be pointed out that if and when any such expenditure is incurred same will be a charge upon the Electricity Undertaking.

1102 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

16th November, 1927.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillor C. S. Syrett (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Sommerfield, H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Bowen (non-member).

1103 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1104 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

1105 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—
(a) Advances—£6,460.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £6,460, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.
- (6) that the granting of an advance of £880 (in addition to the said sum of £6,460) to the person opposite to whose name in such list that sum is indicated be approved, and that the advance be made when required by the applicant.

Annexed

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

FINANCE (continued).

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £6,460.

(b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting (but excluding the said sum of £880) the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £335,825.

(c) Arrears of Instalments.—

Advance No.	151—11,	Elmhurst Avenue.
„	„	163—3, Elmhurst Avenue.
„	„	203—41, Summerlee Avenue.
„	„	246—53, Hervey Close.
„	„	324—8, Limes Avenue.

RECOMMENDED that failing payment by the 28th November, 1927, of the amounts of principal and interest due to the Council as on the 30th September, 1927, the several properties above mentioned be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts.

(d) Discharged Mortgages.—

Advance No.	17—16,	Brent Way.
„	„	21—13, Hamilton Way.
„	„	67—52, Brent Way.
„	„	216—30, Summerlee Avenue.

The Accountant reported that the balances of the above Mortgages had been repaid together with all interest charges.

(e) Discharged Second Mortgages.—

Advance No.	50—6,	Mayfield Avenue.
„	„	63—24, Hamilton Way.
„	„	69—40, Brent Way
„	„	78—2, Hamilton Way.
„	„	90—8, Hamilton Way.
„	„	96—4, Mayfield Avenue.
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

NOVEMBER, 1927.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	years.	£.	£.	
484.	Butler, T. H.	10, Wentworth Ave.	F	870	15	1,150	1,085	80
485.	Goring, F. W.	6, Westway.	F	900	20	1,150	1,125	80
486.	Backhouse, W.	"Clipstone", Hutton Grove.	F	620	15	1,025	775	80
487.	Casper-Southam, G.W.	Courthouse Gardens.	F	620	20	775	825	75.2
488.	Hotton, G. F.	41, Birley Road.	L	600	20	796	750	80
489.	Lee, Mrs. C. A.	45, " "	L	600	20	795	750	90
490.	Hewson, Mr. & Mrs.	8, Brunner Close.	L	650	15	970	950	63.4
491.	Macdonald, Mrs.E.M.	25, Broughton Ave.	F	950	20	1,195	1,180	80.5
492.	Coup, V.	15, Fursby Avenue.	L	650	20	830	840	77.4
			99 yrs.	<u>£ 6,460</u>				

To be advanced at a later date.

Lewis, R. T.	41, Wentworth Ave.	F	880	20	1,150	1,100	80
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W. H. H. H.
Chairman.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 607 of the Finance Committee's report of the 16th November 1927.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.

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FINANCE (continued).

The Clerk reported that Messrs. Chambers & Garnett had notified him that the second charges on the several premises above mentioned in favour of Mr. F. W. Walker had been paid off.

1106 PUBLIC BATHS—FENCING.—The recommendation of the Public Health Committee hereon was reported;

RECOMMENDED that no objection on financial grounds be raised thereto.

1107 HIGHWAYS—IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—

(1) Long Lane by Willow Lodge Estate.—The reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon was considered.

The Clerk was instructed to obtain if possible an interview with the Ministry of Transport with a view to expediting the issue of the sanction of the Ministry of Health, for which application was made on the 27th May, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that the action taken be approved;

(2) that the Contractor be paid the amount due to him so soon as the sanction to the necessary loan is received.

(2) Swan Lane Widening	... ..	£245
Gainsborough Road, east side, slab paving	... ..	£273
Squires Lane by Manor View, new kerb	... ..	£169
Squires Lane Railway Bridge	... ..	£500

It was reported that the Highways and Fire and Water Committee were recommending the carrying out of the above works in connexion with which provision had been made in the Committee's estimates for the loan repayment instalments;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that no objection be raised on financial grounds to the carrying out of such works;

FINANCE (continued).

(2) that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,196, made up as follows:—

Works	£1187
Loan Charges	9
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(3) (a) Regents Park Road, opposite to Manor Parade;

(b) Ballards Lane—Essex House Estate.—

The Clerk reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £237, calculated as follows:—

Regents Park Road opposite to Manor Parade.—

Cost of land	£50
Cost of Works	250
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Ballards Lane—Essex House Estate frontage.—

Cost of Land	£300
Works	£315
Vendors' Solicitors' costs, etc.	£ 25
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LESS Anticipated Contribution from Middlesex County Council £235

Anticipated contribution from Ministry of Transport £470

£705

FINANCE (*continued*).

Cost to be borne by this Council	...	235
Loan Charges	... ..	2
		£237

- (4) East End Road Widening—Cemetery Frontage.—The Committee considered the reference from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised to the proposal in question on financial grounds;
- (2) that the expenditure involved be defrayed out of rate for the time being.
- (5) Great North Road Widening, south of Clifford Road.—The Clerk reported receipt from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council of copy of a resolution passed by that Authority on the 27th October, 1927, indicating that such a sum, not exceeding £119, as would represent one quarter of the cost of the above widening might be charged in this Council's Main Road Accounts.
- (6) Woodhouse Road.—Widening of footway in front of Mr. Harris' shop.—The Clerk reported that the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council had forwarded to him copy of a resolution passed by the County Council on the 27th October, 1927, to the effect that a sum of £6 8s. 6d., representing one-quarter of the cost of widening the footway in the Great North Road at the point above indicated, might be charged in this Council's Light Railway Roads Accounts.

1108 HIGHWAYS—ALL NIGHT LIGHTING.—The recommendation of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee with regard to the above was reported;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

1109 AVENUE HOUSE.—The Clerk reported receipt from the Ministry of Health of formal sanction to the borrowing by the

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FINANCE (*continued*).

Council of the sum of £1,154, being the amount of the taxed costs given in the Taxing Master's Certificate submitted to that Department.

1110 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE (GLEBE LAND).—The recommendations of the Allotments Committee hereon were reported and considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the expenditure involved be defrayed out of revenue.

1111 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The Accountant reported that the following amounts had been refunded from the above mentioned account :—

£41 15s. 2d. to Mrs. B. George—Legal Representative of T. E. George (deceased) — Electricity Department.

£27 15s. 3d. to W. Hulkes—left Council's employ;

RECOMMENDED that the action be approved.

1112 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars were submitted from the Branch Employment Office of the Ministry of Labour of the number of Finchley unemployed registered for the month ended 31st October, 1927, as follows :—Men, 199; women, 25. The figures on the previous return were :—Men, 193; women, 31; and those for October, 1926 :—Men, 164; women, 25.

1113 ALLOTMENTS—EAST FINCHLEY.—The Chairman of the Allotments Committee reported that his Committee were recommending to the Council in Committee the purchase of the above land;

RECOMMENDED that so far as this Committee is concerned, consideration of the matter be deferred until the meeting of the Council in Committee.

1114 CONTINUOUS AUDIT.—The Chairman stated that in accordance with the invitation of the Ministry of Health, reported

FINANCE (continued).

at last meeting, the Chairman of the Council and he had discussed this matter with the Chief Inspector of Audit, on the 11th November, 1927; and that the Chief Inspector was not in favour of the application of the Continuous Audit system to Municipal Accounts on the ground that the advantages of that system would not justify the extra work and re-organisation which would necessarily be involved in its substitution for that at present in force.

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to make representations to the Urban District Councils' Association urging Local Authorities to co-operate and to take concerted action with the object of securing the application of the continuous audit system to the accounts of Urban District Councils.

1115 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS. — It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. J. B. S. Turner (27, Leicester Road).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	19s. 10d.
Poor Rate	£1 12s. 5d.

Walter Hill's Billposting Dept., Ltd.

(Near Manor Parade, Regents Park Road).

Hoarding removed.

General District Rate	£1 10s. 3d.
Poor Rate	£2 9s. 6d.

Mrs. S. Thain (53, Station Road, N. 3.)

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	11s. 0d.
Poor Rate	18s. 2d.

1116 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

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1117 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £4358 13 11

Cr. (Oct. 1st—31st) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Collector, North	415	5 8			
Collector, South	361	18 4			
Cashier	9270	9 7	8	3 0	
	<u>£10047</u>	<u>13 7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>3 0</u>	
					10055 16 7
Cr. (Oct. 3rd) by Barclays Bank—					
Interest on current account			96	6 1	
					<u>10152 2 8</u>
Leaving balance in hand ...					5793 8 9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Middlesex County Council on account of precept	...	...	...	6699	10 5
Barnet Guardians on account of precept				4997	0 0
Finchley Urban District Council (Education Account) on account of precept	...	...	...	3462	10 0
General District Fund, Transfer—					
Proportion Salaries, etc.,					
November		208	16 9		
Invoices and petty cash		52	16 8		
				<u>261</u>	<u>13 5</u>
					15420 13 10
Leaving balance overdrawn					<u>£9627 5 1</u>

1118 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £9,836 6s. 10d., made up as follows:—

FINANCE (continued).

Balance overdrawn per last report	£9555 10 2
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—	
Employees' contributions ...	90 14 5
Council's contributions ...	178 16 1
	<u>269 10 6</u>
Less Superannuation payments ...	44 13 3
	<u>224 17 3</u>
	<u>9780 7 5</u>

Cr. (Oct. 1st—31st) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Collector, North	254	12 8			
Collector, South	220	13 9			
Cashier	5635	14 3 11	5	6	
	<u>£6111</u>	<u>0 8 11</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	
					6122 6 2
By Cashier (Oct. 1st—31st) general receipts ...					10055 10 11
„ Bath Supt. (Oct. 4th—24th) ...					40 8 4
„ Collector (Oct. 5th—19th), general rents ...					3 19 8
„ Treasurer.—					
From Middlesex County Council—					
Balance of contribution <i>re</i> Sanitary Officers' salaries to 30th September, 1926 ...					198 18 1
Contributory Rds., 1927/8—					
Class I. ...	159	12 4			
Class II. ...	63	9 9			
					<u>223 2 1</u>
From Ministry of Transport—					
Grant <i>re</i> Unemployment Loan Schemes ...					202 10 8
Instalments of grant <i>re</i> District Roads—					
Class I. ...	212	0 0			
Class II. ...	40	0 0			
					<u>252 0 0</u>
Class I. ...	40	0 0			
Class II. ...	23	0 0			
					<u>63 0 0</u>

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FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cr. cheque drawn December 29th, 1925, to Willers, F. M. & Co., unpresented	2	0	0			
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, pro- portion salaries and office expenses	208	16	9			
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages, and petty cash from—						
Poor Rate Account	52	16	8			
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	725	11	0			
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	1037	13	0			
Genl. Loan Accounts	529	4	11			
				2345	5	7
						19717 18 3
						9937 10 10
Deduct cheque drawn November 16th, to—						
Pellow & Wright, certificate	101	4	0			
Leaving balance in hand						£9836 6 10

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Adams, T., certificate	334	9	11
Adams Hydraulics, Ltd., valve, etc.	1	3	11
Ames Crosta Sanitary Engineering Co., Ltd., rollers and ball bearings	6	17	6
Amory, G. F., binding	3	17	6
Angus, G. & Co., Ltd., hose	38	0	6
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement...	11	12	4
Atkinson & Co. (1927), Ltd., smock	1	9	6
Automatic Light Controlling Co., Ltd., controllers	14	8	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., fees	23	11	8
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water	66	9	3
Bird, F. & Co., waste	7	8	9
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., repairs	11	10	6
Boden, Dr. J. S., fees	29	8	0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., tubing	19	17	11
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	92	12	6
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., oil	6	5	0
Clements, G. W., bouquet	1	5	0
Cloke, G. E., clinker	58	16	0

FINANCE (continued).

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Cockerell, G. I. & Co., anthracite	25	16	0
			Compton Bros., repairs	9	15	0
			Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., wire, etc.	2	5	5
			Cunnington, Dr. P., fees	18	18	0
			Dawson & Co., Ltd., paving	23	0	0
			Deards, R., certificate	483	16	8
			Dispatch Press (Cricklewood), Ltd., advertisement ...	1	10	0
			Dodd, J., fish	4	16	2
			Edgington, J. & Co., Ltd., flags, etc.	12	0	0
			Eeles & Moss (Clenzol), Ltd., Clenzol	1	0	0
			Electric Law Press, Ltd., testimonial	4	4	6
			Endersby, W. A., timber	28	5	8
			Evershed, J. & Co., book	3	10	8
			Finchley Urban District Council, rates and electricity	2565	11	2
			Friend, A., fruit	2	18	7
			Friern Barnet Urban District Council, rates	5	1	9
			Furnival Steel Co., tyres, etc.	10	4	5
			Gay, R. & Co., Ltd., paint	13	10	0
			Geyton, W., notice	1	15	0
			Gibb, J. & Co., Ltd., files, etc.	9	6	0
			Graham Amplion, Ltd., loud speakers	12	10	0
			Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	39	7	0
			Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., granite	269	13	6
			Groggon & Co., Ltd., corrugated iron	11	14	0
			Hadden, Best & Co., Ltd., periodical	1	18	9
			Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., ferrogallic cloth	3	0	6
			Hallett, Fox & White, fees	42	0	0
			Harrison, J. & Co., certificate	64	10	0
			Hobson & Sons (London), Ltd., uniforms	40	13	0
			Hodge, F., Ltd., stove	2	15	9
			Hornsey Borough Council, rates	70	10	9
			Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., blocks	39	15	0
			Judd, W., Ltd., advertisements	6	9	5
			Keene's Stores, cleaning materials... ..	3	0	6
			King, J. C., Ltd., wages bags	1	1	0
			Kingham, H. & Sons, Ltd., cleaning materials	2	3	6
			Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., envelopes	5	3	4
			Laves Bros., Ltd., paper	1	13	6
			Lawford & Son, Ltd., cement	12	11	0
			Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	19	5	7
			London Brick Co. & Forders, Ltd., bricks	10	13	0
			London Incorporated Press, Ltd., printing	29	5	0
			Manders, W. & Co., reinstatement	30	9	3

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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk, etc.	14	16	3
Metropolitan Asylums Board, maintenance	30	0	0
Metropolitan Water Board, water	2	0	8
Moore's Modern Methods, Ltd., paper	2	7	6
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisements	7	16	0
Mosers, Ltd., tools	1	19	11
Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	12	11	11
McGarry & Cole, files, etc.	5	0	3
North Middlesex Gas Co., coke, etc.	480	16	5
Norton & Gregory, Ltd., ferrogallic paper	2	4	0
Orchard, C. & Co., stationery	43	12	6
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	264	17	11
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	22	9	11
Pocock Bros., Ltd., boots	3	17	0
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., petrol, etc.	12	8	10
Postmaster-General, rentals	46	14	6
Premier Battery & Magneto Co., supplies	2	18	7
Provan, J. & D., fertilizer	7	10	0
Roneo, Ltd., ink, etc.	13	12	10
Rose Polishes, Ltd., polish	1	6	3
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., paraffin	2	16	8
Sampson, T., Ltd., brushes, etc.	10	11	2
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery, etc.	4	0	5
Smart's Tar Distillery, Ltd., coal tar pitch	10	10	0
Smith & Wellstood, Ltd., repairs, etc.	6	8	8
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	42	17	10
Stanford, E., Ltd., map	2	0	6
Stanton Ironworks Co., Ltd., pipes	68	3	0
Steele, A., repairs	19	11	3
Stevens & Sons, certificate	34	1	10
Tangyes, Ltd., repairs	1	19	6
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	180	2	0
Walker, J., team labour, etc.	389	7	3
Warner, J. W., cloth	1	11	7
Warner, J. & Sons, Ltd., bell	1	8	3
Warden & Co., Ltd., advertisements	6	0	3
Williams Bros., groceries	24	3	4
Williamson, A., tickets... ..	2	10	0
Yale & Towne, Co., locks, etc.	3	14	4
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	32	6	0
Total Invoices	£6499	17	2

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
E.L. Revenue Account—transfer, wages	24	19	8
Street Improvement Loans Account—transfer ...	3278	15	10
Bank of England, repayment of principal and interest	147	18	1
Ditto ditto ditto	144	7	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans	425	0	0
Bank of England, repayment of loans	4310	9	0
Salaries—November.—			
Clerk	100	3	10
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	18	0
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay Staff	1102	1	5
Ditto Firemen	93	17	11
Accountant's Wages Account	1000	0	0
Ditto ditto	1000	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	474	9	2
	<u>£18837</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	9836	6	10
Cheques recommended for payment	18837	12	0
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£9001</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>2</u>

1119 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1171 17 9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Electric Construction Co., Ltd., certificate	159	19	2
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd. do.	313	8	9
Ditto do.	1000	0	0
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd. do.	93	19	1
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, invoices and wages	1237	17	7
	<u>2805</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£1633</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>

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FINANCE (continued).

1120 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1571 19 1
 Cr. by Cashier(Oct. 1st—31st) amount received from consumers' services 206 5 1
 Leaving balance in hand £1778 4 2

1121 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1037 6 1
 Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—
 Employees' contributions ... 39 2 0
 Council's contributions 61 15 4
 100 17 4
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Cr. (Oct. 1st—31st) by—
 Cashier 3793 15 10
 Collector 373 8 0
 4167 3 10

Transfers for invoices and wages from—
 General District Fund (gas lamps) ... 24 19 8
 E.L. Loans Account 1237 17 7
 1262 17 3
 5430 1 1
 Leaving in hand 6366 9 10

Deduct cheques drawn November 16th, to—
 Biram & Co., coal 240 5 9
 Goard, T. W., cartage 2 12 6
 Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal 924 4 6
 Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., tyres 4 1 1
 Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal 211 8 5
 Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal 120 6 5
 1502 18 8
 4863 11 2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (continued).

Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	10 15 0
Beard & Fitch, Ltd., worm wheel ...	1 17 6
Beldam Packing & Rubber Co., Ltd., gasket rings	2 17 0
Belliss & Morcom, Ltd., engine oil ...	6 4 5
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., distilled water	2 0 6
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., oil en- gine repairs	6 9 0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin ...	7 12 0
Brown Bros., Ltd., battery ...	2 12 7
Brush Electrical Engineering Co., Ltd., steam pipe	4 5 0
Callender's Cable Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	985 2 0
Collins Electrical Ltd., repairs converter	2 14 6
Economic Fencing Co., Ltd., fencing...	5 2 10
Edison Swan Electric Co., Ltd., lamps	19 2 11
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., globes	9 0 0
English Electric Co., Ltd., carbon brushes	7 8 6
Ever-ready Co., Ltd., batteries ...	1 13 4
Evershed & Vignoles, Ltd., repairs, testing set	6 19 6
Farmer, Stedall & Co., pump	2 14 10
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	65 18 0
Finchley Urban District Council, rein- statements	46 0 3
Gas Light & Coke Co., removing lamp column	1 19 3
Gray Brothers, Ltd., coal, coke, etc. ...	21 19 3
Harper & Moores, Ltd., fire tiles ...	12 10 0
Haynes, G., cartage, etc.	136 13 4
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd., relays ...	75 0 0
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., clean- ing cloths	1 15 3
Hobdell, Way & Co., Ltd., magnesia, compo, etc.	6 6 0
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters ...	216 0 0
Kelvin, Bottomley & Baird, Ltd., re- pairs ammeter	3 18 0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast and pipes	2 19 6
Lighting Trades, Ltd., wire	1 12 6
London County Council, testing meters	3 5 0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., printing ...	2 10 0
North Middlesex Gas Co., alterations	2 3 4

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	12	8	6
Reason Manufacturing Co., Ltd., demand indicators	20	8	6
Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	80	12	1
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	22	0	9
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., flexible	1	1	0
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil	90	0	10
Tapp & Toothill, Ltd., cards	4	9	6
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	2	0	0
Westminster Engineering Co., Ltd., repairs converter	25	0	0
Willcox, W. H. & Co., Ltd., stoves, etc.	5	15	6
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards	11	15	6
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Total Invoices	£1960	13	3
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Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	122	3	0
Electrical Engineer, wages account	600	0	0
Ditto ditto	600	0	0
Ditto petty cash	30	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits	2	1	7
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loan 51	12	0	7
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of loan 199	191	0	0
Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 41 (part)	3	2	6
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Leaving balance in hand		£1342	10 3
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1122 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT. —The balance			
in hand upon this account per last report was	£10345	7	8
Cr. (Oct. 1st—28th) amount received from frontagers	729	4	0
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Leaving balance in hand		£11074	11 8
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FINANCE (continued).

1123 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1124 11 7

Cr. by Collector (Oct. 5th—26th)—					
Rents	...	...	...	142	6 10
Allotments	...	...	...	10	0
				<u>142</u>	<u>16 10</u>
					1267 8 5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	205	6 8
		<u>205</u>	<u>6 8</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	£1062	1 9

1124 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2443 13 5

Cr. by Collector (Oct. 5th—26th)—					
Rents	...	...	...	269	16 6
				<u>269</u>	<u>16 6</u>
					2713 9 11

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	520	4 4
		<u>520</u>	<u>4 4</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	£2193	5 7

1125 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £9154 2 1

Add amount debited by Barclays Bank, interest on current account	...	...	...	89	17 10
				<u>89</u>	<u>17 10</u>
					9243 19 11

Cr. by Collector (Oct. 4th—26th)—					
Rents	...	...	...	707	16 10
Cr. Interest Warrants (Housing Bonds) unrepresented—now cancelled	...	1	2 10		
		<u>1</u>	<u>2 10</u>		
					708 19 8
					8535 0 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	1037	13 0
		<u>1037</u>	<u>13 0</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£9572	13 3

FINANCE (continued).

1126 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1807 17 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc. ...	58 12 2
Leaving balance in hand ...	<u>£1749 5 5</u>

1127 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this account per last report was £11368 8 4

Cr. amounts received on account of grants,
East End Road Improvement—

Oct. 11th, from Ministry of Transport—			
Stanhope Avenue to Holm-			
wood Gardens ...	129 0 0		
Holmwood Gardens to			
Windermere Avenue	<u>55 0 0</u>		
		184 0 0	

Oct. 31st, from Ditto.—

Stanhope Avenue to Holm-			
wood Gardens ...	130 0 0		
Holmwood Gardens to			
Windermere Avenue	<u>54 0 0</u>		
Manor Cottage to			
Hamilton Road ...	120 0 0		
		304 0 0	

Oct. 29th, from Middlesex County Council—

Stanhope Avenue to Holm-			
wood Gardens ...	1220 18 10		
Holmwood Gardens to			
Windermere Avenue	<u>511 5 1</u>		
Manor Cottage to			
Hamilton Road ...	1152 6 2		
Hamilton Road to			
Sedgemere Avenue	<u>33 0 3</u>		
		2917 10 4	

Transfer from Genl. District Fund—

Contribution by County Council re			
East End Road Improvement—			
S.W. Sewer, 1926/27	2258 3 10		
Expenditure chargeable			
to Private Works	<u>1020 12 0</u>		
		3278 15 10	

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FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Transfer from Refuse Destructor			
Loan Account—expenditure charge- able thereto	102	11	0
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	6786	17	2
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	4581	11	2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Ball, C., certificate	298	2	2
Manders, W. & Co., certificate	216	14	7
Ditto certificates	350	16	6
Roads & Public Works, Ltd., certificates	1953	15	11
Chambers & Garnett, purchase money, Essex House Estate	300	0	0
Martineau & Reid, purchase money, land, Great North Road (additional)	17	10	0
Ditto costs <i>re</i> ditto	8	8	0
Milles, Jennings, White & Foster, costs <i>re</i> purchase of land, Great North Rd.—(Ecclesiastical Commissioners)	46	12	8
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, stores, etc.	265	7	0
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		3457	6 10
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Leaving balance overdrawn		£8038	18 0

1128 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £11826 6 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash	30	0	0
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Leaving balance overdrawn		£11856	6 7

1129 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was £11725 0 0

Cr. (Oct. 11th) amount received from Public Works Loan Board on mortgage	7115	0	0
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		4610	0 0

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FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under:—

		£	s.	d.
Chambers & Garnett—				
	re Butler, T. H.	870	0	0
Ditto	re Goring, F. W.	900	0	0
Ditto	re Backhouse, W.	620	0	0
Ditto	re Cooper-Southam, G. W.	620	0	0
Ditto	re Hotton, G. F.	600	0	0
Ditto	re Lee, Mrs. C. A.	600	0	0
Ditto	re Hewson, Mr. & Mrs.	650	0	0
Ditto	re Macdonald, Mrs. E. M.	950	0	0
Ditto	re Coup, V.	650	0	0
		6460	0	0
Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board		£11070	0	0

1130 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1904 14 1

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Street Improvement Loans Account				
transfer, expenditure therefrom	102	11	0	
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	171	10	6	
			274	1 6
Leaving balance in hand			£1630	12 7

1131 STOREYARDS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £119 19 0

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Compton Bros., certificate	165	3	4	
Leaving balance overdrawn			£45	4 4

FINANCE (*continued*).

1132 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT. — The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £36 17 2

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoice	3 15 3
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Leaving balance overdrawn	...			£40 12 5
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1133 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £467 11 1

Cr. (Oct. 7th) by Treasurer—

Interest on current account—Bar- clay's Bank	...	...	...	12 13 9
Transfers received (Oct. 31st) from—				
General District Fund	224	17	3	
Electric Lighting				
Revenue Account	100	17	4	
Education Account	37	13	6	
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				376 1 10
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Leaving balance in hand	£843 12 11
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

	Present Actual Balance 31st Oct., 1927		Recommended per Report, 14th Nov., 1927.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
	CR.	DR.	Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques. DR.	CR.	DR.
			CR.	DR.			
Poor Rate	£ 5793	£ ...	...	261	15159	...	9627
General District Fund	7383	...	2554	3304	15634	...	9001
Private Street Works Fund	11075	...	...	...	...	11075	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	1267	...	...	205	...	1062	...
" " " " No. 2	2713	...	...	520	...	2193	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	8535	...	1038	...	...	9573
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans	1808	...	...	59	...	1749	...
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	7963	3381	265	3192	...	8039
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	11826	...	30	...	...	11856
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	400	...	...	...	...	400	...
Hospitals Loans	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Refuse Destructor Loan	1905	...	...	274	...	1631	...
Public Conveniences Loans	68	...	...	...	...	68	...
Allotments Loans	21	...	...	...	...	21	...
Public Offices Loans	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Storeyards Loans	120	...	...	...	165	...	45
Workmen's Dwellings Loans ... ..	...	37	...	4	...	...	41
Electric Lighting Revenue	5104	...	1263	...	5024	1343	...
" " Capital Suspense	1778	...	...	...	...	1778	...
" " Loans	1172	...	...	1238	1567	...	1633
Education	742	...	...	...	4679	...	3937
" Loans	34	...	...	...	...	34	...
	£ 41386	28361	7198	7198	45420	21357	53752

Net Debit ... £ 32,395

FINANCE (continued).

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FINANCE (*continued*).

1135 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement :—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320 0 0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	4455 5 5
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928 ...	88200 0 0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	6111 0 8
Supplemental Assessments ...	585 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	38442 13 11
	<u>£89105 0 0</u>		<u>£89105 0 0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350 0 0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	7328 19 10
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928	145814 0 0	Amount of rates collected since last statement—	10047 13 7
Supplemental Assessments ...	940 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	63774 6 7
	<u>£147104 0 0</u>		<u>£147104 0 0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

9811 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £742 0s. 7d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report		£2526	7	9
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—				
Employees' contributions	13	19	3	
Council's contributions	23	14	3	
			37	13
			6	
			2564	1
			3	
Cr. by Cashier (Oct. 1st—31st)—				
Contributions to Special				
School fees	20	6	0	
Medical Treatment	13	11	6	
Needlework Sales	1	10	4	
Cookery Sales	6	6	7	
Use of Rooms, etc.	39	8	0	
Other Authorities for				
Institutional Children	5	11	9	
Unemployment Claims—				
Juvenile Employment				
Bureau	3	11	9	
Administration expenses—				
Unemployment Insurance	27	0	0	
Middlesex County Council, loan repayments, Higher Education	1182	3	8	
			1299	9
			7	
By Board of Education—				
Instalment of Substantive Grant	1950	0	0	
By Ministry of Health—				
Grant under Agricultural				
Rates Act, 1896	38	9	2	
Ditto 1923	18	3	1	
			56	12
			3	
			3306	1
			10	
Leaving balance in hand			£742	0
			7	

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books, etc.	1	7	6
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., Ltd., gas		11	10
Bryson, J. G., printing	2	16	6

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FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses	10	0	7
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., anæsthetic ...	12	9	
East Finchley Congregational Church, rent ...	13	0	
Electrolux, Ltd., apparatus	14	6	4
Finchley Urban District Council, rates, etc. ...	493	0	10
Finchley Memorial Hospital, fees	9	7	6
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	3	14	0
Griffith, D. R., repairs	3	2	6
Halls, C. & Sons, repairs	32	14	8
Hicks, Dr. T., fees	23	12	6
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., ointment	15	2	
Institutional Children Fees:—			
Enfield Education Committee	2	6	9
Hertfordshire County Council	78	19	0
Middlesex County Council	16	17	11
Northampton Borough Council	8	6	7
Managers, Christ Church School, repairs	22	13	2
Managers, Holy Trinity School, repairs	39	12	10
Managers, St. Mary's School, repairs	20	9	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	1	2	6
North Middlesex Gas Co., coke	165	0	0
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	2	18	5
Roneo, Ltd., stencils	12	0	
Royal National Orthopædic Hospital, fees	11	17	0
St. Elizabeth's School for Epileptic Children, fees	16	17	6
Shaftesbury Society and R.S.U., fees	44	12	0
Smith, W. H. & Son, books	18	0	
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	3	15	11
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	44	11	2
Wight, E. & Co., repairs	2	15	6
Total Invoices	£1081	0	11
Clerical, Medical & General Life Assurance Society, principal and interest on loans 3 and 4	135	11	10
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loan 17	157	18	2
Salaries—November.—			
Turner, A. A.	43	17	1
Cogdale, J.	52	18	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	5
	132	14	7
Education Salaries Account	3171	6	8
	£4678	12	2

FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.

	'£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	742	0	7
Cheques recommended for payment ...	4678	12	2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£3936	11	7
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F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

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Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
21st December, 1927

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of December, 1927, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 5th December, 1927,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 6th December, 1927,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th December, 1927,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 8th December, 1927,
 - (e) **Education** of the 12th December, 1927,

(f) **General Purposes** of the 13th December, 1927,

(g) **Electricity** of the 14th December, 1927,

(h) **Finance** of the 14th December, 1927.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's Report of the 14th December, 1927.”

7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

8. Tenders :—

(a) Improvement Works—Friern Barnet Lane.

(b) Road and Sewer Works—Housing Scheme No. 4—
Summers Lane, North Finchley.

9. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

10. Reports of Committees :—

(a) **Public Health** of the 6th December, 1927,

(b) **Allotments** of the 8th December, 1927,

(c) **Electricity** of the 14th December, 1927.

11. Reports of Officers.

12. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
28th November, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
28th day of November, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
Briant, A. J.	Ryan, C. G.
Broadbent, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.
Pateman, G. H.	

1137 EX-COUNCILLOR J. O. HERDMAN—DECEASE OF.—Reference was made by the Chairman to the death of Ex-Councillor J. O. Herdman, which had taken place very suddenly since the last meeting of the Council. He pointed out that Mr. Herdman was associated with the work of the Council for a period of six years; that he was elected as a Member of the Council in April, 1920, and, he thought, created a record in the annals of this Council by being appointed Chairman of one of its most important Committees, namely—the Public Health Committee, the same year; that he was appointed Chairman of the Education Committee in 1921, and Chairman of the Council in 1922 and again in 1923; that in 1924 he resumed his position as Chairman of the Education Committee, which he held for another year; that in 1925 he was appointed to the Chair of the Finance Committee; and that he retired from the Council in April, 1926.

The Chairman paid tribute to the able services rendered by Mr. Herdman to the Council and to the district during his period of office, after which, as a token of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Members of the Council, the Officials, and all other persons present at the meeting stood in silence for a few moments.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1138 ABSENCE FROM MEETING.—A communication was submitted from Councillor Toyne regretting his inability to be present at the meeting.

1139 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1140 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 7th November, 1927.
- (b) **Public Health** of the 8th November, 1927, with the exception of that portion of paragraph 1016 (Plans) referring to Plan No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate, which be referred to the Committee for further consideration.
- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 9th November, 1927, with the exception of that portion of paragraph 1048 (Plans) referring to Plan No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate, which be referred to the Committee for further consideration. (Councillor Bowen voting against paragraph 1032 (Proposed Railway Siding—East Finchley—for Manor Farm Dairy).

Arising out of paragraph 1027 (Highways—All-Night Lighting—Side Streets) it was moved by Councillor Pateman and seconded by Councillor Wade “ that lamps be erected forthwith on the West side of the Great North Road from opposite to the Palace Tea Gardens to the County Boundary.”

An amendment was proposed by Councillor C. S. Syrett and seconded by Councillor Agar “ that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.”

On being put the amendment was carried, twelve voting in favour and two against (Councillors Pateman and Wade).

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The amendment was then put as a substantive motion and carried, the voting being as above.

Arising out of paragraph 1044 (Surface Water Drainage—Griffin Inn Public House, Whetstone), a communication, dated 25th November, 1927, was submitted from the Friern Barnet Urban District Council, stating that it was desired also to connect the premises known as the "Green Man" Garage, Great North Road, to this Council's Surface Water Sewer;

RESOLVED that such communication be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration, with power to act.

(d) **Allotments** of the 10th November, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 1055 (1) (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Merry and duly seconded "that the words 'and to the sanction of the Government Departments concerned being received to the expenditure' be inserted after the word 'Committee' in recommendation (1)."

On being put the amendment was declared to be carried, Councillors Pocock, Briant, Wade and C. S. Syrett voting against.

Arising further out of the said paragraph it was :—

- (a) **RESOLVED** that the word "greenhouses" in recommendation (1) (iv) be deleted;
- (b) reported that the Surveyor's estimate of the cost of the works mentioned in recommendation (3) was £600.

(e) **Education** of the 14th November, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 1069 (Glebe Land) which be deleted and referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1068 (Squires Lane School—Retirement of Miss Mortimer) it was

RESOLVED that a testimonial under Seal be given to Miss Mortimer in recognition of the valuable services rendered by her to the Council during a period of thirty-seven years.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Arising out of paragraph 1070 (Summers Lane School Site) a discussion took place, after which, recommendations (1) and (2) were put to the vote separately.

On recommendation (1) being put, it was carried *nem. con.*

On recommendation (2) being put, same was lost, three voting in favour and seven against.

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 15th November, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 1073 (Valuation Committee—Membership of) and 1080 (f) (Staff—Surveyor's Department—Engineering Assistant) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1081 (Meetings—Alteration in Dates of) it was

RESOLVED that " 26th " be substituted for " 25th " in the second line of recommendation (a).

- (g) **Electricity** of the 16th November, 1927.

- (h) **Finance** of the 16th November, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 1105 (c) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Arrears of Instalments) and 1107 (4) (East End Road Widening—Cemetery Frontage) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1107 (1) Highways—Improvement Works—Long Lane by Willow Lodge Estate), it was

RESOLVED that the words " so soon as the sanction to the necessary loan is received " contained in recommendation (2) be deleted and the word " forthwith " be substituted therefor.

1141 **OMNIBUS FACILITIES**.—A communication, dated 15th November, 1927, was submitted from the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., with regard to a proposed extension of Route No. 43;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1142 STREET ACCIDENTS, ETC.—Letter, dated 16th November, 1927, was submitted from the East Finchley Ratepayers' Association forwarding copy of resolutions passed at a recent Public Meeting of the Association with regard to the above;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

1143 LICENCE TO PERFORM IN A THEATRE.—

RESOLVED that a licence be issued to Miss Italia Conti to enable Daphne Denise Redgrove, aged 12 years, 3 months, to take part and be employed in a stage play known as "The Windmill Man," at the Victoria Palace Theatre, for a period of six weeks from the 26th December, 1927.

1144 SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT—No. 9, THE HAWTHORNS—ADDITIONAL OFFICE ACCOMMODATION.—The Clerk reported that the licence herein had now been received from the freeholders.

1145 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 16th November, 1927, amounting to £57,475 6s. 7d.

1146 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents :—

- (1) Licence to Mr. J. W. Porter to keep petroleum spirit;
- (2) Agreement with Mr. E. C. Arden in regard to extension of electricity main in new road between Regents Park Road and Finchley Avenue;
- (3) Vacating receipt on Mortgage from Mr. H. E. Styles to the Council—78, Squires Lane (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (4) Order on the Treasurer to pay the sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 16th November, 1927;
- (5) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £6,460 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (6) Testimonial to Miss Mortimer on her retirement as Head Mistress of the Girls' Department of the Squires Lane Council School;
- (7) Licence to Miss Italia Conti to enable Daphne Denise Redgrove to take part in a stage play known as "The Windmill Man" for a period of six weeks from 26th December, 1927.

1147 "OPEN LETTER" IN PRESS—FINCHLEY EX-SERVICE MEN'S CLUB.—The Chairman of the Council replied to an "open letter" which appeared in the Local Press recently, and in doing so assured the writer thereof publicly that the Council had no antipathy whatever towards the above Club, but on the contrary wished it every success.

1148 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1149.—VALUATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.—Paragraph 1073 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 15th November, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be not adopted but that the matter be referred to the Committee for further consideration.

1150 STAFF—SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT—ENGINEERING ASSISTANT.—Paragraph 1080 (f) of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 15th November, 1927, was considered and the Surveyor reported that Mr. Read had been examined by the Council's Medical Officer of Health who had certified that, in his opinion, Mr. Read was a fit candidate for admission to the Council's Superannuation Scheme. The Surveyor further reported that Mr. Read did not occupy a "Designated Post" in his present

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

appointment at Ilford, but that he did hold such a post in his previous appointment under the Newmarket Urban District Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that the question of appointing Mr. Read to fill the Designated Post of Engineering Assistant in the Surveyor's Department in the Council's Scheme under the Local Government and Other Officers' Superannuation Act, 1922, vacated by Mr. R. Massey, be referred to the Committee for consideration.

1151 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ARREARS OF INSTALMENTS.—Paragraph 1105 (c) of the Finance Committee's report of the 16th November, 1927, was considered and the Clerk reported that, with regard to advances Nos. 163 and 203 the arrears had been paid; that with regard to advances Nos. 151 & 246, the amounts were still outstanding and that with regard to advance No. 324 a post-dated cheque for the amount due dated 30th November, 1927, had been received.

As regards advances Nos. 151 and 246 letters from each of the Mortgagors and dated respectively 28th and 21st November, 1927, were submitted;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that, as regards advance No. 324, the paragraph be received and adopted, subject to the " 30th November " being substituted for the " 28th November " therein;
- (b) that, as regards advances Nos. 151 and 246, the mortgagors respectively be informed that, unless the amount now outstanding, together with the amount which will be due and payable on the 31st December, 1927, be paid on that date, the properties will be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts.

1152 HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 9th November, 1927, as under-printed,

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

was submitted and considered in conjunction with paragraph 1107 (4) of the Finance Committee's report of the 16th November, 1927 :—

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, and Wells, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

EAST END ROAD WIDENING—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.—The Committee considered the following communication, dated 19th October, 1927 (referred to them by the Council at last meeting) from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone in regard to this matter :—

“ My Committee have now considered your letter to me of the 27th ultimo, and I am to emphasise that the attitude which you take as to your Authority being the aggrieved party is in no way justified. The position is that the St. Marylebone Borough Council are the aggrieved parties. My Committee have had a further opportunity of going through the correspondence which has taken place between you and me, and they particularly note that even so far back as 12 months ago your Council had decided that the carrying out of the improvement works as originally proposed should be proceeded with, and this notwithstanding the Deed of Conveyance dated 24th March, 1897.

Having regard to the estimates to which you refer in your letter to me of the 8th July, 1927, from which it appears that the cost of reinstating the footpath is only £288, my Committee wish me to say that apart from all other considerations they were fully justified in recommending the Borough Council to call upon your Authority to carry out the terms of the Deed of 1897.

It is gathered that you have made representations hereon to the Ministry of Health, the Middlesex County Council, and the Ministry of Transport, and I am to request you to be good enough to send me a copy of such representations for the information of my Council. This question will be further considered by my Council on the 27th instant, and I should be glad to hear from you in reply before that date.’

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

The Clerk reported that he had replied expressing regret that the concluding paragraph of his letter of the 27th September, 1927, should have been misinterpreted and stating that the views of the three Bodies in question had not yet been obtained on the matter.

The paragraph of the Clerk's letter above referred to was, it was stated, as follows:—

"The Council also instructed me to add that the point at issue involves not only this Council, but also the Ministry of Transport, the Middlesex County Council, and the Ministry of Health, whose views on the matter will have to be obtained before any definite action can be taken by this Council."

The Chairman of the Committee reported upon an informal interview which he had had with the Chairman of the St. Marylebone Cemetery Committee, together with the Mayor and the Town Clerk, and, arising thereout, the Committee decided as follows:—

- (a) that the Surveyor be instructed to interview the Ministry of Transport and the Middlesex County Council; to place the whole of the facts before them; and to report at the Council Meeting;
- (b) that the Clerk be instructed similarly to interview the Ministry of Health and to report at the Council Meeting;
- (c) that the Chairman of the Committee endeavour to arrange for a meeting to take place between himself, the Chairman of the Council and the Town Clerk and the Chairman of the St. Marylebone Cemetery Committee for the purpose of discussing the whole question;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that the Council proceed forthwith to lay down a footpath 6ft. in width along the cemetery frontage, subject to the Ministry of Transport, the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Health raising no objection thereto;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (3) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee, with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

Arising thereout, a letter dated 9th November, 1927, from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone, was submitted and the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee reported the result of an interview which had taken place recently between representatives of the Borough Council and of this Council. The Surveyor reported upon interviews which he had had with the Ministry of Transport and the Middlesex County Council, and the Clerk reported upon an interview which he had had with the Ministry of Health on the subject;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the above report of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and the said paragraph of the Finance Committee's report be received and adopted, subject, as regards the former, to the deletion of the words " 6 ft. in width " in recommendation (2);
- (b) that the St. Marylebone Borough Council be informed that this Council are prepared to lay down a footpath along the cemetery frontage of such a width, not less than 6 feet, as the Ministry of Transport, the Ministry of Health and the Middlesex County Council may approve; that it be intimated to them that it has been reported to the Council that the three bodies in question would raise no objection to a path of the width of 6 feet and that, on being informed that this will be acceptable to the Borough Council, the carrying out of the work will be proceeded with forthwith, including the re-instatement of the crossings at the entrance and exit gates where disturbed.

1153 PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 8th November, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike and H. O. Syrett.

PRIVATE DRAINAGE WORKS—BERNHEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—

(a) The Clerk reported that he understood that the Police Authorities had not yet been able to serve upon Mrs. Dixon the Order for entry made by the Justices on the 12th October, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that a further report be made on the matter at the Council Meeting.

(b) A letter, dated 27th October, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association, stating that this Council's letter of the 18th October, 1927, had been placed before the Executive Council at their last meeting, and that, on their instructions, he had communicated with the Ministry of Health, urging the amendment of Section 305 of the Public Health Act, 1875, so as to permit of an Order being made for the forcible entry of premises for the purpose of the execution of sanitary works. He added that he had referred the Ministry to Section 115 of the Public Health (London) Act, 1891, as a precedent. The letter added that the Executive Council had also considered the concluding paragraph of this Council's letter before-mentioned, but that it was not their practice to entertain applications for contributions towards legal expenses in circumstances such as those involved in the proceedings referred to. Further, that it did not appear that any point of general interest to Local Authorities would arise for decision in the case, and that, apart from this, it was not the practice of the Association to make contributions until after the proceedings had concluded.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

Arising out of (a) the Clerk reported that on the 17th November, 1927, he had served upon Mrs. Dixon a notice of intention to enter the premises on the 21st November, 1927; that upon the Officers of the Council seeking admission to the premises on that date they received no response to their call;

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1154 ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 10th November, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent and Wells, and Messrs. Robin, Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

ALLOTMENTS—EAST FINCHLEY.—The Clerk reported on correspondence which he had had with the Agents and the Secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commission hereon, and submitted a letter, dated 26th October, 1927, from the Secretary to the Commission, stating that the Commissioners were prepared to sell to this Council, for the purpose of permanent allotments, the 12 acres 2 roods 38 poles of land situate at the rear of the Great North Road and Creighton Avenue, and at present held on lease, expiring at Lady Day, 1937, at a modified price of £3,750, the sale to be subject to such special conditions as might be advised by the Commissioners' Surveyors, and the Conveyance to be drawn up in such form as their Solicitors might require. The Accountant was instructed to submit at the meeting of the Council a statement showing what the financial position would be, assuming the land were acquired at the price indicated;

Annexes

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the land be purchased by the Council on the terms mentioned;
- (3) that the Clerk communicate with the Secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commission accordingly.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be not adopted but that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1155 STANDING ORDERS.—At this stage in the proceedings the attention of the Chairman of the Council was drawn to the fact that the Council had been sitting for three hours. Twelve Members of the Council being then present it was

RECOMMENDED by a vote of the majority of those present to continue the Meeting.

1156 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 15th November, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillor Merry, Vice-Chairman (in the Chair), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, C. S. Syrett and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Wells (non-member).

AVENUE HOUSE—ATTORNEY-GENERAL v. THE COUNCIL & OTHERS.—

(a) The Clerk reported that he had received sanction from the Minister of Health for the raising of a temporary loan or overdraft for the sum of £1,154; that this sum did not include the amount of the Executors' expenses account, and that he had communicated further with the Ministry, asking for sanction for the further sum of £697 5s. 2d., being the balance of the amount for which application was originally made.

(b) Claim for Rent and Dilapidations, etc.—The Clerk reported that, on the suggestion of Messrs. Lees & Company, and with the approval of the Chairman of the Council, he had agreed that the amounts of £2,250 for dilapidations and £96 7s. 0d. for Gardeners' Wages be inserted in the claim, as these were the amounts to which the Government Authorities did not take any objection; that as it would be necessary, in all probability, for the Council to be represented before the Court at the Hearing, Messrs. Lees & Company had been authorised to engage Junior Counsel. The Clerk further reported that Messrs. Lees and Company suggested that if any costs were awarded by the Court at the Hearing they should be applied first in paying Counsel's fees, and the balance (if any) divided between the litigants in some proportion as three-fourths to the Council and one-fourth to the Executors, any deficiency being made up in the same proportions. In the event of costs not being awarded each litigant should pay his own costs.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(c) Regulations.—The Clerk reported that now that the property had been transferred to the Council, it would be necessary for draft regulations as to the house and grounds to be approved;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the question of the matter of the loan mentioned in (a) above be referred to the Finance Committee for their consideration.
- (2) that the action taken, as mentioned in (b) above be approved, and that Messrs. Lees & Company be informed that the Council adopt their suggestion as to the payment of costs;
- (3) that a meeting of the Avenue House Sub-Committee be called for the 23rd November, 1927, to consider the question of draft regulations.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman (*pro tempore*).

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

1157 ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 16th November, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, H. O. Syrett and Wade and Mr. R. A. Marples.

ELECTRICITY SUB-STATION—PERCY ROAD—*Re* A. E. DENMAN.—The Committee had before them the letter from Mr. Denman's Solicitors (referred to them by the Council) alleging that a trespass had been committed by the Council across a piece of land between the end of Percy Road and Church Path, which, they said, Mr. Denman had reserved when Percy Road was made up. The Clerk reported that he had asked to be furnished with a plan of the piece of land in question, and had been sent merely a small sketch, made by Mr. Denman, upon which he had noted that the land marked red thereon was retained by him and planted with shrubs and fenced in; that the fence had been broken down, and the post in roadway removed by someone in his absence since June last. Further, that he (the Clerk) had communicated with the Surveyor on the matter, and was

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

informed that Mr. Denman made up Percy Road himself, and that the Council's plan (submitted) did not show the reservation of any strip of land between Percy Road and Church Path. Furthermore, that he was informed that the posts were placed by the Council at the end of Percy Road in order temporarily to prevent traffic going into Church Path; that it was presumed that Percy Road was made up according to the plan, otherwise the Council would not have taken same over; this being so, it would appear also that no trespass had been committed, as Percy Road and Church Path were public highways.

The agreement, dated 3rd January, 1911, between Mr. Denman and the Council in connection with the making-up and taking over of the portion of Percy Road referred to, was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed, on behalf of the Council, to repudiate the claim in question.

O. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

1158 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the plan be referred to the Committees concerned for further consideration.

- (b) No. 6306—Conversion of 78, Lincoln Road into Flats.—The Surveyor reported that this plan had been amended to comply with the wishes of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee that each flat should be provided with a separate W.C.;

RECOMMENDED that the plan be now approved.

1159 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—A letter, dated 11th November, 1927, from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council hereon was submitted;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

1160 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—52, SUMMERLEE AVENUE—SALE OF.—The Clerk reported that this property was not sold at the public auction held on the 22nd November, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that, in the circumstances, the reserve price fixed be reduced by £50.

1161 ALLOTMENTS—LONSDALE MEADOWS.—A letter, dated 21st November, 1927, was submitted from Messrs. Boulton Sons and Sandeman stating that they thought that their clients would be willing to bear some proportion (less than a half) of the expense of erecting a close boarded fence 6 feet in height and asking to be informed of the estimated cost of such a fence in order that their clients' instructions in the matter might be taken. It was reported that the estimated cost of the fence in question was £95;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to inform Messrs. Boulton Sons & Sandeman, without prejudice, that, if their clients will be prepared to contribute £45 towards the cost of the proposed fencing, this Council will bear the balance of the expenditure.

1162 AVENUE HOUSE.—The Chairman of the Council reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that advertisements be issued inviting applications for the appointment of a Superintendent at a wage of £3 10s. a week, residential accommodation to be provided, free of rent and rates, and that a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council, Councillor Wells and Councillor Pateman, be authorised to make the appointment subject to report;
- (b) that the services of an expert to advise on the plants, etc., be retained at a cost not exceeding five guineas.

1163 STREET LIGHTING.—A communication, dated 24th November, 1927, was submitted from the Chief Electrical Engi-

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

neer, stating that on the 21st instant, at 7.40 p.m., a public lighting circuit in East End Road was cut; that on investigation it was found that the switch column at the junction of Sedgemere Avenue with East End Road had been wilfully interfered with by boys, two of whom had been caught by Messrs. Barnett and Judge, of the Surveyor's Department;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be instructed to institute legal proceedings against the offenders if, in his opinion, the evidence is sufficient to sustain the charge;
- (b) that the Surveyor be instructed to convey to Messrs. Barnett and Judge the thanks of the Council for the action taken by them.

1164 LAW OF PROPERTY ACT, 1925—ELM GRANGE ESTATE—
NETHER STREET—APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANT.—A letter, dated 22nd November, 1927, was submitted from the Official Arbitrator forwarding copy of his Order in regard to this application. The Clerk reported that the effect of the Order was to permit the erection of not more than six private dwelling houses in place of not more than three private dwelling houses on the land in question.

1165 OPEN SPACES—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—A report of the Sub-Committee appointed to consider this matter, dated 24th November, 1927, was submitted and considered;

RECOMMENDED that the report be received, adopted, and entered on the Minutes of the Council. *unrevised*

1166 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.

H. O. Smith
Chairman.

28th December 1927.

PRIVATE AND
CONFIDENTIAL.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

OPEN SPACES - PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.

REPORT OF SUB-COMMITTEE - 24th NOVEMBER, 1927.

PRESENT - Councillor H.O. Syrett (Chairman), Councillors
Ager, Pike, C.S. Syrett and Councillor Wells
(non-member) together with Messrs. Carris,
Chambers, Lower, and Dr. Holmes, representatives
of the proposed Golf Club.

It will be remembered that, as the outcome of public meetings held in the district, a proposal to acquire the under-mentioned properties for the purpose of a Golf Course, etc. was placed before the Council at its last meeting, and referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

Your Sub-Committee was appointed by the latter Committee to go into the matter in all its aspects with representatives of the proposed Golf Club, and to report to the Council thereon.

Briefly, the proposal is that the Council take steps to acquire the Nether Court and Frith Grange Estates, together with adjoining land of about 36 acres, comprising in all an area of approximately 112 acres (as shown on plan annexed hereto); that such land, when acquired, be leased to a Golf Club to be formed into a Limited Liability Company, with a Share Loan or Guarantee Capital of £10,000. A statement was submitted on behalf of the proposed Golf Club, a copy of which is annexed hereto, showing:-

- (1) the estimated cost of constructing and completing the Course, and renovating the Mansion for use as Golf House, etc;
- (2) method proposed by the Club of raising capital;
- (3) estimates of:-
 - (a) annual subscriptions from golfers;
 - (b) estimated income;
 - (c) estimated expenditure;
 - (d) estimated income and expenditure in relation to Nether Court, as a residential Golf House, etc.

It will be observed from the statement that the proposed Club is to pay to the Council an annual rent of a sum equal to the amount which the Council is called upon annually to pay in repayment of principal and interest on the loan taken up in

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connection with the acquisition of the properties.

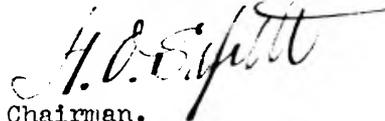
The Sub-Committee went through the figures contained in the above statement, item by item, with the representatives of the proposed Golf Club, and after full consideration and discussion it was

RECOMMENDED that application be made by the Council to the Ministry of Health for sanction to purchase Nether Court and Frith Grange Estates, and about 36 acres of adjoining land (in all approximately 112 acres), as an Open Space, at a sum not exceeding £40,000, for the purpose of leasing same at an annual rent, calculated to cover the liability of the Council in regard to interest and repayment of capital, to a Golf Club to be formed as a Limited Company with a minimum capital by way of Share Loan or Guarantee of £10,000.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report referred to in paragraph 1165 of the Council Minutes of the 28th November 1927, and the five pages annexed hereto comprise the statement referred to in such Report.



Chairman.

P R I V A T E & C O N F I D E N T I A L .STATEMENT REFERRED TO

22nd November, 1927.

PROPOSED GOLF COURSE AT NETHER COURT.

It is proposed to form a Limited Liability Company with a nominal Share and/or Loan and/or Guarantee Capital of £15,000, to take over a Lease of not less than fifty years on land at Nether Court and Frith Grange and adjoining land comprising about 112 acres, from the Urban District Council of Finchley, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon in accordance with the provisions in the Letter of Undertaking to the District Council, a copy of which is scheduled hereto.

The said Company to lay out and equip a first class 18 Hole Golf Course and establish the Mansion as a residential Club House.

The constitution of the Company will be such as to ensure the Club being conducted upon a sound commercial basis.

The cost of completing the course is estimated as follows:-

Construction 18 holes, 112 acres, including drainage	£6,000
Renovating Mansion as residential Club House including furniture	<u>£4,000</u>
	£10,000
	<u><u> </u></u>

The remaining capital will be required for financing stores, preliminary expenses of the Company, and for further developments for Tennis, Bowls, Putting Greens, etc.

Proposed Method of Raising Capital.

1. To obtain Life Membership at £500 Debentures at 5% p.a.
2. Compulsory subscription for members in Debentures and/or Ordinary Shares and/or Guarantee.
3. By private subscription from local residents of Finchley in Debentures and/or Ordinary Shares and/or Guarantee.

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The foregoing capital may be obtained in the following manner:-

1.	10 Life Members at £800		£8,000
2.	It is proposed to accept 500 playing members, and 100 social members.		
	300 full male members @ £10	£3,000	
	50 5-day members @ £5	250	
	100 full lady members @ £5	500	
	50 5-day lady members @ £2	100	
	100 social members @ £3	300	£4,150
3.	Balance required at first call to inaugurate Club to be obtained from interested residents		850
			£10,000

N. B. The Company reserve the right to impose at any time entrance fees either in addition to or in lieu of subscription of Capital.

Remaining capital for further developments to be obtained as and when required.

It is proposed in the first place to obtain as much capital as possible from prospective Playing Members of the Club and from interested householders by systematic canvassing in order to commence operations and to permit members' contributions being spread over several years.

Subscriptions to Golfers (Annual).

300 full male @ £8. 8. 0.	...	£2,520. 0. 0.
50 5-day male @ £5.0. 0.	...	262.10. 0.
100 full lady @ £5. 5. 0.	...	525. 0. 0.
50 5-day lady @ £3.3. 0	...	<u>157.10. 0.</u>
		£3,465. 0. 0.

The Company reserve the right to increase at any time these fees to new as well as to original members and also to accept reduced fees from any special class of members, e.g. Temporary members, Army Officers and others.

Estimated Income. 1 - 6 years' working

	<u>per annum</u>
Subscriptions - Golfing Members @	£3,465. 0. 0.
Net Profit from Club and Catering	1,000. 0. 0.
Green Fees £450	
Locker Rents, Cards.. 150	
Social Members 100 @ £3 300	
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This does not take into account any Revenue to be obtained from Tennis, Bowls, Putting Greens, Dances and Entertainments.	<u>£5,365. 0. 0.p.a.</u>

Estimated Expenditure.

Management, Offices, Resident Social Secretary	£600
Stationery & Printing	100
Repairs, Renewals, Depreciation, Rates & Taxes, &c.	750
Sand, &c.	100
Club Prizes, &c.	<u>100</u>
	£1,650

Ground Staff.

This item includes 9 men at £2.10.0. per week and one head groundsman also a professional	<u>1,250</u>	2,900. 0.0
		<u>£2,465. 0.0.</u>

GROSS SURPLUS PER ANNUM:-RENT TO COUNCIL.

Assuming £36/40,000 remains intact for 5/6 years (maximum)	<u>£2,000. 0.0.</u>
Nett Estimated Surplus per annum	<u>£465. 0.0.</u>

Residential Club House.

The Mansion on the Estate has splendid possibilities. The House contains large Dining, Billiards and Drawing Room or Ball Room, and many smaller rooms on the ground floor, also a very imposing Lounge Hall. The remaining floors contain 18 Bedrooms.

It is estimated that the expenditure of £4,000 will produce one of the finest Club houses around London, and will become a first class Club and Social Centre which is very much needed in Finchley.

The under-mentioned estimate of nett revenue is compiled upon conservative lines and it is felt will be capable of considerable expansion under good management.

Estimated Annual Revenue Account from Club House and Catering.

<u>Expenditures</u>		<u>Receipts</u>	
Purchase Stores &c. 33 1/3% profit	£5,200.	Gross returns from Residential, Cater- ing and Club facilities	£7,800
Cost of Management, Staff, Laundry, Stationery, Insurance, Rates and Taxes, Light, Fuel,	1,600	(An average of 500 persons spending each on an average 6/- per week).	
Balance Surplus	<u>1,000</u>	say 12 1/2%	<u> </u>
	<u>£7,800</u>		<u>£7,800</u>

Reduction of Debt to Finchley Council.

Part of the terms of the proposed arrangement of the Company with the Council is that the Council shall retain about 3,000 feet of valuable Building frontages (and certain back land on the opposite side of Frith Lane) and that the proceeds of the sale of these frontages and back land will be applied in reduction of the future annual payments by the Council in reduction of the loan obtained for the purchase and that the subsequent annual payments of Rent by the Company to the Council will be correspondingly reduced.

As the anticipated enhanced value of these frontages will be entirely dependent upon the status and social position of the Club, and the Company will have every incentive to conduct and improve their Club to this end, and the Company are deeply concerned in the enhanced prices to be obtained, the Company ask that they should be consulted from time to time as to when the frontages should be sold or otherwise developed, and the prices for which they should be sold. It is considered that the best time for selling off the frontages would be within 5/6 years of the establishment and opening of the Club.

It is estimated that these arrangements will reduce the annual payments to the Council by £1,000 per annum.

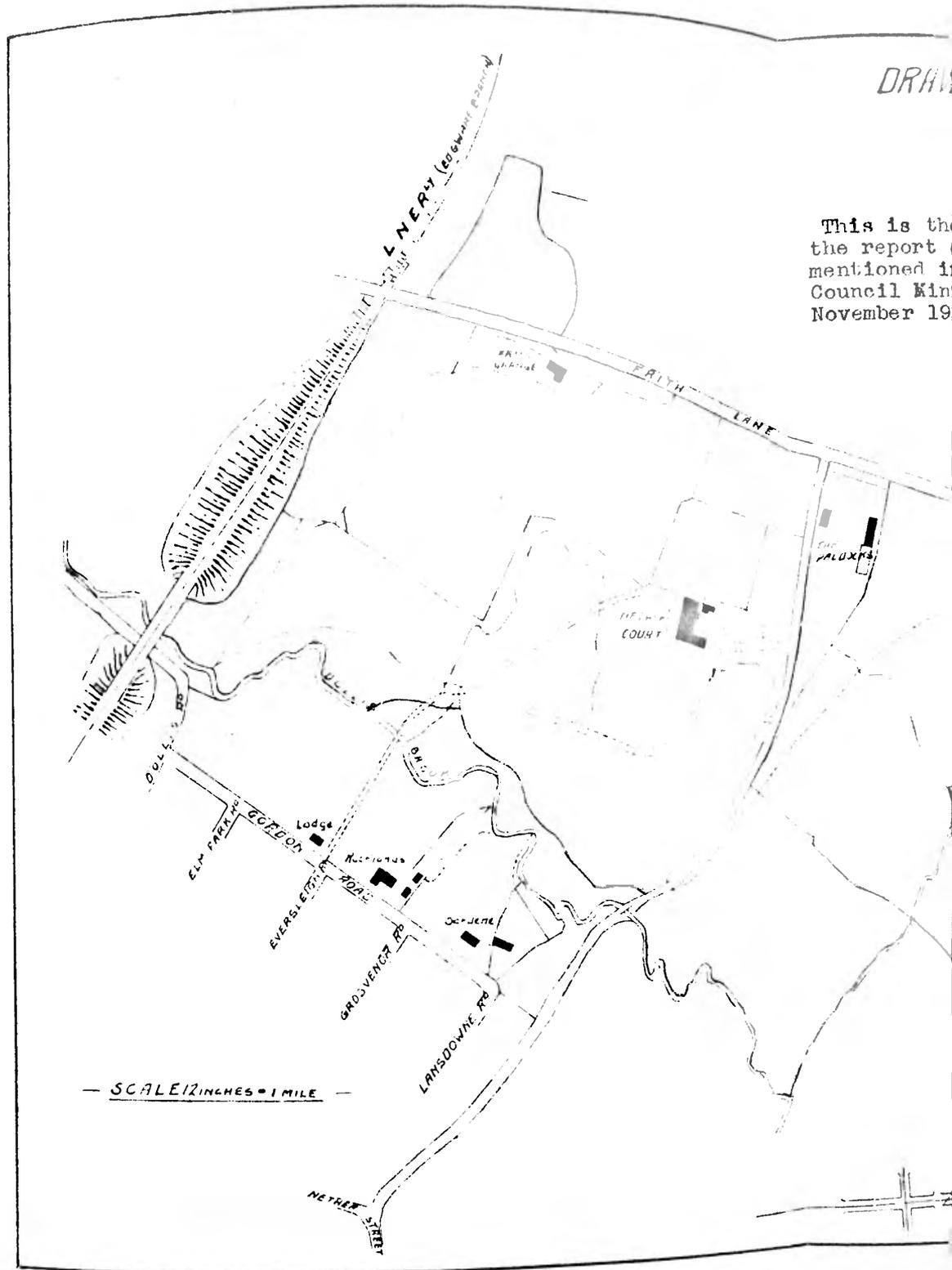
CONCLUSION.

It is the desire of the promoters of the Scheme that, as the foregoing figures shew, the Company will ultimately be able to make some return by way of capital as well as dividends to its shareholders, as well as to offer improved facilities to its members as well as to other users of the Grounds and Club House.

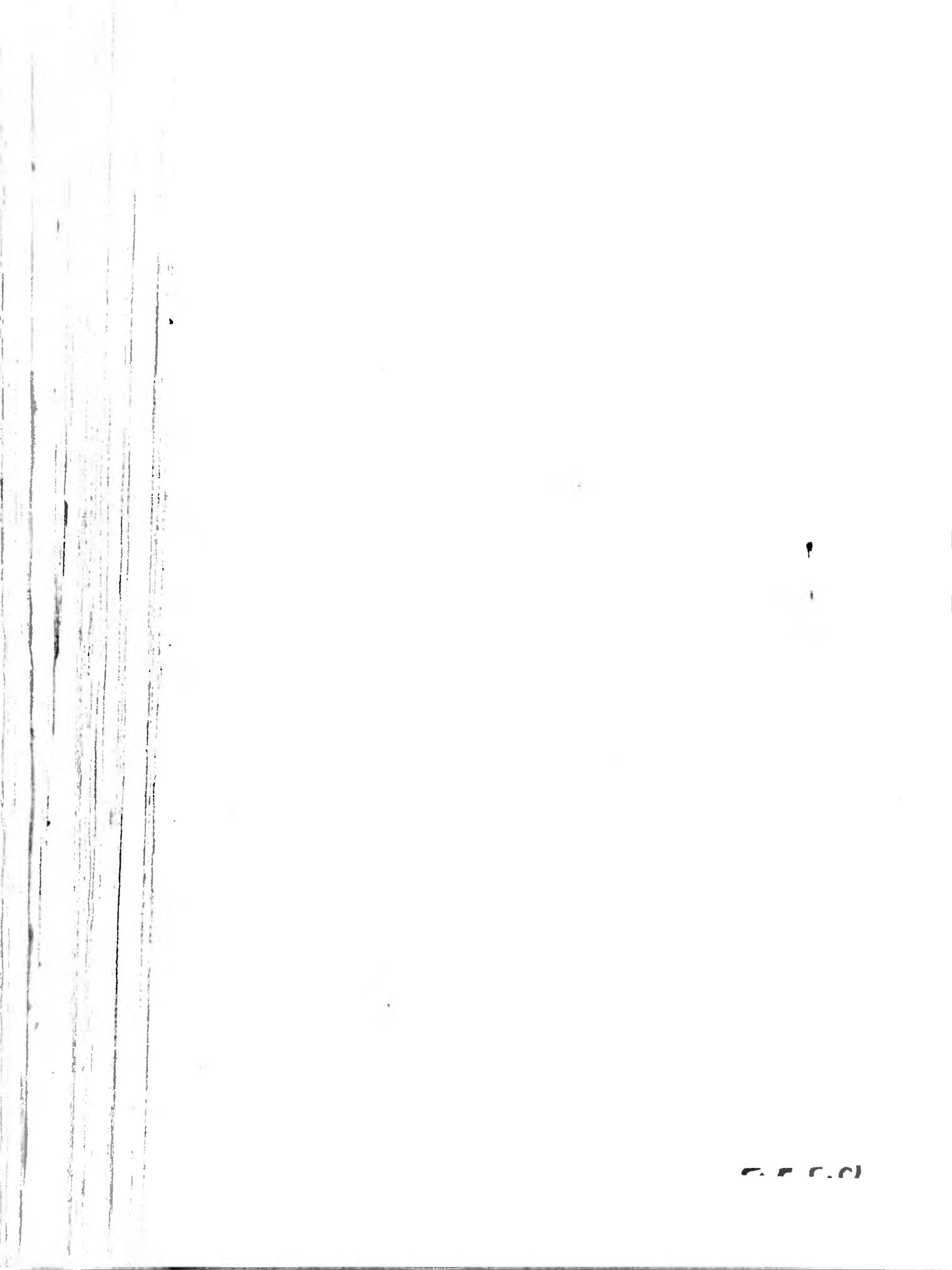
It is seriously felt that the Club will become an important factor in the life of Finchley and considerably add to the amenities of the whole neighbourhood, and enhance the value of the property in the whole District.

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**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

5th December, 1927.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Broadbent, England, H. O. Syrett and Wade, and Councillors Pateman and Wells (non-members).

1167 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1168 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1169 TOWN PLANNING.—

(1) Amalgamation of Schemes 1 and 2.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had raised the above question, and that on their suggestion an appointment had been arranged at the offices of the Ministry for the Chairman of the Committee, the Surveyor and himself to discuss the matter with an Official of the Town Planning Department of the Ministry.

(2) Scheme No. 2.—

(a) Essex Park Estate.—Letter was submitted from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett making application on behalf of Mr. Alfred Ibbetson, the freeholder, for the issue of an Interim Development Order in respect of the above estate, on the basis of his present development thereof for building purposes, *i.e.*, with a density of not more than twelve houses to the acre, and for private dwelling-houses only (with saving as to occupation for professional purposes);

RECOMMENDED that in pursuance of their powers under Article 3 of the Town Planning (General Interim Development) Order, 1922, the Council permit the development of the above estate and building operations to proceed thereon, pending approval of the scheme, in accordance with the development plan and schedule of conditions attached to the form of permission.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (b) Preservation of Historical Stone at Whetstone.—The Clerk reported that he had communicated with Mr. C. O. Banks as instructed at the last meeting of the Committee, and submitted a letter which he had received from him, expressing the opinion that the above stone was an old landmark, and as such should be protected under the Scheme;

RECOMMENDED that steps be taken to preserve the stone as suggested, and that the Clerk take the necessary action.

1170 GLEBE LAND.—

- (a) Site G. Contribution by Middlesex County Council towards cost of laying out.—Referring to paragraph 466 (1) (a) of the Committee's report of the 4th July, 1927, the Clerk submitted a further letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council stating that it was the intention of the County Council to contribute only towards the cost of **acquisition** of land as sports grounds; that in computing the net annual revenue derived from the use of the land in which the County Council would be entitled to share to the extent of 25 per cent., the intention of the County Council was that credit should be taken by this Council to the extent of any payments during the year in question of instalments of principal and interest on capital expenditure incurred in **laying out** the land. The Committee regarded the latter intimation with satisfaction, as it appeared to dispose of the Council's objection to the County Council's deriving benefit from capital expenditure towards which they had made no contribution.

(b) Committee's Expenditure.—

- (i) Sites G. and M.—The Surveyor reported that he estimated the cost of laying out Site G. (with the temporary use of Site M.) for sports purposes at £2,000; that this figure was intended to cover the sowing of grass and the laying of four football pitches and two cricket pitches, but that he had made no provision for the drainage of the land.

The Committee decided that having regard to the fact that the land had been under cultivation for

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,
5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 8TH DECEMBER, 1927 TO 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE	£191 0 0
EXTRA ITEMS:- Pavilion, Putting Green) and Glebe land entrance.)	375 0 0
	£ 2566 0 0
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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1884 0 6

Req. No.	Item No.			
<u>RECREATION GROUND.</u>				
779	1	Wages.	40 0 0	40 0 0
<u>CHERRY TREE WOOD.</u>				
780	17	Wages.	16 0 0	
781	18	Uniform.	2 0 0	
782	25 0	Fencing.	5 13 4	
783		12 doz. shrubs, including planting and maintenance.	18 0 0	41 13 4
<u>ARDEN PLAYING FIELDS.</u>				
784		New trees, Briarfield Avenue frontage.	20 0 0	
785	25 0	Trimming trees.	19 4	20 19 4
				£ 1986 13 2
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.
This is the list referred to in
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Open Spaces Committee's report of the
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1ST DECEMBER, 1927.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

so many years, it would be impracticable satisfactorily to drain it at the present time, and that the better course would be to postpone such work until the land had had sufficient time to settle.

- (ii) Sites A., B. and N.—The Surveyor reported that he estimated the cost of clearing the sites for use by the public at £200;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the above estimates be approved and that they be referred to the General Purposes Committee;
- (2) that the temporary merging of Site M. into Site G. and of Site N. into Site A. be approved, subject as regards Sites M. and N. to steps being taken to ensure that the public do not acquire rights thereover.

1171 METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD ACT, 1921.—The Clerk reported that arising from an interview which the Surveyor of the Council had recently had with the Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board in accordance with paragraph 466 (2) (b) of the Committee's Report of the 4th July, 1927, he had received from the latter a communication suggesting that the Board should be permitted to withdraw the Notices to Treat served upon the Council, when the Board would proceed to lay the new main in the track under the powers of the original Grant of Easement, paying compensation for surface damage and disturbance. It was pointed out that after the main was laid the same conditions would operate in the future so far as user of the surface by the Council was concerned as had operated in the past;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that so far as Cherry Tree Wood is concerned, the Board be permitted to withdraw the Notices to Treat served upon the Council on the 18th May, 1926, and to proceed to lay the new main as suggested, and that the Surveyor negotiate terms of compensation for disturbance, etc.;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to endeavour to secure that the contemplated work by the Board be carried out as far as possible during winter months;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (3) that so far as Cherry Tree Hill Allotments are concerned, the matter be referred to the Allotments Committee for consideration.

1172 OPEN SPACES.—

- (1) Brook Farm—Cricket Pitches.—The Surveyor reported that he had received the under-mentioned applications for the use of cricket pitches at Brook Farm during the 1928 season :—

Mr. H. J. Pooley (St. Mary's Boys' C.C.)	Pitch No. 1.
Mr. H. J. Pooley (St. Mary's Boys' C.C.)	Pitch No. 2.
Mr. H. Swain (St. John's Choir Boys' C.C.)	Pitch No. 5.
Mr. F. Meads (The Ridgeway C.C.)	Pitch No. 6.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the applications be granted on the same terms as heretofore ;
- (2) that the Surveyor be authorised to deal with any further applications which may be received.
- (2) Arden Playing Field—Finchley Cricket Club.—
- (i) The Clerk submitted a letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Finchley Cricket Club, and stated that after obtaining instructions from the Chairman of the Committee thereon, he had inserted in the draft Agreement herein a clause for the protection of the Club as regards the condition of the ground.
- (ii) Referring to paragraph 996 (2) of the Committee's last report, the Clerk reported that he had received a letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Cricket Club asking the Council to reconsider their decision that the Club should be liable for rates and taxes and other impositions, having regard to the representations contained in the communication ;

RECOMMENDED that as regards (i) the action taken be approved and that as regards (ii), the previous decision of the Council in the matter be re-affirmed.

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TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

1173 TEMPORARY BUILDINGS.—

- (a) Refreshment Stall, High Road, Whetstone—
 W. R. Collins.
 (b) Greengrocer's Store, corner of Fortis Green—
 S. H. Witts.
 (c) Refreshment Stall, Great North Road, opposite
 Squires Lane—A. T. Uffindell.
 (d) Refreshment Stall, corner of Great North Road
 and Summers Lane—A. Beadle.

It was reported that the licences in respect of the above-men-
 tioned temporary buildings would expire on the 1st January, 1928;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that such licences be renewed for the period ending
 1st April, 1928, and that the matter be then reviewed
 by this Committee;
 (b) that as regards (d) the Licensee be granted for the
 aforesaid period the tenancy of the site of the re-
 freshment stall at a rental at the rate of £13 per
 annum exclusive of all rates and taxes and other
 outgoings.

1174 RENEWAL OF TEMPORARY BUILDING LICENCES.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject as hereunder mentioned, licences for all
 plans included in the list submitted by the Surveyor
 be renewed for the respective periods mentioned
 therein and for such further period (if any) as the
 Council may subsequently approve;
 (2) that the licence in respect of plans numbered 147r
 and 166r be extended to cover the erection of a
 garage;
 (3) that the Surveyor report at the next meeting of this
 Committee on the case of plan No. 173r.

Annexed.

1175 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several
 Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective
 Instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

1176 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

RECOMMENDED—

Annexed . . . (a) that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6049B	Six new houses	Nos. 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, and 32, and amended drainage Nos. 18, and 20, Essex Park	Mr. A. Ibbetson.
✓ 6296	*New road and sewers	Fursby House Estate (to be known as West Avenue)	Mr. P. D. Walker.
✓ 6303A	Lean-to (Amended plan)	Rocklands, Talbot Avenue	Miss B. Hammond.
✓ 6307	Cycle shed	Rear of 123, Leslie Road	Mr. F. W. Allen.
✓ 6308	Conversion into two flats	6, The Hawthorns, Regents Park Rd.	Mr. E. Brasse.
✓ 6309	Alteration to garage doors	Rear of 5, Hendon Lane (in Bibsworth Road)	Mr. J. E. Harding.
✓ 6310	*New road and sewers	Hampstead Garden Suburb, off Hill Top (to be known as Midholm Close)	The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6311	†New garage and conversion of existing shed into garage	Rear of 1, The Broadway, High Road, Whetstone	Trustees of Moody's Whetstone Estate.
✓ 6312	Lean-to shed	25, Elmhurst Avenue	Mr. A. G. Simpson.

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TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE - 5TH MEETING, 1927.

The following applications have been received for the renewal of licences for temporary buildings, and I recommend that they be approved for the undermentioned periods:-

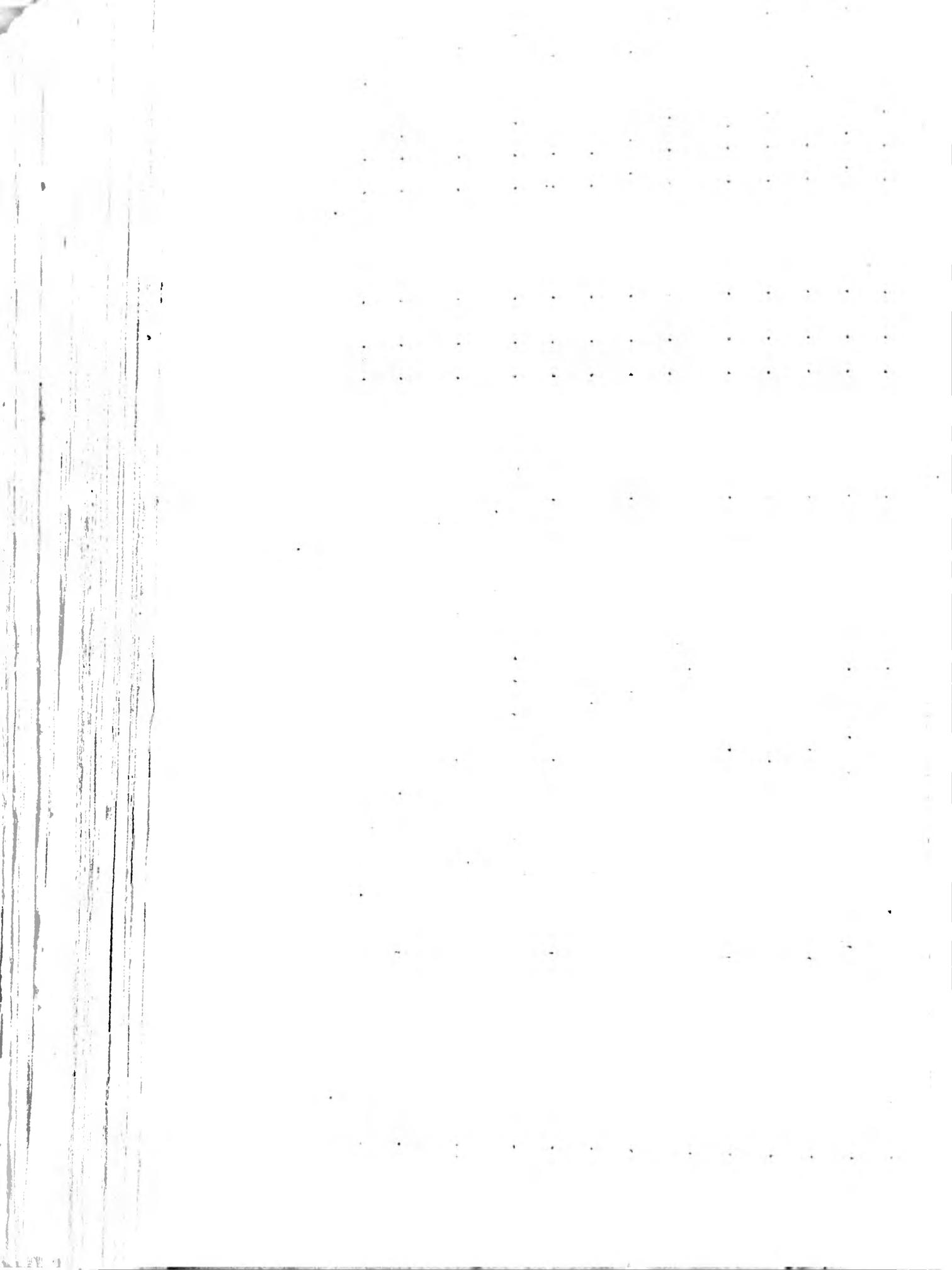
No. of plan.	where situate.	Nature of building.	licence to expire on.	Applicant.
119A.	27, Windsor Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A.H. Everitt.
147A. 166A.)	At rear of entrance, 2, Cromer Villas, East End Road.	Cycle and tool shed.	I will re- port at your meeting.	Mr. M.A. Lakey.
152A.	At rear of 9, Cornwell Parade.	Larder.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. F. Webb.
157A.	On right hand side of entrance to Friern venue laundry, Great North Road.	Van shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G. B. Cooke.
162A.	At side of "Hillbrook", 51, Village Road.	Store shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. C.A. Edwards.
168A.	At rear of 29, Cyprus Avenue.	Artist's studio.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. C.W. Layzell.
170A.	At rear of 5, Albert Terrace, Ballsbridge Lane.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. L.G. Hockley.
173A.	On land in Church Path, Whetstone.	Sports pavilion.	I will report at your meeting.	Mr. H. S. Hyde.



No. of plan.	Where situate.	Nature of building.	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
180F.	In grounds of No.1, Gainsborough Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. A. E. Wilkins.
186F.	At side of 18, The Hawthorns, R.P.K. Rd.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mrs. D. Gillespie.
191F.	At side of 1, Clarence Gardens.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A. Potts.
197F.	On land in Holly Park Gardens.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. T. G. Pickles.
200F.	At side of 9, Friern Park Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. F. A. Brocklebank.
205F.	At rear of "Claremont", Ballards Lane.	Motor shed and stores.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. A. E. Barrett.
213F.	At rear of "Kilve", Church Crescent.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Rev. J. Waring.
215F.	At rear of shops next Picturerome.	Store shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. J. Holloway (Jun)
228F.	Opposite 112, Elmhurst Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G. Herbert.
229F.	At rear of "Kewgardia", High Road, N.2.	Seed warehouse.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. W. A. Conway.
236F.	At rear of 3, Victoria Parade, Hendon Lane.	Cover over yard.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. J. Lockwood.
238F.	At side of 7, Village Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. S.H. Singers.
247F.	At side of 13, St. Mary's Avenue.	Garage and cycle shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. C. Crane.

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256F.	At rear of 3, Bibsworth Road.	Garage,	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A.L. Stephenson.
259F.	At rear of 55, High Road, N.12.	Workshop.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. P. Elliott.
265F.	At side of 36, Hervey Close.	Wash house and store.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. H. C. Williams.
267F.	At rear of "Shortland", Church Crescent.	Garage,	1. 1. 31.	Mr. H. V. Palmer.
273F.	At side of "Eastwood", Ballards Lane, N.12.	Store.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. T. F. Pannett.
274F.	At side of 30, St. Mary's Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. J.H. Curtis.
276F.) 276AF.)	At rear of houses, Dollis Avenue.	Tool shed & shelter.	1. 1. 33.	Mr. A.J. Bearle.
286F.	Mayfield Avenue at junction of Great North Road.	Office and stores.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. F.W. Walker.
306F.	At side of 11, Beechwood Avenue,	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G.A. Ross.
307F.	At rear of houses in Leopold Road.	3 lock-up garages.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A. Adams.
309F.	At side of Diamond Factory, Lines Estate.	Cycle shed.	1. 1. 30.	Messrs. Perame & Co.
314F.	At side of "Lynton", Ridgeview Road.	Motor cycle shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. W.J. Greenwood.
332F.	At rear of 67, Leicester Road.	Summer house.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G.W. Myers.

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353F.	At rear of "Brightwell", 18, Coleridge Road.	Cycle shed.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. W.J. Sheldrake.
409F.	At rear of "White Lion" Hotel, High Rd, N.2.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. J. Murrey.
412F.	At side of "Carlton", Church Crescent.	Shelter.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. C.J. Ashley.
491F.	On land in Nether Street.	Office.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. G. C. Mosses.
597F.	On land at side of premises, High Road, N.12.	Office.	1. 1. 29.	Carrimore Six-wheelers, L
629F.	At end of garden, 43, Sumacree Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mrs. Martin.
677F.	On land in Hatton Grove.	2 builder's sheds.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. W.A. Taylor.
681F.	At side of 58, Granville Road.	Garden shed.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. C. E. Chisman.
691F.	At side of 53, Clifton Road.	Motor cycle shed.	1. 1. 29.	Mrs. A. Chapple.
708F.	At side of "Motor House", High Road, N.2.	Show rooms.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. A. Adams.
754F.	In garden at side of "Bryn Derwen", Westbury Road.	Tool shed.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. H. Barrenger.
808F.	On land in Wentworth Avenue.	3 builders' sheds.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. Bainbird & Scarfe

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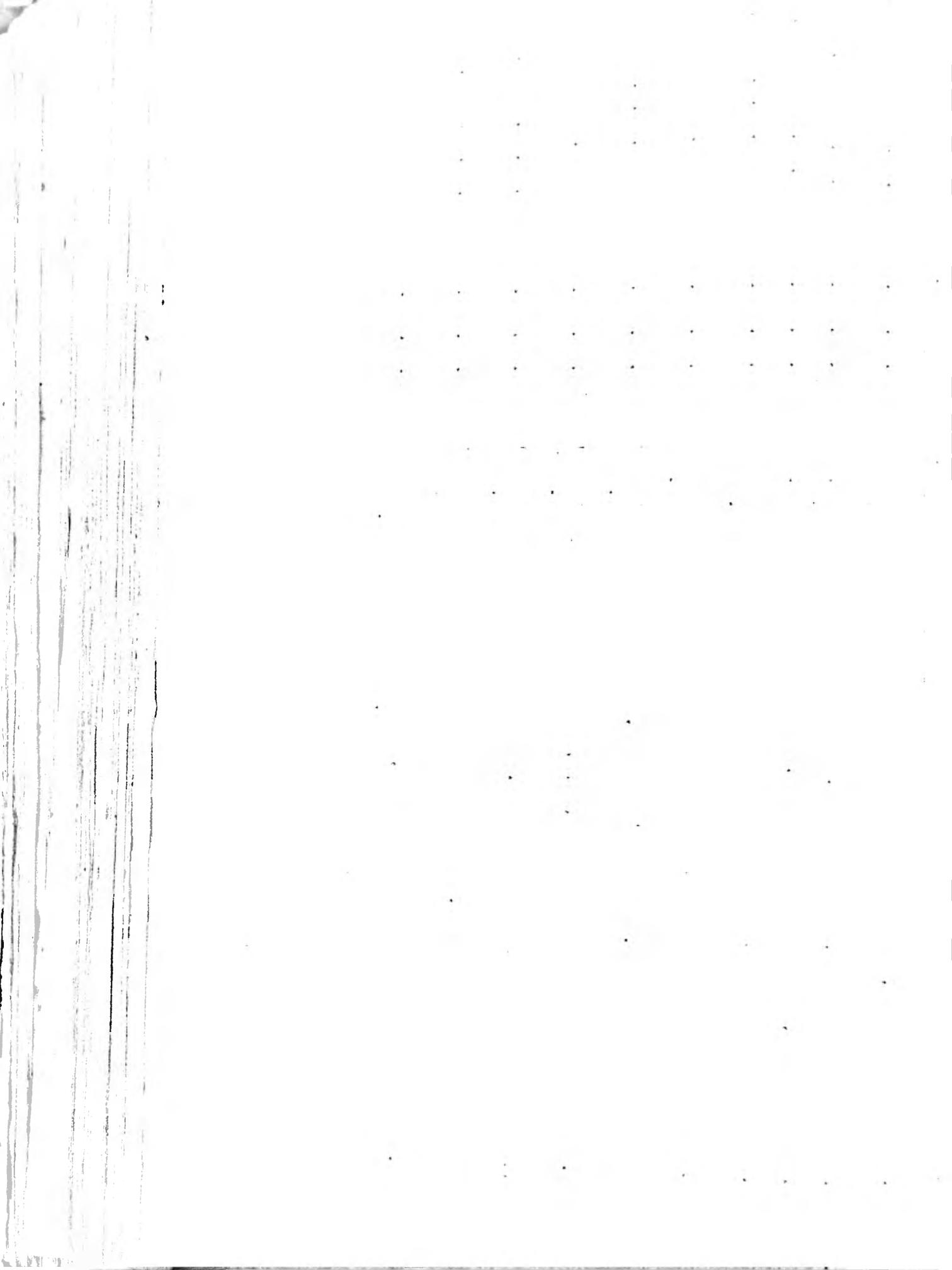
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821F.	Brook Farm, Whetstone.	Dressing room.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. C. Stonebridge.
827F.	At side of 39, Hervey Close.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. F. Pechal.
846F.	At 113, Etchingham Park Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mrs. K. Phillips.
851F.	Milton Avenue.	Builder's shed.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. C.F. Day Ltd.
854F.	Willow Lodge Estate.	Builder's office.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. Burdett & May.
857F.	On land in St. Margaret's Avenue.	2 builder's sheds.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. E.F. Peachey & Co
858F.	On land in Henson Avenue, N.3.	6 Builder's sheds.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. Aird & Baldwin .
860F.	On land in Broughton Avenue.	2 Builder's sheds.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. A. A. Park.
861F.	Broughton Avenue.	2 Builder's sheds.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. A. P. Key.
862F.	In front of Moss Hall Tavern, Ballards Lane.	Drinking Bar.	1. 1. 29.	The Wenlock Brewery Co.

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No. of plan.	where situate.	Nature of building.	licence to expire on.	Applicant.
2923.	At side of 11, Richmond Road, N.2.	Coal shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. F.R. Flint.
3197	Between West View and Albert Villas, High Road, N.12.	Office.	1. 1. 31.	Messrs. Turner & Payne.
3237	At rear of 24, Lyndhurst Gardens.	Coal and tool shed.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. S. Allenby.
3305.	At rear of 9, Park Parade, N.12.	Storage for hardware.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. C. F. Root.
3318.	At side of 43, Holden Road	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. F. E. Burnege.
3754	At rear of 1, Green Cottages, Kasper Road, N.20.	Coal store, etc.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. H. Dixon.
3564	Adjoining "Penrith House", Long Lane.	Workshop.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. H. G. Bannister.
3758	At rear of 17, Victoria Avenue.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. J. P. Robinson.
4296.	At rear of shop, 68, High Road, N.2.	Storage shed.	1. 1. 31.	Messrs. Williams Bros.
4314.	At side of 15, Cyprus Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G. Kelly.
4317.	At side of Holly Cottage, Hendon Lane.	Cycle shed.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. A. Wright.

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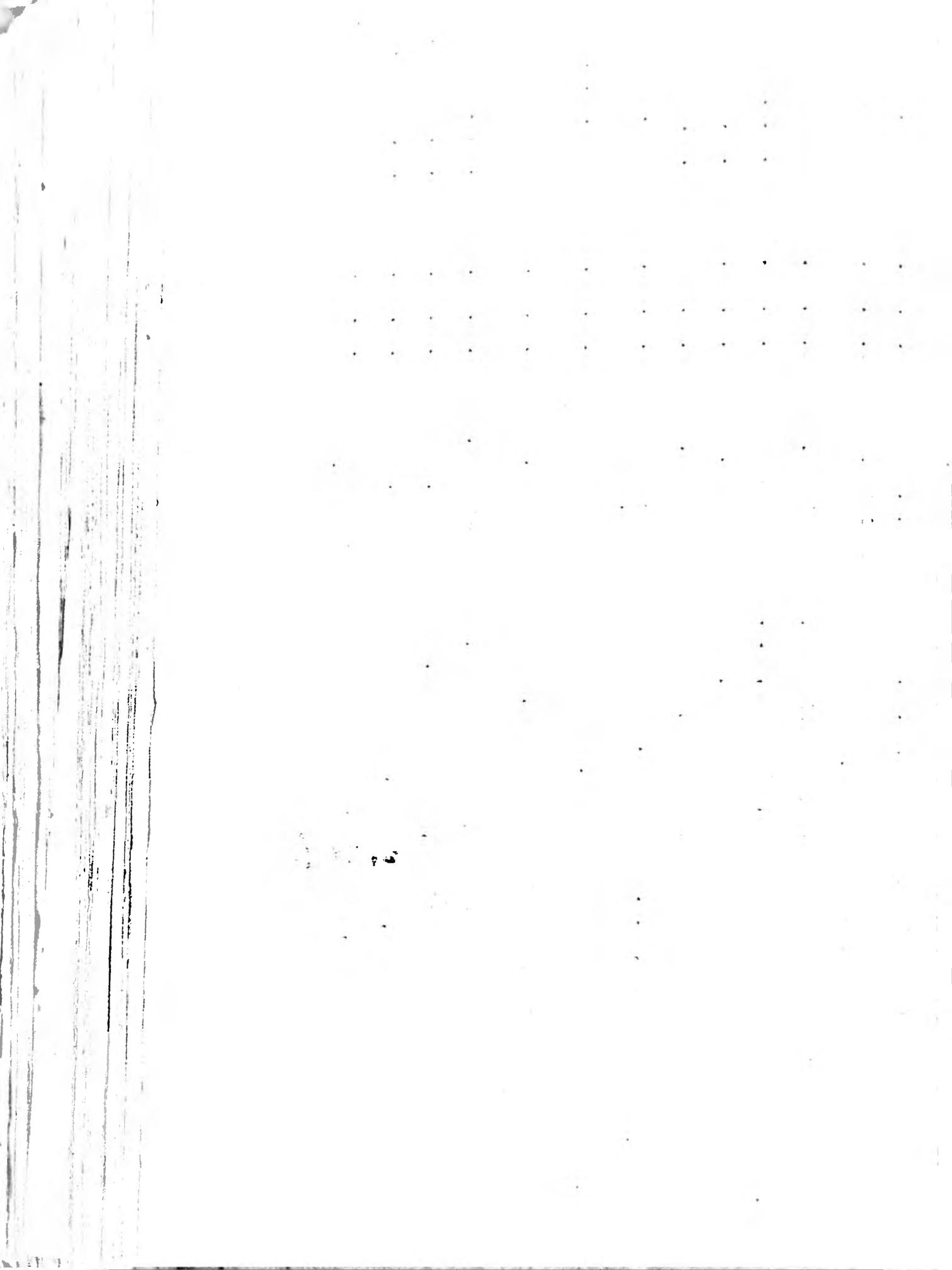
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No. of plan.	Where situate.	Nature of building.	License to expire on.	Applicant.
4329.	At Wright-Kingsford Home, Fallow Corner, N.12.	Children's home,	1. 1. 31.	Miss E. S. Kingsford.
4350	At rear of "Arrandale, Nether St, N.12.	Garden shed.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. H. J. Levander.
4363	Haynes Estate, 5, Lonsdale Cottages, High Road, N.2.	Workshop.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. H. Tyler.
4406	On Railway Co's land, Station Road, N.3.	Store.	1. 1. 31.	Messrs. P.A. Skinner & Co,
4485	At rear of Factory, Ballards Lane.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	The Kiwi Polish Co,
4527	At rear of Holmwood School, Woodside Park.	Classroom.	1. 1. 29.	Miss M. Patch.
4536	At side of 29, Torrington Park.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. P. Woodthorpe.
4540	Fallow Court Avenue at rear of works.	Van shelter.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. H. Warwick Judd.
4543	Regents Park Road on Limes Estate.	Catering & Entertaining	1. 1. 33.	Finchley Catering Co.,
4548	At side of premises, High Road, N.20.	Garage.	1. 1. 30.	A.I & Dollis Dairies Ltd.
4552	At rear of "The Homestead", Bow Lane.	Store shed & workshop.	1. 1. 30.	Mr. A. J. Murray.
4553	At side of 5, Cyprus Avenue, N.3.	Garage.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. F. C. Gray.



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4559	At rear of premises, High Road, N.20.	L.S.C.	1. 1. 29.	Messrs. Lawson & Son,
4563	At junction of East End Road and Cavendish Avenue.	Pavilion.	1. 1. 33.	Finchley Country Club,
4569	At side of Wesleyan Church, East Finchley.	Institute.	1. 1. 33.	Trustees Wesleyan Church
4575.	At rear of Edgell Cottage, High Road, N.2.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G.A. Pershouse.
4576	Fallow Court Avenue at rear of works.	Workshop.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. H. Warwick Judd.
4592	At rear of 15 Fallow Court Avenue.	Tool shed.	1. 1. 30	Mr. E. Williams.
4594	Station Road, N.3., north side.	Lock-up shop.	1. 1. 31.	Miss I. Greenwood.
4603.	East side of Manor Park Road.	Garage for motor lorries.	1. 1. 30.	Messrs. J.R. Freeman & C
4605) 2221)	South side of Etchingham Park Road.	Pavilion.	1. 1. 33.	Finchley Bowling Club.
4616.	At side of "Fallowside", Granville Road.	Motor shed.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. E.L. Deckura.
4628	At side of "Glenville", Fitzalan Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A. Leggett.
4631	At side of 106, Holden Road.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. A. Croker.
4645	East End Road, west side.	Sports pavilion.	1. 1. 33.	Aerated Bread Co.



No. of plan.	where situate.	Nature of building.	licence to expire on.	Applicant.
4688	At side of "Crofton", Westbury Road, N.12.	Garage.	1. 1. 31.	Mr. G. H. Mirane.
4713	At side of "Weldona", The Avenue.	Coal and cycle shed.	1.1. 31.	Mr. J. L. Franklyn.
4715	In front of permanent shop, High Road, N.2.	Garage for motor cycles.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. A. Adams.
4803	Winnington Road, Hampstead Lane.	Kitchen and scullery enlargement.	1. 1. 31.	Hampstead Golf Club.
4813.	At rear of Douchier House.	Scouts' clubroom.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. F. Fouracre.
4846.	On land at gun station.	Pavilion.	1. 1. 29.	Mr. P.H. Sparrow.

RECEIVED T. HIRISON.
 Engineer and Surveyor.

This (together with the eight preceding pages) is the list referred to in paragraph 1174 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 5th December 1927.

J. S. Smith
 Chairman.

26th NOVEMBER, 1927.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 12 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	10
GARAGES	4
MISCELLANEOUS	7

- 6049B.
29.11.27. 6 new houses.
Nos. 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32, and amended drainage
Nos. 18 and 20, Essex Park.
Mr. A. Ibbetson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6303A.
11.11.27. Lean-to. (Amended plan.)
Rocklands, Talbot Avenue.
Miss B. Hammond.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last
meeting is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6307
17.11.27. Cycle shed.
Rear of 123, Leslie Road.
Mr. F. W. Allen.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6308.
12. 11. 27. Conversion into 2 flats.
6, The Hawthorns, Regents Park Road.
Mr. E. Brasse.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6309.
12.11.27. Alteration to garage doors.
Rear of 5, Hendon Lane. (In Bibsworth Road.)
Mr. J. E. Harding.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6312.
22.11.27. Lean-to.
25, Elmhurst Avenue.
Mr. A. G. Simpson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6313.
22.11.27. Greenhouse and potting shed.
Rear of Hamilton Way.
Messrs. T. Webb & Co.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6314.
20.11.27. Garage.
11, St. Margaret's Avenue.
Mr. T. P. Edwards.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- ✓ 6316.
26.11.27, Garage.
"Waveney", Hendon Avenue.
Mr. L. Ramsden.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6318. ✓
28.11.27.

Garage.
Side of "Zaplon", Dollis Avenue.
Mr. R. Crepin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6319. ✓
29.11.27.

4 houses.
Leopold Road.
The density figure for this estate was agreed at 15 to the acre on the last occasion when the plan was considered and I understand this figure will still be observed for the whole estate. I have asked for a development plan to be submitted, meanwhile these plans MAY BE APPROVED, as they are in accordance with the byelaws.

6321. ✓
29.11.27.

Garage.
Rear of 51, Church Lane,
Mr. E. H. HOLROY.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

30TH NOVEMBER, 1927.



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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT

Since my last report 10 sets of plans have been received representing:-

NEW ROADS AND SEWERS.	2.
GARAGES.	4.
MISCELLANEOUS.	3.
HOUSES.	6.

6296.
30.11.27.

New road and sewers.
Fursby House Estate,
Mr. P. D. Walker.

This plan, which was disapproved at the last meeting of the Council, has been amended, so that there is a building line of 10'0" on either side of the proposed new road (to be called "West Avenue") at its junction with Nether Street. This is in accordance with the expressed desire of your Committee and I recommend the plan for approval.

6310. ✓
12. 11. 27.

New road and sewers.
Hampstead Garden Suburb, off Hill Top. (To be known as "Midholm Close.")

The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
This plan is in conformity with Town Planning Scheme No.1. and MAY BE APPROVED, but it should be pointed out that such approval does not apply to the construction, which is not such as the Council could accept.

6311. ✓
5.12.27.

New garage and conversion of existing shed into garage.

Rear of 1, The Broadway, High Road, Whetstone.
Trustees of Moody's Whetstone Estate.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

6315. ✓
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Garage.
Rear of 60, Summerlee Avenue.

Mr. M.J.K. Scutter.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

6317. ✓
3.12.27.

Room in roof,
9, Market Parade. Great North Road, Finchley, N.12.

Mr. D. A. Thomson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6320. ✓
28.11.27.

6 houses.
Nether Street, adjoining Elm Grange.

Mr. W. T. Haward.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.



- 6323.
23.11.27. Repair shop and store. (Already erected.)
Rear of A.L.& Dollis Dairies, High Road, Whetstone.
The A.L.& Dollis Dairies, Ltd.
This plan is not in accordance with the byelaws and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED, unless it is decided to treat it as a temporary building. I will submit at your meeting correspondence with reference to the matter.

- 6324.
2. 12.27. Garage,
5, Hillcourt Avenue.
Mr. H. E. Salmon.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6325.
2. 12.27. Garage.
15, St. Margaret's Avenue.
Mr. C. F. Griffiths.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6327.
5. 12.27. Extension to shed.
Market Place, East Finchley.
Mr. A. E. Pickett.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 1176 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 5th December 1927.

C. F. Griffiths
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6313	Greenhouse and potting shed	Rear of Hamilton Way	Messrs. T. Webb and Co.
✓ 6314	Garage	11, St. Margaret's Avenue	Mr. T. P. Edwards.
✓ 6316	Garage	Waveney, Hendon Avenue	Mr. L. Ramsden.
✓ 6317	Room in roof	9, Market Parade, Great North Road, N. 12.	Mr. D. A. Thomson.
✓ 6318	Garage	Side of Zapion, Dollis Avenue	Mr. R. Crepin.
✓ 6319	Four houses	Leopold Road, N. 2.	Mr. W. A. Taylor.
✓ 6320	† Six houses	Nether Street, adjoining Elm Grange	Mr. W. T. Haward.
✓ 6321	Garage	Rear of 51, Church Lane	Mr. E. H. Holsey.
✓ 6324	Garage	5, Hillcourt Avenue	Mr. H. E. Salmon.
✓ 6325	Garage	15, St. Margaret's Avenue	Mr. C. F. Griffiths.
✓ 6326	Garage and alterations	139, Holden Road	Mr. S. J. Pocock.

† Referred to Highways Committee.

* Referred to Public Health and Highways Committees.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
6315	Garage	Rear of 60, Summerlee Avenue	Mr. M. J. K. Soutter.
6323	Repair shop and store (already erected)	Rear of A1 and Dollis Dairies, High Road, Whetstone	The A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd.
6327	Extension to shed	Market Place, N. 2.	Mr. A. E. Pickett.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

6th December, 1927.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

1177 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1178 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

1179 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the four weeks ended 26th November, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

1180 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising therout:—

Annexed

- (a) Housing Act, 1925—Closing Order—Ivy Cottage, Red Lion Hill, N. 2.—The Inspector reported that the works specified in the Council's notice had been carried out by the owner;

RECOMMENDED that the Council being satisfied that the above dwelling-house has been rendered fit for human habitation, the Closing Order made on the 25th October, 1926, in respect thereof be determined.

- (b) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—The Inspector reported upon a sample of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.

- (c) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923—Licences.—The Inspector reported that applications had been received from each of the under-mentioned dealers for licences under the above Order as follows:—

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

(1)

Special Designation.	Name of Dealer.	Shop or premises from which milk will be sold.	Licence Fee.		
			£	s.	d.
"Certified"	A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd.	5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N. 3.		5	0
do.	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	98, High Street, North Finchley		5	0
do.	do.	1, Victoria Parade, Hendon Lane, N. 3.		5	0
do.	do.	39, High Road, East Finchley		5	0
do.	do.	134, High Road, East Finchley		5	0
do.	do.	Burton Cottage, Ballards Lane		5	0
"Grade A (Tuberculin Tested)"	Express Dairy Co., Ltd.	College Farm, Finchley, N. 3.		5	0
"Grade A"	A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd.	42, High Street, North Finchley		5	0
do.	do.	5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N. 3.		5	0
do.	Joseph Herbert Collins	4, The Broadway, Finchley, N. 3.		5	0

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH. DECEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITIONS - 27TH. DECEMBER, 1927, TO 3RD. JANUARY, 1928.

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(continued).

cence Fee.

s. d.
5 0

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost.			Amt. of Est.			Amt. of Req. already passed.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>										
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>										
58.	4 shoes for marc.	10.	0.							
59.	Repairs to mare's stable cloth.	4.	0.							
60.	1 1/2 ton oats.	5.	10.	0.	52.	22.	1.	6.		
61.	1/2 load hay.	2.	10.	0.						
62.	2 cwt. bran.		4.	6.						
63.	2 gallons methylated spirits.	11.	0.		60.	50.	19.	9.		
64.	1/2 gross matches.		4.	6.						
		9.	15.	0.						

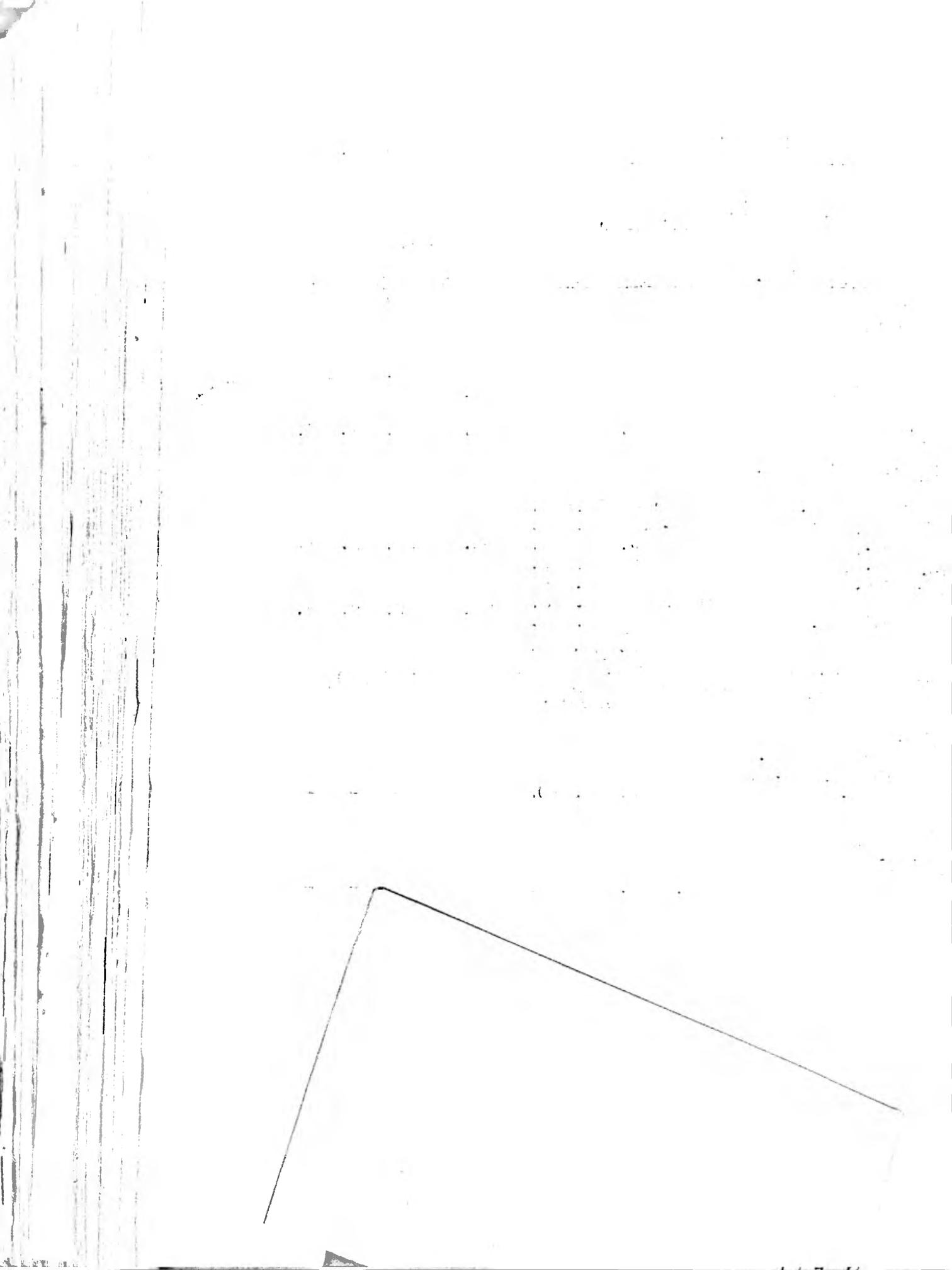
THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

General.

55.	3 dozen tubes diphtheria antitoxin.	5.	0.	10.	15.	-	-	-
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HOSPITAL SERVICES.

56.	Grant to Isolation Hospital. (Children's Fund.)	5.	5.	0.	6.	-	-	-
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927 TO 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE 9378 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 6134 8 3

Req. No.	Item No.				
786	2	Refuse removal - December.	483	16	8
787	3	FLUSHING - team labour.	30	0	0
788	5	Do. - wages.	30	0	0
789	6	TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS - wages.	32	0	0
	10	<u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>			
790		Wages.	52	0	0
791		130 gals. petroleum.	4	17	6
792		1 ton anthracite.	3	9	0
	13	<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>			
793		Wages.	80	0	0
			716 3 2		
			£ 6850 11 5		

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST DECEMBER, 1927.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 8TH DECEMBER, 1927 TO 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE 5444 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 3673 14 7

Req. No.	Item No.			
794	1	Wages - sewage disposal.	295	0 0
795	2	do. - refuse disposal.	180	0 0
796	4	Horse hire.	5	0 0
797	8 0	Repairs, Upper Cottage.	1	16 10
798	13	Salaries - December.	34	14 2
799	15	40 gals. lubricating oil.	7	10 0

			524 1 0	

			£ 4197 15 7	
			=====	

MORTUARY.

600	Redress lead on skylights) and make watertight.)	- 8 5 =====
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST DECEMBER, 1927.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927 TO 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE	1524 0 0
EXTRA ITEM:- Fencing repair.	30 0 0
	<u>1554 0 0</u>
	=====

"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.			1332 15 8
Req. No.	Item No.		
801	1	Wages.	15 0 0
802		Repairs to fence.	20 0 0
			<u>45 0 0</u>
			=====
			1377 0 0
			=====

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST DECEMBER, 1927.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists referred to in paragraph 1178 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th December 1927.

Percival T. Harrison
Chairman.



FINCHLEY LOCAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6th DECEMBER, 1927.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the four weeks ended the 25th Nov. 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the Public Health Committee.

Public Health Dept., 5, The Pavilions, Finchley, N.3.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen, I beg to report as follows:-

2nd. December, 1927.

	Population census 1921-46,716			1927.	1926.
	Wards.				
	N.	E.	W.		
1. DEATHS.					
Number	9	7	4	20	27
Infants under one year.....	1	-	-	1	2
Infectious Disease.....	-	-	-	-	1
2. BIRTHS.					
Number notified under the Notification of Births Act	13	16	19	48	42
3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.					
Number of cases notified.....	9	7	4	19	28
Scarlet Fever.....	5	1	2	6	12
Diphtheria.....	1	3	2	6	6
Erysipelas.....	-	2	-	2	-
Encephalitis Lethargica...	1	-	-	1	6
Influenzal Pneumonia	-	-	-	-	2
Pneumonia (Other forms)...	1	1	-	2	3
Puerperal Pyrexia.....	-	-	-	-	3
4. TUBERCULOSIS.					
Pulmonary cases;.....	-	2	2	4	1
Non-pulmonary cases.....	-	-	-	-	-
5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.					
Number in hospital on the 4th. November.....				17	17
Number admitted				13	21
Number discharged				11	12
Number of deaths				-	-
Number in hospital on the 2nd. December.....				24	26

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemon,

This is the report of the Medical Officer referred to in paragraph 1179 of the Public Health Committee's Report of the 6th December 1927.

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

Handwritten signature of the Chairman.

Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.3.

2nd December, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) FIELD OFF EAST END ROAD, ADJOINING SOUTH EAST SIDE
OF ST. MARLBORNE CHURCH.

(a) Piggery.

(b) Workshop.

(a) A large piggery has been established in the above field by Mr. C. Dawes of 42, Hamilton Road, N.2. The piggery is in an insanitary condition and in such a state as to be a nuisance.

I am in communication with Mr. Dawes and I have requested him to (1) discontinue keeping pigs at these premises, or (2) carry out the works required to comply with the byelaws and to abate the nuisance.

(b) A wooden shed near the before-mentioned piggery is let by Mr. Dawes to Mr. J. Kennedy of 64, Hamilton Road. The shed is used as a workshop in which hair shampoo is prepared and bottled for sale. As the shed is not fit for occupation as a workshop I have written to Mr. Kennedy and he has informed me that he is doing his utmost to find other and more suitable accommodation.

(2) DETERMINATION OF CLOSING ORDER.

Ivy Cottage, Red Lion Hill, N.2.

The owner of the above dwelling-house has carried out most of the work mentioned in the schedule supplied to him and I hope to be able to report at your meeting that the outstanding items have been satisfactorily dealt with.

(3) UNDERTAKERS' PREMISES - Reception of bodies awaiting burial.

WORKSHOPS & BAKEHOUSES - Inspection of Council's Register by H.M. Inspector of Factories.

ST. MARY'S AVENUE, N.3.
(Portion not made up) - Depositing of refuse on roadway.

I shall report orally upon the above matters at the meeting of your Committee.

(4) MILK & DAIRIES ORDER, 1926 (Sec.7)
Park Farm, East End Road, N.2.

Mr. T. A. Vivers, the occupier of the above premises has commenced to use a building as a cowshed which had not previously been used for that purpose. He has not given one month's notice in writing to the sanitary authority of his intention so to do, as required by section 7 of the above Order.

(5) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1926.

The following sample of designated milk has been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

Date. 24th November, 1927.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified Milk taken from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., 39, High Road, East Finchley, N.2.

Bacteriologists Report.

This milk passes the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(6) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1926 - LICENCES.

Applications have been received from the undermentioned dealers for licences under the above Order as follows:-

Special Designation.	Name of Dealer.	Shop or premises for which milk will be sold.	Licence Fee.		
			£.	s.	d.
"Certified"	A.1 & Dollis Dairies, Ltd.	5, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane, N.2.	5.	0	
"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	93, High Street, North Finchley.	5.	0	
"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	1, Victoria Parade, Hendon Lane, N.3.	5.	0	
"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	39, High Road, East Finchley.	5.	0	
"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	139, High Road, East Finchley.	5.	0	
"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	Burton College, Ballards Lane.	5.	0	
"Grade A (Tuberculin Tested)"	Express Dairy Co. Ltd.	College Farm, Finchley, N.3.	5.	0	
"Grade A"	A.1 & Dollis Dairies, Ltd.	42, High Street, North Finchley.	5.	0	

Special Designation.	Name of Dealer.	Date of Licence for carrying on.	Licensee Fee.
"Grade A"	A.1 & Dohlig Dairies, Ltd.	5, Garswell Parade, St. Leonard's Lane, N.3.	5. 0
"	Joseph Herbert Collins.	4, The Broadway, Finchley, N.3.	5. 0

These applications may be granted subject to the licences of the producers being in order.

(5)

Special Designation.	Name of Dealer.	Premises where process of pasteurising is carried on.	Licensee Fee
"Pasteurised"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	39, High Road, East Finchley.	1. 1. 0
"	Express Dairy Co. Ltd.	College Farm, N.3.	1. 1. 0

These applications may be granted.

(7) SLAUGHTERING ON UNLICENSED PREMISES.
FAILURE TO GIVE NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SLAUGHTER.

At about 9 p.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd November, 1927, I visited the premises adjoining No. 9, Sumners Row, N.13. in the occupation of Mr. Walter Fairchild. In a shed in an enclosed yard I found the carcase and offal of a pig which had been slaughtered at these premises earlier the same night by a man employed by Mr. Fairchild.

I shall report orally upon this matter at the meeting of your Committee.

(8) APPLICATIONS FOR USE AND OCCUPATION OF SLAUGHTERHOUSES.

Applications for licences for the use and occupation of existing slaughterhouses have been received from the undermentioned traders, namely:-

Name of Applicant.	Situation of Slaughterhouse.	Date of expiration of present licence
Robert Henry Friday.	High Road, Hendstone, 5th, 1/2 m. north of Tottenham Lane.	31st December, 1927.
Frances Lane.	10, High Street, North Finchley.	"



Name of Applicant.	Situation of Slaughterhouse.	Date of expiration of present licence.
Thomas Henry Lee.	66, High Street North Finchley.	31st December, 1911
William Richard Mudd.	58, Market Place, East Finchley.	"
S. Fulham & Sons, Ltd.	High Road, East Finchley, immediately south of Wellington House.	"
S. Fulham & Sons, Ltd.	3, The Broadway, N.3.	"
John Edward Sample.	7, Albert Terrace, Ballards Lane, N.3.	"
Thomas Anderson Vivers.	Park Farm, East End Road, East Finchley.	"

(9) UN SOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

7 Heads & Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
5 Sets of Lungs.	"
1 Liver.	"
3 Mesenteries.	"
3 Skirts.	"
10 Livers.	(Other Diseases)

Swine.

3 Carcasses & Offals.	(Tuberculosis)
62 Heads.	"
16 Plucks.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	"
3 Livers.	"
42 Mesenteries.	"
7 Spleens.	"
1 Carcase & Offal.	(Other diseases)
63 Sets of Lungs.	"
62 Livers.	"
5 Spleens.	"
5 Hearts.	"
7 Omentums.	"

Sheep.

1 Set of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
9 Livers.	"
2 Spleens.	"

(10) PETROLEUM ACTS 1921 to 1926.
APPLICANTS FOR LICENCES.

(a) Applications for licences to keep petroleum spirit have been received from the undermentioned dealers and/or consumers. These premises have been previously licensed.

APPLICANT.	ADDRESS WHERE PETROLEUM SPIRIT IS TO BE KEPT.	QUANTITY OF PETROLEUM SPIRIT TO BE KEPT.
Direct Supply Aerated Water Co. Ltd.	Aerated Water Factory Crundisem Road, N.3.	1500 gallons in bulk. Fee for 6 mths. 10/-
Samuel Thomas Birkin.	North Finchley Garage Avenue Road, N.12.	1500 gallons in bulk. Fee for 6 mths. 10/-
Simms Motor Units, Ltd.	The Grange Works, Oak Lane, N.2.	200 gallons in bulk. Fee for 6 mths. 5/-

(b) Cecil Alfred Armstrong, Harwood Garage, (Opposite Churchfield Avenue) Great North Road, N.12.

50 gallons in two gallon tins. (Licence fee 5/-)

The applicant desires to keep 50 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins placed in a metal receptacle in the open space on the south side of the premises.

- This application may be granted subject to
- (1) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of your petroleum inspector.
 - (2) the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant.

J. J. HOSKETT.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1180 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th December 1927.

J. J. Hoskett
Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

(2)

Special Designation.	Name of Dealer.	Premises where process of pasteurising is carried on.	Licence Fee.
"Pasteurised"	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd.	39, High Road, East Finchley	£ s. d. 1 1 0
do.	Express Dairy Co., Ltd.	College Farm, N. 3.	1 1 0

RECOMMENDED that the applications be granted, subject, as regards those set out in (1) above, to the licences of the producers being in order.

(d) Slaughterhouse Licences.—

RECOMMENDED that Licences be granted for the twelve months ending 31st December, 1928, to the under-mentioned applicants for use and occupation of slaughterhouses at the premises set opposite to their respective names in the schedule hereunder printed, namely :—

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Name of Applicant.	Situation of Slaughterhouse.	Date of expiration of present licence.
Robert Henry Friday	High Road, Whetstone, fifth shop north of Totteridge Lane	31st December, 1927.
Frances Lane	10, High Street, North Finchley	ditto
Thomas Henry Lee	66, High Street, North Finchley	ditto
William Richard Mudd	33, Market Place, East Finchley	ditto
S. Pulham & Sons, Ltd.	High Road, East Finchley, immediately south of Wellington House	ditto
S. Pulham & Sons, Ltd.	3, The Broadway, N. 3.	ditto
John Edward Semple	7, Albert Terrace, Ballards Lane, N. 3.	ditto
Thomas Anderson Vivers	Park Farm, East End Road, East Finchley	ditto

(e) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

(f) Petroleum Acts, 1871/1926.—

The Inspector reported that applications for licences to keep petroleum spirit had been received from the under-mentioned dealers, and/or consumers, and that the premises had been previously licensed :—

PH (continued).

Date of expiration
of present licence.

31st December, 1927.

ditto

ditto

ditto

ditto

ditto

ditto

ditto

Detailed details of
destroyed sinceApplications for licences
received from the
consumers, and
licenced:—

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

Applicant.	Address where Petroleum Spirit is to be kept.	Quantity of Petroleum Spirit to be kept.
Direct Supply Aerated Water Co., Ltd.	Aerated Water Factory, Gruneisen Road, N. 3.	1,500 gallons in bulk
Samuel Thomas Birkin	North Finchley Garage, Avenue Road, N. 12.	1,500 gallons in bulk
Simms Motor Units, Ltd.	The Grange Works, Oak Lane, N. 2.	200 gallons in bulk

RECOMMENDED that Licences be granted to the above-mentioned applicants to store such quantities of petroleum spirit as are respectively set opposite to their names for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject (a) to the conditions annexed to the Council's Licences respectively being strictly observed and (b) to a *pro rata* fee being charged in each case in accordance with Minute No. 1004 (f) (2).

- (2) Cecil Alfred Armstrong, Harwood Garage (opposite Churchfield Avenue), Great North Road, N. 12.—The Inspector reported that the above applicant desired to keep 50 gallons of petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins, placed in a metal receptacle in the open space on the south side of the above premises;

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject to:—

- (1) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of the Petroleum Inspector;
- (2) the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

- (g) Staff—Public Health Department—Senior Assistant Sanitary Inspector.—It was reported that Mr. C. W. Newbery had recently been appointed to the position of

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

Sanitary Inspector to the Sutton Urban District Council, and that so soon as the necessary formalities had been complied with it was his intention to resign his appointment under this Council. Instructions were therefore given to the Clerk to issue advertisements inviting applications for the appointment of an Assistant Sanitary Inspector, at a salary of £275 per annum (no bonus);

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken be approved, and that the matter be reported to the General Purposes Committee;
- (2) that this Committee be authorised to make the necessary appointment subject to report;
- (3) that a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Committee be appointed for the purpose of considering the applications, and selecting candidates for interview;
- (4) that a special meeting of the Committee be held on Wednesday, 4th January, 1928, at 8 p.m., to interview selected candidates, and to make the necessary appointment, subject to report;
- (5) that a testimonial under seal be granted to Mr. Newbery, and that an expression of appreciation of the services rendered by him be recorded on the Minutes.

1181 BAKEHOUSE—35, CHURCH LANE, N. 2.—Referring to paragraph 847 of the Committee's report, dated 4th October, 1927, the Clerk reported that he had written the Home Office in regard to the matter, and had received a reply to the effect that the contents of his letter had been communicated to the Superintending Inspector of Factories, who had been asked to arrange for an Inspector to visit the Council's Offices for the purpose of inspecting the Registers, as suggested. Arising thereout, the Inspector reported that the inspection in question had been duly made.

1182 PUBLIC HEALTH (SMOKE ABATEMENT) ACT, 1926.—A communication was submitted from the Secretary of the Coal Smoke Abatement Society, forwarding copy of a report of the pro-

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

ceedings at the Conference for London and Greater London, held on the 3rd November, 1927.

1183 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate.
- (b) No. 6310—New Road and Sewers—Hampstead Garden Suburb.—

RECOMMENDED that the above plans be approved, so far as this Committee is concerned.

1184 NURSING HOMES (REGISTRATION) BILL.—The Clerk reported that this matter had recently been before the Urban District Councils' Association, and that a communication had been received, stating that the Bill might be taken in the House on the evening of Thursday, 1st December, 1927; that as the matter was a very important one to Urban District Councils he had communicated with Major The Hon. E. Cadogan, C.B., M.P., the local Member of Parliament, asking him to oppose any amendment to the Bill which might have the effect of taking away from the Boroughs and Urban District Councils the powers of inspection given to them by the Bill. The Clerk also submitted the reply received from Major Cadogan to the effect that the matter would have his careful consideration when the Bill was before the House;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Clerk be approved.

1185 COMPLAINT—LAND BOTTOM OF ST. MARY'S AVENUE.—A communication, dated 2nd December, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health, asking for the observations of the Council upon a letter received by them from Mr. W. O. Mayhew (copy of which was enclosed);

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a communication be addressed to the owner of the land in question, asking him to take such steps as may be possible to prevent the dumping of rubbish, etc., on the land;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

(b) that the Clerk be instructed to forward an appropriate reply to the Ministry.

Annexed.

1186 PUBLIC BATHS.—Statement showing the number of bathers and receipts for the four weeks ended 27th November, 1927, was submitted.

1187 REFUSE DESTROYER.—The Surveyor reported that since last meeting the Destroyer had been gradually assuming full working conditions, and the Clerk intimated that the sanction of the Ministry of Health had now been received to the major portion of the loan required for the completion of the Scheme.

1188 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—It was reported that J. Lawrence was due to retire (by extension) on the 31st December, 1927, but that he had requested to be allowed to remain in the Council's service until 31st December, 1928. The Committee decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee accordingly.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1189 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHERS

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 27TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

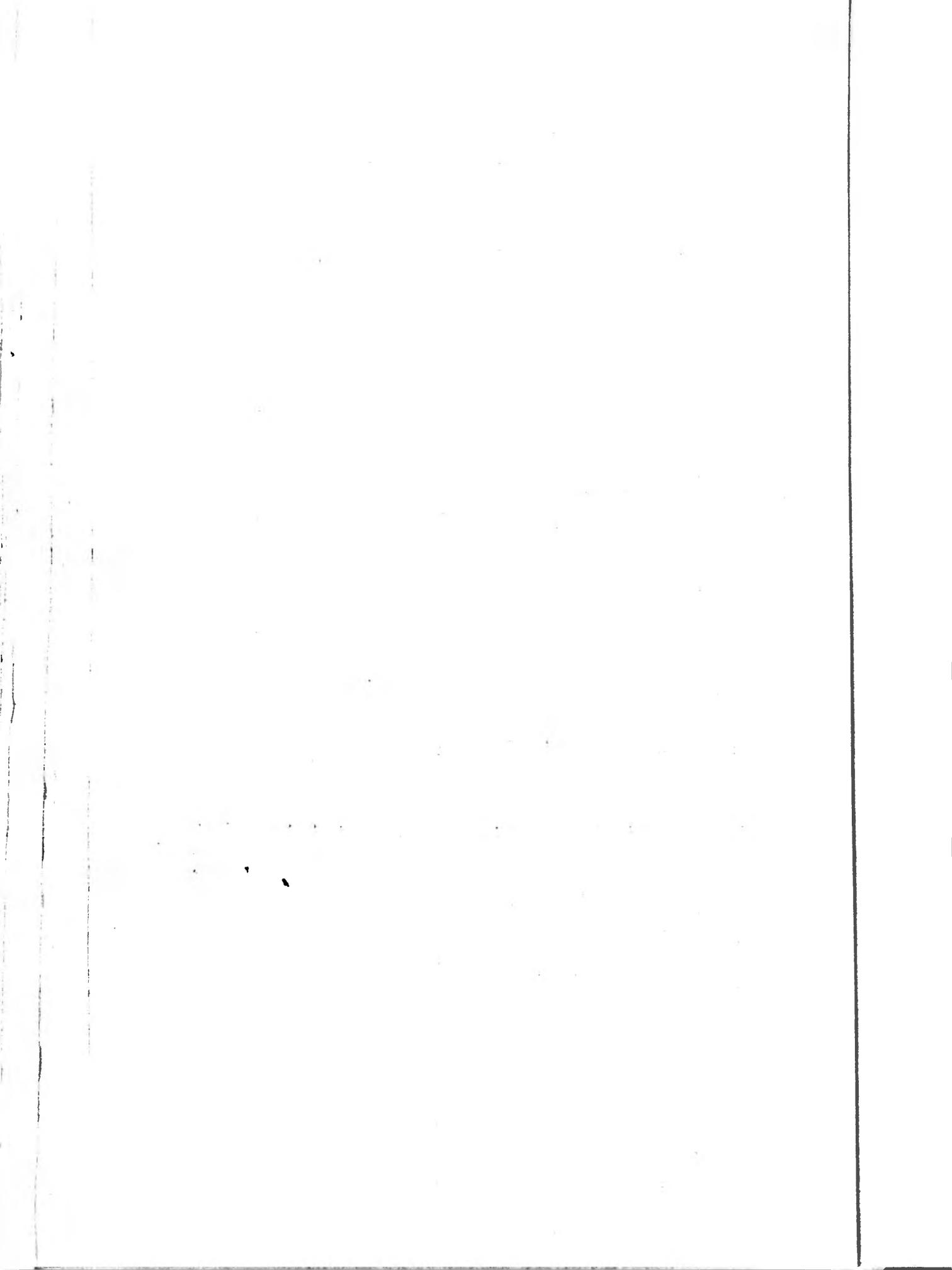
Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Bathers.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Crspdg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. in Receipts.				
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.				£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.			
BRT FWD. 10434	6097	5253	2279	1736	24532	50331	468	18	-	957	10	11	1029	11	2	52	1	5	124	1				
Nov. 6		100	52			152	-	2	6	3	1	-	2	17	-	-	4	-	-	-				
" 13		77	37			114	2	12	8	4	15	-	2	15	11	1	19	1	-	-				
" 20		95	45			140	-	5	-	3	5	-	3	1	8	-	3	4	-	-				
" 27		73	34			107	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	14	2	-	-	-	-	13				
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																			54	7	10			
																			NETT DECREASE.		£	70	6	10

23TH NOVEMBER, 1927.

H. S. H. H.
Chairman.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 1186 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th December 1927.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

7th December, 1927.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry and Wells, and Councillors Pateman, Pocock, Ryan and Sommerfield (non-members).

1190 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1191 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the deletion of the following item:—

Improvement—Great North Rd. south of Granville Rd.
200 yds. sup. excavation ... £65.

Annexed

1192 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
2/11/27	7. 6 a.m.	No. 2, Sugden Terrace, East End Road, N. 2.	Some wearing apparel burned in kitchen on ground floor, rest of contents in same slightly by smoke.
3/11/27	3.26 a.m.	Garthowen, Christchurch Avenue, N. 12.	Some flexible electric lighting wire by fusing in front bedroom on first floor.
6/11/27	5.32 p.m.	No. 6, William St., N. 12.	A chimney on fire in kitchen on ground floor, contents in same slightly by smoke, chemical fluid and dirt.
18/11/27	9. 0 a.m.	Greta, The Hawthorns, Regents Park Rd., N. 3.	A defective fire-grate by removal in drawing-room on ground floor.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
19/11/27	2.58 p.m.	Garthowen, Christchurch Avenue, N. 12.	A chimney on fire in back-room on ground floor used as drawing-room, contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.

1193 FIRE ALARM—CORNER OF REGENTS PARK ROAD AND EAST END ROAD.—The Committee considered the desirability of fixing a fire alarm at the above point and it was arranged that the Chairman should report thereon at the Council Meeting.

1194 FIRE ALARM CALL—TEST BY CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.—The Chairman reported that a test call was given at the Church Lane fire alarm point on the 30th November, 1927, and that the result was very satisfactory.

1195 FIRE ALARM POINT—SOUTHWAY.—A letter was submitted from the London Telephone Service stating that, with reference to the Agreement which was signed by the Council for the provision and maintenance of external wiring between the Central Fire Station, Hendon Lane, and the call point at the junction of Southway and Thornton Way, Hampstead Garden Suburb, they regretted that, owing to an error in measurement, the rental was under-stated by £5. They enclosed with their letter a fresh form of agreement, and requested that the Council would complete and return the document to them, when they would cancel the Agreement previously signed;

RECOMMENDED that the increased rent of £5 above-mentioned be agreed.

1196 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matters had been dealt with:—

Paving—Holly Park.
Flushing Van.

1197 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEYHIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - 7th DECEMBER, 1927.FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

		Amount of estimate	<u>23,474. 0. 0</u>
		Amount previously requisitioned	2,284.13. 9
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0.	1		Accountant to pay Firemen's wages 100. 0. 0
6	5	0	2 tons house coals - Chief Officer & Station 3.13. 0
7	"		10C bundles Fire-wood -- 5. 6
8	8	0	Reconstructing cable for fire alarm system in Hendon Lane, Electricity Dept. 18.19. 6
9	10		2 gallons commercial sulphuric acid -- 5. 0
00	12		1-4 volt Hand Lamp Accumulator, renewal --.12. 5
01	13		6 steering pillar electric lamp bulbs --. 8. 3
02	14		1 new fire hydrant, Netherfield Avenue, N.12. 10.10. 0
03	"		Repair leaky fire hydrant, The Broadway 2.10. 0
04	15		2 dozen wear wells --. 9. 0
"	"		1 qz. 0' Cedar Oil --. 4. 2
"	"		2 gallons paraffin oil --. 1.10
"	"		1 qt. methylated spirits --. 2. 8
"	"		Hearth-stone --. 2. 0
			<u>AMBULANCE.</u>
05			Supply and fit new Turner Times Distributor <u>--.18. 6</u>
			<u><u>£2,423.15. 8</u></u>

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

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URBAN DISTRICT OF PINCHLEYHIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - 7th DECEMBER, 1927.FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

		Amount of estimate	<u>23,474. 0. 0</u>
		Amount previously requisitioned	2,284.13. 9
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7	"	100 bundles Fire-wood	-- 5. 6
3	8 0	Reconstructing cable for fire alarm system in Henden Lane, Electricity Dept.	18.19. 6
9	10	2 gallons commercial sulphuric acid	-- 5. 0
00	12	1-4 volt Hand Lamp Accumulator, renewal	--.12. 5
01	13	6 steering pillar electric lamp bulbs	--. 8. 3
02	14	1 new fire hydrant, Netherfield Avenue, N.12.	10.10. 0
03	"	Repair leaky fire hydrant, The Broadway	2.10. 0
04	15	2 dozen wear wells	--. 9. 0
"	"	1 qz.0'Cedar Oil	--. 4. 2
"	"	2 gallons paraffin oil	--. 1.10
"	"	1 qt. methylated spirits	--. 2. 8
"	"	Hearth-stone	--. 2. 0
		<u>AMBULANCE.</u>	
05		Supply and fit new Turner Times Distributor	<u>--.18. 6</u>
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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7TH DECEMBER, 1927.

REQUISITION - 8TH DECEMBER, 1927 TO 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE.			88517	0	0
ADDITIONAL ITEMS.	154	0	0		
EXTENSION OF LIGHTING.	417	0	0		
				551	0
				£89068	0

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RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

803	0	427 yds sup. relay asphalt, Great North Road.	14	14	0	
804	17	<u>IMPROVEMENT - GREAT NORTH ROAD, SOUTH OF GRANVILLE ROAD.</u>				
		Land.	550	0	0	
		200 yds sup. excavation.	65	0	0	
805	18	<u>IMPROVEMENT - GREAT NORTH ROAD BY CLIFFORD ROAD.</u>				
		Land.	250		0	
		200 yds sup. filling.	72	0	0	
806	19	Scavenging - Manual Labour.	200	0	0	
807	20	Do. - Team labour.	50	0	0	
808	21	Gritting.	50	0	0	
809	22	Chippings - transfer from stores.	20	19	11	
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810	38	C Repairs to gully, East End Rd.	2	12	7	
811	78	Scavenging - East End Road and Totteridge Lane.	16	0	0	
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

812	27	0 Repair stand-post, East End Rd.	1	19	2	
813		0 "Luminor" motor warning sign.	5	10	0	
814	67	Resurface with tarmac, Squires Lane, Station Road to East End Road; Dollis Lane by Viaduct; Crescent Road.	1000	0	0	
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815	72	1569 yds sup. relay slab) paving - Derby Avenue,) Etchingham Park Road,) Gruneisen Road and) Grosvenor Road.)	215	4	9
816	73	930 ft. run relay kerb.) Dale Grove, Etchingham) Park Rd, Gruneisen Road,) Torrington Park.)	127	17	6
817	78	Scavenging - manual labour.	400	0	0
818	79	Do. - team labour.	46	0	0
819	87	Maintenance of trees.	30	0	0
820	89	Repairs, scavenging trucks, etc.	10	0	0
821	92	Maintenance - surface water system.	40	0	0
822	95	G P.O. trench reinstatement, Elm Park Road, Queens Avenue,	24	4	5
823		Licence - motor lorry.	40	0	0

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PUBLIC LIGHTING.

824	98	Electric lamps.	521	0	7
825	99	Gas lamps - wages.	30	0	0
826	101	2 doz. porcelain reflectors for gas lanterns.	6	0	0
827		5 gross gas mantles.	12	11	0
828	103	6 lanterns for gas lamps.	14	5	0
829		Extension of lighting.	417	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

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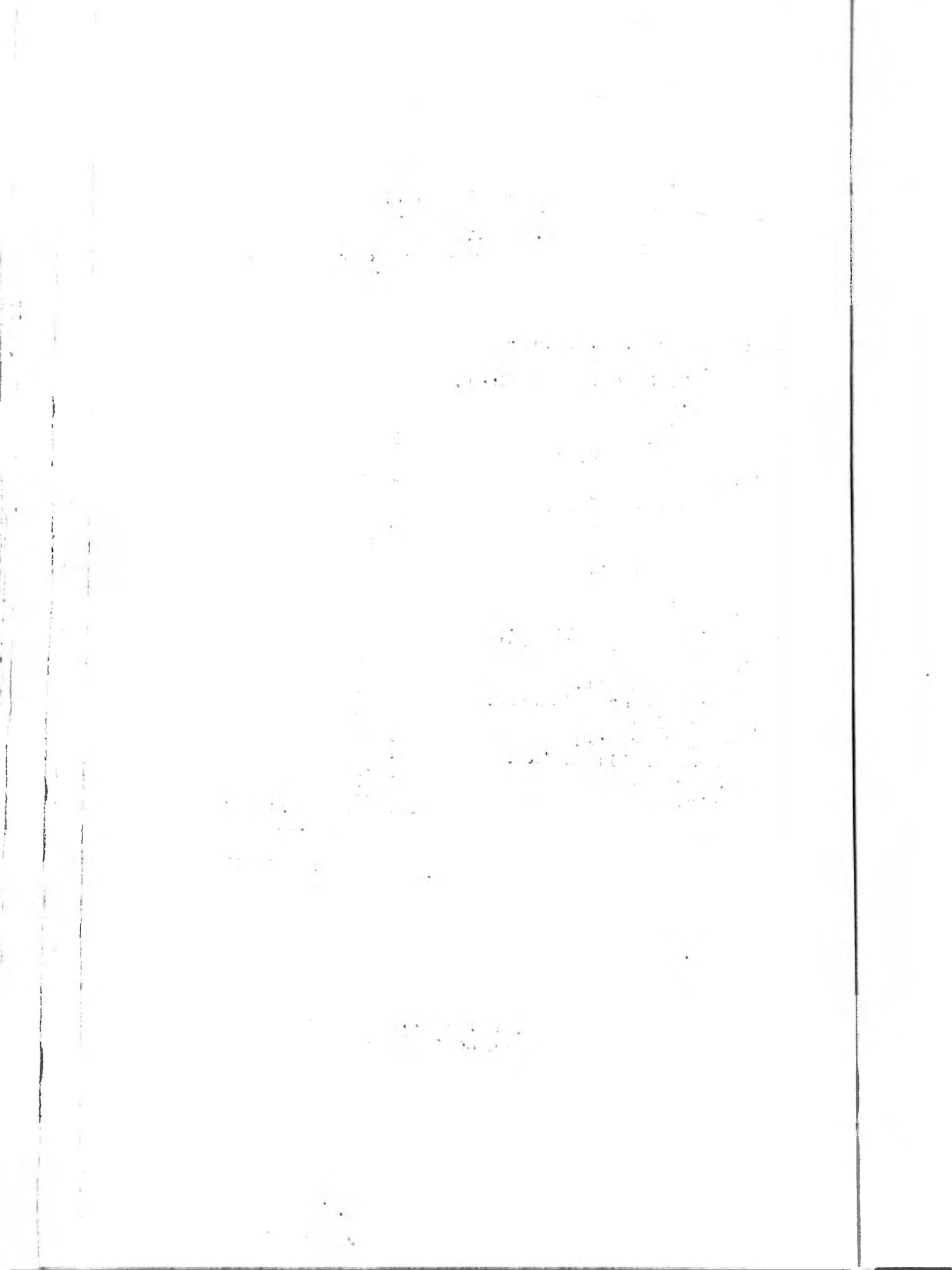
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820	12 ft. 4" x 4" oak. R.A.C. sign, Tally Ho.)	
831 0	12 ft. 3" x 3". School sign, Great North Road.)	1 8 6
832 0	12 truck lamps.	1 5 6
833 0	154 ft. 12" x 1".	1 3 0
834 0	60 pieces lining paper, 14 lb. Paste.	1 6 6
835	6 tons Blue Lias Lime.	11 7 0
836	10 " Quick Setting Cement.	48 7 6
837	10 " Portland Cement.	27 7 6
838	50 yds. sand.	22 10 0
839	50 " stone ballast.	23 2 6
840	30 tons $\frac{1}{2}$ " tarmac.	48 10 0
841	30 " $\frac{3}{8}$ " "	50 15 0
842	100 yds sup. 2" paving slabs.	30 16 8
843	2 rolls No.9. B.F.C. reinforcing fabric.	17 3 1
844	160 gals. paraffin oil.	5 13 4
845	6 axes. 6 wood block cleaners.	1 17 6
846	10 cwt. cellingite.	8 0 0
847	12 hardwood W.C. seats.	1 16 0
848	10 gals. Vacuum Mobiloil "A".	2 5 10
849	2 tons house coal.	3 13 0
850	6 dust sheets.	1 19 0
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These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1191 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's Report of the 7th December 1927.

A. Asquith
Chairman



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1198 STREET ACCIDENTS.—

- (a) The Clerk reported that he had arranged with the Police Authorities for weekly Returns in regard to the above to be submitted, and he presented Returns received for the weeks ended 27th November and 4th December, 1927, respectively, from which it appeared that the number of accidents during those weeks was as follows :—

Fatal	...	None.
Non-fatal	...	30.

- (b) The Committee considered a communication, dated the 16th November, 1927, from the East Finchley Ratepayers' Association (referred by the Council at last Meeting) forwarding copy of the following resolutions passed at a recent public meeting of the Association :—

" That this meeting of the East Finchley Ratepayers' Association, having regard to the increasing number of street accidents, begs to recommend for consideration of the Finchley Urban District Council :—

- (1) the adoption of a Byelaw regulating the speed of all vehicular traffic through the Great North Road, East Finchley, between the Finchley Boundary at Cherry Tree Hill and Oak Lane;
- (2) adequate lighting in the road under the railway bridge at East Finchley Station;
- (3) the placing of two illuminated Caution Signs at each side of the aforesaid bridge;
- (4) the desirability of securing additional police control of traffic in the aforesaid length of road."

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded as follows :

- (a) that as regards (1) the efforts of the Council to obtain speed limits in various portions of the main roads in the district have in the past not met with success, and that in their view no useful purpose would be served by re-opening the matter, as the imposition of speed limits is not favoured by the responsible authorities ;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

- (b) that as regards (2) and (3), the matters are already having the attention of the Council; and
- (c) that as regards (4) the Council cannot see their way to take any further action in the matter—the Police Authorities having promised to give attention thereto.

Amended

1199 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—The Committee considered the various resolutions (circulated) passed at the adjourned Conference of representatives of Local Authorities in Middlesex held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 12th October, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that such resolutions be supported by the Council and that the Ministry of Transport and the various Local Government Associations be informed accordingly.

1200 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—The Committee considered a communication, dated the 11th November, 1927, from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council hereon, referred to them by the Council at last meeting. It was stated in the letter that the Ministry of Transport had apparently obtained from the District Valuer a revised estimate in respect of the acquisition of property for this Improvement, and that in the circumstances, Sir Henry Maybury had intimated that the Ministry would be prepared to make a grant of 50 per cent. of the cost of the widening works and 50 per cent. of the site value of the land which would be actually required for the widening, and would not be a party to the Scheme for acquiring additional land and benefiting by the anticipated recoupment.

Amended

An extract from a report received from the County Council (circulated) was also submitted.

1201 PLANS.—

- (a) No. 6296—New Road and Sewers—Fursby House Estate.
- (b) No. 6310—New Road and Sewers—Hampstead Garden Suburb.—

RECOMMENDED that the above plans be approved so far as this Committee is concerned.

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RESOLUTIONS PASSED AT THE ADJOURNED
CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL
AUTHORITIES IN MIDDLESEX HELD AT THE
GUILDHALL, WESTMINSTER, ON THE
12th OCTOBER, 1927.

1. THAT this Conference re-affirm the Resolution passed at the July Conference and as contained in the Notice convening the meeting above referred to.
2. THAT no action be taken upon the decision of the Wood Green District Council to support the resolution passed by the Federation of Ratepayers & Kindred Associations of Middlesex.
3. THAT the following recommendations of the Tricknam Borough Council be approved and adopted, viz:-

"(i) That, unless the consent of the Borough or Urban District Council concerned is obtained, the driving of heavy motor vehicles should not be allowed over any unclassified road, in any case where a suitable alternative route can be provided over a classified road.

"(ii) That a right of appeal to the Ministry of Transport should be given against any refusal of a local authority to sanction the driving of heavy motor vehicles over any unclassified road.

"(iii) That, if any appeal is upheld by the Minister of Transport, the road should automatically be classified in grades 1 or 2, or be suitably subsidised during the period for which its use by heavy motor vehicles is allowed, so that local authorities concerned may be suitably recompensed for any damage thereby occasioned.

"(iv) That property owners affected shall be entitled to be heard in connection with any appeal, against the refusal of a local authority to sanction the driving of heavy motor vehicles over any unclassified road.

"(v) That, in the event of the closure of a classified road at the instance of, or on behalf of any body or persons in the exercise of their statutory powers, and the user of an unclassified road as an alternative route, any expenditure reasonably necessary to restore such unclassified road, at the end of the period of user, to the same condition as it was prior to such user, shall be contributed to the Authority in whose area such unclassified road is situated, by the body or persons at whose instance or on whose behalf such classified road was closed.

"(vi) That, in the event of the closure of a classified road at the instance of the local authority for the district in which the road is situated, and user of an unclassified road as an alternative route, the Ministry of Transport shall contribute to the expenditure reasonably necessary to restore such unclassified road at the end of the period of user, to the same condition as it was prior to such user, in such percentage proportion as they contribute towards the maintenance of the classified road so closed."

4. THAT copies of the above Resolutions be forwarded to the Ministry of Transport, the Association of Municipal Corporations, the Urban District Councils' Association, the Rural District Councils' Association, the Middlesex District Councils' Association, and the Federation of Ratepayers & Kindred Associations of Middlesex.

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- 5. THAT the Ministry of Transport be requested to receive a Deputation of members comprising this Conference, and for this purpose, that one representative be appointed by each of the following Authorities, namely:-

Baling Borough Council			
Hornsey	"	"	
Twickenham	"	"	
Finchley Urban District Council			
Hampton	"	"	"
Hayes	"	"	"
Heston & Isleworth	"	"	"
Southall	"	"	"
Tottenham	"	"	"
Willesden	"	"	"
Wood Green	"	"	"

- 6. THAT copies of the above Resolutions be sent to all local authorities in Middlesex with a request for their support thereto, and to inform the Ministry of Transport and the various Local Government Associations thereof.
- 7. THAT the best thanks of the Conference be conveyed to Mr. Councillor T. Elderfield J.P., the Chairman of the Tottenham Urban District Council for presiding, and to the Tottenham Urban District Council for convening the Conference.
- 8. THAT the thanks of the Conference be conveyed to the Middlesex County Council for their kindness in placing the Council Chamber at the disposal of the Conference.

These (together with the preceding page) are the resolution referred to in paragraph 11.9 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th December 1927.


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IMPROVEMENT AT TALLY HO! CORNER, FINCHLEY.

(Extract from Report from County Council).

The estimated cost of the scheme approved by the County Council is as follows:-

Estimated cost of acquisition of land and properties	£16,350
Estimated cost of works	<u>9,000</u>
	£25,350.

Sir Henry Maybury stated in this case that the Valuer had submitted the following revised values to the Ministry:-

- (a) Cost of acquiring whole site including back land £32,000
- (B) Cost of land required only for road site and widenings 12,000
- (c) Cost of acquiring land for roadworks including buildings 18,000
- (d) Saleable value of surplus land 18,000

With regard to (d) the Valuer adds that assuming three years elapse from date of entry to the availability of the surplus land for sale, it is estimated that the figure given above will be reduced to £15,500, so that the probable recoupment will be £1,500.

Applying the same principles as above to this scheme, the grant now offered by the Ministry worked out as follows:-

Site value of land	£12,000
Cost of Works	<u>9,000</u>
	£21,000

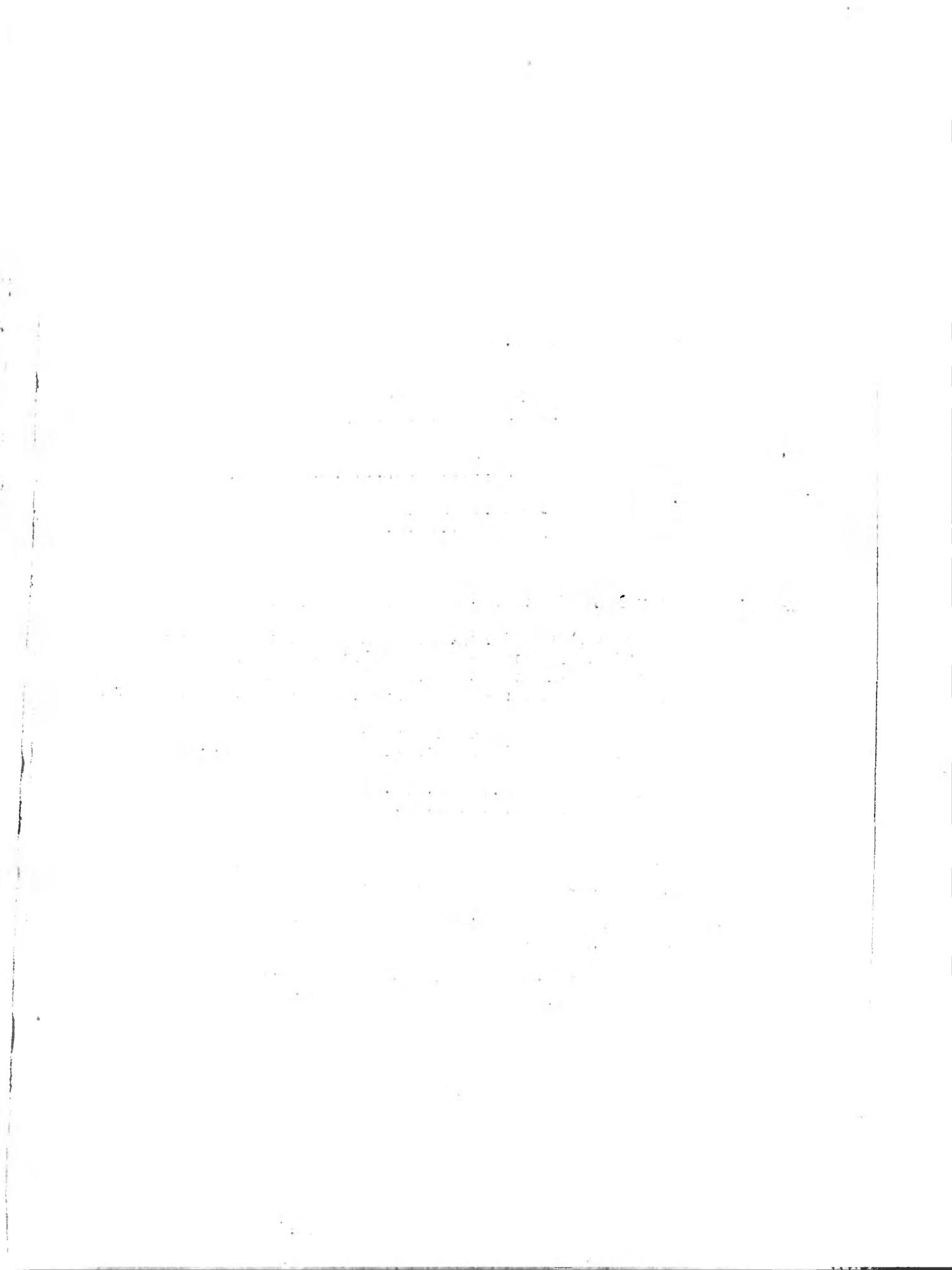
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The amount to be borne by the County Council and the Finchley Urban District Council is therefore:-

Estimated cost of land and buildings	£32,000
Cost of works	<u>9,000</u>
	£41,000
Less probable recoupment	£15,500
and amount of grant	<u>10,500</u>
	<u>£15,000</u>

It may be that the Committee gave authority for the acquisition of the property to be proceeded with, and the majority of it has been purchased. This is the extract from the report referred to in paragraph 1200 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th December 1927.

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HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1202 ARTERIAL ROADS—LIGHTING.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Brentford and Chiswick Urban District Council stating that, in view of the heavy expenditure which was being, or was likely to be, thrown on Local Authorities for the lighting of considerable lengths of arterial roads, his Council had had the matter under consideration for some time past, and that whilst they were making temporarily some provision in this respect, they had passed the following resolution, which they trusted this Council would support:—

“(a) That the Middlesex County Council be asked to move to obtain statutory powers in respect to the public lighting of arterial roads in the County, and (b) that the other Local Authorities in the County be asked to make a similar representation to the County Council.”

It was added that the majority of arterial roads were not constructed in the interests of local residents so much as in the national motoring and transport interests, and as such some payment (if not all) should be met out of the National and County Exchequers. Further, that this would obtain, if the County Council had powers to charge, in the nature of maintenance, the cost of the necessary lighting of arterial roads;

RECOMMENDED that the above resolution be supported by this Council and that the Clerk be directed to take up the matter with the Middlesex County Council.

1203 SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE—GRIFFIN INN PUBLIC HOUSE, WHETSTONE.—Referring to paragraph 1044 of the last report, the Committee considered a further communication, dated 25th November, 1927, from the Friern Barnet Council (referred to them by the Council at last meeting with power to act) stating that it was desired also to connect the premises known as The Green Man **Garage**, Great North Road to this Council's surface water sewer;

RESOLVED that the proposal be approved, subject to an agreement being entered into with the Friern Barnet Council on the usual terms.

1204 OMNIBUS FACILITIES.—The Committee considered a letter, dated 15th November, 1927, from the London General Omnibus Company (referred to them by the Council at last meeting) stating that it was proposed to extend route No. 43 on week-

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

days and Sundays from its present terminus at Friern Barnet (Orange Tree) to Whetstone (Griffin Inn) via Friern Barnet Lane and the Great North Road, and asking for any observations which the Council might desire to make in the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the Omnibus Company be informed that the Council do not disapprove of the proposed extension, but that it be suggested that the terminus be at the "Bull and Butcher" Public House instead of at the "Griffin Inn," owing to the congestion already existing at the latter point.

1205 HIGHWAYS—MAIN ROADS—REFUGES.—The Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Ministry of Transport in regard to this matter in accordance with instructions, and he submitted a letter dated 9th November, 1927, received from them in regard thereto. The Ministry stated that it had not so far been found possible to lay down any definite principles in regard to the siting of refuges, as experience had shown that it was necessary to consider each proposal on its merits; further, that it had recently been arranged in consultation with certain Local Authorities and the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, that the Local Authorities should in the first instance erect temporary refuges, the sites to be fixed by the Local Authority in co-operation with the local Police, and that before the refuges were made permanent the proposed positions should be agreed by the Commissioner of Police and the Ministry of Transport;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Surveyor be instructed to obtain the observations of the Police Authorities with regard to the construction of refuges in this district; and
- (b) that the suggestion of placing a refuge in Long Lane at its junction with Ballards Lane be placed before them.

1206 STREET LIGHTING.—

- (a) It was reported that an Outdoor Meeting of the Committee had been held on the 30th November, 1927, for the purpose of considering the above matter, and that instructions had been given to the Electrical Engineer for

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

the five lamps in East End Road (near to Church Lane) and for those between the Railway bridge and the end of The Bishop's Avenue to be increased in power;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee,

- (i) Seven double brackets (lighted with 100 watt electric lamps) be erected on the alternate tramway poles on the west side of the High Road, Whetstone, from opposite to the Palace Tea Gardens to the County Boundary at a cost of approximately £45 (exclusive of the cost of reinstatement, which work be carried out by the Surveyor's Department), after notice (with plan) has been given to the County Council in accordance with Section 31 (2) of the Order of 1903;
 - (ii) that four gas lamps be installed in Totteridge Lane (south side) between Naylor Road and the Boundary (including one at the boundary) at an estimated cost of £38 (exclusive of the cost of reinstatement, which work be carried out by the Surveyor's Department) and that the necessary alteration be made in the position of the existing lamp between the railway and the boundary at a small additional cost;
- (b) A letter, dated 5th December, 1927, was submitted from the North Middlesex Gas Company stating that it was observed from a report in the " Finchley Press " that the Council were considering the question of the improvement of public lighting, and suggesting that the claims of gas, both on the score of efficiency and economy, should receive consideration.

1207 FOOTPATH—DOLLIS AVENUE TO DOLLIS LANE.—A communication was submitted from Mr. H. Grigs drawing attention to the fact that the practice of riding bicycles along the above footpath was increasing and was becoming a source of danger to pedestrians.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

The Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Police Authorities on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be directed to arrange for notices to be exhibited to the effect that riding on bicycles or tricycles along the footpath is prohibited.

1208 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN.—

- (a) Accident—Culver.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with.
- (b) W. Barber—Decease of.—The Surveyor reported that the death of the above employee had taken place since last meeting.

1209 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office Authorities were submitted :—

- (1) Underground line south-west side of Hervey Close, from Nos. 31/33 to Nos. 37/39.
- (2) Underground line across Birley Road, from opposite No. 33 to outside No. 33.
- (3) Short length of underground line north-west side of Finchley Avenue near district boundary.
- (4) Underground line north-west side of Ballards Lane, from outside No. 19, Kings Parade to outside No. 3, Cornwall Parade.
- (5) Underground line south-west side of Etchingham Park Road, from outside No. 122 to outside No. 116.
- (6) Underground line across Princes Avenue, from Nos. 2/4 to Nos. 1/3.
- (7) Underground line north side of Rosemont Avenue, from Nos. 24/26 to outside No. 34;

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved, subject :—

- (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and
- (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1210 PILLAR POSTING BOX.—The Surveyor reported receipt of an application from the Northern District Postmaster for permission to erect a pillar posting box in Nether Street at its junction with Fursby Avenue;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the proposal, subject to the exact site being agreed on the ground with a representative of the Surveyor's Department.

1211 SIGN POST—QUEEN'S HEAD PUBLIC HOUSE.—The Surveyor reported upon an application which had been received in connexion with the removal of the above sign-post, and intimated that the owners had deposited a sum of £5, representing one-half of the cost involved;

RECOMMENDED that the carrying out of the work be approved and that the balance of the cost be borne by the Council.

1212 WIDENING—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY BROOK FARM.—The Surveyor reported as follows:—

“ The District Valuer estimates the value of the Council's land at Brook Farm to be thrown into the highway at £65. The area is .131 acre.”

1213 TARMACADAM RESURFACING OF CARRIAGEWAYS.—The Surveyor reported as follows:—

“ I recommend that the sum of £1,000 provided in the current estimates for tarmacadam, be utilised for resurfacing the following sections of road:—

Crescent Road,
Squires Lane (Station Road to East End Road).
Dollis Road by viaduct;”

RECOMMENDED that the proposal be agreed.

1214 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—It was reported that Sweeper W. Beer was due to retire (by extension) on the 31st December, 1927, but that he

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*)

had requested to be allowed to remain in the Council's service until the 31st December, 1928. The Committee decided to suggest to the General Purposes Committee accordingly;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1215 STREET WIDENINGS — GREAT NORTH ROAD BY GRANVILLE ROAD.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for their consent to the postponement of the carrying out of the improvement works for the time being.

1216 PRIVATE STREETS—NAMING OF.—The Surveyor reported that it had been suggested that the new road on the Hampstead Garden Suburb off Hill Top might be named "Midholm Close";

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1217 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—17th BATCH.—The Surveyor reported upon correspondence which he had had with Messrs. Tarslag, Ltd., in regard to the question of the enforcement of certain penalties under their Contract in connexion with the above;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Surveyor be approved.

1218 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

8th December, 1927.

Present : Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent, Grocott and Wells, and Messrs. Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

1219 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1220 ALLOTMENTS.—

(1) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that from the 30th September, 1927, to the 29th September, 1928, the North Finchley Allotment League be charged for that portion of site " P " which, prior to the re-allocation of the Glebe Land, formed part of site " G " a rent *pro rata* to that formerly payable by the League in respect of the whole of the then site " G ";

(2) that from the 30th September, 1928, until such time as the League may become a Registered Society, and as such accept a Lease of the land, the rent payable by the League in respect of their new yearly tenancy of 20.27 acres, as defined in Minute No. 333, be £85 per annum, and that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the agreement relative to such tenancy.

(2) Lonsdale Meadows.—The Clerk reported on the action which he had taken in accordance with the instructions received at the last meeting of the Council, and submitted a further letter, dated the 7th December, 1927, from Messrs. Boulton, Sons & Sandeman stating that their clients had reconsidered the position and had authorised them to say that if the Council would erect the fence as proposed they would, on completion thereof, contribute the sum of £35 towards the expense. They added that this was their clients' final decision;

RECOMMENDED that such offer be accepted and that the Surveyor be instructed to erect the fence immediately on completion of the Conveyance.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

1221 ALLOTMENTS—CHERRY TREE HILL — METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD ACT, 1921.—The letter from the Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board referred to this Committee by the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee was considered;

RECOMMENDED that so far as the above allotments are concerned, the Board be permitted to withdraw the Notice to Treat dated 18th May, 1926, served upon the Council, and to proceed to lay the new main as suggested, provided terms as to compensation for disturbance, etc., are agreed with the Cherry Tree Hill Allotments Association and the freeholders' consent obtained.

1222 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

REPORT OF EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING.

12th December, 1927.

Present: Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, G. H. Pateman, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Good-year; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake.

1223 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE RETURN.—For the week ended the 11th November, 1927, the record of school attendance was as follows:—

Schools	Official recognized accom.	Accom. per Council's policy	No. on books	Average Attendance	Percentage
Council	4096	3369	2819	2563	91.0
Voluntary	1719	1484	1450	1332	91.8
Totals	5815	4853	4269	3895	91.2

1224 REPAIRS.—

RECOMMENDED that sundry repairs as set out in the Minute Book be approved, including the re-slating of the boys' covered playground at the Long Lane School at an estimated cost of £24 5s. 0d., by Messrs. Hall Bros.

1225 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the following requisitions be approved:—

		Estimated Cost.		
		£	s.	d.
St. Mary's	Materials for renewal of electric batteries	...	...	12 8
Long Lane	1 fireguard	...	...	2 10 0
Albert St.	1 curtain rod	...	...	1 14 0
Office	1 ledger, Special Schools, Parents' Contributions	...	...	1 10 0

1226 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £4,031 11s. 1d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Department for payment.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1227 STAFFING.—The Board of Education has approved the teaching staff establishment at 122 for the current year, and they enquire whether the Authority desire any variation for the year, 1928/29;

RECOMMENDED that the Board be informed that the Authority desire the teaching-staff establishment for 1928/9 to be approved on the same basis as at present, namely 122.

1228 STUDENT TEACHER.—

RECOMMENDED that Miss M. E. Preston be appointed student teacher at the North Road School, Junior Department, as from the 1st December, 1927, at a salary at the rate of £50 per annum.

1229 SCHOOL PRACTICE.—It has been resolved to accede to the request of the Principal of the St. Katharine's College, Tottenham, to allow Miss Carpenter, daughter of the Vicar of Arkley, who will be entering college next summer, to attend one of the Finchley Schools for school practice for three months after Christmas.

1230 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the appointment of the following supply teachers in the place of members of the staff absent ill be approved :—

Name.	School.	From.
Miss Clothier	A.S.J.	21/11/27
Miss Kent	L.L.I.	16/11/27

1231 "EARLY DAYS OF FINCHLEY."—The offer of the North Middlesex Gas Company to provide for use in the schools some copies of a booklet "Early Days of Finchley"—being notes of historical interest by Mr. C. O. Banks—has been accepted with thanks.

1232 APPOINTMENTS.—A letter has been received from the Education Officer of the London County Council which indicates that Mr. J. A. Cresswell, assistant master Albert Street School, is likely to take up service under that Authority shortly.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

Your Committee recommend, in that event,

- (a) that Mr. N. I. C. Lelean be transferred from Squires Lane School to Albert Street School in the place of Mr. J. A. Cresswell resigned;
- (b) that Mr. F. S. Welch be transferred from the North Road School (Central Classes) to Squires Lane School to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Mr. Lelean;
- (c) that a teacher with special qualifications to teach French and English be appointed to the Central Classes to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Mr. Welch.

1233 EXAMINATION FOR ADMISSION TO SECONDARY SCHOOLS, 1928.—A letter has been considered, dated the 1st December, 1927, from Sir Benjamin Gott, the Secretary to the Middlesex Education Committee, setting out the proposed arrangements for the conduct of the 1928 examination for admission to secondary schools, and inviting the co-operation of this Authority in holding the preliminary examination of all pupils in the elementary schools who will be 11 years of age and under 12 on the 1st August, 1928.

It has been resolved :—

- (1) to co-operate with the Middlesex Education Authority in holding the preliminary examination of all pupils in elementary schools who will be 11 years of age and under 12 on the 1st August, 1928;
- (2) to nominate Mr. E. A. Bolding, Head Master of the Christ Church School, who is next on the list in order of seniority of service as a head teacher in Finchley, to act on the Examination Committee in 1928 for the preliminary examination.

1234 BORDER CHILDREN.—From time to time applications have been received for the admission to St. John's School of children residing in Friern Barnet (Mayfield Avenue, Finchley Park, etc.) adjacent to the district boundary; the nearest Middlesex School being a considerable distance away. The applications, as a rule, refer to very young children. The Middlesex Education Committee has been approached in respect of these applications.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

and the question of payment to this Authority in cases where admission may be granted. The Middlesex Education Committee have adopted the following recommendation of their Elementary Education Sub-Committee, namely :—

That the Middlesex Education Committee agree to make a payment calculated in accordance with the formula applying to the net cost per child under the Education (Institution Children) Act, 1923, in respect of each approved Middlesex child in attendance at a public elementary school in the area of the Finchley Education Committee on the understanding that that Committee agree to a similar arrangement in respect of each approved Finchley child educated at Middlesex elementary schools.

RECOMMENDED that the Finchley Education Authority agree to the terms contained in the resolution of the Middlesex Education Committee set out above.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

13th December, 1927.

Present : Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Pike, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

1235 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1236 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to :—

- (a) " 2 " draught excluders being substituted for " 200 " (Val. Dept.);
- (b) the deletion of the item " 3 Press copy letter books £3 12s. 0d." (Surveyor's Dept.);
- (c) Avenue House—the deletion of item " No. 855 iron fencing round ponds, new entrance and other gates £326 0s. 0d."

Amended

1237 AVENUE HOUSE—ATTORNEY-GENERAL V. THE COUNCIL AND OTHERS.—The Clerk reported receipt of a letter from the Estate Duty Office, Somerset House, pointing out that intended application by the parties for some relief as to **interest** on the duty afforded no reason for further delay in paying the Estate Duty, amounting to £1,300, and the Succession Duty amounting to £870; further, that a remittance of the total of £2,170 should accordingly be sent to the Accountant-General at an early date;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee to deal with.

1238 VALUATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.—In accordance with the reference from the Council, the Committee considered further the question of the filling of the vacancy on the above Committee, caused through the resignation of Mr. W. Atkinson;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. Arthur Gray, of East Finchley, be appointed to fill the position.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*)

1239 STATUE—LA DÉLIVRANCE.—Referring to paragraph 1072 of the last report, it was

RECOMMENDED that the under-mentioned additional items be included in the application to be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the expenditure under the Local Authorities (Expenses) Act, 1887 :—

	£	s.	d.
Carting Chairs	4	0	2
Messrs. Amplion—loud speakers ...	12	10	0
Messrs. Edgingtons—bunting ...	12	0	0
Enlargement and framing of 5 photographs of Unveiling Ceremony ...	6	10	0
Framing one additional photograph (say)	12	0	0
Provision of tablets for 6 photos (say) ...	1	10	0
Works carried out by the Council (departmentally)—Erection of Platform ...	7	9	0

1240 GLEBE LAND.—In accordance with the resolution of the Council that each of the several Committees concerned should submit to this Committee an estimate of its expenditure on the taking-over of the portion of the Glebe Land allocated to it by the Council, the Committee considered a statement (circulated) indicating the views of the several Committees concerned;

Annexed

RECOMMENDED—

- that the proposals of the several Committees as contained in such statement be approved by the Council in principle;
- that the Electricity Committee be charged a rental of £10 per annum from Christmas, 1927, in respect of Site " J " allocated to them;
- that the Education Committee be charged a rental of £40 per annum from Michaelmas last in respect of the user as a school playing-field of a portion of Sites " H " and " I " immediately south of the land rented to the Finchley Football Club, and that it be made clear to that Committee that the arrangement is a temporary one only;

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

REQUISITIONS - DECEMBER 1927.

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3 doz. foolscap file covers	-.12. 0.
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Repairs to Radiators	1. 3. 4.
Rubber stamps	-. 4. 0.
1 ton house coal	1.16. 6.
1 doz. bottles "Kvelopene"	-.13. 6.
Solicitors Diary	-. 8. 0.
5 photo enlargements - La Delivrance	6.10. 0.
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Advertising - Gardener - Avenue House	1. 3. 0.
" Asst. Sanitary Inspector	4. 0. 0.
100 Slaughterhouse Licence Forms	2.10. 0.
75 copies Statutory Rules & Orders No.1004.	-.12. 6.
2 books - Notification of intention to slaughter	-.14. 6.
2 door mats	-. 8. 6.

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Clerk's Department -

1 writing pad	-. 3. 6.
Printing Minutes and Reports - December 1927	30. -. 0.

Surveyor's Department -

35 Octavo Manifold Books	2. 5. 0.
200 Draught Excluders	7. 0.
1 Bardsley Door Spring	1.17. 6.
1 Kenrick Night Latch	-.12. 5.
3 Press copy letter books	3.12. 0.

Drawing Office -

1/3 gross drawing pins	-.6. 0.
1 doz. "B" Royal Sovereign pencils	-. 3. 9.
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1 doz. "Rowsley" erasers	5. -.
2 rolls of Printing Linen	2.13.0.
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2 reams of Bell Paper	1. 0. 0.
1/3 doz. 12" x 10" plates Imperial Non-Filter ortho.	-.15. 0.
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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13TH DECEMBER, 1927.

WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

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873	0	1 - 4" fresh air inlet valve.	17, Ingleway.	3 9	3	
874	0	Remove old, provide and fix new 20 gal. 8" plate hot water tank.) 4, Upway. 17, Ingleway.	3 10 3	3 10	
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876	0	Remove boiler and hot tank manhole covers, disconnect flow and return pipes, forcing and testing pipes, reconnect pipes and re-make manholes.) 27, Crescentway.	1 12 8	1 12	
877	0	Cut out old, provide and fix new 6 lbs lead sink trap.		116, Woodhouse Road.	12 3	12

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

9TH DECEMBER, 1927.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13TH DECEMBER, 1927.

AVENUE HOUSE.

REQUISITION TO 18TH JANUARY, 1927.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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851	Wages - gardeners.	64	12	5
852	Barbed wire to fence.	10	0	4
853	Coating footways and tarpainting.	147	5	0
854	Chestnut pale fencing, 4'6" high.	68	15	0.
855	Iron fencing round ponds, new entrance and other gates,	326	0	0
856	Repairs to property.	25	0	0
857	Telescopic ladder.	9	19	0
858	Sundry tools.	2	17	4

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

9TH DECEMBER, 1927.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the lists referred to in paragraph 1236 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 13th December 1927.

A. S. P. J.
Chairman.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13th DECEMBER, 1927.

GLEBE LAND - STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN PARAGRAPH (4) (a)
OF CLERK'S REPORT.

NAME OF COMMITTEE

REMARKS

REPAIRS & FIRE & WATER

This Committee do not propose to proceed with any widening works at the present time.

ELECTRICITY

This Committee do not propose at the present time to expend any money on the portions of the land allocated to them, and they desire to point out that if and when any such expenditure is incurred same will be a charge upon the electricity undertaking.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES

This Committee approved at last meeting the following estimated expenditure:-

Laying out of site G (with the temporary use of site M) for sports purposes, including the sowing of grass and the laying of four football pitches and two cricket pitches - £2,000.

Clearing of sites A, B and N for use by the public as Open Spaces - £200.

As regards site G the Committee decided that having regard to the fact that the land had been under cultivation (as allotments) for so many years, it would be impracticable satisfactorily to drain it at the present time, but that the better course would be to postpone such work until the land had had ample time to settle.

The Committee are recommending that the temporary merging of site M into site G, and of site N into site A be approved, subject, as regards M and N, to steps being taken to ensure that the public do not acquire rights thereover.

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This Committee's estimate of expenditure is as follows:-

(a) Compensation of Allotment Holders as per Minute No. 1055	£588
(b) Fencing	140
(c) Main Roads	200
(d) Filling of holes on new land with materials and mould	<u>600</u>
	<u>£1,828</u>

As regards (e) the Assistant Commissioner of the Ministry of Agriculture states that it is assumed that the expenditure involved will be charged against the cost of providing playing fields.

EDUCATION

This Committee report as follows:-

(1) that in their opinion the portion of Glebe land marked C on the plan submitted is unsuitable for school playing field purposes, an opinion in which the Board of Education concurs;

(2) that, in lieu of site C they accept the use temporarily of that portion of the Glebe Land immediately south of the Finchley Football Club ground, formerly part thereof, being part of site H and I, and agree to incur reasonable expenditure upon maintenance, subject to the approval of the Board of Education;

(3) that, during the current financial year the estimated expenditure upon the maintenance of the ground referred to in (2) above will be £15, and during the next financial year £100;

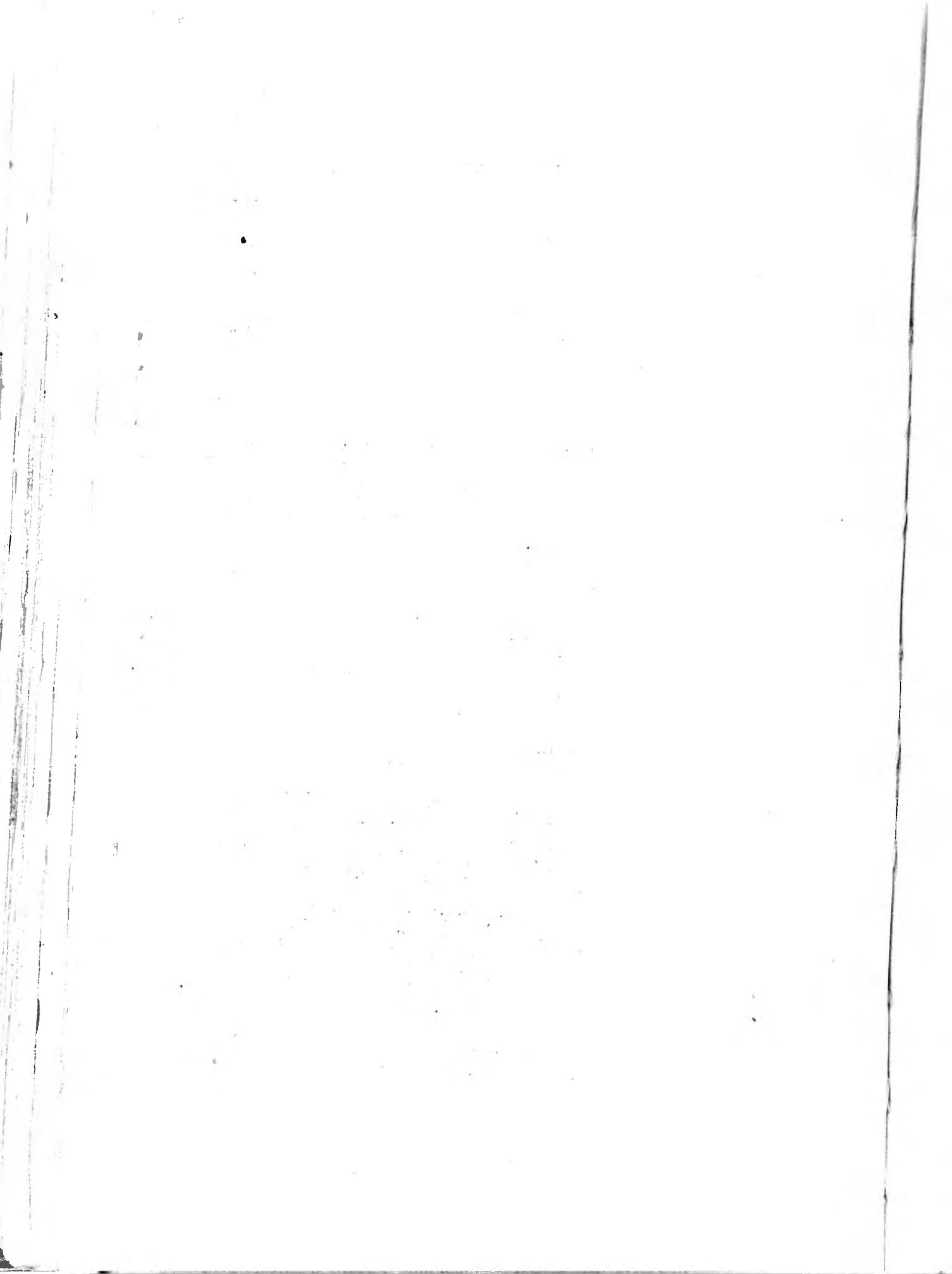
(4) that the Board of Education be asked to sanction the expenditure referred to above.

This (together with the preceding page) is the statement referred to in paragraph 1240 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 13th December 1927.

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Chairman.

E. H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (d) that as regards the suggestions of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee, (1) in reference to the temporary merging of certain sites, no pitches be allowed on Site "M"; (2) in reference to the drainage of Site "G" that Committee take into consideration the suggestion made as to the method of draining.

1241 POOR LAW REFORM.—The Clerk reported that a meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed to consider this matter had not yet been convened, as it was understood from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association that there was no chance of the Bill being introduced into Parliament during this Autumn Session.

1242 OPEN SPACES—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—Reference was made by the Clerk to a communication, dated 2nd instant, received from Mr. P. H. Chambers hereon.

1243 HAMPSTEAD GARDEN SUBURB—"COMING OF AGE" CELEBRATIONS.—A communication was submitted from the Honorary General Secretary of the above inviting the Council to appoint a representative to serve on the General Organising Committee;

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council be so appointed.

1244 MIDDLESEX JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES—NON-TRADING SERVICES (MANUAL WORKERS).—A communication was submitted from the Chairman of the Middlesex County Council inviting the Council to appoint representatives to attend a Conference to be held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 16th December, 1927, at 3 p.m.;

RESOLVED that no action be taken thereon.

1245 TRAVELLING FACILITIES.—The Clerk submitted:—

- (a) a resolution passed unanimously at the November meeting of the Federation of Ratepayers' Associations of Middlesex with regard to the London & Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee's Report, 1927; and

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (b) a letter, dated 6th December, 1927, from the Town Clerk of Hornsey, forwarding copy of resolution adopted at the last meeting of the Joint Travelling Facilities Committee, and asking the Council to consider the advisability of communicating with the Minister of Transport and the local Member of Parliament on the lines suggested, and that in particular the Minister be urged to take some action, either in conjunction with, or independently of, the present proposals, with the view of securing the electrification of the suburban lines of the London and North-Eastern Railway;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed, and that the Clerk be instructed accordingly.

1246 HOUSING.—Letters were submitted from—

- (a) the Town Clerk of Ealing, forwarding copy of a resolution passed by his Council on the subject of the reduced Government Subsidy; and (b) the Town Clerk of Middleton, forwarding copy of resolutions passed by his Council with regard to the question of a proposed Government Housing Loan;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

1247 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—

- (a) Retirements.—It was reported that a number of officers and servants in the employ of the Council would shortly be due for retirement and the Committee considered each case separately in conjunction with references from the various Committees concerned;

RECOMMENDED that the recommendations of the Committee as shown in the last column of the under-mentioned statement be adopted:—

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

Name of Officer or Servant.	Department and position.	Date due to retire.	Committee's recommendation.
(1) Scruton, E. J.	Electricity Department— Clerk.	31st March, 1928 (by extension).	that as from the 31st March, 1928, he be granted the superannuation allowance to which he is entitled under the Act.
(2) Rice (Mrs.) H.	Clerk's Department— Caretaker.	31st Dec., 1927 (by extension). N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mrs. Rice's services be retained until 31st December, 1928.
(3) Beer, W.	Surveyor's Department— Sweeper.	31st Dec., 1927 (by extension). N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mr. Beer's services be retained until 31st December, 1928.
(4) Lawrence, J.	Surveyor's Department— Disinfecter.	31st Dec., 1927 (by extension). N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mr. Lawrence's services be retained until 31st December, 1928.
(5) Burton, W. H.	Surveyor's Department— (Outdoor Assistant).	19th Feb., 1928. N.B. — Consents to continue in Council's service.	that Mr. Burton's services be retained until 31st December, 1928.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).*(b)* Vacant Designated Posts.—

RECOMMENDED that as from the 1st January, 1928, the persons mentioned in column (1) of the following statement occupy the designated posts set opposite to their respective names:—

Name. (1)	Designated Post. (2).	In lieu of (3).
Read, C. T.	Engineering Assistant— Surveyor's Department.	Massey, R.
*Barlow, R. G.	Junior Engineer in Charge— Electricity Department.	Beak, J. S.
*Bull, A. W.	Junior Engineer in Charge— Electricity Department.	Pither, T. W.
*Doughty, J. H.	Engine Driver— Electricity Department.	Porter, J. W.
*Rogers, A.	Lamplighter— Electricity Department.	English, J. F.
Williams, J. J.	Stoker— Electricity Department.	Hayler, A. W.

* Satisfactory medical certificates were submitted.

1248 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—A letter was submitted from Dr. Garnett, forwarding copies of a letter under his hand which appeared in the "Barnet Press" on 19th November, 1927, together with copies of the first manifesto published by the London Protestant Association.

1249 FINCHLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.—Application for renewal of the Council's annual subscription of £75 was considered;

RECOMMENDED that payment of this amount be approved, and that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1250 STAFF.—

(a) Annual revision of salaries.—

RECOMMENDED that a special meeting of the Committee be held on Wednesday, 25th January, 1928, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of dealing with the above;

(b) Public Health Department—Assistant Sanitary Inspector.

—The action of the Public Health Committee, as set out in their report, was approved by the Committee, and the Clerk intimated that a letter, dated 10th December, 1927, had now been received from Mr. Newbery resigning his appointment;

(c) Absence through illness.—The names of those members of the staff who had, since last meeting, been absent through illness were submitted;

(d) Surveyor's Department—Chief Assistant Engineer.—The Surveyor reported that Mr. H. W. Melhuish, to whom leave of absence had recently been granted by the Council, had resumed his duties on Monday, 5th December, 1927;

(e) Surveyor's Department—Temporary Engineering Assistant.—The Surveyor reported that Mr. E. G. Thorp commenced his duties on the 28th November, 1927.

1251 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—SECTION 2—GREAT NORTH ROAD TO COLNEY HATCH LANE.—A communication, dated 6th December, 1927, was submitted from the District Valuer, stating that he had been requested to open negotiations with this Council for the acquisition of lands to be acquired from them for the purpose of the above road; that he could only open negotiations with this Council on the clear understanding that they would agree to accept his estimate of compensation, and that if they should express a desire for the Valuation Office to settle a case as between them and the Middlesex County Council as Agents for the Minister of Transport, there was no reason why the matter should not proceed;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that this Council are not in a position to discuss the matter, as there would not appear to be at present any authority for the construction by the Middlesex County Council of the portion of road in question.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1252 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES.—

(a) Sweeper W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed ;

(b) Scavenger J. Culver.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident recently, and that the matter had been taken up with the Insurance Company ; further, that pending investigation of the claim, the Company had stated that they had no objection to the Council making a grant, provided a receipt were obtained, in accordance with the form forwarded by them ;

RECOMMENDED that a sum of £2 10s. 0d. a week, repayable on demand, be granted to Culver as from the date of his accident, such grant to be continued until the next meeting of the Committee, when the matter be reviewed ;

(c) Compassionate Grants.—The Surveyor reported upon a number of cases, each of which received careful consideration by the Committee ;

RECOMMENDED that the persons mentioned in column (1) of the following statement be granted, until the dates mentioned respectively in column (3) thereof, gratuities as set opposite to their respective names :—

Name. (1).	Amount of Gratuity. (2).	Date of termination. (3).
Wood, Mrs.	7s. 6d. a week.	The Ordinary Meeting of the Council in June, 1928.
Tofield, Mrs.	10s. 0d. „	do. do.
Keeler, N.	10s. 0d. „	do. do.
Nott, J.	12s. 6d. „	do. do.
Cannon, Mrs.	30s. 0d. „	do. do.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1253 HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔT.—The Surveyor reported upon an offer which he had received from the Blaker Motor & Welding Company for tenancy of the above;

RECOMMENDED that the whole of the site be let to the Firm in question on an annual tenancy at a rental of £60, subject to the Electricity Committee not requiring for the time being the portion of the site allocated to them.

1254 COBLEY'S FARM—SITE OF.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be authorised to make the necessary arrangements in connection with the fixing of the tablet proposed to be erected on the site of the above Farm.

1255 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—ALLOWANCE DURING SICKNESS.—It was reported that on and after the 2nd January, 1928, certain employees of the Council would, on attaining the age of 65 years, become entitled to a pension of 10/- a week under the Widows, Orphans and Old Age (Contributory) Pensions Act, 1925, but that any benefits under the National Health Insurance Acts would cease. It was further reported that under the present arrangement the employees (except School Caretakers and Firemen) received, when absent through sickness, half pay, less National Health Insurance Benefit, excluding of course those who came within the Council's Scheme under the Local Government & Other Officers' Superannuation Act, 1922;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that as from the 2nd January, 1928, a sum of 15/- a week be deducted from the sick pay of all employees over 65 years of age;
- (b) that except as varied in (a) above the several resolutions passed by the Council at present in force governing the question of sick pay continue to operate.

1256 AVENUE HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that Councillor Pateman be added as a member of the above Sub-Committee; and

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

(b) that a meeting of the Sub-Committee be held at an early date on site.

1257 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th December, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Ryan, and H. O. Syrett and Mr. R. A. Marples and Major Marx.

1258 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1259 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

1260 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

1261 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 650 tons, as compared with 1,100 tons at last meeting; further, that there was also a stock of about 270 tons of Bohemian Brown Coal in hand.

1262 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected Boilers Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 6—Nos. 1 and 5 externally at work and Nos. 3 and 6 externally at rest—and had reported that same were in order; further, that they had also inspected No. 1 Economiser externally at work, and had reported that same was in order.

1263 TURBINES.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected No. 1 Turbine at work, and had reported that there was no sign of vibration or other defect so far as could be ascertained; that they had also inspected No. 2 Turbine at rest, and had stated that same was in good order and ready for duty at any time. It was also reported that the various Auxiliary Motors and other apparatus in connexion with the Turbines had been inspected, and found to be in order.

1264 PIPE WORK, ETC.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected the steam pipe system and feed pipe system, and that no defects had been noted.

ELECTRICITY (continued).

1265 PUBLIC LIGHTING.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, in accordance with the instructions of the Council, certain secondary and contributory roads were to remain in lighting all night, and that arrangements had therefore been made for this to be commenced within the next few days.

1266 STAFF.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported as to the financial position of the widow of the late Mr. T. E. George;

RECOMMENDED that she be granted, as from the date of her husband's death, a gratuity of 15/- a week under the provisions of Section 70 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908, until such time as she becomes entitled to a pension under the Widows, Orphans and Old Age (Contributory) Pensions Act, 1925, or until the aggregate of the payments so made to her by the Council are equivalent to one year's pay of her late husband, whichever may be the earlier.

1267 MAXIMUM LOAD.—It was reported that the maximum load had now reached 3,360 kilowatts, and that the maximum daily output so far recorded was nearly 38,900 units.

1268 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report :—

Applications for supply	8344 =	391978 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8299 =	387446 " " "
Increase	45 =	4532 " " "
Lamps connected		334305 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1441)	4590	" " "
High c.p. lamps (45)	796	" " "
Total	339691	" " "
Last meeting	335817	" " "
Increase	3874	" " "
Applications in hand but not yet connected	*35 =	2057 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 35 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

Electrical Engineer's Office,
Finchley, N.3.
7th December 1927.

R E Q U I S I T I O N S .

REVENUE.

Emergency requisition.....	200. 0. 0.
34,000 demand notes.....	10.12. 8.
Spare parts for chain grate stokers....	25. 0. 0.
14 lbs. 1/16" rubber insertion.....	2. 9. 0.
20 lbs. "Pilot" jointing.....	4.14. 0.
Repairs to boiler brickwork.....	40. 0. 0.
Armature repairs.....	25. 0. 0.
Jointors' tools.....	10. 0. 0.
15 cwt. box compound.....	49. 0. 0.
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	6. 1. 0.
200 gallons paraffin.....	7.10. 0.
200 gallons petrol.....	10.16. 8.
Meters.....	300. 0. 0.
1,000 tons of coal.....	1200. 0. 0.
Carting 1,000 tons of coal.....	112.10. 0.
10 yards .12 V.I.R. fireproof cable...	2. 4. 5.
10 yards .2 V.I.R. fireproof cable....	3. 8. 7.
Rectifier plant spares.....	100. 0. 0.
Repairs to weighbridge.....	39.15. 0.
2 pairs steps.	
2 coal barrows.	
8 white forril books.	
12 swan neck fittings.	
50 side pole globes.	
50 swan-neck globes.	
Motor car tyres.	
Spare parts for radiators.	

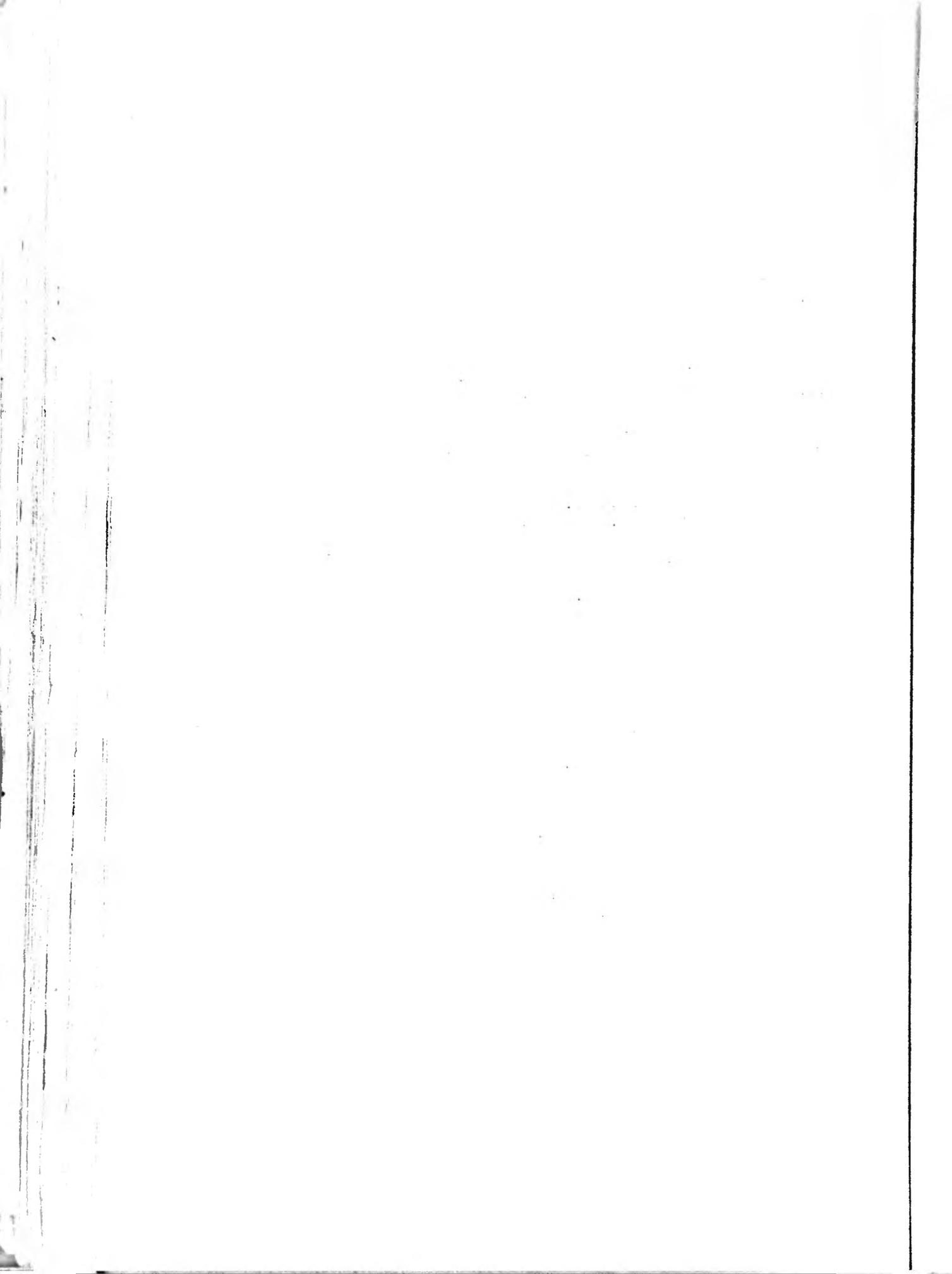
At an estimated cost of..... 62. 6.10.£2211. 8. 0.

CAPITAL.

General cartago.....	10. 0. 0.
2,000 yards .0225 concentric cable....	286. 0. 0.
500 yards .2 three core cable.....	<u>332.10. 0.£ 628.10. 0.</u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to
in paragraph 1259 of the Electricity Committee's
Report of the 14th December 1927.

H. S. Pitt
Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1269 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (1) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had, since last meeting, been laid in Ossulton Way and Oakfield Road;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the mains to be extended in Midholm, Hampstead Garden Suburb, at an estimated cost of £63, and for a main to be laid in Dean's Way, Hampstead Garden Suburb, at an estimated cost of £633, subject in each case to the reduced guarantee of 15 per cent.

- (2) Sub-Station Extensions—1926/27.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported as follows:—

- (a) Cherry Tree Wood—that this Sub-Station had been in experimental operation for some days; that adjustments were now being made, and that the plant was in experimental commercial use.
- (b) Percy Road—that no further progress had been made in regard to the completion of the equipment at this Sub-Station, but that so soon as the adjustments at Cherry Tree Wood had been completed, the Contractors' Staff would concentrate on this equipment.

1270 GLEBE LAND.—It was reported that the General Purposes Committee were recommending to the Council that this Committee be charged a rent of £10 per annum from Christmas, 1927, in respect of site " J ";

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1271 HAMILTON ROAD DEPÔT.—The recommendation of the General Purposes Committee with regard to the letting of the above Depôt was reported;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the proposal, subject to arrangements being made whereby possession of the portion of the site provisionally allocated to this Committee can be obtained on three months' notice, and to the rent to be charged to this Committee

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

in that event being fixed at a sum equivalent to the difference between the rent paid by the tenants for the whole of the site and that which they are now prepared to pay for the remaining portion.

1272 EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN, £24,000.—A letter, dated 28th November, 1927, was submitted from the Electricity Commissioners, stating that they were not in a position to furnish the Council with any definite undertaking as to the date by which, and the price at which, a supply could be made available for the purposes of the Council under the South-East England Electricity Scheme at present before the Central Board; that the duty of carrying out this Scheme if and when adopted, and of fixing a tariff for supplies of electricity thereunder rested with the Central Board, and that they desired to refer to their previous suggestion that the Council should approach the Central Board on the above-mentioned matters. The letter added that the Commissioners had given due consideration to the representations of the Council that their application for consent to extend the generating station should be treated as an application prior to the Act of 1926, and that on this point they were advised that the duty placed upon them by Section 18 (2) of the Act of 1926 extended to all applications before them at the date of the passing of that Act, irrespective of the date when the application was actually made.

The Chairman of the Committee intimated that an interview was to take place within the next few days between representatives of this Council and the Central Board, arising out of the representations made by the Council in regard to the South-East England Electricity Scheme, and that the result thereof would be reported to the Council in due course.

1273 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—SOUTH-EAST ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME.—A letter, dated 22nd November, 1927, was submitted from the London & Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, asking to be furnished with a copy of the Representations made by the Council in regard to the above Scheme;

RECOMMENDED that the request be not acceded to.

1274 ELECTRICITY SUB-STATION—PERCY ROAD—*Re* A. E. DENMAN.—The Clerk reported upon an interview which had taken place with Mr. Denman on the 10th instant, at the latter's request, in further reference to his claim.

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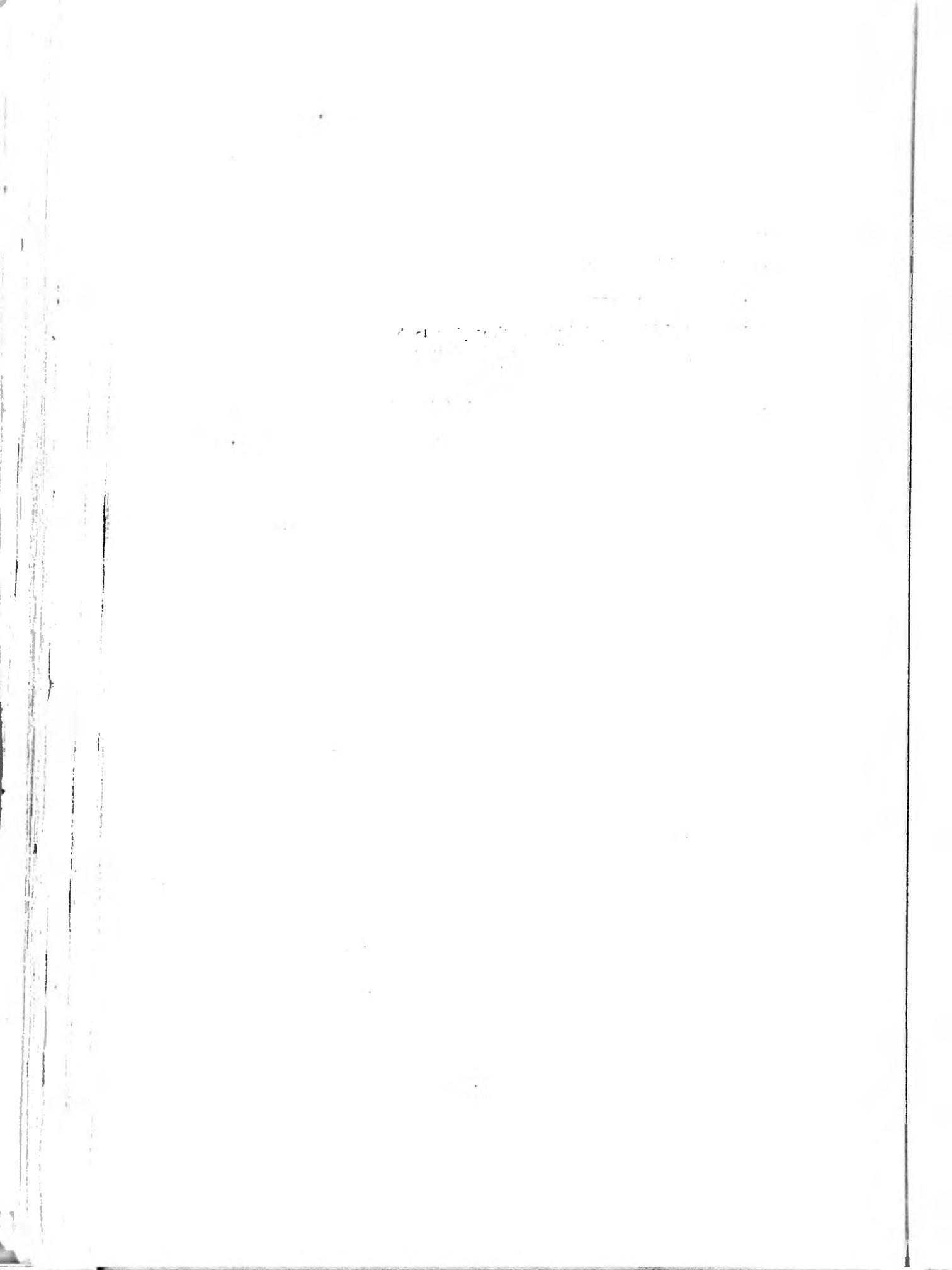
ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1275 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.



FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th December, 1927.

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (in the Chair), Councillors Pocock, Sommerfield, H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Bowen (non-member).

1276 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1277 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

1278 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£3,640.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of **£5½** per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £3,640, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.
- (6) that the granting of an advance of £650 (in addition to the said sum of £3,640) to the person opposite to whose name in such list that sum is indicated be approved, and that the advance be made when required by the applicant.

Annexed

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

FINANCE (*continued*).

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £3,640.

- (b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting (but excluding the said sum of £650), the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £340,365.
- (c) Advance No. 486—Premises—Hutton Grove.—It was reported that the applicant did not desire to take up the advance of £620 resolved to be made to him by the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the sum be repaid to the Public Works Loan Board.

- (d) Advance No. 232—22, Brookland Hill.—A letter was submitted from the Mortgagor asking for permission to vacate and to let the above premises, to enable him to reside nearer to his work;

RECOMMENDED that the desired permission be granted under Section 22 (c) of the Act of 1923.

- (e) Advance No. 491—25, Broughton Avenue.—It was reported that the Mortgagor wished to defer the execution of certain necessary works at the above premises;

RECOMMENDED that the sum of £70 be withheld from the advance pending the carrying out of such works to the satisfaction of the Surveyor.

- (f) Advance No. 41—78, Squires Lane.

Advance No. 251—43, Summerlee Avenue.—

It was reported that the balances in respect of the above Mortgages had been repaid, together with all interest charges.

1279 STREET LIGHTING.—The recommendations of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon were reported;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

DECEMBER, 1927.

No.	Name	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	years.	£.	£.	
492a.	Sharpe, J. H.	19, St. Margaret's Ave.	F	710	20	937	685	80
493.	Saunders, S. H. M.	6, Woodgrange Gardens.	L	500	15	550	675	74
494.	Flower, G.	17, Woodgrange Avenue.	L	520	20	650	650	80
495.	Ayers, F.	86, Woodlands Avenue.	L	550	20	675	740	74.3
496.	Palmer, S. E. B.	36, Avenue Road.	F	600	20	775	750	80
497.	McKenzie, Mr. & Mrs.	28, Prentway.	L	760	20	1,100	950	80
				£ 3,640				

REQUIRED AT A LATER DATE.

Wallington, E. A.	28, St. Margaret's Ave.	F	650	20	910	835	73.4
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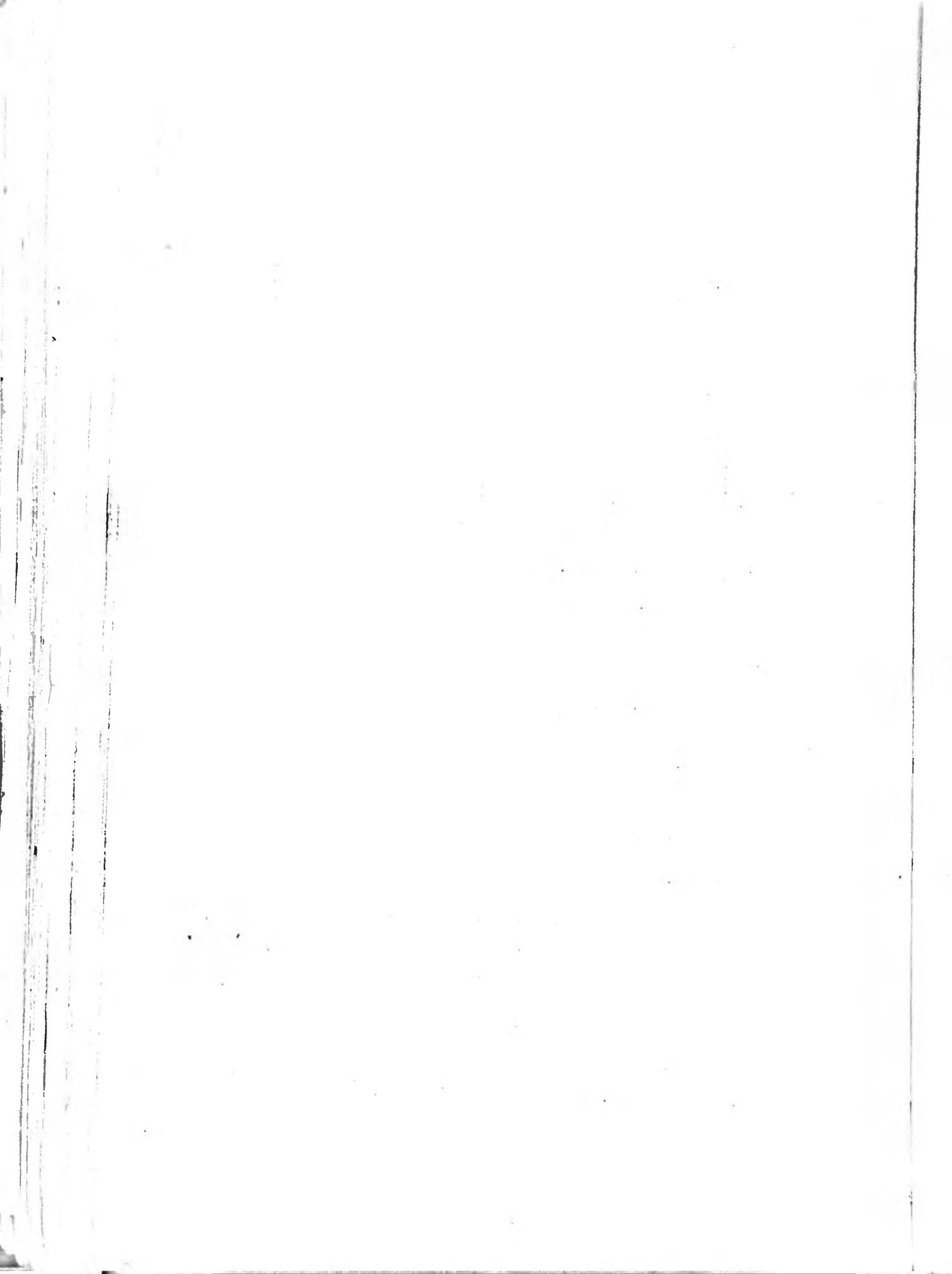
NOTE.

426. advance not taken up - £620 to be repaid to Public Works Loan Board.

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Chairman.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 1278 (a) of the Finance Committee's Report of the 14th December 1927.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINANCE (continued).

1280 ALLOTMENTS.—

- (a) East Finchley.—The Committee had under consideration the reports of the Allotments Committee hereon dated 10th November and 8th December, 1927, respectively; *See page 648.*

RECOMMENDED that such reports be received and adopted, subject as regards recommendation (1) in the report dated 8th December, 1927, to all the words following the word " Council " being deleted and the words " a rent of £110 per annum " being substituted therefor.

- (b) Summers Lane—(Glebe Land).—The Clerk referred to paragraph 1055 of the Allotments Committee's report of the 10th November, 1927, and intimated that it was reported at the last meeting of the Council that the estimated cost of filling the holes on the new land with mould, etc., was £600;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to such expenditure on financial grounds.

1281 STREET WIDENINGS.—

- (a) Regents Park Road opposite to Manor Parade.
(b) Ballards Lane—Essex House Estate.—

The Clerk submitted a copy of resolutions passed by the County Council on the 24th November, 1927, agreeing to contribute as regards (a), £75 and as regards (b), £160 towards the expenditure involved, subject (i) to the Ministry of Transport contributing a moiety of the cost of the works; (ii) to the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor in accordance with plans and specifications approved by him; (iii) to the accounts of the District Council in connexion with the work being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor; and (iv) to the remainder of the cost of the work being borne or otherwise provided for by the District Council;

RECOMMENDED that the Council accept the terms of such resolutions.

FINANCE (*continued*).

1282 REFUSE DESTROYER — ADDITIONAL WORKS—PROPOSED LOAN, £2,519.—The Clerk reported receipt from the Ministry of Health of a letter forwarding formal sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £2,000 on account of the expenditure involved, and stating that the question of any balance required would be considered when the works had been completed and the actual cost ascertained.

1283 RATES—LAST DAY FOR PAYMENT OF.—The Committee appointed the 4th January, 1928, as the last day for the payment of rates, and authorised the Clerk to publish the necessary notice thereof prior to the meeting of the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1284 FINCHLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.—The recommendation of the General Purposes Committee hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

1285 TRANSFER OF £1,000 FIVE PER CENT. WAR STOCK, 1929/1947 INTO CORPORATE NAME OF THE COUNCIL.—The Chairman of the Council reported that he had transferred the balance (as above) of the investment in 5 per cent. War Stock 1929/1947, standing in the names of Mr. Stanley Wildash and the Clerk of the Council, into the Corporate name of the Council.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1286 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—The Accountant reported that there was a further £1,000 on the Superannuation Fund Account available for investment;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Council to deal with, subject to report.

1287 STATUE—LA DÉLIVRANCE — INSURANCE.—The above subject was discussed;

RECOMMENDED that the Accountant be authorised to arrange with the Yorkshire Insurance Co. for the extension of the existing comprehensive Policy No. M.81735 so as

FINANCE (*continued*).

to cover the above Statue for the sum of £1,000, provided the premium demanded be not higher than 7s. 6d. per cent.

1288 LOANS.—

- (a) Unspent balances.—The Committee had under consideration the recommendations of the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee as to the manner in which unspent balances on loans raised for various purposes should be applied;

RECOMMENDED that the recommendations of the Sub-Committee as indicated in the Report submitted at the meeting (circulated) be approved and adopted.

Annexed

- (b) Loans required.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that application be made to the Ministry of Health under Section 233 of the Public Health Act, 1875, for sanction to the re-borrowing of the sums set out in paragraph 1 of the statement circulated herewith;
- (2) that the Accountant be authorised to arrange with Messrs. Barclays Bank, Ltd., for a loan of the sums mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2 of such statement;
- (3) that so soon as 50 per cent. of the cash subscriptions made in the District since 31st March, 1927, in respect of National Savings Certificates equals the aggregate of the sums indicated in paragraph 3 of such statement, the Clerk make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance thereof to the Council for the purposes and for the periods severally mentioned;

1289 RATING AND VALUATION ACT, 1925.—The Committee had under consideration the joint report of the Clerk and of the Accountant on the Rating provisions of the above-mentioned Act;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such report be received;

Annexed

FINANCE (continued).

- (2) that the powers conferred on the Rating Authority by the under-mentioned Sections of the Act be delegated to the Finance Committee:—

Section 5—Amendment of Rate (Book);

Section 15—Recovery of rates from tenants and lodgers.

1290 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars of the above were submitted as follows:—

	5th Dec., 1927.	Oct., 1927.	Nov., 1926.
Men	250	199	142
Women	29	25	20

1291 FINANCIAL—RATING.—

- (1) Refund of Proportions.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting:—

Greville-Heygate & Co. (on behalf of Miss Corner).
210, Lyttelton Road, N.W. 11.
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 18s. 2d.
Poor Rate	... ..	£3 2s. 6d.

Mr. T. F. Wood (19, Woodgrange Avenue, N. 12).
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	4s. 0d.
Poor Rate	... ..	6s. 7d.

Mr. G. R. White (31, Birley Road, N. 20).
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 3s. 7d.
Poor Rate	... ..	£1 18s. 8d.

- (2) Irrecoverable Arrears of Rate.—Statement of above for the half-year ended 30th September, 1927, was submitted.

RECOMMENDED that same be approved and signed by the Chairman of the Council.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

S T A T E M E N T

A.

UNSPENT BALANCES ON LOANS RAISED FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES.

<u>SEWERAGE & SEWAGE DISPOSAL.</u>	<u>Dr.</u>	<u>Cr.</u>			
Sewerage Land.		117.18. 4.	Loan 46.	Prudential - Still running.	<u>RECOMMENDED</u> that the s
Broughton Ave. Sewer.		213.14. 4.	" 203.	London Savings Bk. "	£1,543. 1. 2. be pa
Sewage Disposal Works Extn.		14. 7. 8.	" 126.	Ec. Commissioners. "	Barclays Bank, Ltd.
Sewage Filters - 1.		764.17. 5.	"pt.215.	Royal London. "	reduction of the am
2.		368.14. 7.	" 221.	Barclays Bank. "	£3,823 o/s.outstanding on the
3.		62. 8.10.	"pt.232.	Liverpool Vic. "	for Sewage Filters
			"pt.224.	Hearts of Oak. "	
		<u>1,543. 1. 2.</u>			
<u>RECREATION GROUNDS & OPEN SPACES.</u>					
Acquisition of Open Spaces.		157. 2. 6.	" 142/5.	Barclays Bank. "	<u>RECOMMENDED</u> that from t
Brook Farm		11.11. 0.	" 170.	" " "	credit balances amo
Woodhouse. 2.17.10.			"pt.232.	Liverpool Vic. "	£850.10. 8. the over
Christ's Hospital Field.		681.17. 2.	" 239.	" " "	£2.17.10. be met an
					balance of £847.12.
					to Barclays Bank, L
					reduction of the am
					standing on the Loan
					Acquisition of Open
	<u>£ 2.17.10.</u>	<u>£ 850.10. 8.</u>			
<u>MAIN ROADS.</u>					
Woodhouse Road, re-					
surfacing. 59. 7.10.			" 235.	Barclays Bank. "	<u>RECOMMENDED</u> that the cr
Main Roads " .		66. 2. 6.	" 227.	" " "	balances amounting
" improvements.		299.11. 6.	" 180.	" " LOAN REPAID.	£1,031.16. 2. be ap
Strawberry Vale Culvert. 6. 4. 3.				NO LOAN TAKEN UP.	the reduction of th

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151. 140. 144
161. 198.

LOANS REPAYD.

STATE AND FEDERAL DEPT.
AND DISTRICT HEADS.

Street Widening Loan.	384.11. 7.			Loans 131, 140, 144 161, 198.		LOANS REPAID.	drawn balances of £1,347. and that a transfer be made GENERAL DEBIT TO the remaining overdraft £315. 4. 0.
<u>DISTRICT ROADS.</u>							
Hendon Lane Improvement.		21.16. 5.	"	107. Prudential		LOAN REPAID	
Other Roads Resurfacing.	302.11. 2.		"	237. Barclays Bank, still running.		"	
Green Lane S.W.Sewer.		131.15. 3.	"pt.	232. Liverpool Vic.		"	
Street Improvement Loan (Generally)		89.13. 8.	"	158. Barclays Bank.		LOAN REPAID.- NO SANCTION.	
East End Rd. Improvement.	270.14. 2.		"pt.	221. " "		still running.	
District Roads.1.East End Road.		5.16. 8.	"pt.	224. Hearts of Oak.		" "	
" " Other -(Nether St., Gainsboro' Rd., Woodside Grange Rd.)		417. 0. 2.	"pt.	" " " " " "		" "	
Lichfield Grove, S.W.Sewer	246.11. 2.			NO LOAN.		NO SANCTION.	
Other Roads Improvement (Generally).	77. 0. 0.		"	181. Barclays Bank.		LOAN REPAID.	
	<u>£ 1,347. 0. 2.</u>	<u>£ 1,031.16. 2.</u>					

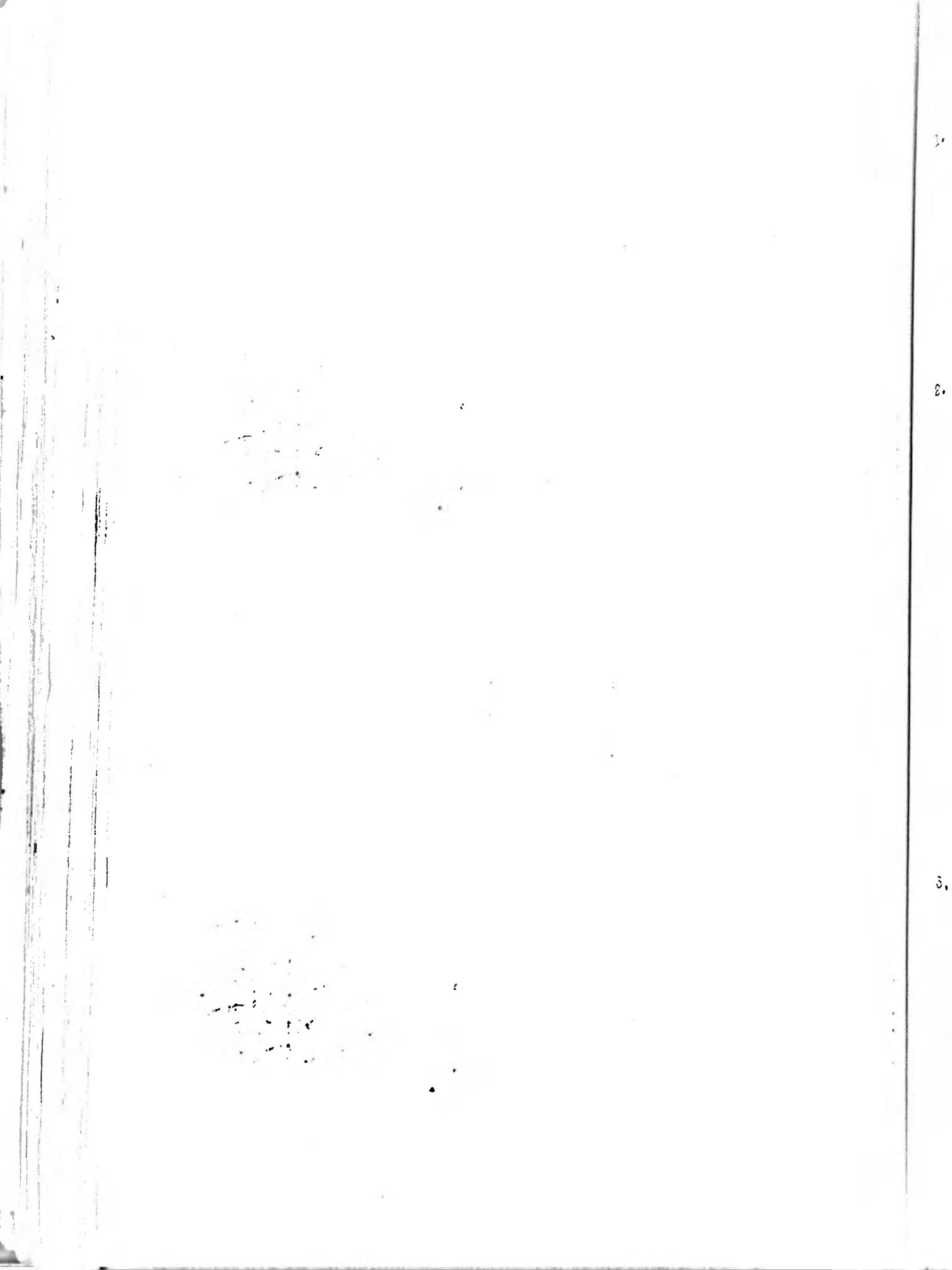
NET OVERDRAFT - £315. 4. 0.

<u>ALLOTMENTS.</u>							
Woodhouse.		10.13. 9.	Loan 218.	Barclays Bank, still running.			<u>RECOMMENDED</u> that the sum of £21. 8. 9. be paid to Barclays Bank, Ltd. in reduction of the amount standing on Woodhouse
Glebe Land.		<u>10.15. 0.</u>	"	270. Liverpool Vic.		" "	
		<u>£ 21. 8. 9.</u>					

<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>							
North Finchley.		<u>122.13.10.</u>	"	159. Barclays Bank.		" "	<u>RECOMMENDED</u> that of the sum £122.13.10. the amount £54.17. 0. be applied the overdraft in respect East Finchley Conveni- that the balance of £68 be paid to Barclays Bank in reduction of the amount standing on the North Convenience.
East "		<u>54.17. 0.</u>	"	219. " "		" "	

Chairman

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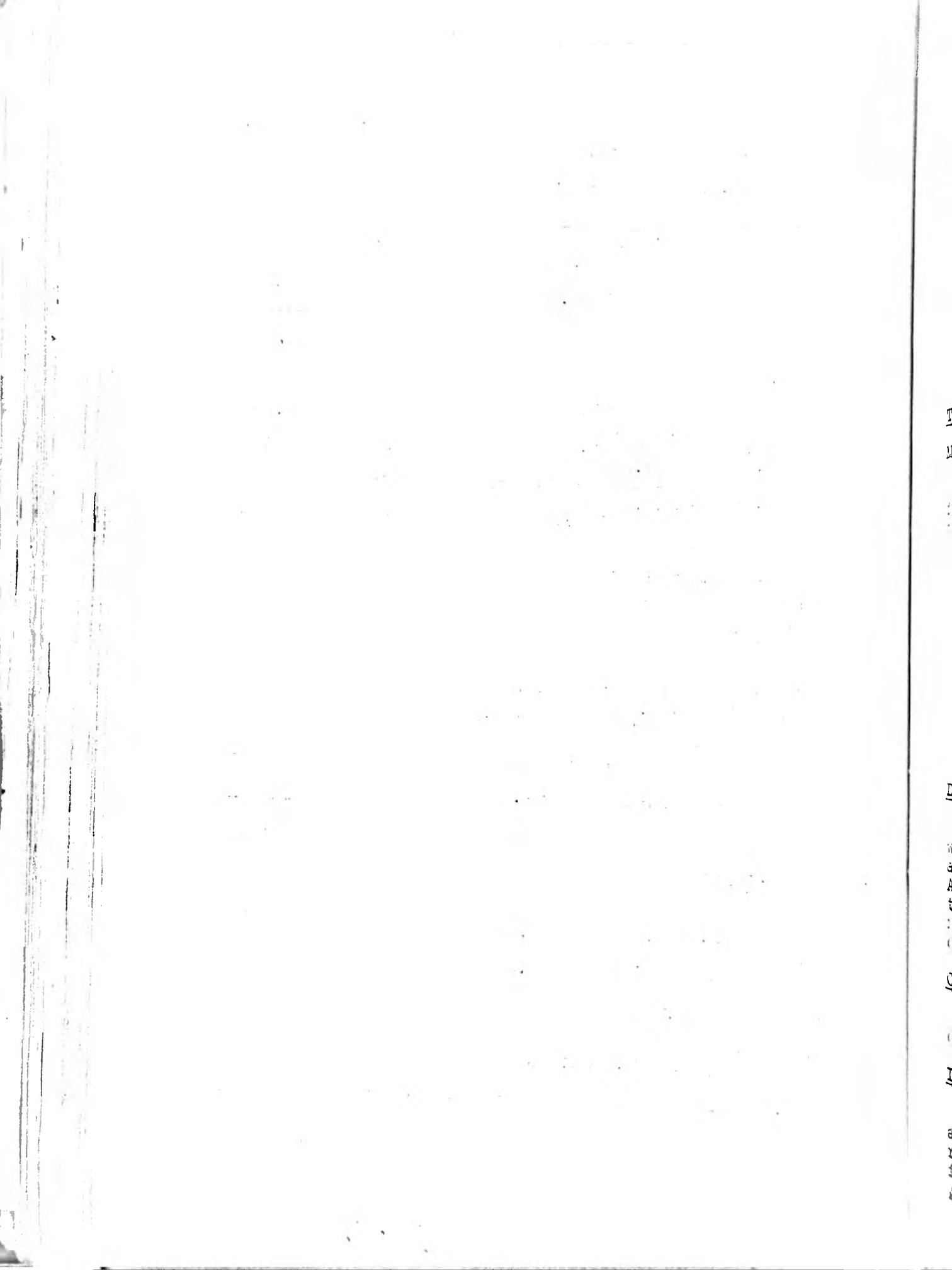


LOANS TO BE RAISED.

<u>1. Re-borrowing</u>	<u>Years.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
of Loan 189 - Allotments.	47	1,267
" 188 - Public Convenience.	17	622
" 187 - Electricity -		
Mains.	7	415
Deep Well.	17	280
" "	9	203
Extensions.	8	294
		<u>£ 3,081</u>
<u>2. New Loans.</u>		
Summers Lane Improvement.	10	1,490
(Sanction £1,500).		
Sewerage - Nether Street.	30	182
(Sanction £332).		
Surface Drainage - Nether Street.	30	338
(Sanction £520).		
Fencing - Cherry Tree Wood.	20	170
(Sanction £386)		
Arden Estate - Conveniences.	20	256
(Part of £500).		
Woodside Lane Improvement.		
(Sanctions Land - £400	60	400
Works £1,000	10	978
Fortis Green Road Improvement.	10	78
(Sanction £90).		
Nether Street Improvement by "Brinmaur".		
(Sanctions Land £75	60	75
Works £94)	10	84
Allotments - Lonsdale Meadows.	80	600
		<u>£ 4,651</u>
<u>3. Electric Lighting.</u>		
1924,		
July 9. Mains (Balance of £8,918)	25	688
1927,		
Mar. 10. Ditto (" £14,924)	25	6,116
May, 19. Land - Percy Road.	60	500
July, 6. Mains.	25	3,297
Plant - Sub-stations.	20	5,323
Sep. 5. Sub-station - Cherry Tree Wood.	30	650
		<u>£ 16,574</u>

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 1288 (b) of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th December 1927.

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Chairman,



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

Council Offices,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

10th December, 1937.

JOINT REPORT OF THE CLERK AND OF THE ACCOUNTANT
TO THE COUNCIL IN RELATION TO THE RATING
PROVISIONS OF THE ABOVE ACT.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

In accordance with your instructions we have pleasure in submitting our joint report upon the rating provisions of the above Act.

It seems convenient to arrange our report as follows:-

- Part I. Provisions of the Act which came into operation on the appointed day (1st April, 1927)
- Part II. Provisions of the Act which will not come into operation until the date of the new valuation list (1st April, 1939)

PART I OF THE REPORT

Delegation of Powers.

Under Section 1 of the Act the Council has the same power with respect to appointment and authorisation of Committees as under the Public Health Act, 1875 and the Local Government Act, 1894. The Council has already given certain powers to the Finance Committee in relation to the matter subject to report, but it may be desirable for your Committee to consider whether delegation is necessary.

Operation of Rate.

By Section 4(1), every rate shall be deemed to be made on the day on which it is approved by the Authority.

Incidence of Rate.

Section 4(4) sets out the provisions with respect to the assessing of persons to and their liability in respect of the rate. This section removes past anomalies as to the date from which the occupier is liable to be rated. The provisions are mainly administrative.

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Amendment of Rate.

By Section 5 the Rating Authority may make such amendments in a rate (current or last preceding) as appear to them necessary, including the correction of errors therein, additions to or omissions therefrom. From the section it would appear that these powers can only be exercised by the Rating Authority, unless delegation in fact takes place.

A proviso to the section requires that seven days' notice (before making any of the above amendments) shall be given to the occupier or owner as the case may be of the hereditament, except where the amendment is not necessitated by an alteration in the Valuation List, and the effect is to alter the amount appearing in the Rate as chargeable in respect of any hereditament. The wording of the section is somewhat ambiguous, and will need careful consideration.

Publication of Rate.

Section 6 provides that notice of every rate shall be given within seven days after the making thereof.

Provisions as to Precepts.

Section 9 provides that Precepts from the Guardians shall be on the poundage principle as and from the 1st April, 1927, and those of the County Council, as and from the 1st April, 1929.

Duty of making sufficient rates, etc.

Section 12 provides that every Local Authority shall make sufficient rates to meet the total estimated expenditure out of rates during the period in respect of which the rate is made. Such expenditure may have relation to a period beyond six months before the making of the rate.

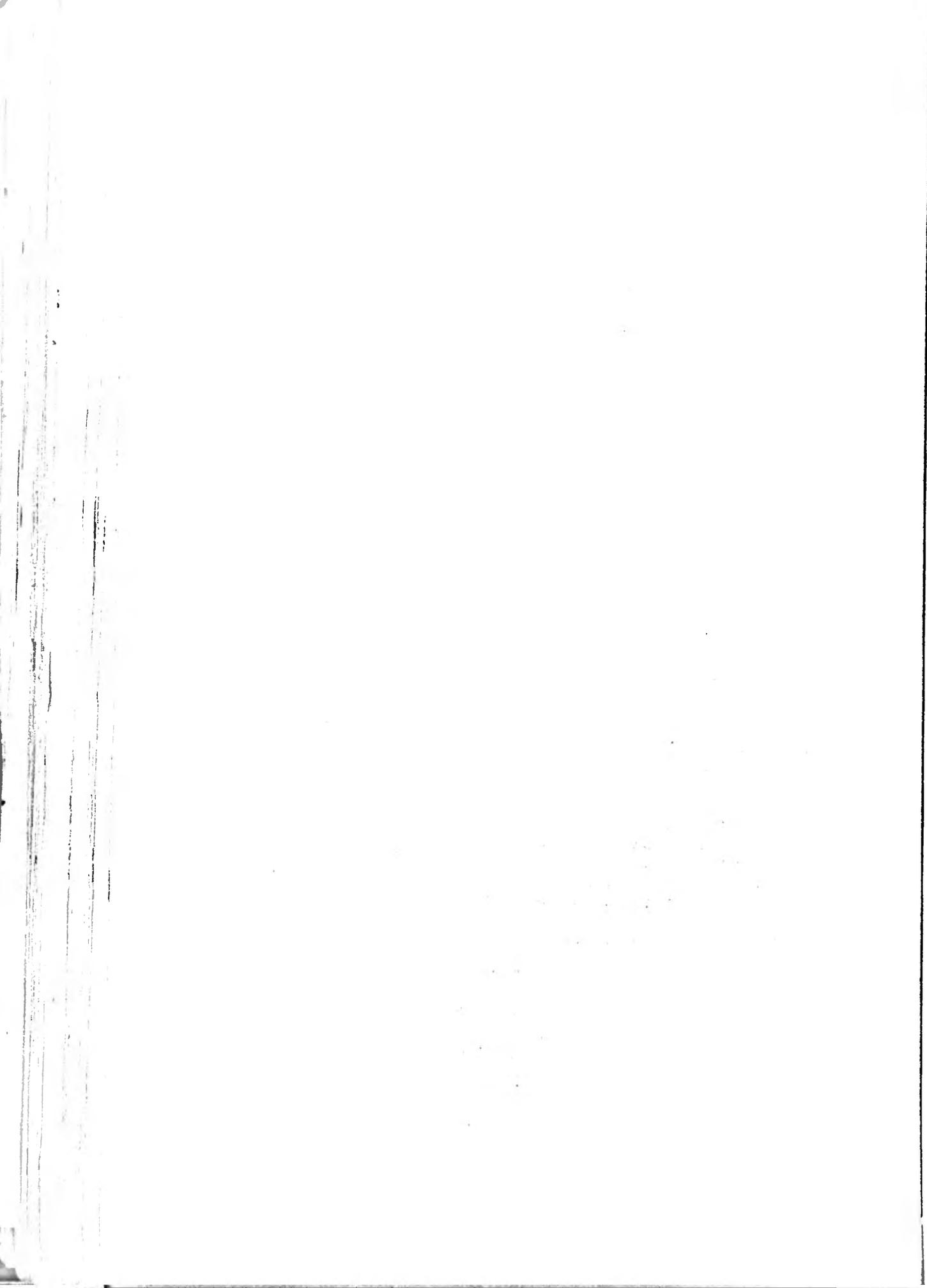
The Treasurer of the Local Authority may make temporary advances at interest in certain cases, to meet the Local Authority's requirements. There is power of surcharge if the District Auditor is satisfied that circumstances arise from neglect to make or collect rates etc.

Power for securing payment of Precepts.

Section 13 contains provision for enforcing payment of Precepts by appointment of a Receiver, and provides that in case of delay in payment, interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be payable by the Rating Authority from the date when the amount became payable under the Precept.

Recovery of Rates from tenants and lodgers.

Under Section 15, the Authority have power by notice to obtain rates from tenants, under-tenants and lodgers where the person rated is in arrear with rates and in receipt of rent from the rated hereditament. This right of the Local Authority is postponed to that of distress for rent.



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Power to make rules.

Under Section 58, the Minister of Health is empowered to make rules with regard to the form of any rate, demand, etc.

Service of Notices etc.

Section 59 provides the method in which any notice, demand or other document may be served, i.e. by delivery, by post, or by affixion to some conspicuous part of the premises.

Inspection of documents.

Any ratepayer (whether a ratepayer in the rating area or not) may inspect and take copies of and extracts from any ratebook, etc.

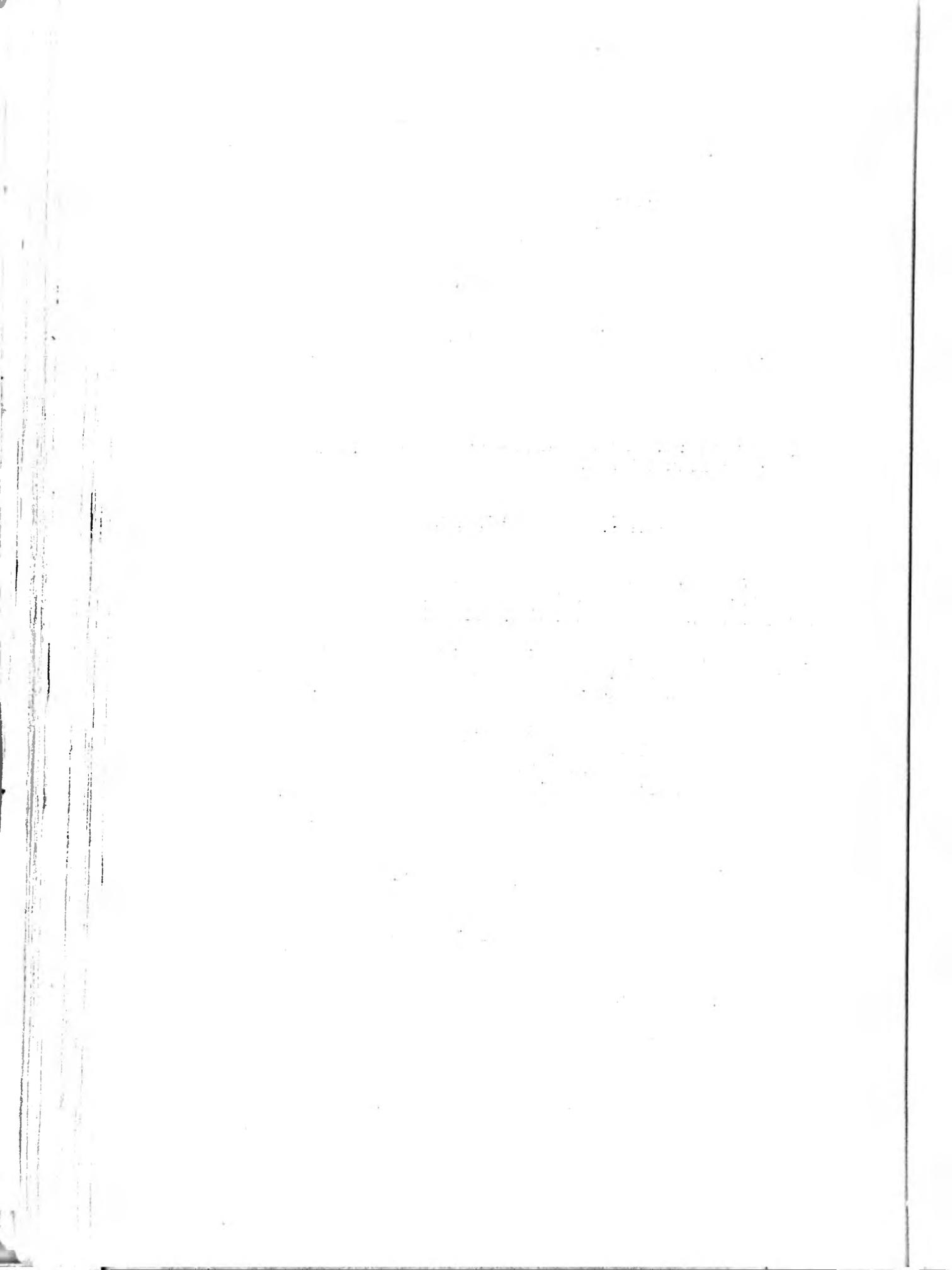
Crown Property.

Under Section 64, the Crown may continue to make contributions in lieu of rates.

PART II OF THE REPORT.

The under-mentioned Sections of the Act will operate as and from the date when the first new Valuation List comes into force, namely, the 1st April, 1929:-

- (i) A General Rate for the whole district takes the place of the Poor Rate and of any other rate which the Council have power to levy (Section 2(1)).
- (ii) This General Rate is to be at a uniform amount in the pound (Section 2(3)), except where an additional item is levied to cover amounts chargeable upon a part of the rating area (Section 2(5)), or where relief is given in connexion with financial adjustments, parochial income, or other cause.
- (iii) The remission of rates on account of poverty no longer needs the approval of the Justices (Section 2(4)).
- (iv) The period of currency of a rate runs from the first day of the financial period instead of from the date the rate is made (Section 4(2)). And the amount due from a person who is in occupation for part of the period is to be the proportion which corresponds exactly with his occupation (Section 4(4)).
- (v) Fuller regulations as to the information to be given on rate demand notes comes into force (Section 7).
- (vi) An option to allow a discount, not exceeding 2½ per cent., for prompt payment, becomes available (Section 8).
- (vii) The borough fund account and district fund account of a borough are merged into one account (Section 10).



- (viii) A new code of provisions in regard to the rating of owners and agreements with owners takes the place of the provisions in the Poor Rate Assessment and Collection Act, 1869, and the Public Health Act, 1875 (Section 11).
- (ix) Rates are no longer subject to appeal in connexion with matters which could be the subject of objection to and appeal against the valuation list (Section 14)
- (x) The agricultural reliefs and certain special reliefs are to be given in arriving at rateable value instead of by reduction of rate charge (Section 22).
- (xi) The question of whether a dwelling-house let out in parts is to be rated as one hereditament or as several hereditaments is governed by new provisions (Section 23).

If the Committee desire, we shall be glad to issue a further report on these several sections at the opportune time.

The above report is supplemental to reports which were issued to the Rating and Valuation Sub-Committee.

We are, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servants,

E.H. LISTER,

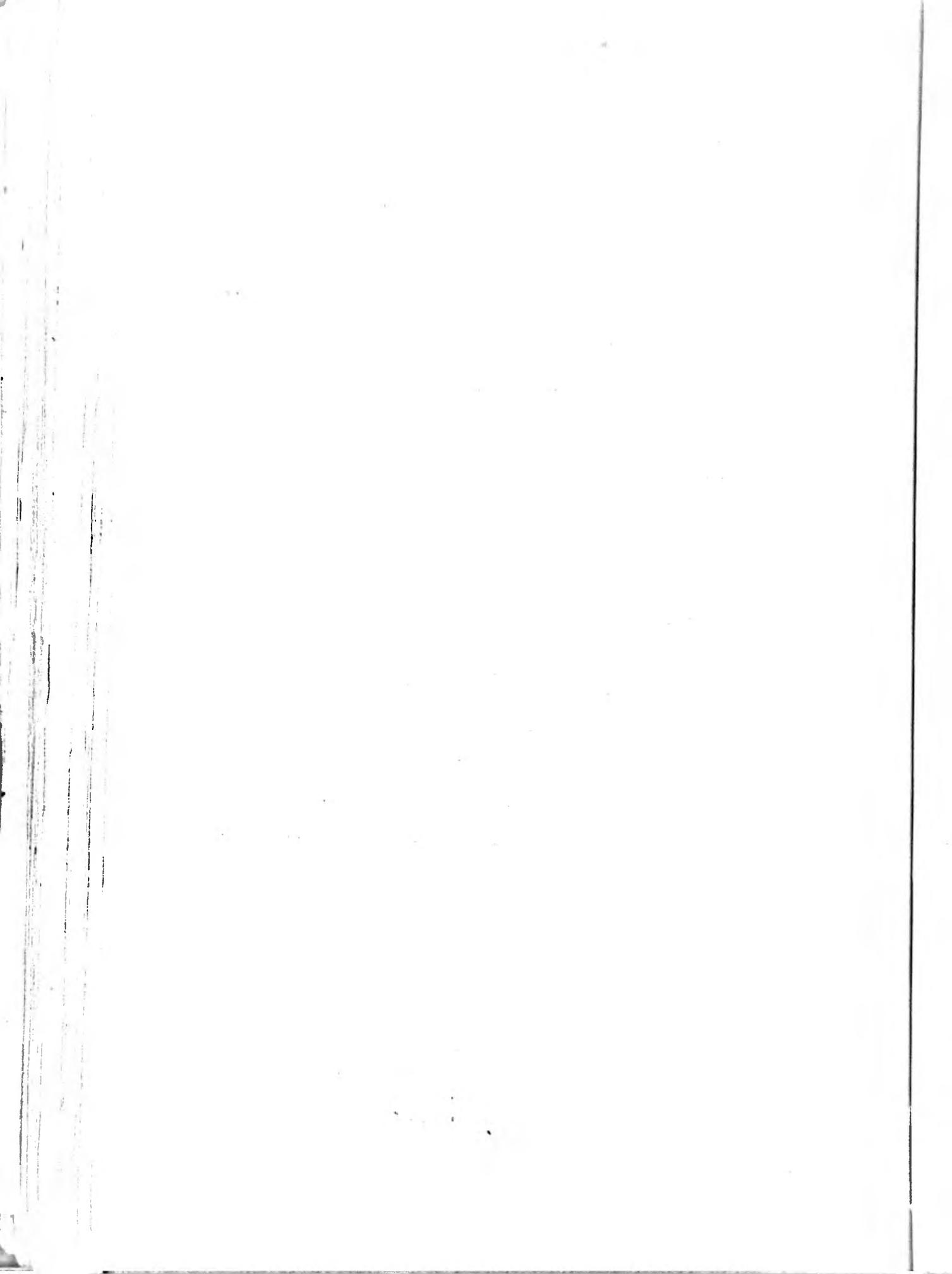
Clerk of the Council.

C.F. CARPENTER,

Accountant to the Council.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the Joint Report of the Clerk and of the Accountant referred to in paragraph 1289 of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th December 1927.


Chairman.



FINANCE (continued).

1292 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

1293 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £9627 5 1

Cr. (Nov. 1st—30th) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Collector, North ...	1057	8 3		3 0	
Collector, South ...	1183	14 4			
Cashier ...	18122	1 9	6	15 9	
	<u>20363</u>	<u>4 4</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>18 9</u>	
					<u>20370 3 1</u>
Leaving balance in hand ...					£10742 18 0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

Middlesex County Council, on account of precept ...	6699	10 5			
Barnet Guardians, on account of precept	4997	0 0			
Finchley Urban District Council (Education A/c) on account of precept	3462	10 0			
General District Fund—transfer—					
Proportion salaries, etc., December	208	16 9			
Invoices and petty cash	12	4 0			
			<u>221</u>	<u>0 9</u>	
					<u>15380 1 2</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...					£4637 3 2

1294 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £11,478 10s. 2d., made up as follows :—

FINANCE (continued).

			£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn per last report ...	...	...	9001	5	2
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—					
Employees' contributions ...	97	1	7		
Council's contributions ...	185	3	9		
			<u>282</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>
Less Superannuation payments and					
refunds of contributions ...	140	3	0		
			<u>142</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>
					9143 7 6
Cr. (Nov. 1st—30th) on account of—					
	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.
Collector, North	644	9	6	4	0
Collector, South	721	9	5		
Cashier	11096	13	4	9	8
	<u>12462</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>12</u>
					12472 4 9
By Cashier (Nov. 1st—30th), general					
receipts ...	3038	16	9		
,, Farm Clerk (Nov. 3rd) ...	2	18	0		
,, Bath Supt. (Nov. 2nd—28th) ...	407	14	4		
,, Collector (Nov. 2nd—23rd) general					
rents ...	11	9	8		
,, Treasurer, from Middlesex County					
Council, on account of Main					
Roads, 1927/28 ...	3836	0	0		
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, pro-					
portion salaries and office ex-					
penses ...	208	16	9		
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages,					
and petty cash from—					
Poor Rate Account	12	4	0		
Workmen's Dwellings					
Revenue Accounts	267	11	8		
Housing (Assisted					
Schemes) Account	66	15	5		
Genl. Loan Accounts	505	8	5		
	<u>851</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>		
					20829 19 9
					<u>11686 12 3</u>

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Deduct cheques drawn December 14th, to—			
Pellow & Wright, certificate ...	173	6	8
Bank of England, interest on loans	34	15	5
		208	2 1
Leaving balance in hand ...	£11478	10	2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Barclay's Bank, Ltd., fees	2	0	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., hydrants, etc. ...	26	18	1
Blundell, Spence & Co., Ltd., enamel	1	5	0
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., piping	1	19	11
British Petroleum Co., petroleum	4	17	6
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	108	12	0
Burroughs, Wellcome & Co., antitoxin	5	0	10
Butterworth & Co., Ltd., book	1	18	3
Chambers & Garnett, charges	14	14	0
Cloke, G. E., granite	27	15	6
Cluttons, rent	18	9	2
Cockerell & Co., anthracite	3	6	0
Congregational Hall Trustees, rent	12	10	0
Connolly, J. W. & T., Ltd., tyres	2	12	11
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement ...	7	12	6
Corbould, F., winding clocks	2	10	0
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., piping, etc.	7	1	4
Deards, R., certificate	483	16	8
Death, C., rent	5	0	0
Dodd, J., fish	2	10	2
East, E., rent	9	4	2
Endersby, W. A., firewood	1	5	0
Finchley Charities, rent	37	10	0
Finchley Urban District Council, public lighting, etc.	566	8	8
Freeman & Son, rent	45	0	0
French, W. & C., use of shoot	1	2	0
Friend, A., fruit, etc.	2	16	2
Friern Barnet Urban District Council, drainage ...	94	6	10
Gardeners' Chronicle, Ltd., advertisement ...	1	3	0
General Electric Co., Ltd., salammoniac	1	12	2
Glico Petroleum Co., Ltd., spirit	2	5	10
Gray Bros. (East Finchley), Ltd., coal	3	13	0
Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., siftings, etc.	129	13	9

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Hall Brothers, certificate	101	19	5
Halls, C. & Sons, certificate	208	8	7
Hammond, S. & Co., repairs	4	7	0
Hatchett, J., fodder	8	8	6
Herts Gravel & Brick Works, Ltd., ballast, etc. ...	118	17	9
Hornsey, Finchley & Wood Green Joint Hospital, grant	5	5	0
Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., blocks ...	92	16	8
Joyce & Co., timber	2	8	0
Judd, W., Ltd., advertising	5	5	0
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., cupboard	6	16	0
Keevans, jackets	2	12	6
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., cement	11	7	0
Lees & Co., fees	10	0	0
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	12	18	4
London Brick Co. & Forders, Ltd., bricks	21	6	0
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., printing	34	9	0
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves, etc.	2	18	0
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk, etc.	8	14	9
Miscellaneous Disposals Syndicate, Ltd., safe, etc.	42	2	6
Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	5	14	0
New Synergy Co., lamps	1	12	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., coke, etc.	27	4	4
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	241	7	10
Peake, W., rent	8	0	0
Peake, Bird, Collins & Co., rent	36	5	2
Pearson, T. E. & Co., Ltd. wallpaper	2	15	1
Perry, W. H., Ltd., repairs	2	12	6
Plowman, C. W., rent	12	10	0
Pocock Bros., Ltd., boots	15	14	6
Postmaster, 80, High Street, N. 12, licence	40	0	0
Postmaster-General, rentals	33	12	3
St. Pancras Burial Board, rent	32	10	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., paraffin, etc.	3	15	9
Sampson, T., Ltd., lamps, etc.	3	8	7
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	28	0	1
Solicitors' Journal, subscription	2	14	0
Stanton Ironworks Co., Ltd., pipes	19	13	0
Steele, A., repairs	22	7	8
Sweet & Maxwell, Ltd., books	1	11	6
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	76	15	7
Tyler, H. J., rent	5	10	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Vacuum Oil Co., Ltd., oil	14	15	3
Walker, J., team labour	316	5	9
Williams, J. R., shoes	1	0	0
Williams Brothers, groceries	9	18	4
Woodrow, A. C. & Co., frames	52	4	0
Yale & Towne Co., locks, etc.	2	0	4
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Total Invoices	£3357	7	11
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, wages	32	8	11
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account, on account of rate contribution	1764	0	0
Bank of England, repayment of loans	1773	2	6
Barclay's Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans	1163	0	0
Salaries—December.—			
Clerk	100	3	10
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	18	0
Dentist	3	11	9
Accountant to pay staff	1095	8	2
Ditto firemen	134	6	11
Accountant's Wages Account	1200	0	0
Ditto ditto	1600	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	565	16	3
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	£12961	7	2

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	11478	10	2
Cheques recommended for payment	12961	7	2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£1482	17	0

1295 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £1633 6 10

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., certificate	1000	0	0			
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd., certificate	1080	0	0			
Park Royal Engineering Co., Ltd., certificate	89	12	0			
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd., certificate ...	257	8	0			
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	2137	9	1			
					4564	9 1
Leaving balance overdrawn					£6197	15 11

1296 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was	£1778	4	2
Cr. by Cashier (Nov. 1st—30th), amount received from consumers' services	172	3	0
Leaving balance in hand	£1950	7	2

1297 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was	£1342	10	3
Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	46	9	6
Council's contributions	69	2	10
		115	12 4
Cr. (Nov. 1st—Dec. 1st) by—			1226 17 11

Cashier	5348	16	9
Collector	469	7	3
	5818	4	0
Transfers for invoices, stores & wages from—			
General District Fund (gas lamps)	32	8	11
E.L. Loans Account 2137 9 1	2169	18	0
		7988	2 0
Leaving in hand			9214 19 11

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Deduct cheques drawn Dec. 14th, to—			
Biram & Co., coal	212	14	9
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	499	18	0
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		712	12 9
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		8502	7 2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	10	15	0
Barnes Brand & Co., flare-lamp ...	6	2	6
Bishop, S. & C. & Co., Ltd., gauge glasses	1	0	3
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire ...	2	8	7
Brown Bros., Ltd., oil	7	18	0
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	1788	0	6
Chisholm's Ltd., files	4	3	1
Collins Electrical, Ltd., winding coil ...	1	18	6
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	2	8	3
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., furnace pan	1	14	5
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., books	1	17	6
Dorman & Smith, Ltd., fuses	5	17	7
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, fuses, etc.	23	18	3
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., pole, etc.	55	9	2
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	102	8	0
Finchley Urban District Council, rates, etc.	815	1	5
Goard, T. W., cartage	4	1	8
Gray Bros., Ltd., slack, etc.	11	15	0
Gray, C., thermometers	4	6	0
Haynes, G., cartage	86	5	2
Hayward, W. & Sons, Ltd., gates ...	11	10	0
Hendon Urban District Council, rates	1	7	4
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd., moving panel	14	10	0
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning cloths	3	19	10
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters	216	0	0
Jackson Electric Stove Co., Ltd., radiators	4	6	9
Johnson, W. H. & Sons, Ltd., timber	44	8	11
Jelks, W. & Sons, tables	1	17	6

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., cement ...	2	15	4
London County Council, testing meters	3	5	0
Middlesex County Council, licences ...	49	0	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., cards ...	1	10	6
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd., panels ...	8	5	0
Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., premium ...	1	1	3
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., wire	1	6	9
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., envelopes ...	3	11	10
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil ...	43	18	3
Siemens Electric Lamps & Supplies, Ltd., fuses ...	1	3	6
Sparrow, C. & Son, fees ...	5	5	0
Standard Telephones & Cables, Ltd., telephones ...	12	1	4
Tapp & Toothill, Ltd., cards ...	1	13	6
Underfeed Stoker Co., Ltd., links ...	2	1	0
West Ham Testing Laboratory, test- ing fees ...	2	10	0
Willcox, W. H. & Co., Ltd., shovels	19	6	0
Windsor, H. & Co., Ltd., repairs ...	127	0	6
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards ...	11	15	6
Total Invoices ...	3514	12	11
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account, transfer, interest charges ...	24	11	1
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance ...	122	3	0
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	5	2	9
Electrical Engineer's Wages Account	600	0	0
Ditto ditto	600	0	0
Ditto Petty Cash A/c	40	0	0
		4906	9 9
Leaving balance in hand ...		£3595	17 5

1298 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £11074 11 8
Cr. by Cashier (Nov. 1st—25th), amount received from frontagers ... 32 12 11
Leaving balance in hand ... £11107 4 7

FINANCE (continued).

1299 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1062 1 9
Cr. by Collector (Nov. 2nd—30th)—

Rents	176	10	5
Allotments	1	5	0
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				177	15	5
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				1239	17	2

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	159	3	10
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Leaving balance in hand	...	£1080	13	4

1300 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2193 5 7
Cr. by Collector (Nov. 2nd—30th), rents ' ...

...	...	334	8	3
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		2527	13	10

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	108	7	10
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Leaving balance in hand	...	£2419	6	0

1301 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this account per last report was £9572 13 3
Cr. by Collector (Nov. 1st—30th), rents

894	6	9		
By Treasurer from Ministry of Health, balance of Exchequer subsidy, 1925/6	...	...
209	19	7		
Transfer from General District Fund, on account of rate contribution, 1927/8	...	...
1764	0	0		
Transfer from E.L. Revenue Account, interest on delayed payment for electric fittings		
24	11	1		
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		2892	17	5
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		6679	15	10

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	66	15	5
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Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£6746	11	3

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FINANCE (continued).

1302 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1749 5 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts :—

French, W. & C., certificate	...	490	8	0	
General District Fund, transfer, petty cash	...	14	10	0	
					<u>504 18 0</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...				<u>£1244 7 5</u>

1303 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this account per last report was £8038 18 0
Cr. amount received (Nov. 28th) from Middlesex

County Council on account of—

Main Roads Woodpaving	...	3113	0	0	
Willow Lodge Improvement	...	253	0	0	
					<u>3366 0 0</u>
					<u>4672 18 0</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts :—

Ball, C., certificates	...	699	6	4	
Day, S., purchase money, land—					
Manor Parade	...	50	0	0	
Godfrey, G. A., costs <i>re</i> above	...	4	4	0	
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	...	40	6	6	
					<u>793 16 10</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...				<u>£5466 14 10</u>

1304 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £11856 6 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash	...	24	0	0	
Leaving balance overdrawn	...				<u>£11880 6 7</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1305 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.
—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was— £11070 0 0

Deduct amount received (Nov. 11th), from Public Works Loan Board on Mortgage	...	...	4610	0	0
			<u>6460</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under:—

Chambers & Garnett—

Ditto	re Sharpe, J. H.	...	710	0	0
Ditto	re Saunders, S. H. M.	...	500	0	0
Ditto	re Flower, G.	...	520	0	0
Ditto	re Ayers, F.	...	550	0	0
Ditto	re Palmer, S. E. B.	...	600	0	0
Ditto	re McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs.	...	760	0	0
			<u>3640</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £10,100 0 0

1306 HOSPITALS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this Account per report of 23rd May, 1927, was £ 11 2

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund	...	...	...	...	11	2
Leaving balance	...	...	...	...	<u>Nil.</u>	

This account is now closed.

1307 RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per report of 24th October, was £400 3 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, stores, etc.	...	...	...	...	7	6	2
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...	...	<u>£392</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

1308 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1630 12 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc....	...	327 17 0
Leaving balance in hand	...	<u>£1302 15 7</u>

1309 PUBLIC CONVENIENCES LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account at 31st March, 1927, was £67 16 10

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, for repayment of loan	...	67 16 10
Leaving balance	... ..	<u>Nil.</u>

This account is now closed.

1310 PUBLIC OFFICES LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account at 31st March, 1927, was £1 12 0

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund	... ..	1 12 0
Leaving balance	... ..	<u>Nil.</u>

This account is now closed.

1311 ALLOTMENTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account at 31st March, 1927, was £21 8 9

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund for repayment of loan	...	21 8 9
Leaving balance	... ..	<u>Nil.</u>

This account is now closed.

1312 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £843 12 11

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Cr. by Treasurer—			
Nov. 15. Interest on India 4½ per cent. Stock less tax	100	16	0
Dec. 1. Interest on War Loan 5 per cent. Stock	37	2	10
Transfers received (Dec. 2nd) from—			
General District Fund	142	2	4
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	115	12	4
Education Account	39	17	2
	<u>297</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>
		<u>435</u>	<u>10 8</u>
			<u>1279 3 7</u>
RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—			
Accountant for investment	1000	0	0
			<u>1000 0 0</u>
Leaving balance in hand	£279	3	7
			<u>£279 3 7</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

	Present Actual Balance 30th Nov., 1927		Recommended per Report, 12th Dec., 1927.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
	CR.	DR.	Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques.	CR.	DR.
			CR.	DR.			
Poor Rate	£ 10743	£ ...	£ ...	£ 221	£ 15159	£ ...	£ 4637
General District Fund	10026	...	1061	1797	17373	...	1483
Private Street Works Fund	11107	...	...	...	...	11107	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	1240	...	...	159	...	1081	...
" " No. 2	2527	...	...	108	...	2419	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	8469	1789	67	...	...	6747
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans	1749	...	...	15	490	1244	...
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	4673	...	40	754	...	5467
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	11856	...	24	...	...	11880
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	400	...	...	7	...	393	...
Hospitals Loans	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
Refuse Destructor Loan	1631	...	...	328	...	1303	...
Public Conveniences Loans	68	...	...	68	...	...	...
Allotments Loans	21	...	...	21	...	...	...
Public Offices Loans	2	...	...	2	...	...	...
Storeyards Loans ... ..	...	45	...	...	...	...	45
Workmen's Dwellings Loans ... ..	...	41	...	...	...	...	41
Electric Lighting Revenue	7045	...	2170	24	5595	3596	...
" " Capital Suspense	1950	...	...	...	...	1950	...
" " Loans ... ..	...	1633	...	2138	2427	...	6108
Education ... ..	...	1926	...	...	4032	...	5958
" Loans ... ..	...	34	...	...	...	34	...
	£ 49144	28643	5020	5020	39830	23127	42456

Net Debit ... £19,329

FINANCE (continued).

1314 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement:—

(a) General District Rate.—

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates col- lected as per pre- vious statement ...	50662	6	1
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928 ...	88200	0	0	Amount of rates col- lected since last statement	12462	12	3
Supplemental Assess- ments	819	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	26214	1	8
	<u>£89339</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£89339</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates col- lected as per pre- vious statement ...	83329	13	5
Estimated product of rates for year end- ing 31st March, 1928	145814	0	0	Amount of rates col- lected since last statement—	20363	4	4
Supplemental Assess- ments	1393	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	43864	2	3
	<u>£147557</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£147557</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1315 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account is the sum of £5,062 7s. 7d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report			£3936	11	7
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—					
Employees' contributions	...	15	1	1	
Council's contributions	...	24	16	1	
				39	17 2
					3976 8 9

Cr. by Cashier (Nov. 1st—30th)—

Contributions to Special					
School fees	...	28	19	4	
Medical treatment	...	22	5	6	
Needlework sales	...	3	12	0	
Use of rooms	...	35	10	5	
Unemployment Insurance					
Contributions (Staff)		3	7	2	
Unemployment Claims—					
Juvenile Employment Bureau	...	6	12	3	
				100	6 8
By Board of Education—instalment of					
Substantive grant	...	1950	0	0	
				2050	6 8
					1926 2 1
Add cheque drawn December 14th, to—					
Education Salaries Account	...			3136	5 6
					£5062 7 7
Leaving balance overdrawn	...				

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Angus, G. & Co., Ltd., fire hose	...	...	...	10	7	0
Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books, stationery, etc.	...	...	...	247	19	11
Beal, F., summonses	...	...	...	1	4	0
Besford Court Home, fees	...	...	...	22	10	0
Bryson, J. G., printing	...	...	...	4	17	0
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses, etc.	...	...	...	14	12	0
Comyn Ching & Co., Ltd., repairs	...	...	...	1	7	6
Cook, E. & Co., Ltd., soap	...	...	...	4	3	3

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Corbould, F., repairs	5	0	0
Coventry Mills Supplies Co., Ltd., dusters ...	3	6	6
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., anæsthetic ...	6	7	6
Electrolux, Ltd., brush	15	6	
Finchley, Hornsey & Wood Green Joint Special School, precept	138	8	0
Finchley Urban District Council, electricity, etc. ...	19	7	
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., apparatus	11	3	
Halls, C. & Sons, repairs	1	4	6
Hammer, G. M. & Co., Ltd., chairs	30	0	0
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., apparatus	1	10	8
Institutional Children—			
Ealing Corporation	13	6	9
Oxfordshire County Council	3	0	9
Reigate Borough Council	5	1	3
Surrey County Council	19	13	2
Jelks, W. & Sons, furniture	10	5	0
Jeyes' Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd., cyllin ...	1	8	0
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., needlework materials ...	31	7	6
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., rent ...	10	0	
Managers of Christ Church Schools, repairs ...	18	15	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	1	16	0
Newton, Chambers & Co., Ltd., "Izal"	1	15	6
North Finchley Congregational Church, rent ...	4	7	6
North Middlesex Gas Co., coke	22	15	0
Salmon, J. & Son, Ltd., cleaning materials ...	32	15	8
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	14	19	7
Townson & Mercer, Ltd., apparatus	1	6	7
Warren, S. D. & Co., brushes, etc.	8	6	0
 Total Invoices	 686	 13	 5
Barclay's Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans 23 and 26	26	10	0
Salaries—December.—			
Turner, A. A.	43	17	1
Cogdale, J.	52	18	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
Stevens, H.	25	0	0
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Accountant to pay petty cash	157	14	11
	25	0	0
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	£895	18	4

FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.		£	s.	d.
Balance overdrawn	5062	7	7
Cheques recommended for payment	...	895	18	4
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Leaving balance overdrawn		£5958	5	11
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C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman, *pro tem.*

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3-
25th January, 1928

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 30th day of January, 1928, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Legal and Parliamentary and Electricity (Sub)** Joint Meeting of the 30th December, 1927,
 - (b) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 9th January, 1928,
 - (c) **Public Health** of the 10th January, 1928,
 - (d) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 11th January, 1928,

- (c) **Allotments** of the 12th January, 1928,
- (f) **Education** of the 16th January, 1928,
- (g) **General Purposes** of the 18th January, 1928,
- (h) **Electricity** of the 18th January, 1928,
- (i) **Finance** of the 19th January, 1928.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 19th January, 1928.”

7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

8. Tenders :—

(a) Annual Contracts.

(b) Surface Water Sewer Works near Avondale Road and Clifford Road, East Finchley.

(c) Improvement Works—Green Lane, Finchley.

(d) Footpath Works, Nether Street, Finchley.

9. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

10. Reports of Committees :—

(a) **Electricity (Special)** of the 6th January, 1928.

(b) **Public Health** of the 10th January, 1928.

(c) **General Purposes (Special)** of the 25th January, 1928.

11. Reports of Officers.

12. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
WEDNESDAY,
28th December, 1927.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on WEDNESDAY, the
28th day of December, 1927.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pateman, G. H.
Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Syrett, C. S.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

1316 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1317 TENDERS.—

(a) Improvement Works—Friern Barnet Lane.—

(b) Road and Sewer Works—Housing Scheme No. 4—Summers Lane, North Finchley.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and dealt with by the Council in Committee.

1318 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).(a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 5th December, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 1169 (2) (a)—(Town Planning—Scheme No. 2—Essex Park Estate) it was

RESOLVED that the development plan and schedule of conditions to be attached to the form of permission be approved.

(b) **Public Health** of the 6th December, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 1180 (d) (Sanitary Inspector's Report—Slaughterhouse Licences) it was

RESOLVED that " Thomas Sidney Lane " be substituted for " Frances Lane " in the schedule contained therein.

Arising out of paragraph 1184 (Nursing Homes (Registration) Bill), the Clerk reported on the matter and submitted a communication, dated 22nd December, 1927, from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association stating that Earl Russell moved the amendment in the House of Lords but that it was ultimately withdrawn; further, that the Bill received the Royal Assent on the 22nd December, 1927.

(c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th December, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 1198 (Street Accidents) it was

RESOLVED that the words " at the present time " be inserted after the word " cannot " in the first line of recommendation (c).

Arising out of paragraph 1193 (Fire Alarm—Corner of Regents Park Road and East End Road) the Chairman of the Committee reported that the cost of installing the above fire alarm call point (including first year's rental) would be approximately £16 13s. 7d., made up as follows :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Repaired fire alarm post	3	14	1
New fire alarm head	9	10	0
G.P.O. Rental (annual)	2	3	6
Erection and re-instatement—approx- imately	1	6	0
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	£16	13	7
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and that in subsequent years the cost would be limited to a sum of £2 3s. 6d., representing the rental;

RESOLVED that the above expenditure be approved and that instructions be given for the necessary work to be put in hand.

(d) **Allotments** of the 8th December, 1927.

Arising out of paragraph 1220 (1) (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land)) letters relative to the question of payment of compensation to dispossessed allottees were read from—

- (i) Mr. T. E. Andrews, Assistant Commissioner of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, explaining that the Council's proposals with regard to the payment of compensation was a matter in which the Ministry were not **officially** concerned but expressing his personal opinion that the proposals were fair;
- (ii) the Ministry of Health, dated 15th December, 1927, stating that, in the circumstances, and in order to prevent any difficulty at the audit, the Minister sanctioned the payment by the Council of the sum of £888 in connection with the appropriation of certain lands situate at Summers Lane, for the purposes of allotments and playing fields and that the sanction was given subject to the production of proper vouchers to the District Auditor.

(e) **Education** of the 12th December, 1927.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(f) **General Purposes** of the 13th December, 1927.

(g) **Electricity** of the 14th December, 1927, with the exception of paragraphs 1266 (Staff) and 1272 (Extension of Generating Plant—Proposed Loan, £24,000) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1272, the Chairman of the Committee reported that the conference therein referred to had taken place and that it was his intention to report thereon to the Council in Committee.

Arising out of paragraph 1271 (Hamilton Road Dépôt) the Clerk reported that the difference in the rent referred to was £8 per annum.

(h) **Finance** of the 14th December, 1927, with the exception of paragraph 1280 (a) (Allotments—East Finchley) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

1319 **GREATER LONDON DRAINAGE**.—A letter, dated 14th December, 1927, was submitted from the Ministry of Health stating that they were, in conjunction with the Chief Engineer of the London County Council, making a survey of the drainage of London and adjacent areas draining naturally into the Thames and its tributaries.

1320 **HOARDING—CHURCH END RAILWAY BRIDGE**.—A letter, dated 7th December, 1927, was submitted from the Empire Marketing Board stating that it had been decided to remove the frame from its present position to the face of the parapet wall;

RESOLVED that the thanks of the Council be accorded to them for the action taken.

1321 **IN PARLIAMENT—SESSION, 1928**.—

(a) **Barnet District Gas and Water Bill**.—A print of the above was submitted;

RESOLVED that the matter be referred to the Legal and Parliamentary Sub-Committee for consideration and report.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply (Consolidation) Bill.—A print of the above was submitted, together with Notice from the Promoters of application for repeal of Section 13 of the Company's Act of 1909 containing provisions for the protection of this Council.

It was moved by Councillor Agar and seconded by Councillor Bowen "that the matter be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration with power to act."

An amendment was proposed by Councillor Merry and duly seconded "that the matter be referred to a Joint Meeting of the Legal and Parliamentary Sub-Committee and of the Electricity Sub-Committee for consideration with power to act."

On being put the amendment was carried, eight voting in favour and six against.

It was thereupon

RESOLVED that the Joint Meeting take place on Friday, the 30th December, 1927, at 8 p.m.; that notice thereof be sent to all Members of the Electricity Committee; and that the Clerk endeavour to obtain prints of the Bill for circulation amongst the Members.

1322 LICENSED PREMISES—TRANSFERS.—

- (a) "The Cricketers," High Road, North Finchley—Sale of Beer.—Notice of application to the Justices for transfer of licence in respect of the above premises from Frederick Adams to Abby Kate Adams was submitted;
- (b) 16, Princes Parade—Beer, Wine and Spirits.—Notice of application to the Justices for transfer of licence in respect of the above premises from Frank Snell to Arthur Frank Snell was submitted;

RESOLVED that no action be taken thereon.

1323 LOCAL AUTHORITIES' MOTOR VEHICLES—EXEMPTION FROM TAX.—A letter, dated 21st December, 1927, was submitted from the Northfleet Urban District Council forwarding copy of the following resolution :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

"That, in the opinion of this Council, motor vehicles used by Local Authorities should be exempt from tax, having regard to the fact that such vehicles are used for the community at large and not for profit and that H.M. Government be urged to institute legislation accordingly."

It was suggested that this Council should support the resolution and notify the Prime Minister, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Minister of Transport and the Local Member of Parliament accordingly;

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Knowlman and seconded by Councillor Merry, that this be agreed.

1324 COBLEY'S FARM—SITE OF.—The Chairman of the Council reported that arrangements had been made for the Tablet presented by Major The Hon. Edward Cadogan, C.B., M.P., to be unveiled by Lady Tree on Friday, the 13th January, 1928, and that he had been asked by Major Cadogan to extend to each Member of the Council a hearty invitation to be present at the ceremony.

1325 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that Orders in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums (a) mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, amounting to £45,431 19s. 4d., and (b) hereunder specified amounting to £2,766 14s. 1d. :—

General District Fund Account.—

	£	s.	d.
Attorney General	521	14	1
Accountant General	1300	0	0
Ditto	870	0	0
Finchley Memorial Hospital	75	0	0

£2,766 14 1

1326 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (1) Agreement with the Friern Barnet Urban District Council in regard to reception by this Council of surface water drainage of "Griffin Inn" Public House and "Green Man" Garage, Great North Road, Whetstone;
- (2) Agreement with the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., in regard to proposed siding at East Finchley;
- (3) Testimonial to Mr. C. W. Newbery;
- (4) Agreement with Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., in regard to electricity mains in Midholm and Dean's Way, Hampstead Garden Suburb;
- (5) Agreement with the Blaker Motor & Welding Company for tenancy of Hamilton Road Depot;
- (6) Order determining Closing Order made by the Council *re* Ivy Cottage, Red Lion Hill;
- (7) Licences (in duplicate) to each of the persons mentioned in paragraph 1180 (d) of the Public Health Committee's Report of the 6th December, 1927, for use and occupation as slaughter-houses of premises set opposite to their respective names for period ending 31st December, 1928;
- (8) Petroleum Licences (in duplicate) to the under-mentioned:—
 - (a) Direct Supply Aerated Water Co., Ltd.;
 - (b) Samuel Thomas Birkin;
 - (c) Simms Motor Units, Ltd.;
 - (d) Cecil Alfred Armstrong;
- (9) Orders on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in Minute No. 1325;
- (10) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £3,640 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (11) Agreement with North Finchley Allotment League *re* tenancy of sites "D," "E" and "P" on the Glebe Land;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (12) Interim Development Order in respect of Essex Park Estate;
- (13) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. Idris Lewis to the Council *re* 55, Brent Way (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (14) Surveyor's Apportionments of the cost of making up the streets included in the 17th Batch;
- (15) Agreement with the Postmaster-General with regard to fire alarm call point at the junction of Regents Park Road and East End Road;
- (16) Endorsement on agreement with the Middlesex County Council *re* Summers Lane School Site;
- * (17) Contract with Messrs. Bridgewater Bros. for the carrying out of Improvement Works in Friern Barnet Lane.

* See report of Council in Committee.

1327 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1328 STAFF.—Paragraph 1266 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be received and adopted.

1329 EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT—PROPOSED LOAN—£24,000.—Paragraph 1272 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, was considered and, arising thereout, the Chairman of the Committee made a full statement in connexion with the interview which took place with the Central Electricity Board on the 20th December, 1927, and a report of the Sub-Committee was submitted;

Amended

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the said paragraph of the Electricity Committee's report be received and adopted;
- (b) that the report of the Sub-Committee be received, adopted and entered on the Minutes of the Council;

Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

24th December, 1927.

COUNCIL MEETING - 28th DECEMBER, 1927.

P A R T I I

REPORT OF SUB-COMMITTEE APPOINTED RE SOUTH-EAST
ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME.

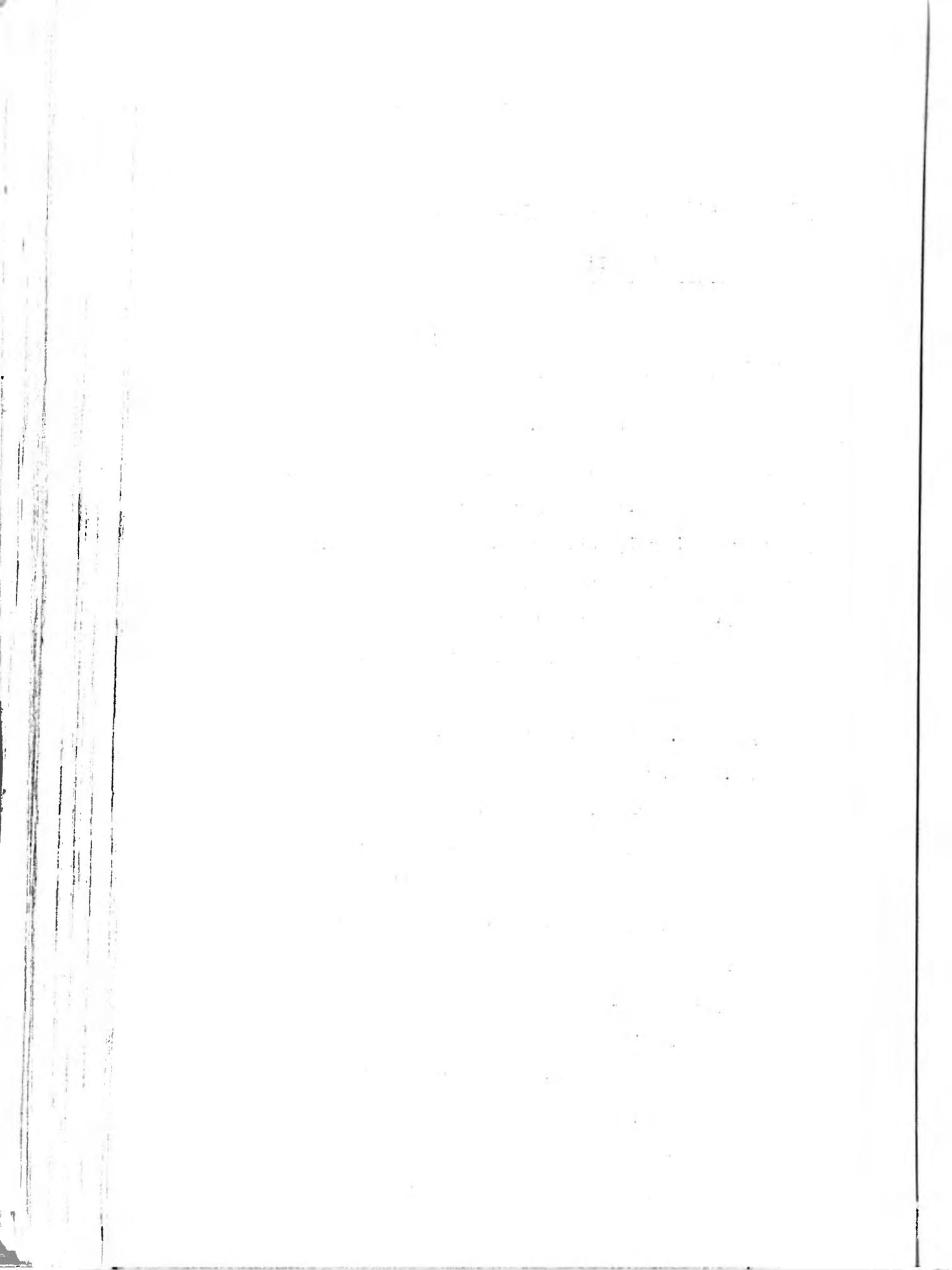
The Sub-Committee beg to report:-

That the Conference fixed by the Central Electricity Board herein was held at the offices of the Board on the 20th December, 1927; that Sir Lynden Macassey, K.C. and Mr. Edgar Macassey (who had been instructed on behalf of the Council) appeared before the Board in support of the Council's case arising out of the Representations made with regard to the Scheme.

That Sir Lynden took the view that irrespective of the merits or demerits of the proposed Scheme, the main object to be achieved so far as the Council were concerned for the present was to obtain the sanction of the Electricity Commissioners to the proposed loan for extension of plant.

That accordingly, he placed before the Board the whole of the correspondence which had passed between the Council and the Electricity Commissioners on this matter; he read each letter with telling force, and referred the Board as he proceeded to the various Acts of Parliament in order to show that the Electricity Commissioners were not within their rights in withholding the sanction to the loan.

That Sir Lynden also clearly stated the legal position as regards the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply



Company - with which the Board appeared to be impressed - and the Electrical Engineer supported him in a statement which he also made to the Board.

That the Board intimated that the Electricity Commissioners were the body seised with the power of granting or withholding sanction; that but for the Electricity Commissioners' reference of the Council to the Board, they might not have felt disposed to take any action in the matter; that as this

point was clear from the correspondence referred to, the Chairman intimated that he would communicate with the Electricity Commissioners and if possible expedite the matter.

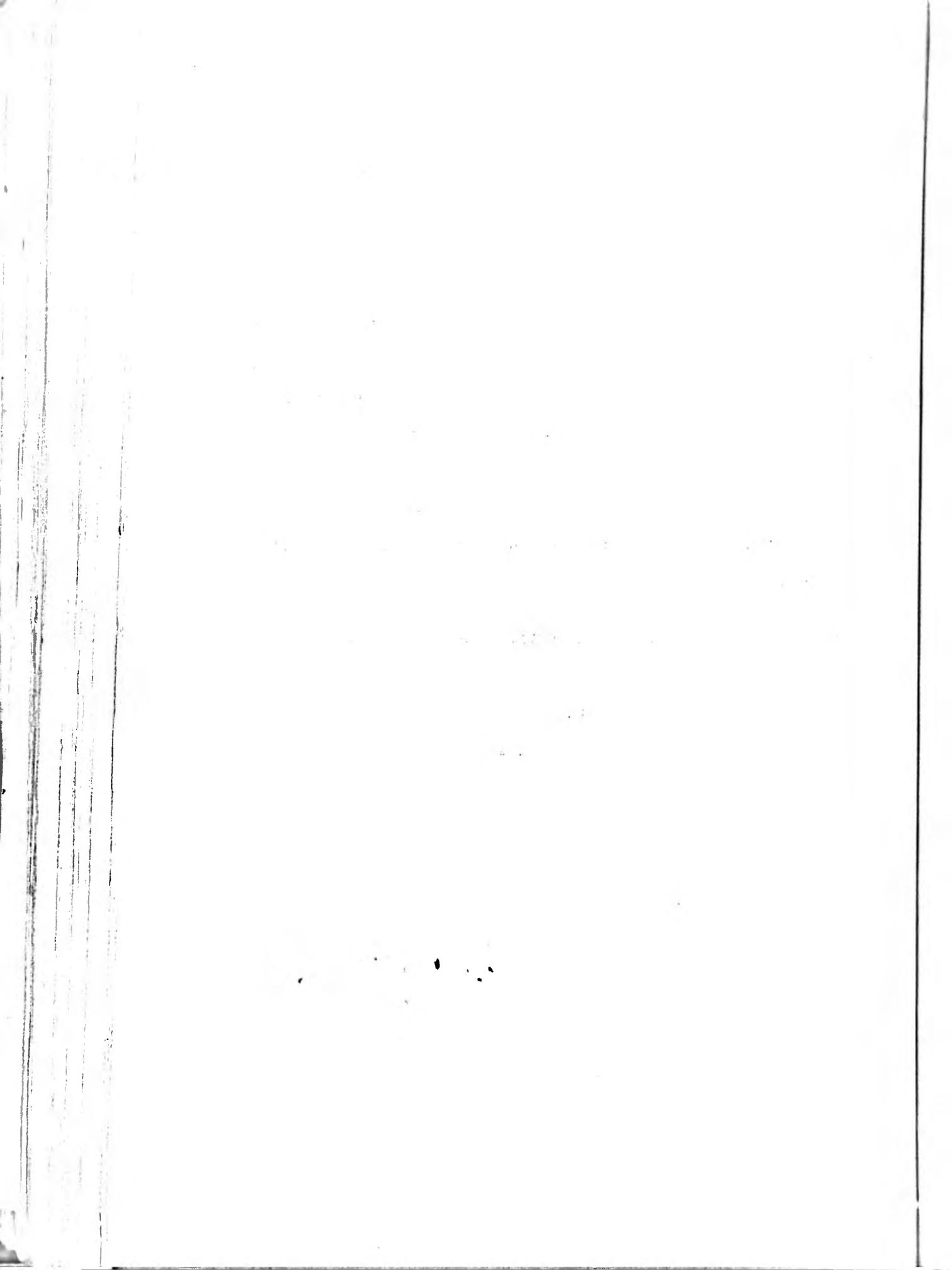
That it was felt that the Board gave a very sympathetic hearing to the case put forward on behalf of the Council;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

C.S. SYRETT,
Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph 1329 of the Council Minutes of the 28th December 1927.


Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (c) that the Electricity Committee consider the position of the Undertaking, having regard to the attitude of the Electricity Commissioners, and that a Special Meeting of that Committee be convened for Friday, the 6th January, 1928, at 8 p.m.

1330 ALLOTMENTS—EAST FINCHLEY.—Paragraph 1280 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, was considered, in conjunction with the following report of the Allotments Committee, dated 8th December, 1927:—

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent, Grocott and Wells, and Messrs. Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

ALLOTMENTS—EAST FINCHLEY.—The Committee gave this matter further consideration;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the purchase of the above land be proceeded with, provided the East Finchley Allotment Holders' Association, Ltd., are prepared to pay to the Council annually by way of rent a sum sufficient to meet the average interest on a loan of £3,850 (purchase price with legal and other charges) for 50 years calculated on the instalment basis;
- (2) that in order to give the Allotments Association an opportunity of considering the matter at their annual meeting, the Commissioners be asked to leave their offer open until the 29th February, 1928;
- (3) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

E. S. BOWEN,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the said paragraph of the Finance Committee's report be received and adopted.

1331 TENDERS.—

- (a) Improvement Works—Friern Barnet Lane.—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) Road and Sewer Works—Housing Scheme No. 4—Summers Lane, North Finchley.—The tenders received in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a) the tender of Messrs. Bridgewater Bros. (the lowest) at the sum of £1,116 12s. 9d. be accepted, subject to satisfactory references, etc., and to the sanction of the Ministry of Health being received to the loan;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract, and that same be added to the list of documents for sealing;
- (3) that as regards (b) the consideration of the tenders be deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

1332 PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 6th December, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, Ryan and H. O. Syrett.

- (1) PRIVATE DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—The Clerk reported upon an interview with Messrs. Lees & Company, which took place on the 30th November, 1927, at which the latter expressed grave doubts as to the likelihood of the proposed proceedings in the High Court meeting with success, and expressed the opinion that it was extremely desirable to adopt any practicable methods of repairing the drain rather than the Council should embark upon such litigation, and further, making the suggestion that the drains should be repaired by means of tunnelling, provided that, in the opinion of the Surveyor of the Council, this was practical;

RECOMMENDED that the recommendation "B" in paragraph 981 of the Council Minutes of 24th October, 1927, be affirmed.

- (2) STRAWBERRY VALE BROOK.—A communication, dated 28th November, 1927, was submitted from the County Surveyor,

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

forwarding copy of the following letter received from the Lee Conservancy Board with regard to samples of effluent taken from this Council's Works, and stating that he would be glad to have any observations which the Council might care to make in the matter.

Finchley Sewage.—The Board have had before them a report by their Chemist upon his analysis of a sample taken on the 8th inst., from the effluent from the Finchley Sewage Farm at the outfall to the Strawberry Vale Brook in which he states that the effluent was very unsatisfactory on account of an excess of suspended matter of an objectionable character, and they have desired me to draw the attention of your Council to the matter."

The Surveyor intimated that the sample of effluent in question had apparently been taken during the night in the absence, and without the knowledge of any Officer of this Council, and instructions were given to the Surveyor to inform the County Surveyor forthwith, that this Council were astonished to learn that this should have been done; to enquire under what authority the sample was taken and by whom.

The Clerk drew the attention of the Committee to the proceedings which took place before the Highgate Justices on the 7th February, 1923, when four summonses, issued at the instance of the Lee Conservancy Board, against the Council, in connexion with alleged pollution of the Strawberry Vale Brook, were dismissed: the Council contending that the Lee Conservancy Board had no power or authority whatever to interfere with the Strawberry Vale Brook, which was a tributary of the river Lee passing through the County of Middlesex; and that the Middlesex County Council Act, 1898, conferred upon the Middlesex County Council the sole power to deal with the pollution of that Brook within the County;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken by the Committee be approved;
- (b) that the County Surveyor be informed:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (1) that this Council cannot too strongly condemn the unauthorised manner adopted by the Lee Conservancy Board in taking the sample of effluent in question, and that they are not prepared to recognise it or any other sample so taken;
- (2) that no representative of the Lee Conservancy Board had any right whatever to enter upon the Council's Works for the purpose;
- (3) that, in the opinion of this Council, it is grossly unfair and improper that any sample taken should be submitted to analysis and this Council be reported to another Authority entirely without their knowledge.

J. BROADBENT,
Chairman.

Arising out of paragraph (1) (Private Drainage Works—Berriedale, Woodlea and Beulah Villa, Ballards Lane) the Clerk reported receipt of a letter, dated 7th December, 1927, from the Council's Surveyor stating that there did not appear to be any difficulty from an engineering standpoint which would prevent the work of relaying the single private drain being carried out entirely below the floor level and so obviate the necessity for entering the house itself; after full discussion and suspension of Standing Orders it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the recommendation contained in paragraph (1) above be not adopted;
- (2) that the resolution No. 981 (b) passed by the Council on the 24th October, 1927, be rescinded and the whole question referred to the Committee.

Arising out of paragraph (2) (Strawberry Vale Brook) a letter, dated 13th December, 1927, was submitted from the County Engineer stating that he was not aware of any power under which the Lee Conservancy were taking samples from Sewage Works in the County;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1333 ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 14th December, 1927, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Ryan, and H. O. Syrett, and Mr. R. A. Marples and Major R. Marx.

STREET LIGHTING.—At the last meeting of the Council the Clerk was instructed to institute legal proceedings against some boys who were alleged to have interfered with a switch column at the junction of Sedgemere Avenue and East End Road, if, in his opinion, the evidence was sufficient to sustain the charge.

The Clerk reported that he had seen Messrs. Barnett and Judge, who were supposed to have witnessed the occurrence, but that the only direct evidence against the boys in question was a statement made by one of them that he turned out the light with a piece of wood. In these circumstances, it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the contemplated proceedings be not taken;
- (b) that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the parents of the boys in question, drawing their attention to the occurrence, and asking them to admonish the youths.

C. S. SYRETT,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

1334 STREET WIDENINGS—TOTTERIDGE LANE.—MR. F. J. MOODY.—The Surveyor reported that, in accordance with the instructions of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee, he had interviewed Mr. F. J. Moody on the question of the setting back of his proposed garage to a widening line and that, as a result, he (the Surveyor) was of the opinion, for the reasons stated, that no useful purpose would be served by continuing the negotiations at the present time;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that, in these circumstances, no further action be taken in the matter.

1335 STREET WIDENING—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY WALFIELD BANK.—

RECOMMENDED that this matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration and report.

1336 FOREMAN—REFUSE DESTRUCTOR.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that a foreman be appointed to take charge of the Destructor under the Sewage Works Manager and that advertisements be issued inviting applications for the position at a wage of £4 a week.

1337 EAST END ROAD WIDENING—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.—A letter, dated 16th December, 1927, was submitted from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone hereon as follows:—

"I beg to inform you that the Council of this Borough at their meeting last evening accepted the offer of the Finchley Urban District Council, contained in your letter to me of the 29th ultimo, to reinstate the footpath to a width of six feet along the whole of the frontage of the St. Marylebone Borough Cemetery in East End Road, and the crossings at the entrance and exit gates of the Cemetery where disturbed, without prejudice to any rights which the Borough Council possess under the Deed of Covenant dated the 24th March, 1897.

At the same time the Borough Council wish me to point out that when the footpath was removed it was found necessary to expose and, in some cases, cut away the concrete into which the boundary posts surrounding the green swards had been imbedded, and that at the meeting with representatives of the Finchley Council, held on the 23rd ultimo, it was agreed that on the reinstatement of the footpath the portions of such concrete foundations as remain exposed should be faced with cement by and at the expense of the Finchley Council.

The Borough Council note that the Finchley Urban District Council will carry out the above-mentioned work forthwith."

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to proceed, without delay, with the carrying out of the works in question.

1338 OPEN SPACES—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.— Letter, dated 16th December, 1927, was submitted from Mr. Percy H. Chambers hereon, enclosing copies of two letters, dated 10th and 15th December, 1927, respectively, received by him from Mr. F. W. Walker, and the Chairman of the Council intimated that there was nothing further to report at the moment.

1339 FIRES—FRIERN WATCH AVENUE AND GROVE TERRACE.— The Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee reported receipt of letters relative to the above;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration.

1340 AVENUE HOUSE—REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER.—The Clerk reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Legal and Parliamentary Sub-Committee for consideration and report.

1341 STAFF—VALUATION DEPARTMENT.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the appointment for a period of six months of a temporary Clerk in the above Department at a wage of £3 10s. 0d. a week to assist in connexion with the preparation of the new Valuation Lists.

1342 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—APPLICATION OF SURPLUS REVENUE.—Letter, dated the 19th December, 1927, was submitted from the Secretary to the Electricity Commission hereon;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration.

1343 GLEBE LAND.—

RECOMMENDED that application be made to the Ministry of Health for consent, under Section 95 of the Public

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907, to the appropriation for housing purposes of 5.40 acres of land (indicated as site "F" on drawing No. 6302) acquired for public walks and pleasure grounds.

1344 MEETINGS—JANUARY, 1928.—The Clerk submitted list of Meetings showing certain slight alterations in dates;

RECOMMENDED that same be approved.

1345 AVENUE HOUSE.—A report of the Clerk hereon was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Avenue House Sub-Committee for consideration.

1346 LOW LEVEL SEWER.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

" In 1925 the Council enlarged their Low Level Sewer in Lyndhurst Gardens prior to the making up of that street, and they are enlarging the sewer in the Cyprus Gardens section at the present time because of the proposed new street works in that road.

It will be necessary in the near future to connect these two sections by enlarging the intervening portion of the old sewer which runs under private property, principally belonging to Mr. Ralph Freeman, of Graden, Hendon Avenue.

The length is 138 yards and the estimated cost £1,200, and Mr. Freeman has asked that as he is contemplating making extensive alterations in his garden during the summer, that the work should be carried out without delay.

I have interviewed Mr. Freeman on the matter and he has promised to raise no question of compensation for the extension of the easement if the Council will do the work at once.

The contractor has agreed to extend his contract on the same schedule of prices as his present contract, provided he is paid for the extra cost involved in carrying out the work on private land instead of in a roadway.

I recommend the Council to consider favourably the suggestion, and it is desirable that instructions should be given at this meeting."

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the carrying out of the works in question be approved and that the Surveyor be authorised to instruct the Contractor accordingly;
- (b) that, as a matter of urgency, the Standing Orders be suspended and that the expenditure involved be approved;
- (c) that the Surveyor be directed to express to Mr. Freeman the thanks of the Council for his action in the matter;
- (d) that it be referred to the Finance Committee to make the necessary financial arrangements.
- (e) that the Clerk be directed to prepare the necessary Grant of Easement.

1347 TOWN PLANNING—SCHEME No. 1.—

RECOMMENDED that the date for the receipt of representations and objections to the draft of the above Scheme be extended to the 15th February, 1928.

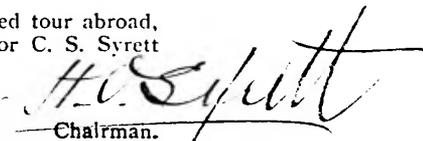
1348 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.

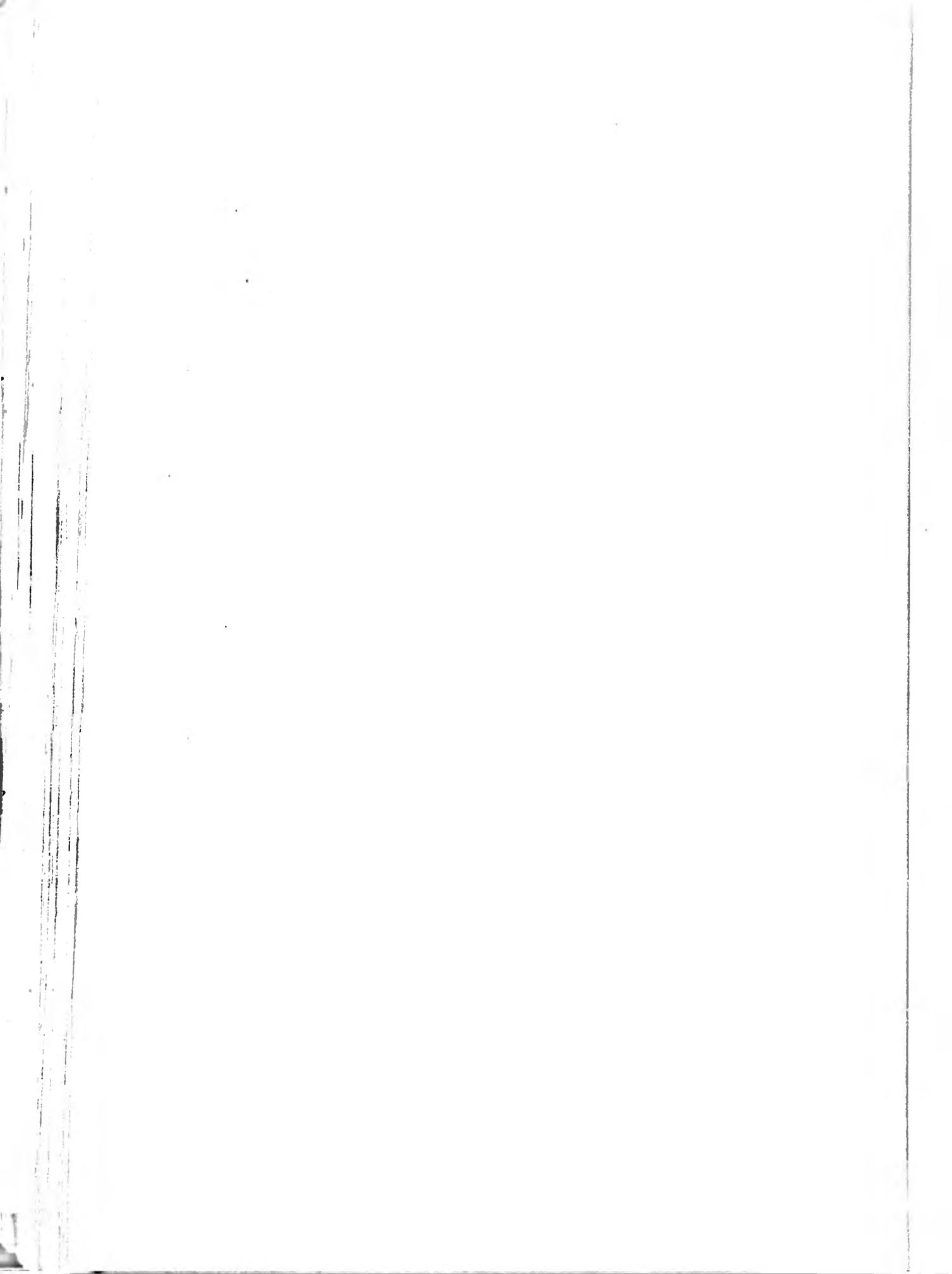
1349 NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS.—The Chairman of the Council expressed to the Members and to the Officials his best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

1350 LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—

RESOLVED that, in view of his contemplated tour abroad, leave of absence be granted to Councillor C. S. Syrett from the 20th January, 1928.


Chairman.

30th January 1928.



LEGAL AND PARLIAMENTARY AND ELECTRICITY SUB-COMMITTEES' JOINT REPORT.

30th December, 1927.

Present: Councillor H. O. Syrett (Chairman), and Councillors Briant, Pooock, C. S. Syrett and Wells.

1351 MINUTES.—The Minutes of the last Meeting of the Legal and Parliamentary Sub-Committee held on the 4th February, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1352 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY (CONSOLIDATION) BILL.—The Clerk submitted a print of the above Bill, together with a preliminary Report (circulated) in regard thereto, and after full discussion it was

Annexed

RESOLVED—

- (a) that a Petition against the Bill be lodged by the Council;
- (b) that the Clerk be directed to retain Counsel, and to instruct Parliamentary Agents in the matter.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman.

Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

30th December, 1927.

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL AND PARLIAMENTARY
SUB-COMMITTEE AND THE ELECTRICITY SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE
COUNCIL.

NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY
(CONSOLIDATION) BILL.

CLERK'S PRELIMINARY REPORT.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

A print of the above Bill was submitted to the Council at its last meeting and referred to the above Joint Committee for consideration, and I have pleasure in briefly reporting upon its provisions.

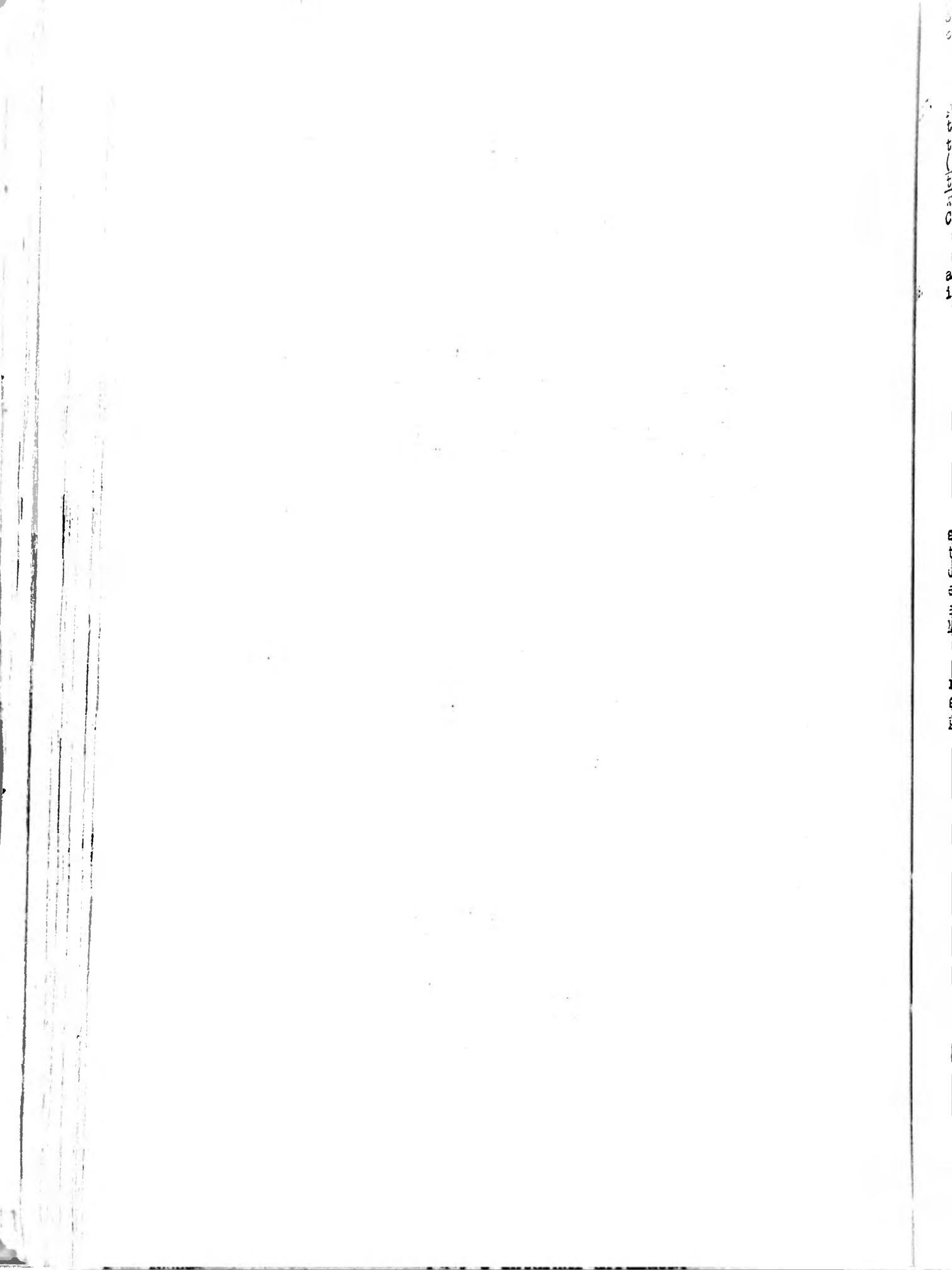
It may be of interest in the first place to state what the present position of the Finchley Council is in relation to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company's power of supply as contained in their Acts, which are known as The North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Acts, 1900 - 1927.

Very briefly, the position may be stated that notwithstanding the attempts of the Company to obtain the right to supply Finchley, the Council has by its strenuous opposition to their previous Bills succeeded in obtaining an absolute veto on the Company's right to supply within the Urban District of Finchley. Such a supply by the Company can only be afforded by consent of this Council under their Common Seal.

Such being the position of Finchley, it only remains for me to point out in what respects the above Bill will affect the same.

3. By Section 6 of the Bill it is provided that the former Acts are hereby repealed, except:-

- (a) that the Company shall continue incorporated by its usual name;
- (b) that the provisions of the Fifth Schedule to the Act shall have effect; and
- (c) that the Distribution Orders and the powers and provisions thereof shall remain in full force and effect.



undertaking, and do not in any way affect the position as between this Council and the Company so far as the right of supply is concerned.

117. Section 117, the marginal note of which is "For protection of Finchley Urban District Council," provides that the Company shall not supply electricity under any of the powers of this Act other than the powers of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Section 68 (Principal powers of supply) of this Act within the Urban District of Finchley, except with the consent of the Council of that district under their Common Seal.

68. On the face of it, this would appear to be affording a protection to the Council, but on reference to Section 68 it will be observed that:-

- (1) the Company may supply electricity in bulk to any Lighting Authority or authorised distributors for use by them (a) for any prescribed purposes within the limits of supply, and (b) on their own premises;
- (2) the Company may supply electricity in bulk to any authorised users for use by them - (a) for any prescribed purposes whether within or beyond the limits of supply, and (c) on their own premises,

subject to the limitations contained in Clause 69 et seq of the Bill, under which the consent of the authorised distributors is necessary, but a provision is added to the effect that such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, and if so withheld, the question shall be determined by the Minister of Transport.

It will therefore be seen that the Council's absolute right of veto which they at present have is proposed to be swept aside, and in substitution thereof the Company seeks power to supply, subject to consent, which consent must not be unreasonably withheld.

The Bill is divided into nine parts relating to the following matters:-

- Part I - General.
- " II - Financial Provisions.
- " III - Administrative provisions.
- " IV - Lands, Generating Stations and Works.
- " V - Powers and obligations of supply.
- " VI - Prices, methods of charge and metering.
- " VII - Subsidiary powers.
- " VIII - Miscellaneous Provisions.
- " IX - Protective Provisions.

I shall be pleased to submit a further report on the provisions of these several parts of the Bill if the Joint Committee so desire. Meanwhile, I have obtained a print of the Bill for each member of the Joint Committee.

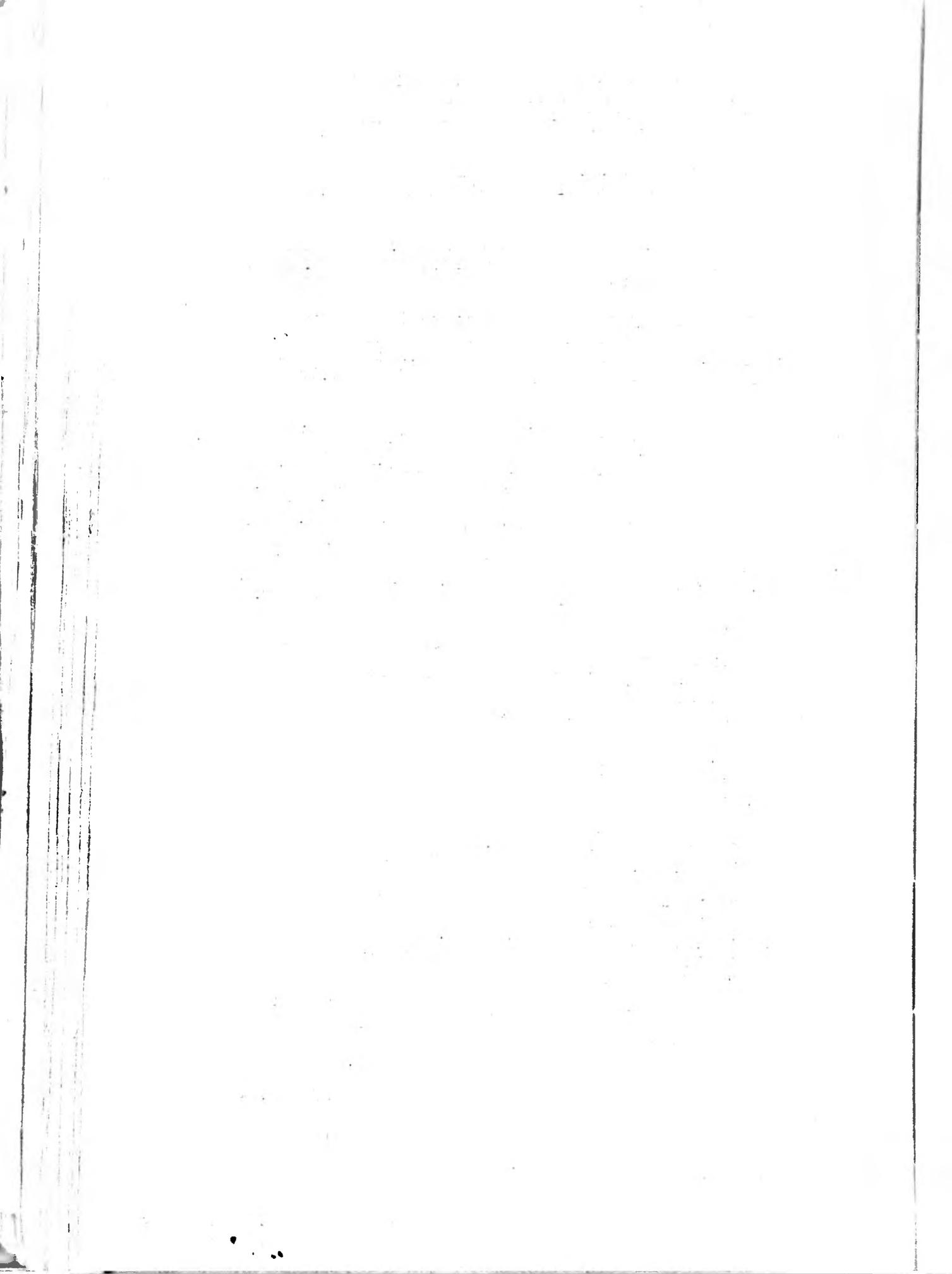
I shall be glad to receive the instructions of your Joint Committee with regard to the preparation of a Petition against the Bill and as to the engagement of Counsel and Parliamentary Agents in relation to the matter.

This (together with the preceding page) is the Clerk's report referred to in paragraph 1352 of the Legal & Parliamentary and Electricity Sub-Committee's Joint Report of the 30th December 1927.

Yours obediently,
E. H. BISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

E. H. Bister
Chairman.



**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

9th January, 1928.

Present : Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Pateman and Wells (non-members).

1353 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1354 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

1355 TOWN PLANNING.—

(a) Question of Amalgamation of Schemes 1 and 2.—Referring to Minute No. 1169 (1) of this Committee's report of the 5th December, 1927, the Chairman of the Committee reported that a conference had taken place at the offices of the Ministry of Health on the 12th December, 1927, when he was present together with the Clerk of the Council, the Surveyor and the Deputy Surveyor of the Council and Mr. E. H. Phillips, of the Town Planning Department of the Ministry; and that as a result of the representations made on behalf of the Council, Mr. Phillips intimated that the Ministry would not press for amalgamation of the two Schemes;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Council's representatives in the matter be approved.

(b) Glebe Land.—The Chairman of the Committee reported that this subject had also been discussed at the interview above mentioned, and intimated that the Ministry's views on those aspects of the matter most urgently requiring the Council's consideration were expressed in the Department's observations on the Preliminary Statement of Scheme No. 2, which had been referred to the Town Planning Sub-Committee for consideration.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (c) Land held by the Middlesex County Council for Statutory Purposes.—The Clerk reported on correspondence which he had had with the County Solicitor in regard to the latter's suggestion that the land held by the Middlesex County Council for Statutory purposes should be excluded from the operation of this Council's Town Planning Scheme, from which it appeared that unless this Council were prepared to acquiesce in the County Council's request it was the intention of that Authority to communicate with the Ministry of Health and object to the Schemes at the various stages ;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to inform the County Solicitor that the Council cannot see its way to grant any further protection to the County Council beyond that ordinarily afforded by the model clauses of the Ministry of Health.

- (d) Scheme No. 1.—

- (i) Objections to Draft Scheme.—The Clerk reported that objections had been lodged by the Hampstead Garden Suburb Sports Council and by the Finchley Billposting Company, Ltd. ;

RECOMMENDED that power be delegated to the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of this Committee to meet in conference the above-named or their representatives and any further objectors to the Draft Scheme, and, if necessary, to negotiate on behalf of the Council, subject to report.

- (ii) Playing Fields—Hampstead Garden Suburb.—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the Hendon Education Committee stating that that Committee had noted with great satisfaction this Council's proposal to preserve the Lyttelton Playing Fields as a public open space, and expressing the hope that in view of the number of Finchley children attending the Garden Suburb Council School facilities would be granted to the School for a playing field on such open space ;

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,
9TH JANUARY, 1928.

REQUISITION - 12TH JANUARY TO 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE.	2191	0	0
EXTRA ITEMS:- Pavilion, Putting Green) and Globe land entrance.)	575	0	0
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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1986 13 2

Req. Item
No. No.

RECREATION GROUND.

878	1	Wages.	60	0	0
879	6	Water.	19	5	
880	7	0	Repair burst pipe, ladies') convenience, new ball) valve to main cistern, 2 chains) to flush tanks.	1	9 6
881	13	0	Land drains.	3	12 2
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OTHER OPEN SPACES.

882	17	Wages - Cherry Tree wood.	15	0	0
883	25	0	Repair fence - Arden Playing Fields.	1	17 6
884	0	Clearing ditch - Brook Farm.	1	19	8
885	0	2 rustless metal plates "NO PLAY"	12	0	
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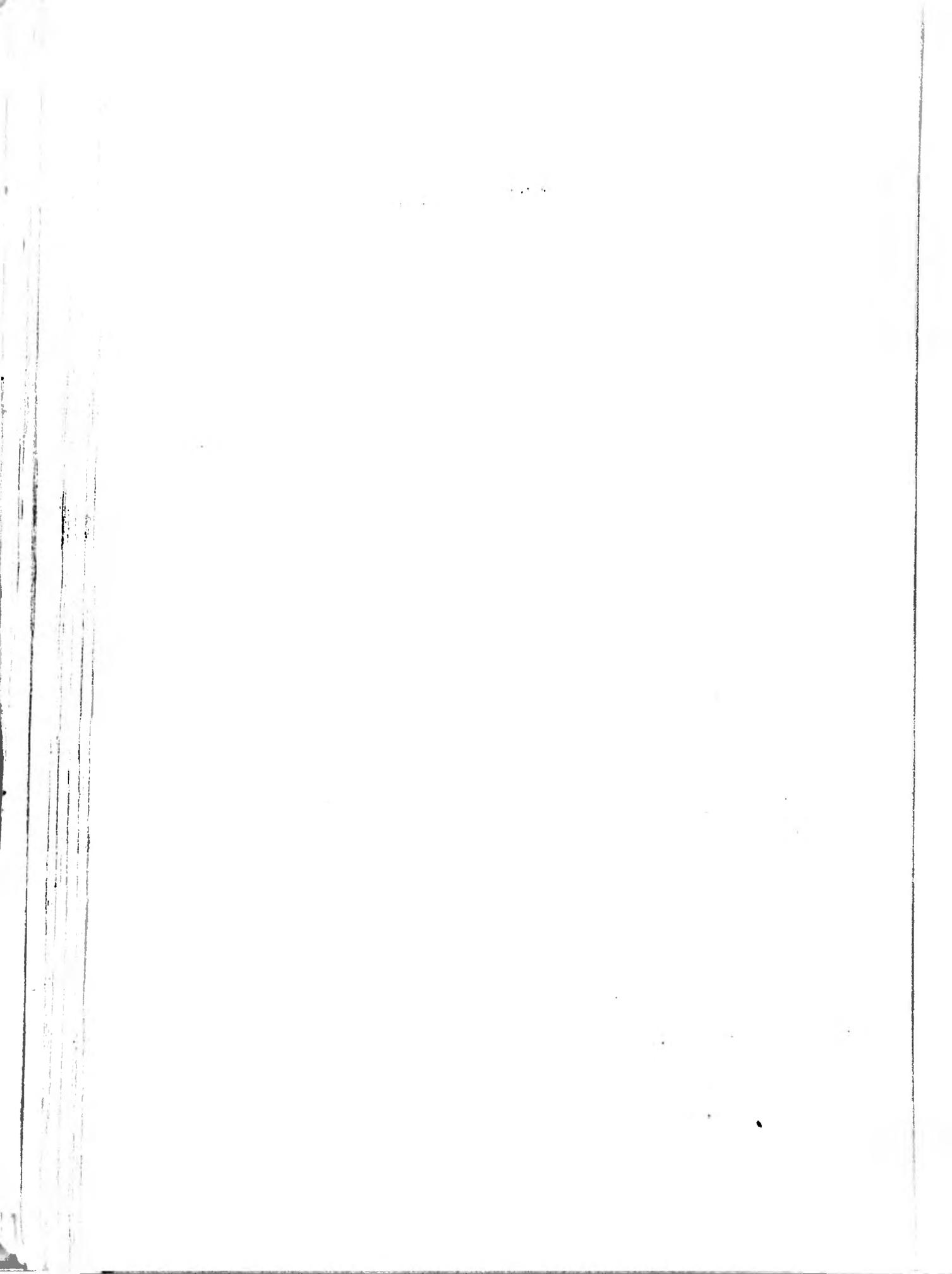
This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1354 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's Report of the 9th January 1928.

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Percival T. Harrison
Chairman.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

4TH JANUARY, 1928.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that although the Council regret they cannot modify the Scheme, they do not anticipate that difficulty will be experienced in affording the School appropriate facilities.

(e) Scheme No. 2.—

(i) Observations of the Ministry of Health on the Preliminary Statement.—The Town Planning Sub-Committee reported that they had had under consideration the observations of the Ministry of Health on this Council's draft Preliminary Statement of proposals for development in connexion with the above Scheme, and submitted their recommendations;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Council reply to the Ministry's observations as indicated in the copy memorandum circulated herewith;
- (2) that the observations of the Ministry under the heading "Glebe Land" and the suggested reply thereto be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration;
- (3) that as regards the Ministry's observations under the heading "Allotments, Vale Farm," the suggested reply thereto be deferred pending the consideration by and report from the Allotments Committee;
- (4) that the Council in pursuance of Section 2 of the Town Planning Act, 1925, hereby decide to prepare a Town Planning Scheme with reference to several areas, situate wholly within the Urban District of Finchley, enclosed within the inner edges of the boundary lines coloured blue on the map now produced to the Council and marked and certified by the Clerk of the Council under his hand dated the 30th day of January, 1928, as "Map No. 1."
- (5) that the area of the Council's Town Planning Scheme No. 2 be extended to include the said areas.

Annexed

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

(ii) Woodhouse Central School.—A letter, dated 30th December, 1927, was submitted from the County Solicitor stating that a search under the Land Charges Act, 1925, had disclosed the fact that the above property had been scheduled for dwelling-houses (the special consent of the Council being required for the erection of other buildings); pointing out that prior to the adoption of the Preliminary Statement on the 28th June, 1927, the Council had agreed to sell the property to the County Council for use as a secondary school free from all incumbrances other than those specifically mentioned in the Contract; and suggesting that the action of the Council in imposing restrictions on the property by a Town Planning Scheme was a breach of Contract. The County Solicitor, therefore, asked for either an assurance from the Council that the County Council would have a free hand as regards the erection of any buildings considered necessary by them for educational purposes or, alternatively, that the property would be allocated under the Scheme for such purposes;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject to the consent of the Ministry of Health, the Preliminary Statement and Map No. 2, so far as they relate to the area known as the Woodhouse Central School, be modified so as to permit the user of the land for educational purposes;
 - (2) that the Friern Barnet Urban District Council be asked to take similar action as regards the portion of the school site situate within their area.
- (f) Hendon Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme.—The Clerk reported receipt of notice from the Clerk of the Hendon Urban District Council of a resolution passed by that Authority on the 27th June, 1927, adopting the draft of the above Scheme, and that it did not appear that such Scheme affected this Council's District;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto.

CHIEF CLERK TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 2 - PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

FINCHLEY TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 3 - PRELIMINARY STATEMENT.

Memorandum of points arising on the Preliminary Statement of proposals for development.

Ministry's observations

Council's reply

1. Area of Scheme.

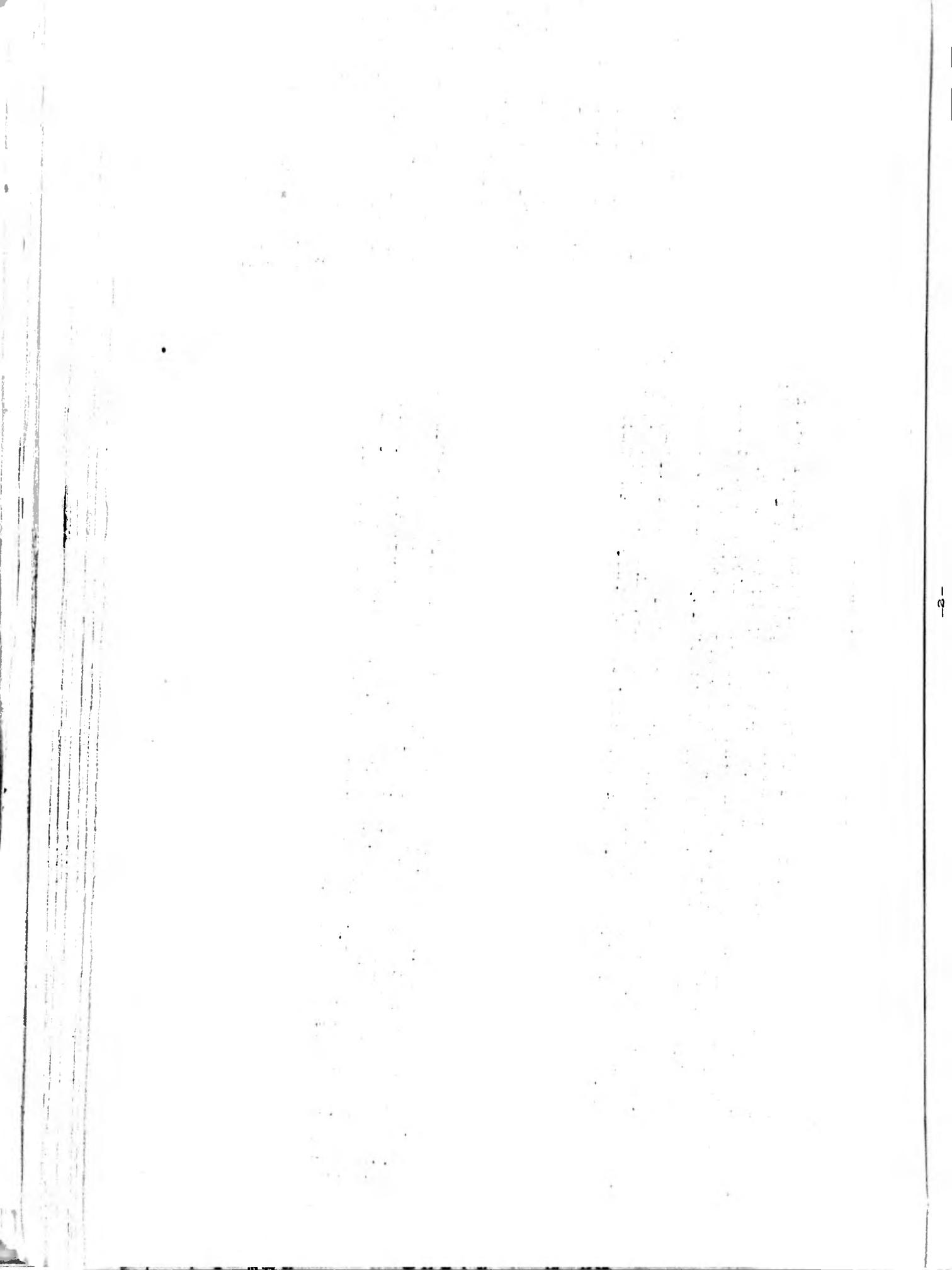
In view of the terms of Section 1 of the Town Planning Act, 1925, it would appear that any built-up land included in the area of the Scheme must be justified on the ground of securing the general object of the Scheme, judged from the point of view of the unbuilt-on lands alone, and that only such pieces of land already built upon can be included as can be shown to be needed for the completion of the Scheme for the undeveloped land as such.

It does not appear to the Minister that the whole of the built-up land included in the area can be justified on these grounds, and he thinks that the land hatched red on the accompanying plan X must at any rate be excluded.

The Minister has some doubts whether the whole of the land in the south-west portions of the area can properly be retained, but he understands that a great part of the building development shown on Map No. 3 has taken place since the date of the Council's resolution to prepare the Scheme, and he will agree to the retention of all this land, on being assured by the Council that this is the case.

These areas are residential character, and the object of including them was to preserve that character. If, however, the Minister considers that do not come within the provisions of the Act, the Council will object to their exclusion, however, to the Council's resolution under the heading of "Streets Number Five (Post)."

Although a large building development has taken place in the south-west portions of the area since the date of the Council's resolution, the Council are not in a position to give the assurance asked for by the Minister. Several properties in the area would fall in the category of the Cottages referred to in the Minister's observations on the next page.



Ministry's observations

Certain small areas, hatched green on Plan X, were not included in Map No. 1 and cannot, therefore, be retained in Map No. 2, as the Minister has no power to add to the area of the Town Planning Scheme. If it is desired that these lands should be included in the Scheme, it will be necessary to pass a resolution under Section 2 of the Town Planning Act to cover them before the Scheme is prepared. The Minister would in that event be prepared to dispense with the preparation of a formal Preliminary Statement under the Regulations in respect of these lands, to enable them to be dealt with in the same scheme as the remainder of the area.

The Minister would also suggest that the Council should consider the inclusion in the Scheme of (1) the undeveloped land and intervening buildings in the district on both sides of the Great North Road at the northern end of the Scheme above St. Margaret's Avenue (and the completion of the proposals for the widening of the road so far as the additional land is concerned); (2) the undeveloped land near the eastern boundary of the district between Woodhouse Road and the Sewage Works, and any land in the district south of the Sewage Works not earmarked for burial purposes; and (3) the Cottage Hospital and grounds near Granville Road, in view of any possible removal of the hospital and conversion of the land to other uses.

The additional lands referred to in the last paragraph could be covered by the same resolution as the other lands previously referred to, and by the same dispensation from the preparation of a Preliminary Statement.

Council's reply

Owing to the additional information shown on the larger map (No. 2), it was found necessary to include certain areas not shown on Map No. 1. The Council therefore passed a resolution under Section 2 of the Act, as suggested, to cover the small areas.

(1) The Council will also include land and buildings referred to in the resolution above mentioned; (2) the same as in this case as regards the undeveloped land between Woodhouse Road and the Sewage Works. (There is no land in the district south of the Sewage Works not earmarked for burial purposes); the same as regards the Cottage Hospital and grounds.

Note. Areas (1) and (3) to be zone for dwelling-houses only and area (2) for dwelling-houses, and shops, the latter with the consent of the Council.

The Council note and appreciate the Minister's consideration.

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Ministry's observations.

Council's reply

2. Streets.

Street 3. It is suggested that the Council should consider including provision in the Statement for the widening of Dollis Road from this street eastward to Gordon Road, to correspond with the general width of the street.

Street 4. The Council have presumably considered the question of linking Brent Way and Gordon Road to make a continuous route north and south. Reference is made to the remarks in the District Valuer's report on this subject.

Street No. 5. This street is included in the part of the area which it is proposed to exclude from the Scheme.

Street No. 7. Unless the line of this street has been agreed with the owners, it might be considered whether it should not be swung a little to the east, to have more building depth between the street and the railway.

Street No. 8. The street is described in the Preliminary Statement as varying in width from 40 to 50 feet, though it does not appear to vary on the map. The Minister would be glad to be informed of the width in fact intended and the street on the Map should scale accordingly.

The Council approve the suggestion

This area is almost entirely of a residential character, unsuitable as a road for heavy traffic. If, however, the Council possessed powers to restrict the type of traffic using this road, the matter could be considered in a different light.

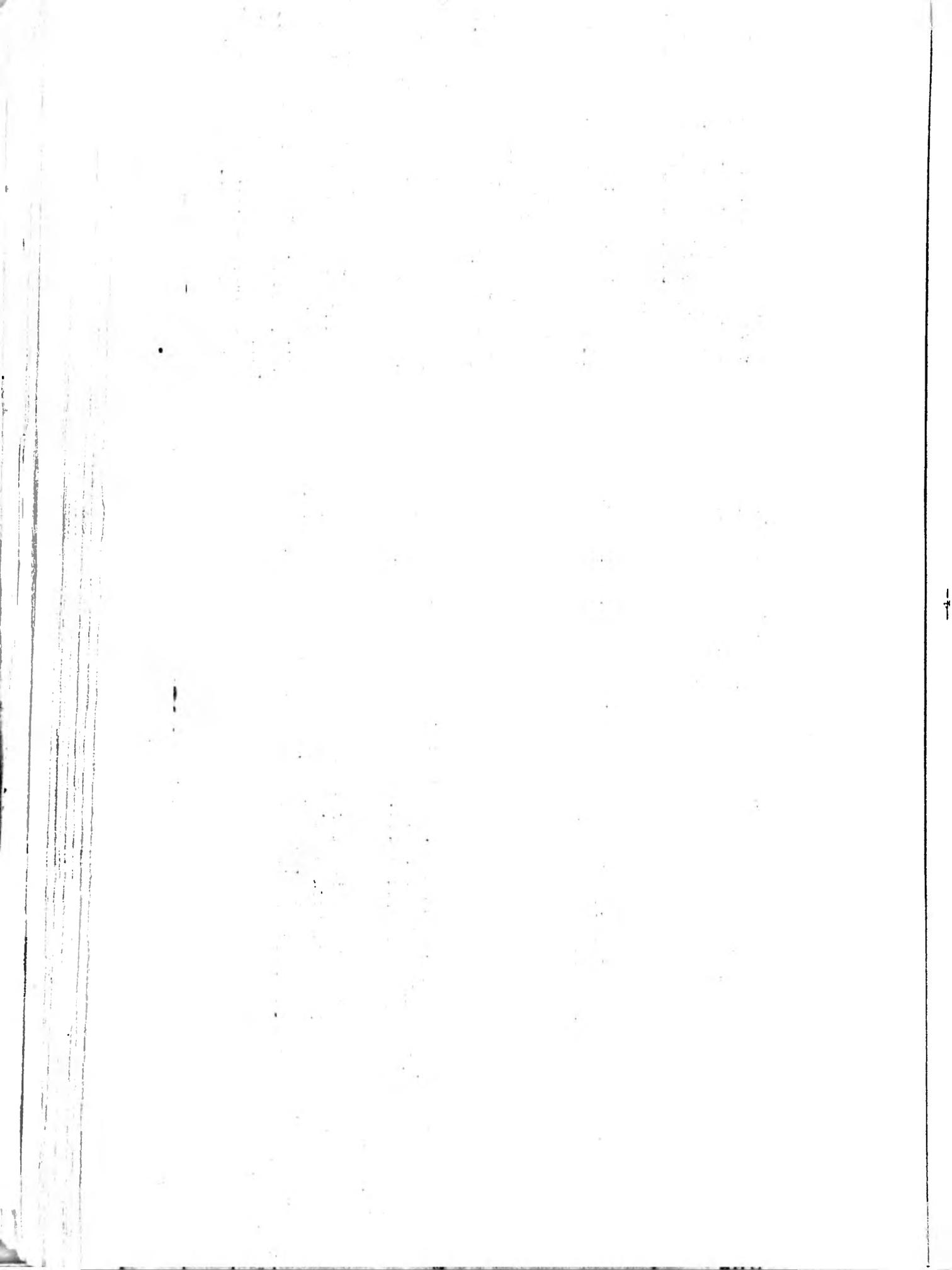
If the Ministry exclude this street from the Scheme, in the view of the Council, provision should be made for controlling the development of land fronting the street when constructed.

The County Council of Middlesex obtained powers to construct this road by their Act of 1935 (Section 10).

The Council will endeavour to carry out the Minister's suggestion by negotiation with the owners.

This is a private street and varies in width as indicated in the Preliminary Statement. The Minister's suggestion will be adopted.

Although the owners have placed a barrier across the entrance to the carriageway periodically, the public have nevertheless rights of footway



Ministry's observations

Street No. 9. It is proposed to omit the reference in the Preliminary Statement to the street, and streets 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 20, being subject to contribution by the County Council and the Ministry of Transport. This is a matter for arrangement between the Authorities concerned, and could not be settled by provisions in the Scheme itself. The reference in the Preliminary Statement could not, therefore, affect the matter.

Reference is made to the remarks in the District Valuer's report as to the building at the corner of Totteridge Lane and Woodside House, in case a modification of the widening can be arranged at that point. Reference is made below to a suggested alternative to the widening of Totteridge Lane.

Streets 10, 11, 12, 14, 20 and Woodhouse Road. It is understood that the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee have adopted a report recommending the adoption of the following widths generally for these streets:-

Street 10	-	100 ft.	(Regents Park Road)
Street 11	-	100 ft.	(Ballards Lane)
Street 12	-	80 ft.	(East End Road)
Street 14	-	60 ft.	(Hendon Lane)
Street 20	-	60 ft.	(Gravel Hill)
Woodhouse Road	-	80 ft.	

The Council are no doubt preparing their town planning proposals in consultation with the Joint Committee and will consider, if they have not already done so, how far it is practicable to provide for the widths recommended by the Joint Committee, without disproportionate and excessive cost, in consultation with the County Council, where necessary, and with the District Valuer. The Minister of Transport has drawn attention to this point and intimated that he thinks the

Council's reply.

The proviso in question may be omitted. The Council would not, of course, carry out the improvements of these streets without a contribution from the Authorities named.

The Council note the remarks of the District Valuer and the suggested alternative to the widening of Totteridge Lane (See observations post).

The Council's proposals with regard to the width of these roads after widening are as follows:-

Street 10	-	90 ft.
Street 11	-	75 ft.
Street 12	-	60 ft.
Street 14	-	50 ft.
Street 20	-	40 ft.
Woodhouse Road	-	60 ft. (At present)

The Council consider that it is difficult at this stage to bring the Scheme into conformity with the recommendations of the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee, as it does not appear to be practicable to obtain a uniform width throughout.

Ministry's observations.

additional widths desirable. It would seem particularly desirable to make additional provision, if reasonably practicable, in the case of Street No. 20, in view of its function as a link in a wider line of through communication along streets 12 and 14.

As regards Street 11, the Council are asked to state whether 75 feet is the total contemplated width, of which part only is in the Scheme, or whether the proposed total width is greater and the addition is to be provided outside the Scheme. If so, the total contemplated width should be stated.

Street 13. It is suggested that the Council might consider, in consultation with the Barnet Urban District Council, the possibility of providing an alternative to the widening of Totteridge Lane by means of a bypass, with the object of avoiding or minimising traffic through the village of Totteridge.

Reference has already been made under Street 9 to the remarks in the District Valuer's Report as to the damage to the house at the corner of Totteridge Lane and Street 9.

Street 12. In view of the interference with buildings which this proposal would involve, it is suggested that it should be considered whether it would not be more economical to provide for a new street from the junction of Church Lane and Leslie Road to join a continuation of Leopold Road, due regard being paid to the convenience of building frontages. Alternatively, it is suggested that the possibility of conveniently modifying the widening so as to reduce the interference with buildings at the junction with the Great North Road might be considered.

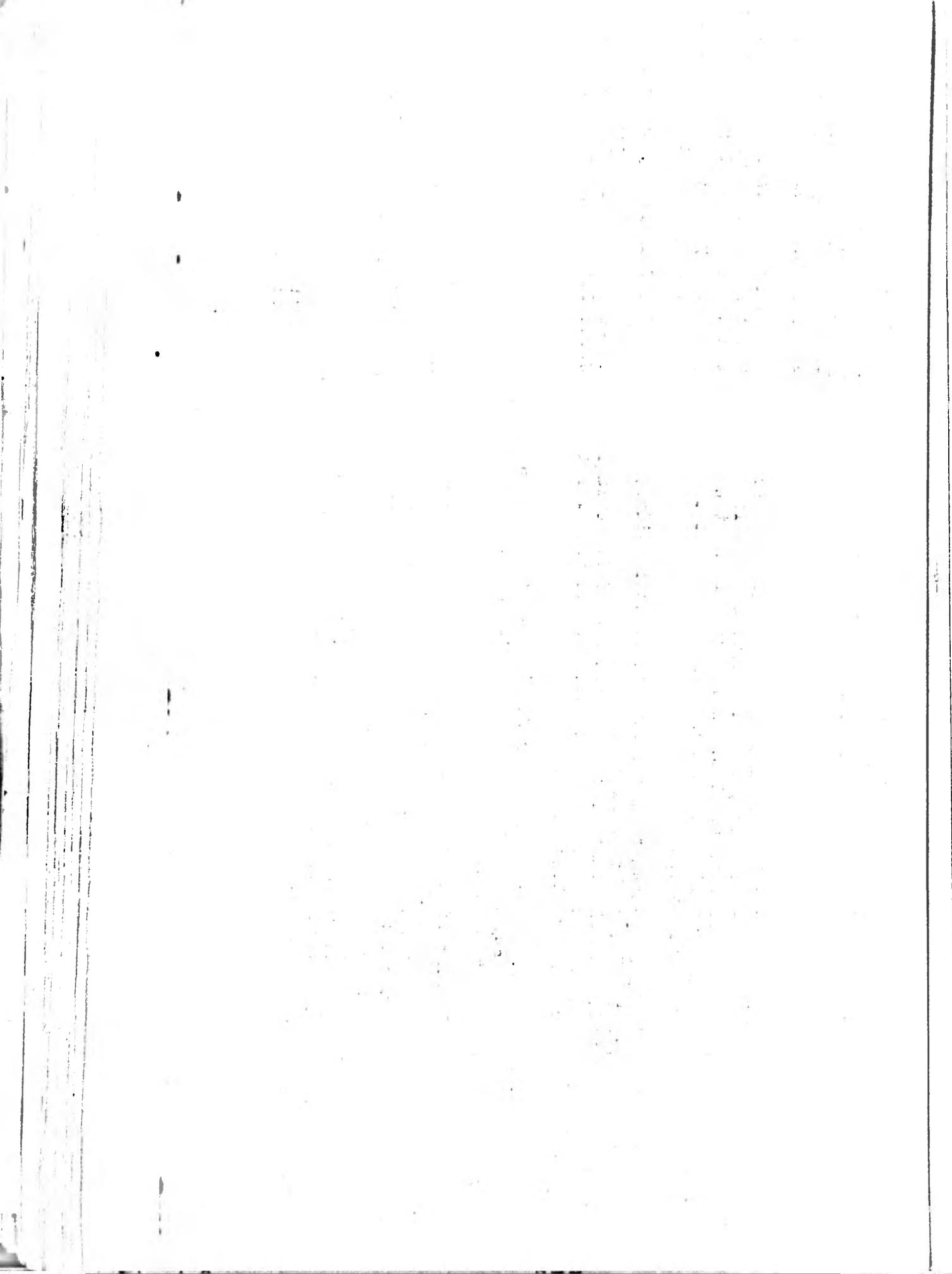
Council's reply

With reference to Street No. 20, however, in view of this being a main link between East End Road and Hendon Lane, the Council think this should be increased to 60 ft. by negotiation with the owners and the Ministry of Transport and the Middlesex County Council.

Where land is unuilt-upon, the Council are aiming at a width of 90 ft. but where it is built-upon and there is a possibility of setting back, the Council are widening to 75 ft.

The Council approve the suggested widening in consultation, and will arrange accordingly as well as with the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee.

The Council do not consider the Minister's proposal to be practicable. It would point out that even if carried into effect, it would probably involve as much in compensation as would the original proposal with regard to the widening of Church Lane. The alternative would appear to be to leave in the Scheme the proposal for widening Church Lane, and to negotiate for a strip for widening the junction of Leslie Road and Church Lane.



Ministry's observations.

Council's reply

Street 22. It is understood that the whole of the intended widening of this street is not shown on the map, and the Minister would be glad to be furnished with a plan showing any additional widening proposed, and if the width (as widened) of the portions to be widened varies, as stated in the Preliminary Statement, to be informed of the minimum and maximum widths involved.

The Council will furnish the plan information required.

3. Building Lines.

General. It is presumed that the Council will adopt the same provisions as to relaxations of building lines as in the approved Preliminary Statement for Scheme No. 1, and will also fix a building line of 10 ft. in shopping areas in the Scheme Map, and deal with cases of interim development in the meantime under the suggested powers of relaxation. Reference is made in this connexion to the remarks as to building lines in the notes which accompanied the Minister's letter of the 19th November, 1926 approving the Preliminary Statement for Scheme No. 1.

The Council confirm.

Street 3. (Dollis Lane) It is understood that the Council propose to fix a building line for this street and for Dollis Road west of Gordon Road. The Minister will be glad to be informed of the line proposed to be fixed. If the spinny marked on the Map along this street is still existing, the Council will no doubt consider whether it is desirable to fix a building line sufficiently deep to encourage its preservation.

The Council propose to fix a building line of 10 ft. to the north of the spinny and to take steps to preserve the spinny.

Street 8. It is understood that it is desired to fix a building line of 20 feet on the north side of the street, and the Minister proposes to make provision in the approved Preliminary Statement accordingly. (Street No. 8 is Wickliffe Avenue).

The Council agree.

Ministry's observations.

Council's reply.

Street 13. It is understood that the building line is intended to extend to the unwidened portions of this street in the Scheme, though not indicated in the Preliminary Statement. It is proposed to amend the Preliminary Statement accordingly. (Street 13 is Totteridge Lane).

The Council approve.

Street 21. (Swan Lane) It is suggested that the building line on this street should be limited to the south side, leaving the north side to be dealt with on development or re-development, in view of the existing development on that side, and that the building line on the south side should correspond with that for the houses already erected, which the Minister gathers is 20 ft.

The Council approve.

North Circular. If it is correctly understood that the Middlesex County Council have prescribed a building line on this road, it is suggested that this and other building or improvement lines fixed by the County Council might be shown by distinct notation on the Scheme Map and included in the reference as a building line fixed by the County Council.

This will be done.

4. Closing and Diversion of Public Rights of Way.

Closing No. 23 (Green Lane). The Minister observes that the alternative to this closing will not be provided in pursuance of this Scheme, and he has some doubt therefore, whether the closing itself ought to be affected by the Scheme. He will retain the proposal in the Preliminary Statement, subject, however, to further consideration at later stages, in the event of objections being raised.

The Council observe and agree.

Closing No. 25 (Footpath, Rosemary Avenue to Long Lane) The North Circular Road would not of itself appear to provide an alternative to the path to be closed, without provision for the extension of Rosemary Avenue to meet the North Circular Road. It is observed that this provision is in fact included in the approved Preliminary Statement for Scheme No. 1, and it is proposed to include a reference to it in the present Preliminary Statement.

The Council approve.

Ministry's observations

Council's reply

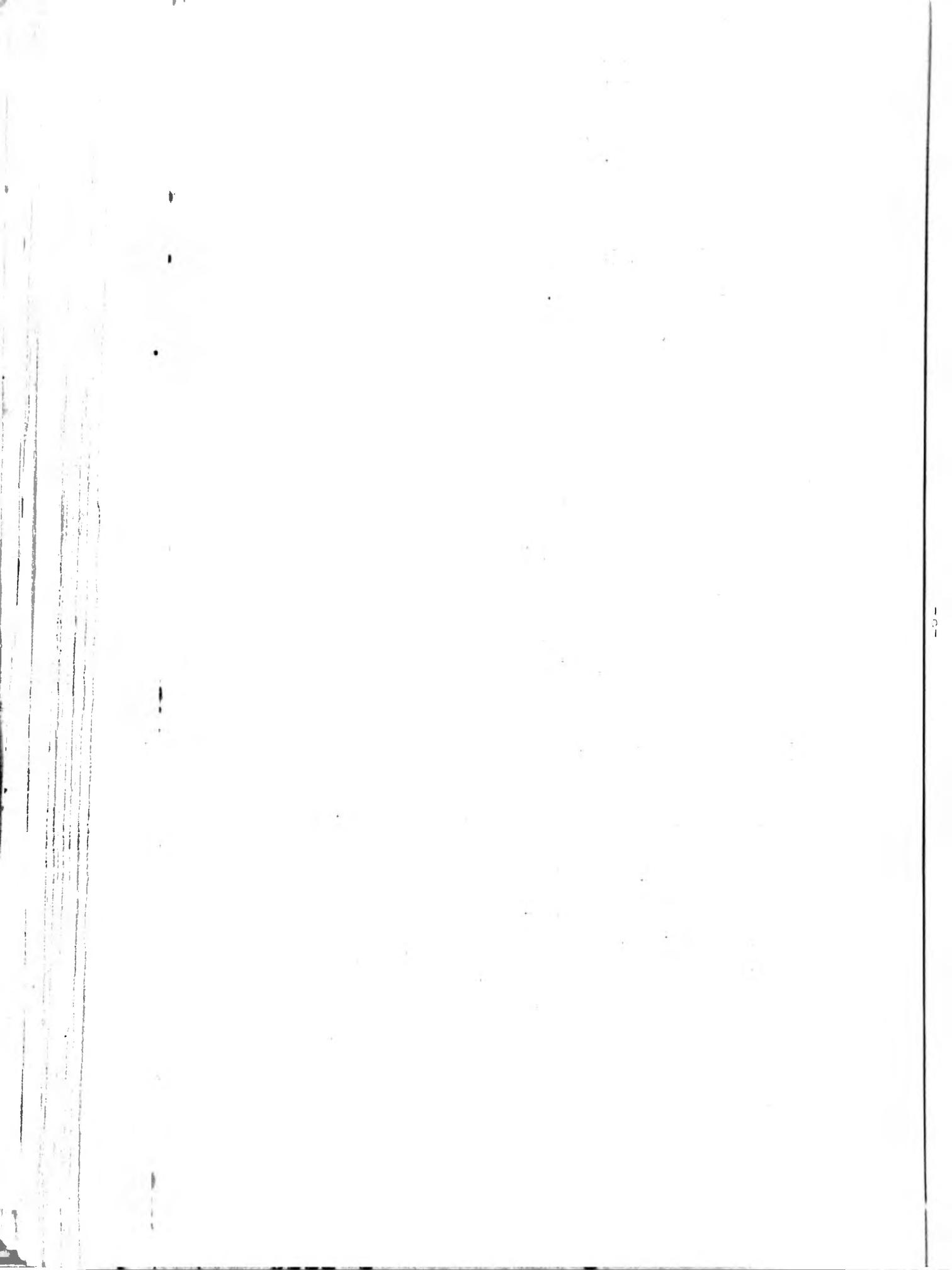
5. Character of Buildings.

It is proposed to assimilate the entries in this part of the Preliminary Statement and the entries as to density, space about buildings, and height of buildings to those in the Preliminary Statement for Area No. 1 so far as the entries correspond.

In view of the representations received from Messrs. Ender, Egan and Co. on behalf of Messrs. H. Pope and Sons, and a copy of which was sent to the Council on the 17th October last, and of the industrial development that has already taken place on Messrs. Pope and Sons and neighbouring lands, the Minister doubts whether the land hatched purple on Plan X can fairly be zoned otherwise than as an industrial zone, corresponding to the similar zone in the approved Preliminary Statement for Scheme No. 1, in the event of the owners pressing for this course now or at the scheme stage. (the industrial zone would extend to the neighbouring land hatched green, if subsequently included in the scheme). For the present, however, the Council may like to consider, as a possible alternative, the retention of the land as residential, subject to an agreement with Messrs. Pope and Sons for the permission of the development proposed by them on their land under the scheme or pending the preparation of the scheme, in the event of development taking place prior to the scheme. In that case, the Council should approach Messrs. Pope and Sons on the subject. The scheme, itself, if based on the Model Clauses, will provide for a continuance of the existing industrial development with limited extensions.

The Council agree.

The Council agree the Minister's suggestion with the qualification steps should be taken to enable the Council to control in some measure the development of this area having regard to its possible injurious affection of residential property in immediate neighbourhood.



Ministry's observations

Council's reply

Frontages to the Great North Road and Regents Park Road
(including Ballards Lane).

A copy of a report which the Minister has obtained from the District Valuer as regards these frontages is enclosed for the information of the Council. It is suggested that, in view of the report, these frontages should be included in the shopping and business zone.

6. Space about Buildings.

As most of the shopping sites are on or in the midst of already developed land, it is suggested that somewhat more latitude might be allowed as regards the proportion of site allowed to be occupied by shops with dwelling accommodation - e.g. two-fifths in place of one-third, or one half on the ground floor, and one-third on any higher floor.

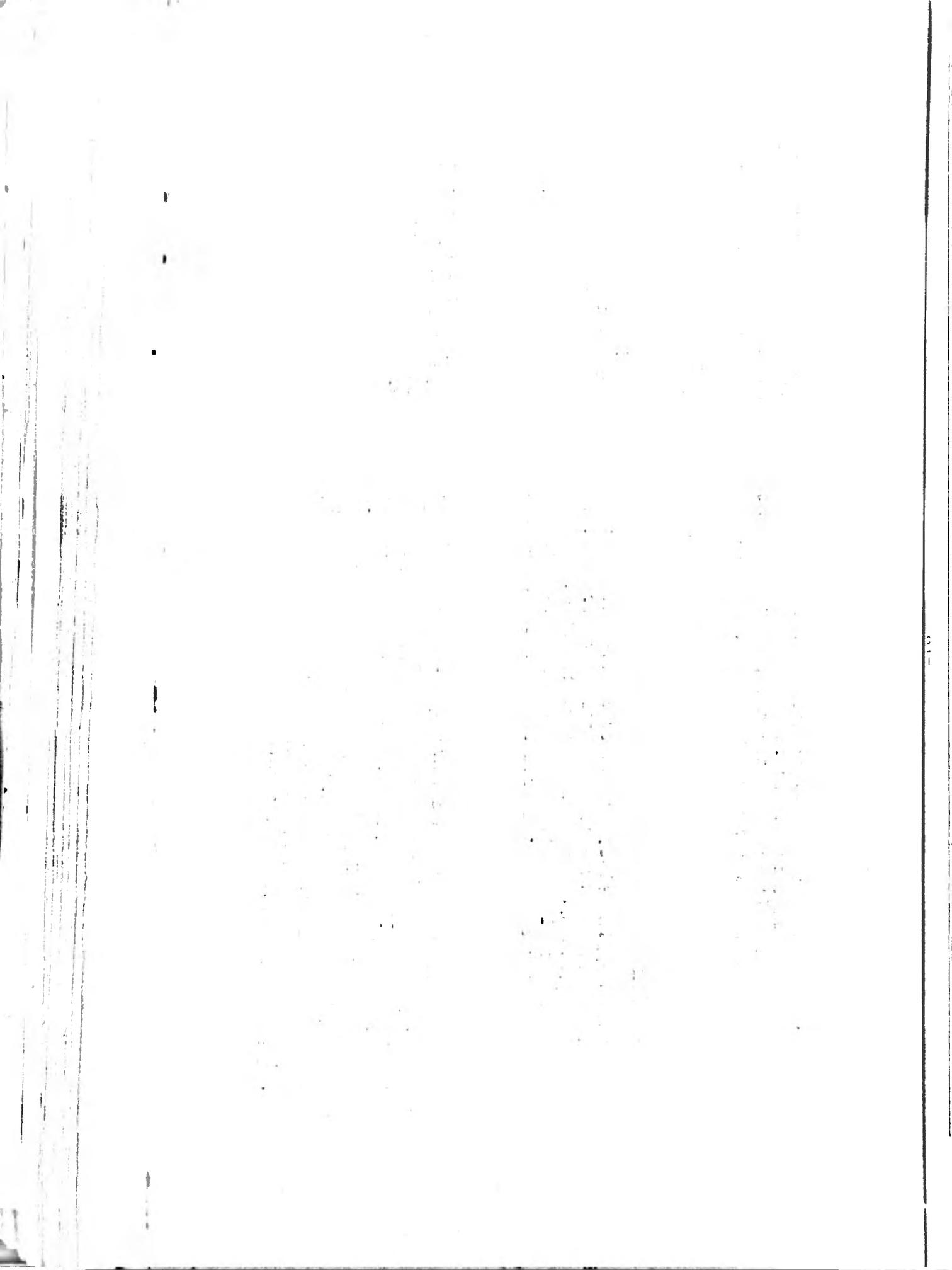
7. Open Spaces

Squires Lane. In view of the awkwardness in the frontages created by the making of the North Circular Road, it is suggested that the Council might consider the re-arrangement of the open space so as to set free part of it as building frontage, compensating the loss by the addition of back land. A suggested re-arrangement is indicated in the enclosed plan Y, but the Council will no doubt consider the matter in relation to ownership boundaries and other relevant points. A modification in the application of model clause 49 (Appropriation of Lands) would be needed, to authorise the disposal of the land for building purposes.

The Council desire to draw the Minister's attention to the suggestion contained in his letter of the 19th November, 1936 regard to shopping centres in Addison (Town Planning Scheme No. 1), to which they have endeavoured to conform in this instance.

The Council agree the Minister's suggestion.

The Council will take up the suggestion with the owner or owners affected and communicate further with the Ministry thereon.



Ministry's observations.

Council's reply.

Glebe Land. It appears that part of this land has now been permanently allocated for playing fields and allotments, and it is proposed to show ^{as} existing playing fields and allotments respectively on the approved Map. As regards the remainder of the land, the Minister thinks it very desirable that its allocation should be settled prior to the Scheme, and preferably before the approval of the Preliminary Statement. As previously intimated, he deprecates generally the appropriation of any extensive areas of valuable building frontage as open space, but if the Council, after reviewing the whole situation, are satisfied that in the special circumstances of this case it is in the best interests of the district that a part of the frontage to the Great North Road (say not more than two-thirds) should be so allocated, he would be prepared to consider a proposal on these lines, the land not proposed to be allocated for open space (or additional allotments, if any) being shown as building land and zoned to harmonise with the surrounding land in the Scheme. The question of the erection of public buildings on part of the land could be left for later settlement if necessary.

Dollis Brook. It is suggested that the Council should consider the reservation of the banks of this brook as public or private open space (or allotments, if parts are suitable for that purpose) in consultation with the owners, where the land is not already appropriated as building land. The Minister understands that some of the land is already used as private playing fields or gardens, and might appropriately be reserved as private open space, where the owners preferred a private to a public reservation, subject to any necessary means of communication that may be thought desirable between the public reservations to ensure continuity.

The Council see no objection to such proposal, and will be glad to hear that same meets with the approval of the Ministry.

As regards the erection of public buildings on part of the land the Council are not yet in a position to put any concrete proposal before the Ministry.

Negotiations have been proceeding for some time with the owners and Authorities concerned, and the matter has been taken up with the Hendon Urban District Council.

FINCHLEY TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 2 - PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

POINTS ARISING ON THE CONFIDENTIAL REPORT OF THE
DISTRICT VALUER.

-TO-
THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

District Valuer's Observation.

Council's reply.

Road No. 23. (Green Lane.) The District Valuer calls attention to the altered circumstances which would arise consequent on the closing of this road and suggests that negotiations should be opened with the Railway Company with regard thereto, embracing therein Road No. 7 between Wentworth and Essex Park Estates.

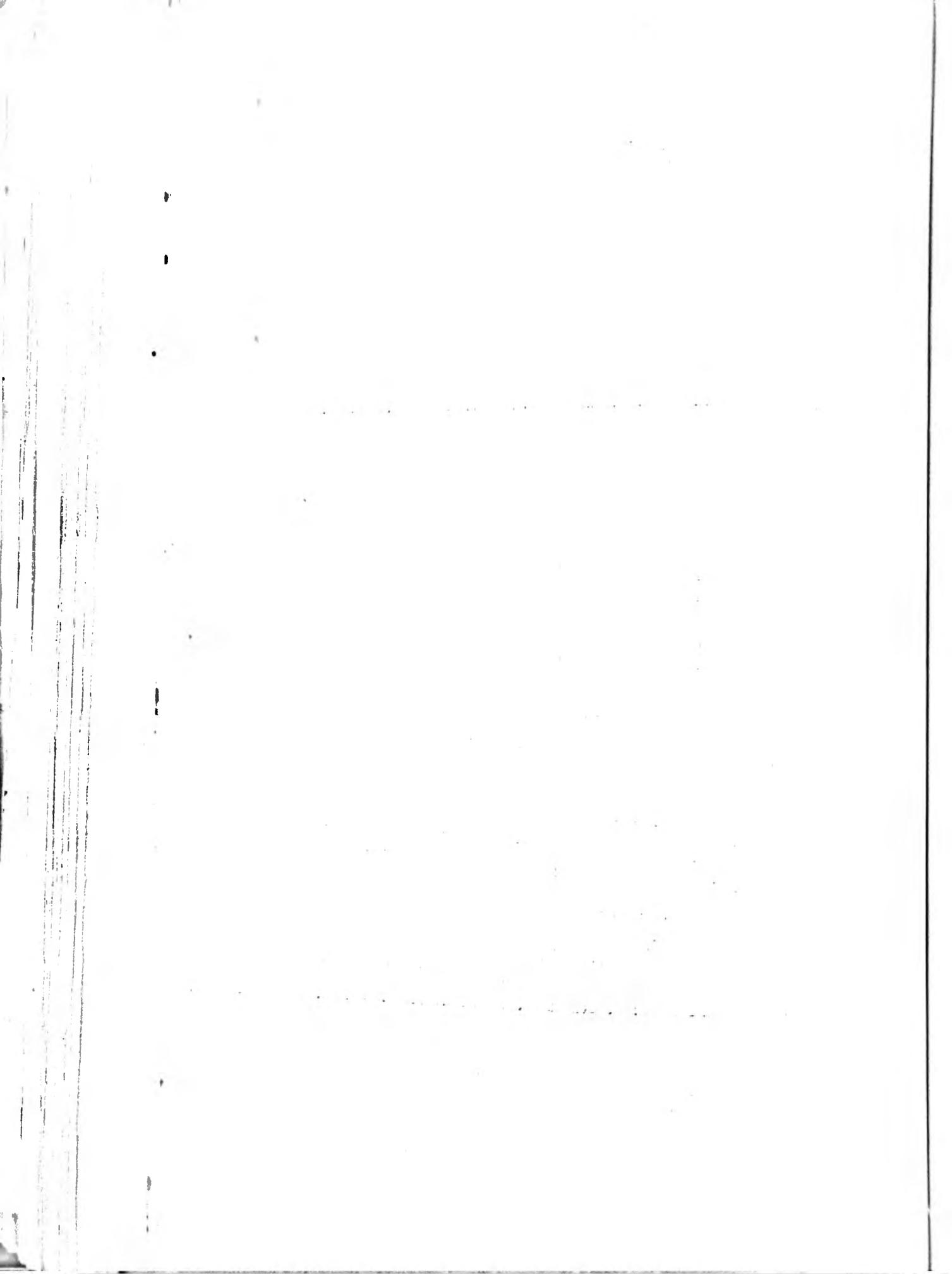
The Council observe and will institute negotiations.

Private Open Spaces. Various. There are certain lands within the area which might advantageously be scheduled as private open spaces without involving the payment of much if any compensation, e.g. playing fields belonging to various schools, and a large number of smaller enclosures at present used for lawn tennis and other games, which provide valuable amenities to the district. If these lands should be eventually adapted for other purposes, the residents of the same class who now occupy adjacent residences may be expected to migrate.

The Council will take steps to schedule the various private open spaces referred to either now or at the draft scheme stage.

Compensation. Opinion. Having regard to all the circumstances I am of opinion that the amount of compensation payable in respect of the making of the scheme as at present framed may be regarded as practically negligible. If any of the amendments I have suggested are eventually incorporated, the amount of compensation payable would be comparatively small.

The Council observe.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (g) Friern Barnet Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme.—The Surveyor reported on the Preliminary Statement in connexion with the above Scheme;
RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto.

1356 PLAN No. 6327—GARAGE EXTENSION—PROSPECT PLACE—MR. A. E. PICKETT.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Public Health Committee for appropriate action.

1357 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE.—The Surveyor submitted plans showing the proposed sanitary accommodation, and intimated that he estimated the cost of carrying out the proposal at £900. The Committee decided to include such expenditure in their estimates for next year;

RECOMMENDED that the plans submitted by the Surveyor be approved.

1358 OPEN SPACES—GLEBE LAND.—The Committee considered the reference from the Council. The Surveyor stated that the adoption of the suggestion made at the last meeting of the General Purposes Committee in regard to the temporary drainage of site "G" would not necessitate the modification of the estimate which he submitted and which was approved at the last meeting of this Committee;

RECOMMENDED that the suggestion referred to above be adopted and that the Surveyor be authorised to proceed with the work of such drainage.

1359 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

1360 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

Annexed

RECOMMENDED that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 5698A	Five shops with flats over	Nos. 24-28, The Promenade, Long Lane	Messrs. D. Morris and Sons.
6205C	One house and garage	Grove Road	Dr. N. A. Duncan.
6260B	Garage	4, Woodside Avenue	Mr. N. Robertson.
6322	Garage	26, Moss Hall Grove	Mr. R. A. Moore.
6323	Repair shop and store	Rear of A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd., High Rd., Whetstone	The A1 and Dollis Dairies, Ltd.
6328	Assembly shop and store	Woodberry Grove	Mr. H. J. Pooley (trading as Morgan Motor Mowers)
6329	Additional W.C.	17, Cornwall Parade	Messrs. Mead Bros., Ltd.
6331	Two houses	Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Estate	Messrs. Burdett and May.
6332	Two garages	Grosvenor Road, between No. 11 and Valence	Mr. G. G. Lidstone.
6333	Garage	At side of Meadowhurst, Woodside Lane	Mr. E. Bryant.
6334	Four garages	Montrose Crescent	Mr. C. L. Bennett.
6335	Room in roof	25, Briarfield Avenue	Mr. E. L. Linzell.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

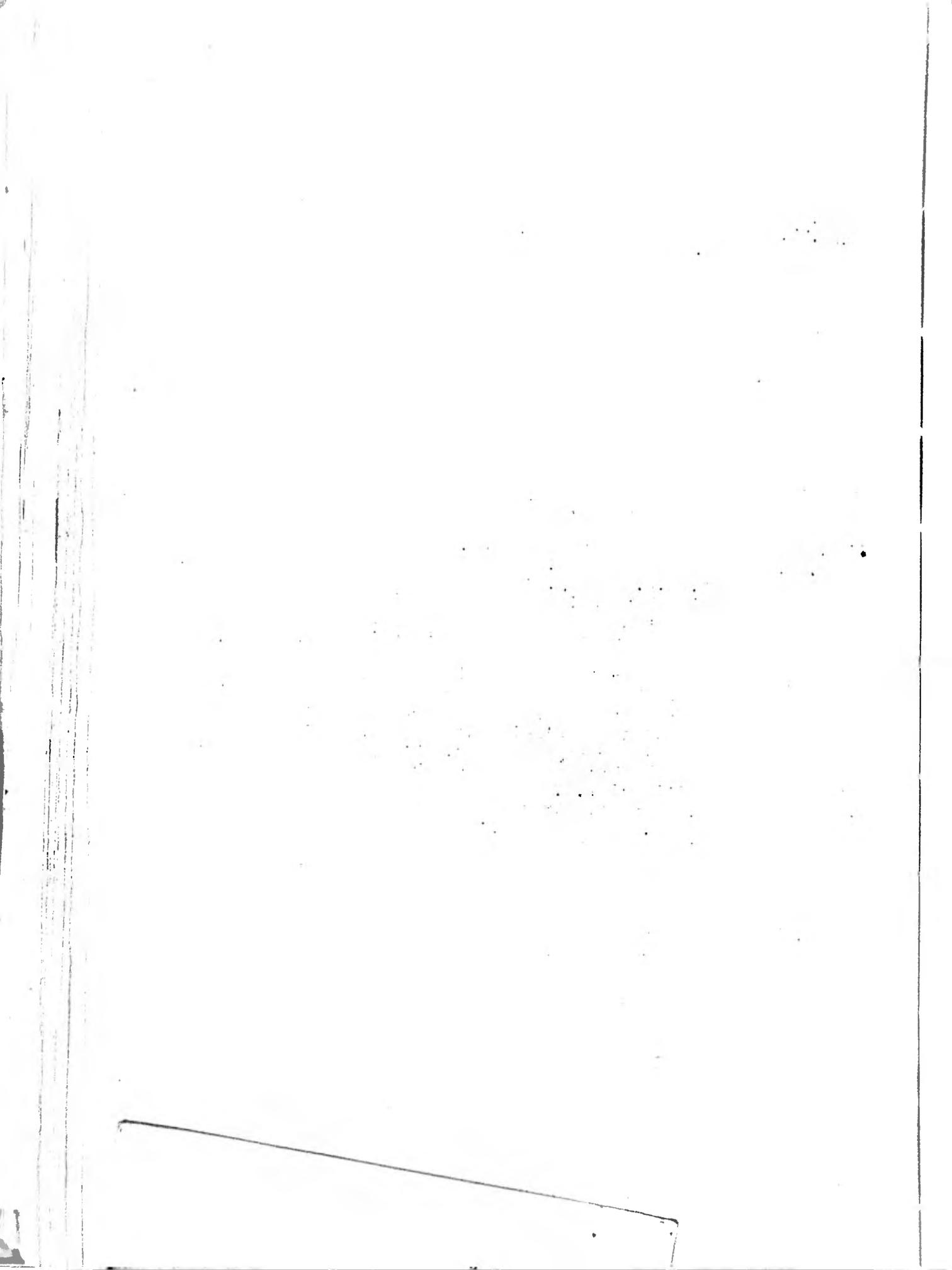
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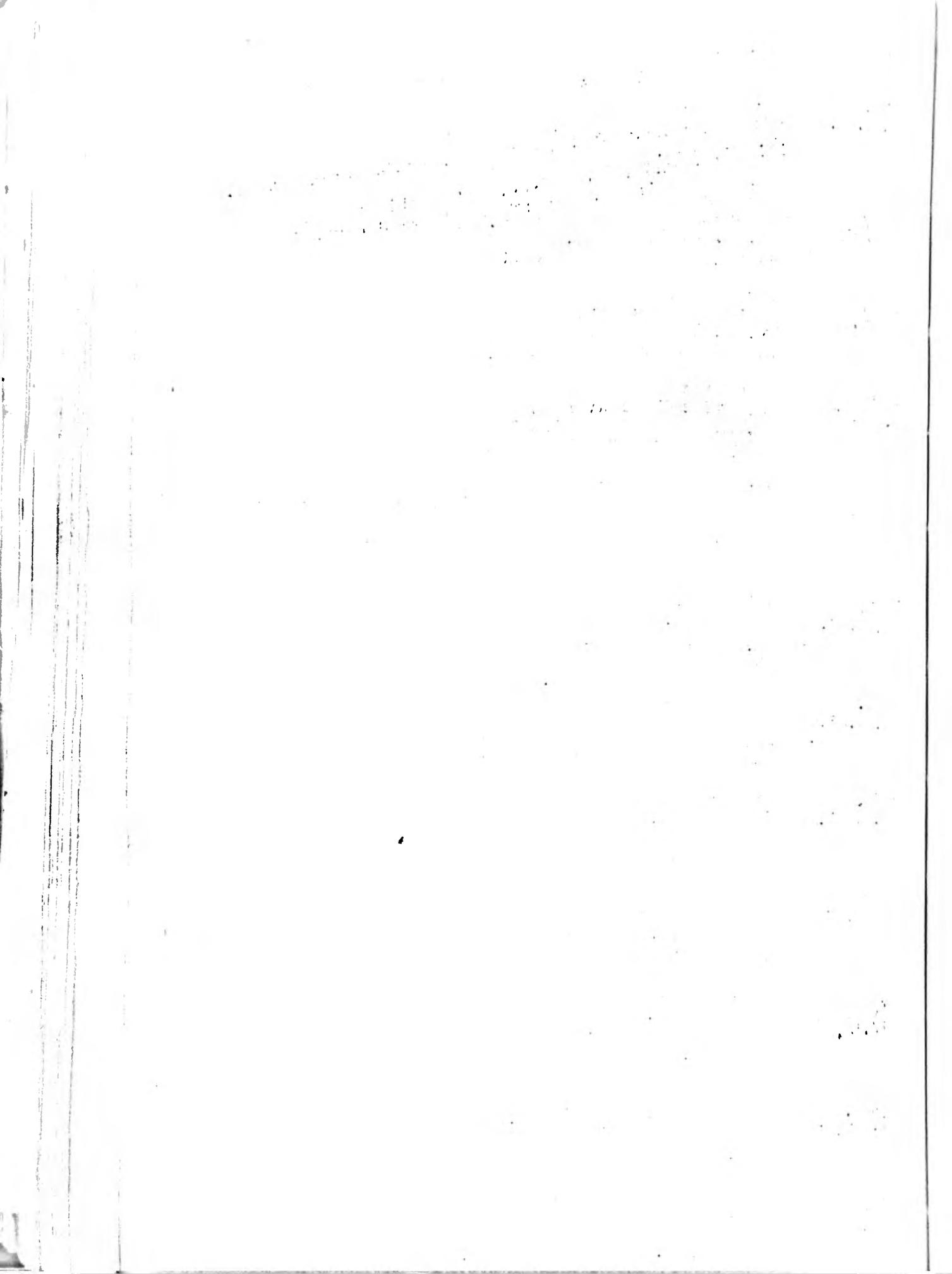
Since my last report 20 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	76
GARAGES.	10
MISCELLANEOUS.	6
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	1
GARAGE WITH ROOM OVER.	1

- 6205C. One house and garage.
9. 12.27. Grove Road.
Dr. N.A. Duncan.
This is an amended plan for one house with garage at the rear and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6260B. Garage.
22.12.27. 4, Woodside Avenue.
Mr. N. Robertson.
This is an amended plan and MAY BE APPROVED.
6322. Garage,
6. 12.27. 26, Moss Hall Grove.
Mr. R. A. Moore.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6323. Repair shop and store (Already erected.)
3. 1. 28. Rear of A.L. & Dollis Dairies Ltd, High Road,
Whetstone.
The A.L. & Dollis Dairies Ltd.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting has now been amended and MAY BE APPROVED.
6328. Assembly shop and store.
6. 12.27. Woodberry Grove.
Mr. H.J. Pooley. (Trading as Morgan Motor Mowers.)
This plan is in accordance with the Byelaws, but I will report with regard thereto at your meeting from the Town Planning standpoint.
- I have received an application from Mr. H.J. Pooley asking whether the Council would allow him (should he require so to do) to use an existing building licenced as a Mission Hall for factory purposes. This building is on the same site in Woodberry Grove.
6329. Additional W.C.
8. 12.27. 17, Cornwall Parade.
Messrs. Mead Bros., Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



6330. Workshop and garage. ✓
8. 12. 27. Green Lane.
Mr. Frank Parkhurst.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6331. 2 houses.
8. 12. 27. Ridgeway, Willow Lodge Estate.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED. ✓
6332. 2 garages.
10.12.27. Grosvenor Road between No.11, and "Valence".
Mr. G. G. Lidstone.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED. ✓
6334. 4 garages.
13.12.27. Montrose Crescent.
Mr. C.L. Bennett.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED. ✓
6335. Room in roof.
9. 12. 27, 25, Briarfield Avenue.
Mr. E.L. Linzell. ✓
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6336. Garage with room over.
20.12.27. Land adjoining "Osmanthorpe" Woodside Grange Road.
Mr. E. Lane.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED, but I will report at
your meeting on the proposed glass hood.
6337. 4 houses.
22.12.27. Hill Rise.
Mr. G.C. Swanson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6338. One house.
21.12.27. South Crescent. (Kimbelton Estate.)
Messrs. Rainbird & Scarfe.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6339. Greenhouse.
27.12.27. "Backland", Percy Road.
Mr. W.A. Taylor.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6340. One house.
23.12.27. Beechwood Avenue.
Messrs. Tant & Co.,
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6341. 67 houses.
29.12.27, West Avenue and Nether Street.
Mr. P.D. Walker.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6342. Garage.
29.12.27. 15, Fursby Avenue.
Mr. P. D. Walker.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



6343. Garage.
30.12.27. 14, Wentworth Avenue.
Messrs. Rainbird & Scarfe. ✓
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6344. Coal store.
30.12.27. 10, Ridgeway. ✓
Mr. H.E. Watkinson.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

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TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

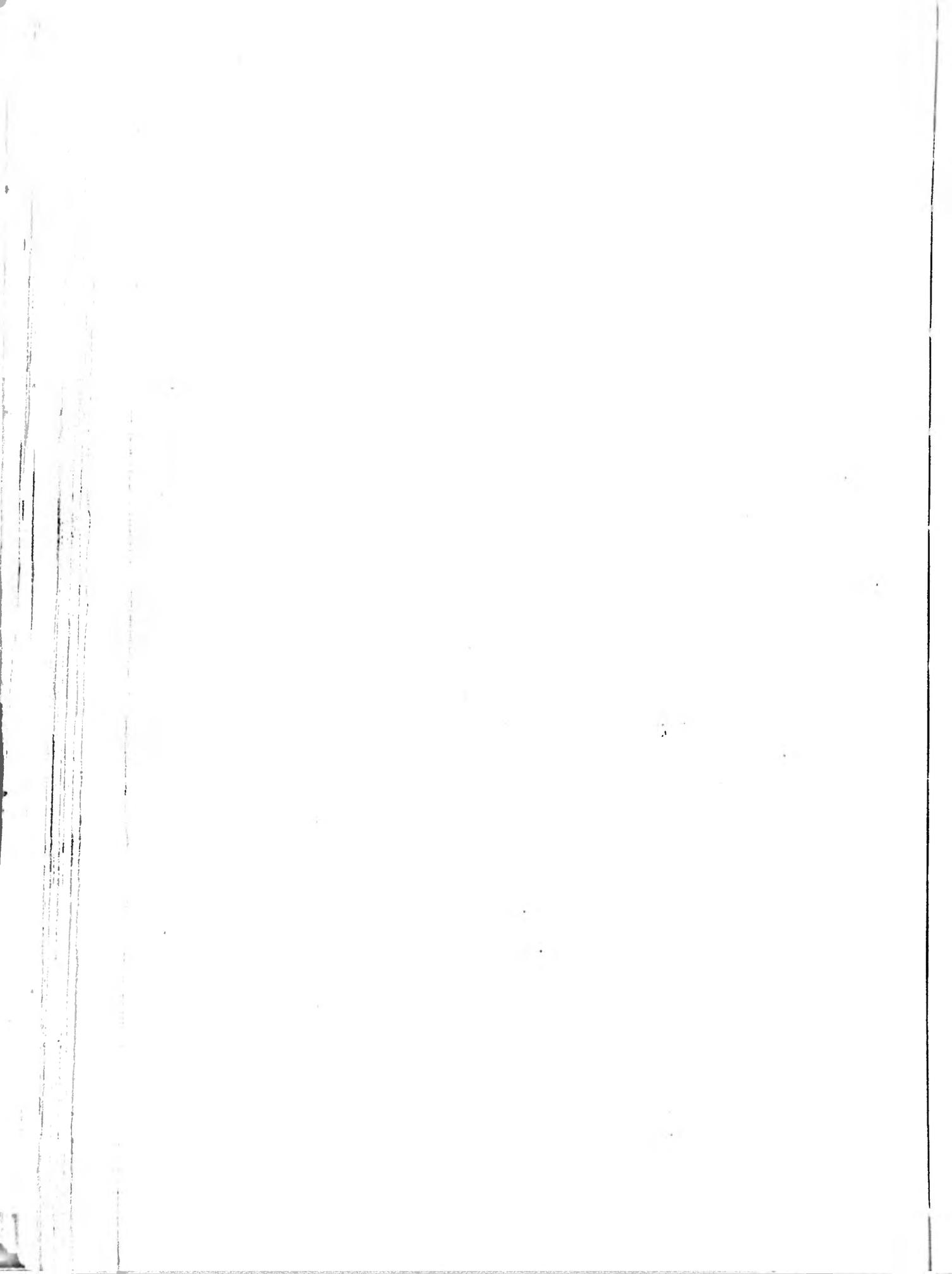
5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT

Since my last report 10 sets of plans have been received representing:-

NEW ROADS AND SEWERS.	2.
GARAGES.	4.
MISCELLANEOUS.	3.
HOUSES.	6.

6296.
30.11.27. New road and sewers.
Fursby House Estate,
Mr. P. D. Walker.
This plan, which was disapproved at the last meeting of the Council, has been amended, so that there is a building line of 10'0" on either side of the proposed new road (to be called "West Avenue") at its junction with Nether Street. This is in accordance with the expressed desire of your Committee and I recommend the plan for approval.
6310.
12. 11. 27. New road and sewers.
Hampstead Garden Suburb, off Hill Top. (To be known as "Midholm Close.")
The Oakwood Tenants Ltd.
This plan is in conformity with Town Planning Scheme No.1. and MAY BE APPROVED, but it should be pointed out that such approval does not apply to the construction, which is not such as the Council could accept.
6311.
5.12.27. New garage and conversion of existing shed into garage.
Rear of 1, The Broadway, High Road, Whetstone.
Trustees of Moody's Whetstone Estate.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6315.
24.11.27, Garage.
Rear of 60, Summerlee Avenue.
Mr. M.J.K. Soutter.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
6317.
3.12.27. Room in roof,
9, Market Parade. Great North Road, Finchley, N.12.
Mr. D. A. Thomson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6320.
28.11.27. 6 houses.
Nether Street, adjoining Elm Grange.
Mr. W. T. Haward.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.



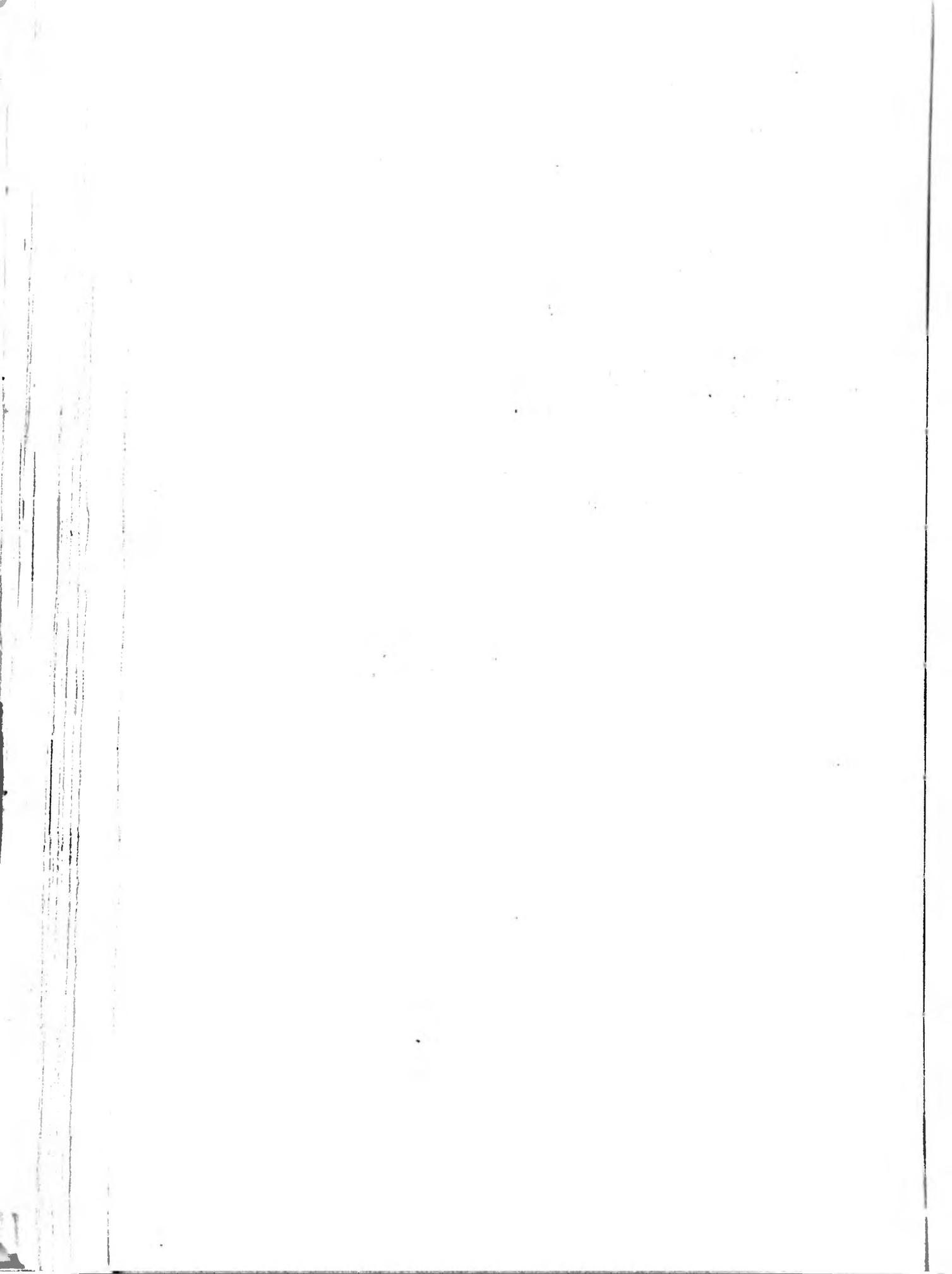
6323.
23.11.27. Repair shop and store. (Already erected.)
Rear of A.L.& Dollis Dairies, High Road, Whetstone.
The A.L.& Dollis Dairies, Ltd.
This plan is not in accordance with the byelaws and
SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED, unless it is decided
to treat it as a temporary building. I will
submit at your meeting correspondence with
reference to the matter. ✓
6324.
2. 12.27. Garage,
5, Hillocourt Avenue. ✓
Mr. H. E. Salmon.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6325.
2. 12.27. Garage.
15, St. Margaret's Avenue. ✓
Mr. C. F. Griffiths.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6327.
5. 12.27. Extension to shed.
Market Place, East Finchley.
Mr. A. E. Pickett.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED. ✓

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH DECEMBER, 1927.

This (together with the four preceding pages)
is the Surveyor's report referred to in paragraph
1360 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces
Committee's report of the 9th January 1928.

W. J. Hill
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6336	*Garage with flat over	Land adjoining Osmanthorpe, Woodside Grange Road	Mr. E. Lane.
✓ 6337	Four houses	Hill Rise	Mr. G. C. Swanson.
✓ 6338	One house	South Crescent (Kimbolton Estate)	Messrs. Rainbird and Scarfe.
✓ 6339	Greenhouse	Backland, Percy Road	Mr. W. A. Taylor.
✓ 6340	One house	Beechwood Avenue	Messrs. Tant & Co.
✓ 6341	67 houses	West Avenue and Nether Street	Mr. P. D. Walker.
✓ 6342	Garage	15, Fursby Avenue	Mr. P. D. Walker.
✓ 6343	Garage	14, Wentworth Avenue	Messrs. Rainbird and Scarfe.
✓ 6344	†Coal store	10, Ridgeway	Mr. H. E. Watkinson.
✓ 6345	Two garages	Nos. 2 and 4, North Crescent	Mr. A. H. C. Arnell.
✓ 6348	Additions	Westwood, The Bishop's Avenue	Mrs. H. S. Prior.
✓ 6349	New garage and showroom	139, High Road, East Finchley	Mr. W. Alliston.
✓ 6350	Three garages	Rear of 7, Woodside Avenue	Mr. C. L. Bennett.

* Subject to consent of owner of adjoining premises.

† Subject to owner's entering into agreement to pull down and remove building if and when called upon so to do by the Council.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
✓ 6346	One house	Hutton Grove	Mr. W. J. Smith.
✓ 6351	Alterations to form garage	108, Holden Road	Mr. K. Macdonald.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

10th January, 1928.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike and H. O. Syrett.

1361 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1362 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject:—

- (1) to the deletion of Item No. 903, in which case the Surveyor obtain fresh quotations; and
- (2) as regards Item No. 904, to the Clerk's being satisfied as to the Council's liability for the expenditure.

Annexed

1363 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the five weeks ended 31st December, 1927, was submitted and approved.

Annexed

1364 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:—

Annexed

(a) Housing Act, 1925—Section 3.—

63 and 65, Market Place, N. 2.—The Inspector reported that the owner of the above-named dwelling-houses, which were suitable for occupation by persons of the working classes, had failed to make and keep the said dwelling-houses in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation, and submitted a schedule of the defects found which were in addition to those mentioned in his report dated 4th November, 1927;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the statutory notices now submitted be served upon the owner under Section 3 of the above Act, requiring him to execute the necessary repairs within the time specified in the said notices;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) that failing compliance with such notices and those referred to in Minute 1004 (b) the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the carrying out of the necessary works; and
- (c) that upon completion thereof the Clerk be instructed to take proceedings, if necessary, against the owner for recovery of the expenses incurred in the execution of the works.

1365 MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923—LICENCE.—The Inspector reported that an application had been received from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., of 39, High Road, N. 2, for a Dealer's Licence to sell certified milk at 6, Market Place, Lyttelton Road, N.W. 11;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

1366 UNSOUND FOOD.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

1367 PUBLIC HEALTH (MEAT) REGULATIONS, 1924—INSPECTION OF MEAT IN SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.—The Inspector reported hereon, and arising thereout the Committee decided to submit to the General Purposes Committee at its special meeting to be held on 25th January, 1928, a strong recommendation with regard to the amount of the increment in salary to be granted to the two Assistant Inspectors, having regard to the additional duties carried out by them outside the usual office hours in connection with meat inspection.

1368 PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871-1926—APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.—

- (a) James Holloway — Garages adjoining 41, Fairlawn Avenue, N. 2.—The Inspector reported that the above applicant was already licenced to keep 12 gallons of petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins at the above premises, and suggested that a new licence be granted for a period of six months ending 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 2/6 be charged;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

F I N C H L E Y U R B A L D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L .

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10TH. JANUARY, 1928.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH. JANUARY TO 27TH. FEBRUARY, 1928, INCLUSIVE

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost			Amt. of Est.		Amt. of Req. already passed.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.		£.	s.	d.
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>									
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>									
67.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.		52.	31.	1.	0.	
68.	1/2 load straw.	1.	10.	0.					
69.	2 gallons paraffin.	2.	0.						
70.	1/2 cwt. soda.	3.	0.						
71.	2 tins metal polish.	1.	0.		30.	51.	15.	3.	
		2.	7.	0.					

General.

72.	1/4 gross 2 inch gummed roll	2.	3.	0.	25.	21.	16.	6
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THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

Disinfecting Station.

73.	Mare roughed.	4.	0.		52.	31.	1.	0.
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General.

74.	Hire of films for Health Education.	16.	5.		30.	-	-	-
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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10TH JANUARY, 1928.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 12TH JANUARY TO 6TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE.

9378 0 0

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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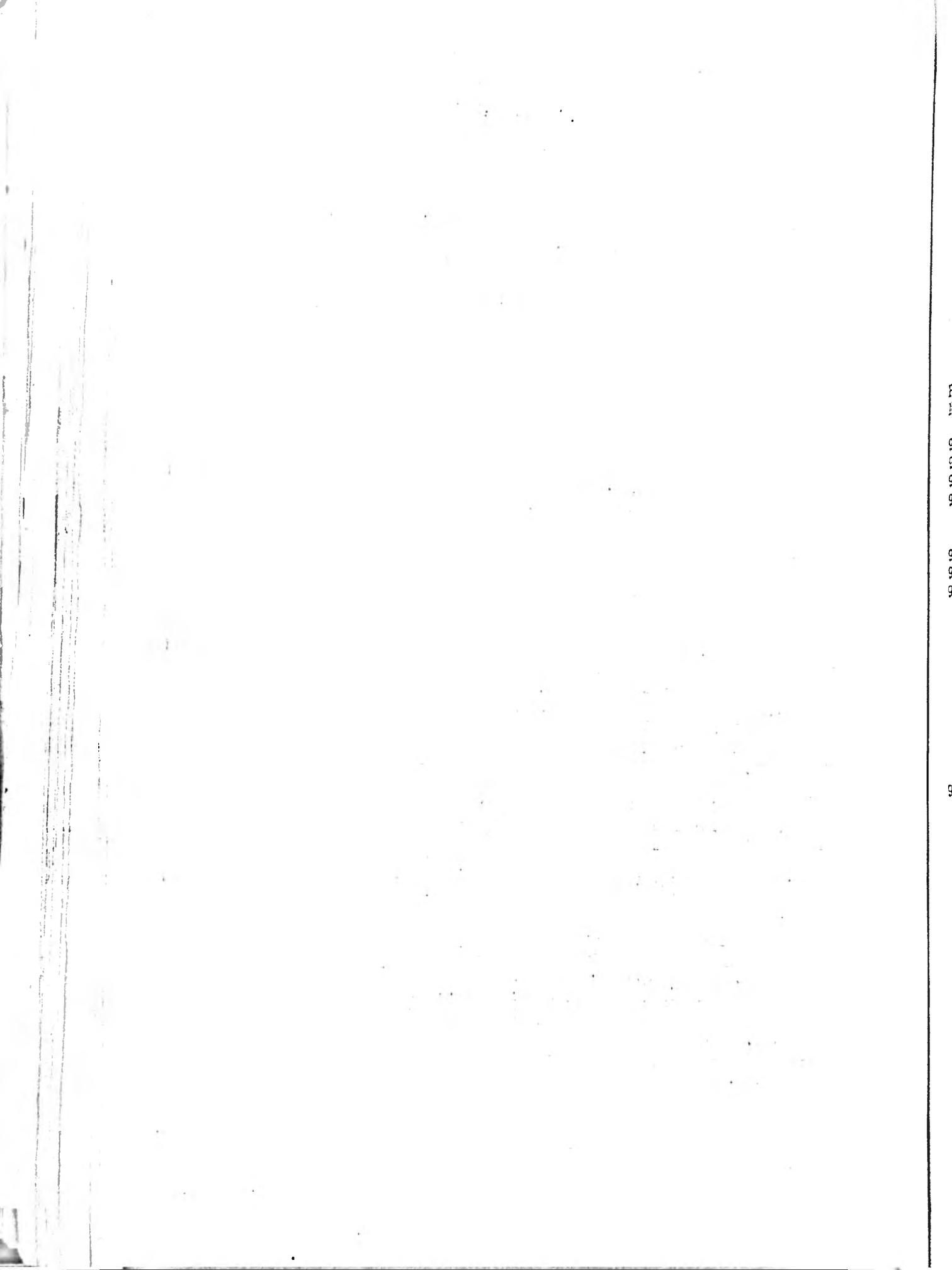
Req. No.	Item No.				
887	2	Refuse removal - January.	483	16	8
888	3	FLUSHING - team labour.	20	0	0
889	4	Do. - wages.	20	0	0
890	5	TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS - wages.	25	0	0
10 <u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>					
891		Wages.	45	0	0
892	C	6 ft. 2" shafting with keys and keyways, and fit bosses	2	8	4
894	0	1 impeller spindle with keys and keyways.	1	14	0
895	0	10 ft. 4" x 4 ply balata belting, 4 sets fasteners.	1	5	4
896	0	Dismantle outer bearing Flexala pump, fit new ball thrust and journal bearings, new piece to belt.	5	10	0
897	0	Overhaul engine.	2	10	0
898		130 gals. petroleum.	4	17	6
899		5 gals. engine oil.		16	3
900	0	4 suits bib overalls.	2	7	4
13 <u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>					
901		Wages.	74	0	0
902		3 uniforms - male attendants.	7	2	6
903		3 Do. - women Do.	12	12	0
904	0	Clean out and adjust automatic flush cistern and pipes. (Whetstone.)	1	5	1
905	18	Use of Hendon sewers. Hampstead Garden Suburb - Holders Hill.	8	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH JANUARY, 1928.



P I N C H L E Y U R B A N D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L .

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10TH JANUARY, 1928.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 12TH JANUARY TO 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE 5444 0 0

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 4197 15 7

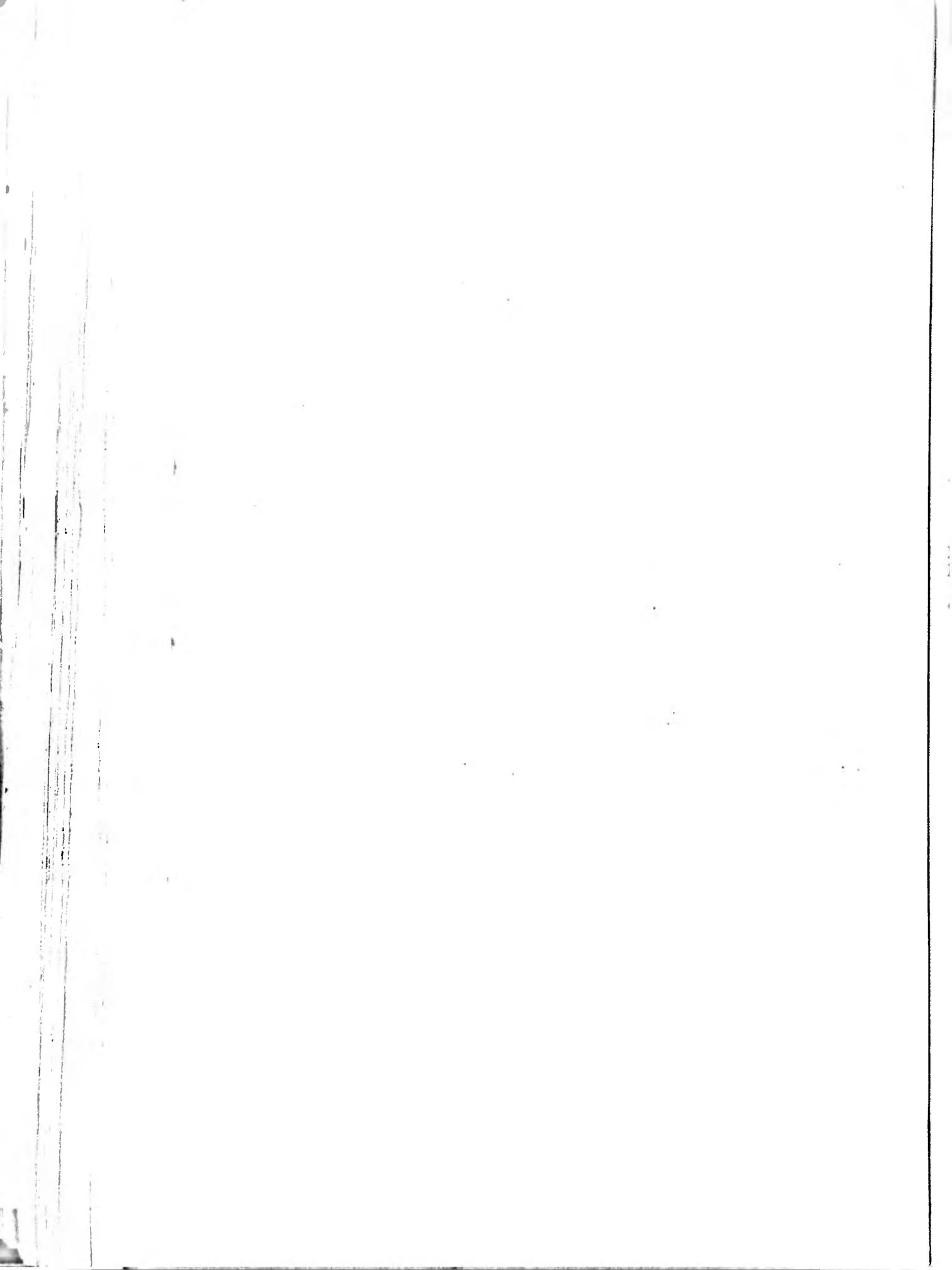
Req. No.	Item No.				
906	1	Wages - sewage disposal.	270	0	0
907	2	Do. - refuse disposal.	60	0	0
908	3	½ ton forge coal.	1	8	9
909	10	12 lbs candles; 5 gals. lubricating oil; 1 doz. lamp glasses; 2 doz. gas mantles.	)	2	2 9
910	11	Rat destruction to March.	30	0	0
911	13	Salaries - January.	34	14	2
912	15 0	42 gals. Boiler fluid.	5	15	6
					404 1 2
					£ 4601 16 9

MONTHLY.

913	Decorations and repairs.	10 8 10
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH JANUARY, 1928.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10TH JANUARY, 1928.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 12TH JANUARY TO 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE	1524	0	0	
EXTRA ITEM:- Fencing.	30	0	0	
				£1554 0 0

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 1377 0 0

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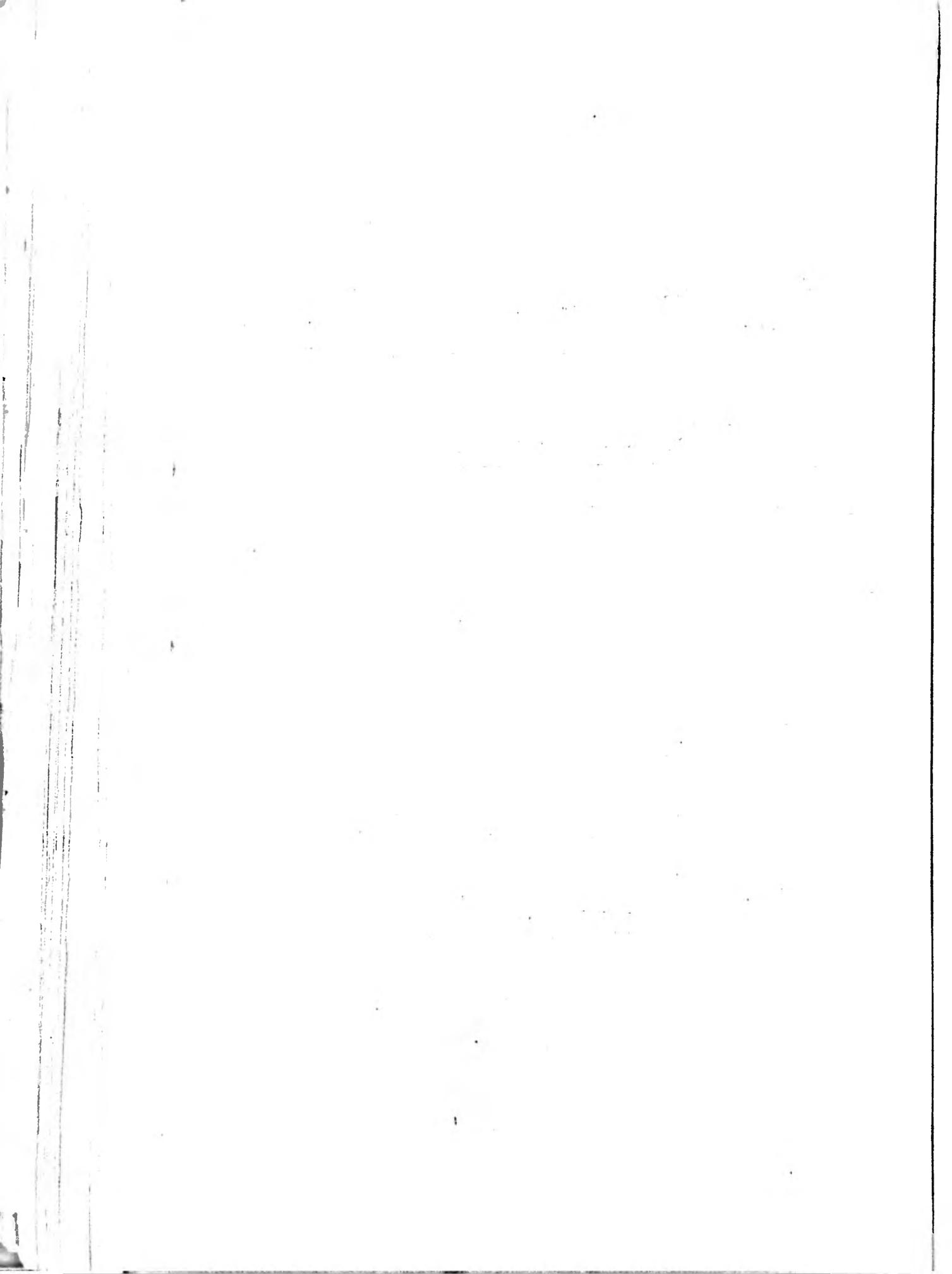
914	1	Wages.	15	0	0	
						15 0 0
						£ 1392 0 0

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH JANUARY, 1928.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1362 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 10th January 1928.

Percival T. Harrison
Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10th. JANUARY, 1928.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the five weeks
ended the 31st. December, 1927.

To the Chairman and Members
of the Public Health Committee. Public Health Dept.,
3, The Lawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen, 6th. January, 1928.
I beg to report as follows:-

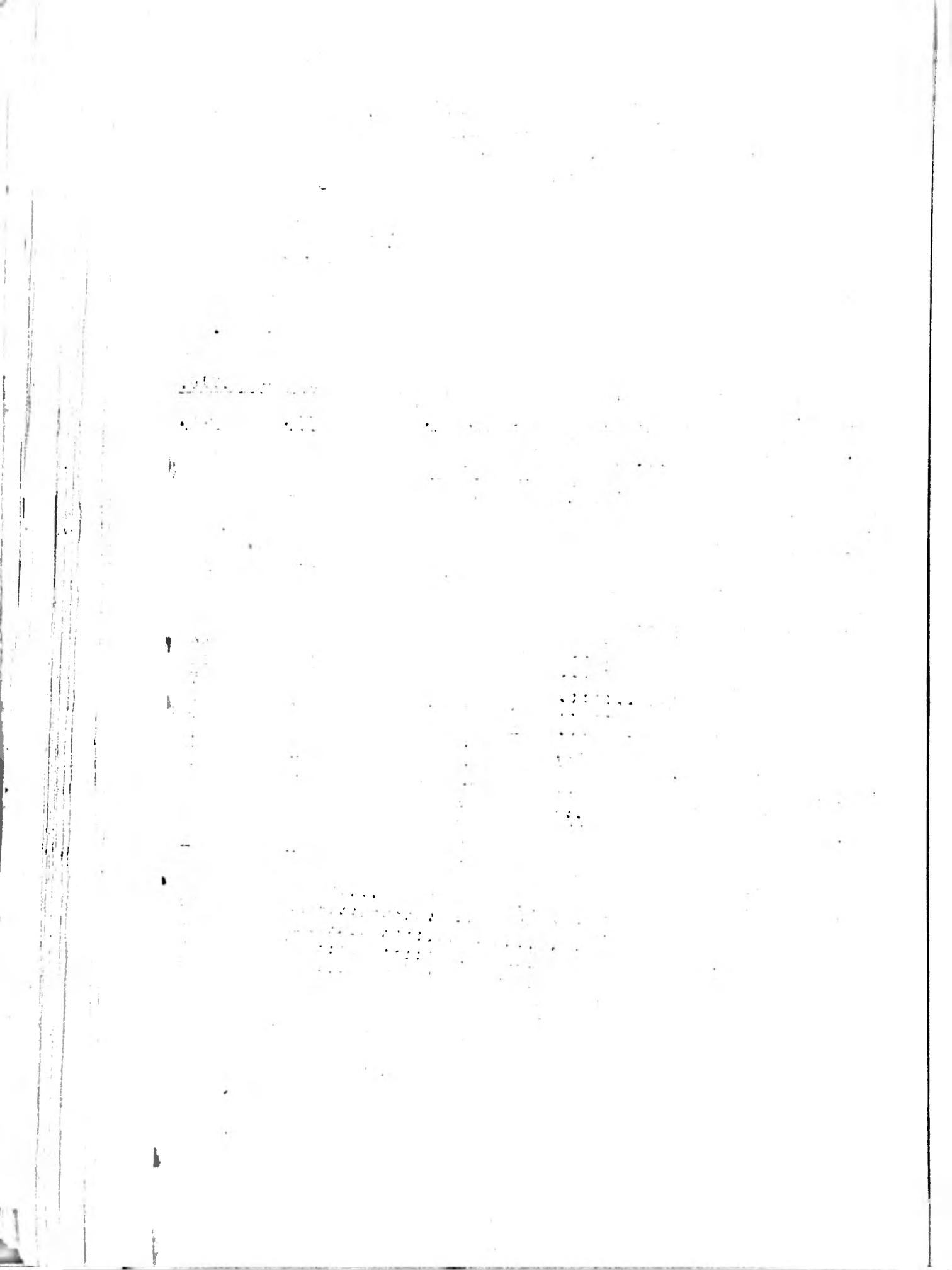
		<u>Population census 1921 - 46,726.</u>				
		<u>Wards.</u>			<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
		<u>N.</u>	<u>E.</u>	<u>W.</u>		
1.	<u>DEATHS.</u>					
	Number	17	13	10	40	32
	Infants under one yr	-	-	-	-	3
	Infectious disease.	-	-	-	-	2
2.	<u>BIRTHS.</u>					
	Number notified under the Not. Births Act..	13	13	20	46	57
3.	<u>INFECTIOUS DISEASE.</u>					
	Number of cases not-					
	ified...	14	12	6	34	44
	Scarlet Fever....	10	2	5	17	25
	Diphtheria.....	2	5	1	8	7
	Erysipelas.....	-	2	-	2	2
	Pneumonia	2	3	1	6	3
	Fuerperal Pyrexia	-	-	1	1	3
	Enceph. Lethargica	-	-	-	-	3
	Poliomyelitis....	-	-	-	-	1
4.	<u>TUBERCULOSIS.</u>					
	Pulmonary cases ...	-	-	2	2	2
	Non-pulmonary cases	-	-	-	-	-
5.	<u>PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.</u>					
	Number in hospital on the 2nd. December.				23	26
	Number admitted				14	19
	Number discharged				16	20
	Number of deaths				1	1
	Number in hospital on the 6th. Jan. 1928.				20	24

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

This is the report
of the Medical Officer of A. TURNER.
Health referred to in paragraph
1363 of the Public Health Medical Officer of Health.
Committee's report of the
10th January 1928.


Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 10th JANUARY, 1928.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Officer,
3, The Hawthorns,
N.S.

6th January, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen.

(1) HOUSING ACT, 1925 - (Sec. 3.)

63 & 65, Market Place, N.S.

I have to report that the owner of the above-named dwelling-houses, which are suitable for occupation by persons of the working classes, has failed to make and keep the said dwelling-houses in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation.

The following are the defects which exist at these houses in addition to those mentioned in my report dated the 4th November, 1927:-

63, Market Place.

Defective flushing cistern to watercloset.

Absence of eaves guttering to roof at front of house.

65, Market Place.

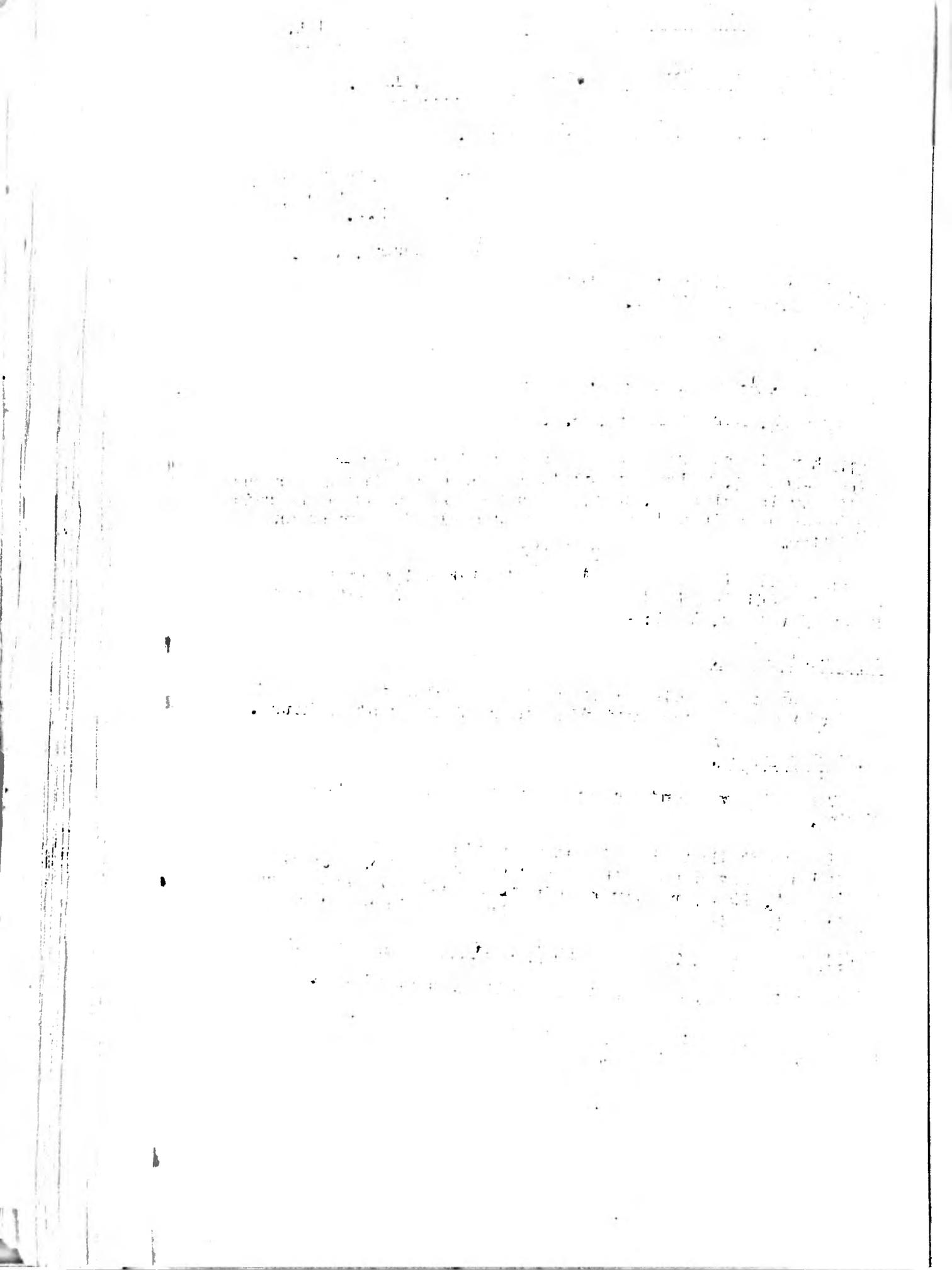
Part of eaves guttering to roof at front of house missing.

I suggest that the statutory notices submitted herewith be served upon the owner under Section 3 of the Housing Act, 1925, requiring him to execute the necessary repairs within the time specified in the said notices.

(2) TRINIS COURTS REAR OF TRINIS LODGE, WINDERTRE AVENUE -

Alleged nuisance in respect of sanitary convenience.

I shall report orally upon the above matter at the meeting of your Committee,



(3) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923 - LICENCE.

An application has been received from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd. of 39, High Road, N.E. for a dealer's licence to sell Certified milk at 6, Market Place, Lyttleton Road N.W. 11.

This application may be granted.

(4) SLAUGHTERING ON UNLICENSED PREMISES - 9, SUITERS ROW, E.12.

Further to paragraph 7 of my report dated the 2nd December, 1927 - Mr. W. Fairchild slaughtered a pig at the above premises on Wednesday, the 7th December, 1927 after having given three hours previous notice of his intention to slaughter the animal in question.

I shall submit to your Committee a copy of a communication received by Mr. Fairchild from the Ministry of Health respecting the occasional slaughter of animals for human food on unlicensed or unregistered premises.

(5) UNSOOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

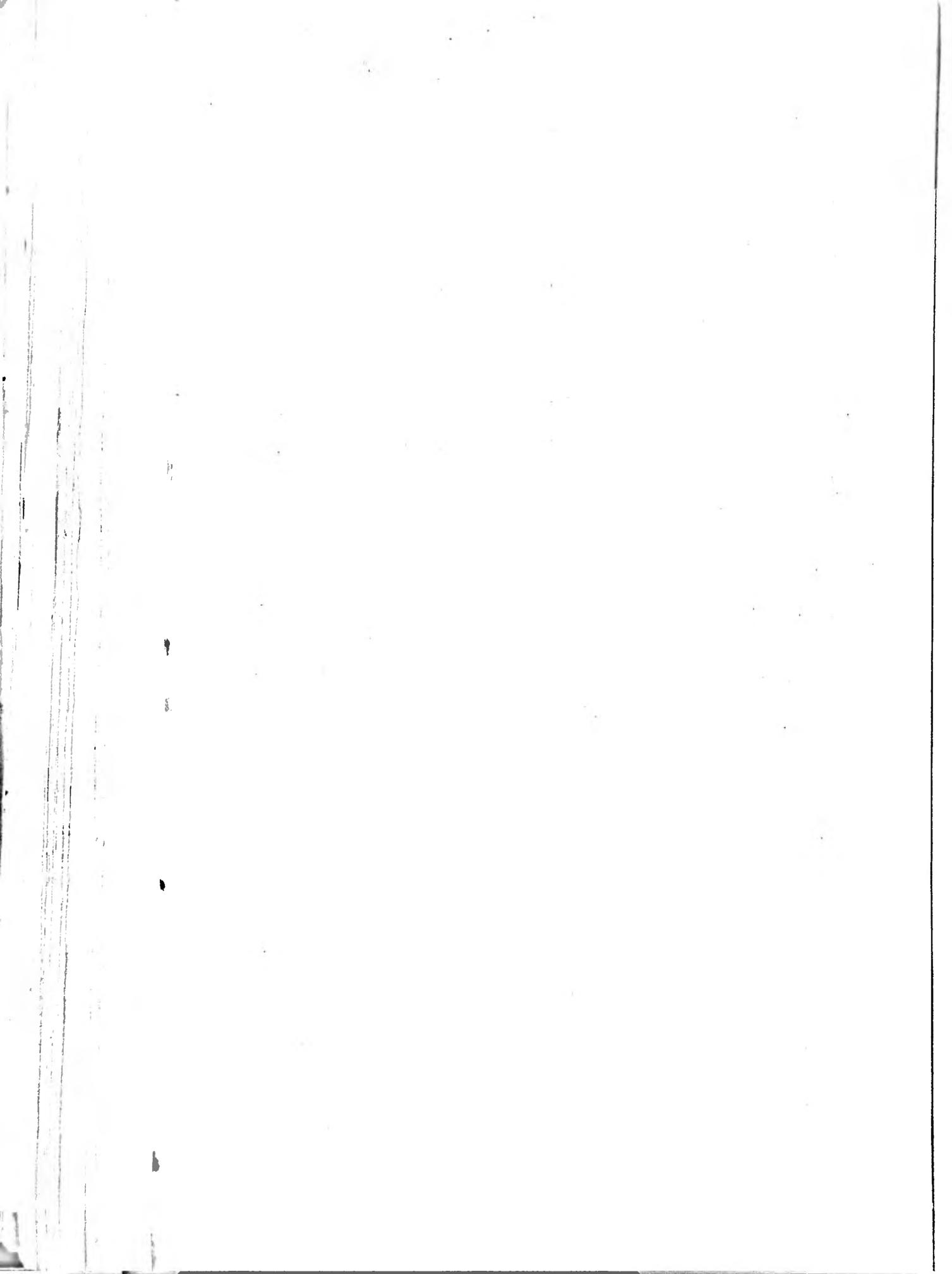
3 Heads and Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
11 Sets of Lungs.	"
5 Livers.	"
4 Mesenteries.	"
1 Heart.	"
2 Skirts.	"
9 Livers.	(Other Diseases)

Swine.

1 Carcase and Offal.	(Tuberculosis)
94 Heads.	"
6 Plucks.	"
3 Sets of Lungs.	"
1 Liver.	"
75 Mesenteries.	"
8 Spleens.	"
2 Hearts.	"
65 Sets of Lungs.	(Other Diseases)
42 Livers.	"
5 Spleens.	"
13 Hearts.	"
5 Kidneys.	"

Sheep

1 Carcase.	"
21 Livers.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	"
1 Heart.	"



Inspection of Meat in Slaughterhouses.

In accordance with the instructions of your Committee, I beg to report on the administration of the above Regulations in relation to the inspection of meat in the local slaughterhouses. The Regulations came into operation on the 1st. April, 1925, and from that date an endeavour has been made to inspect the carcasses and offal of all the animals slaughtered in the district for human consumption.

The number of slaughterhouses in the district is eight.

The number of carcasses dealt with is as follows:-

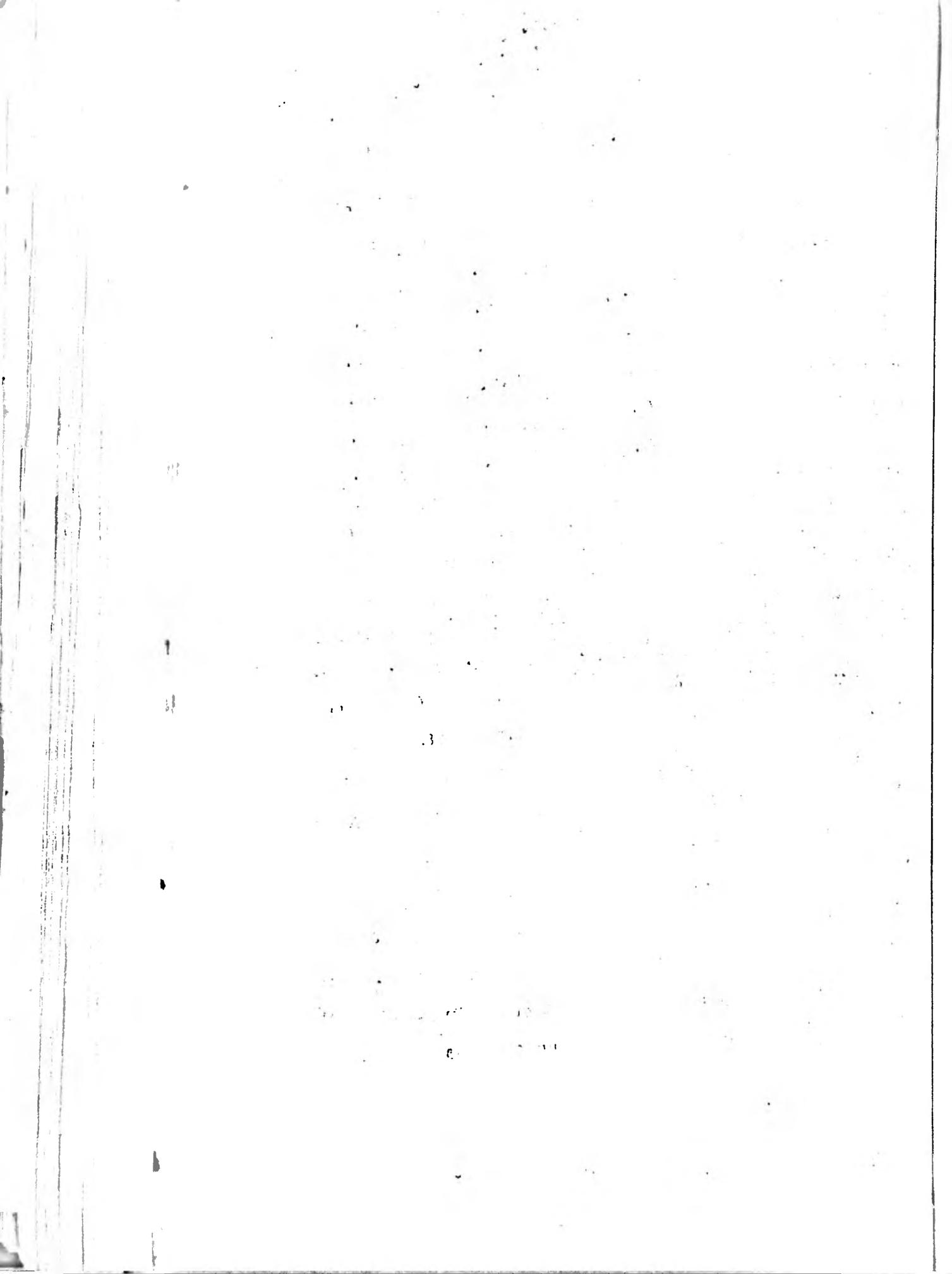
<u>Carcasses.</u>	<u>Period.</u>		
	<u>1925.</u>	<u>1926.</u>	<u>1927.</u>
Beasts and Calves.	281.	794.	1059.
Sheep.	1499.	7718.	7731.
Pigs.	<u>1750.</u>	<u>3967.</u>	<u>6557.</u>
	<u>3530.</u>	<u>12479.</u>	<u>15147.</u>

It was thought that the amount of slaughtering taking place in Finchley exceeded that in neighbouring areas and in order to confirm this I have obtained from the Health Departments of the following districts the undermentioned figures:-

<u>District.</u>	<u>Carcasses for the year 1926</u>			
	<u>Beasts and Calves.</u>	<u>Sheep.</u>	<u>Pigs.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
Friern Barnet.	6	40	60	106
Wood Green.	672	1200	780	2652
Southgate.	219	2302	1346	3867
Hornsey.	200	2843	27	3070
Hendon.	13	183	77	273
Ealing.	59	375	549	983
Edmonton.	4	103	588	695
Tottenham.	Very little slaughtering done.			
Enfield.	978	4046	2741	7765
FINCHLEY.	794	7718	3967	12479

Diseased Meat Destroyed.

The following is a list of the diseased or unsound meat which was detected and destroyed by your inspectors during the year 1927:-



<u>Bovines.</u>	
2 Carcases and Offal.	(Tuberculosis)
3 Forequarters.	"
34 Heads and Tongues.	"
105 Miscellaneous Organs.	"
4 Heads and Tongues.	(Other conditions)
124 Miscellaneous Organs.	"

<u>Swine.</u>	
27 Carcases and offal.	(Tuberculosis)
1 Hindquarter.	"
1 Side of Pork	"
2 Forequarters.	"
386 Heads.	"
471 Miscellaneous Organs.	"
8 Carcases and Offal	(Other conditions)
1 Side of Pork.	"
1 Leg of Pork.	"
1 Portion of a carcase (53 lbs.)	"
3½ Heads.	"
777 Miscellaneous Organs.	"

<u>Sheep.</u>	
6 Carcases and Offal.	"
3 Legs of Mutton.	"
141 Miscellaneous Organs.	"

Notice of Intention to slaughter.

It is not lawful for a person to slaughter an animal for sale for human consumption unless he has, not less than three hours before the time of slaughtering delivered to the Local Authority a notice (which may be given orally) of the intended slaughter. Written notice may, however, be given stating the fixed times on fixed days when slaughtering is regularly carried out. If the time of slaughter falls between 7 p.m. on one day and 7 a.m. on the next day the removal of the carcase must not take place before 7 a.m.

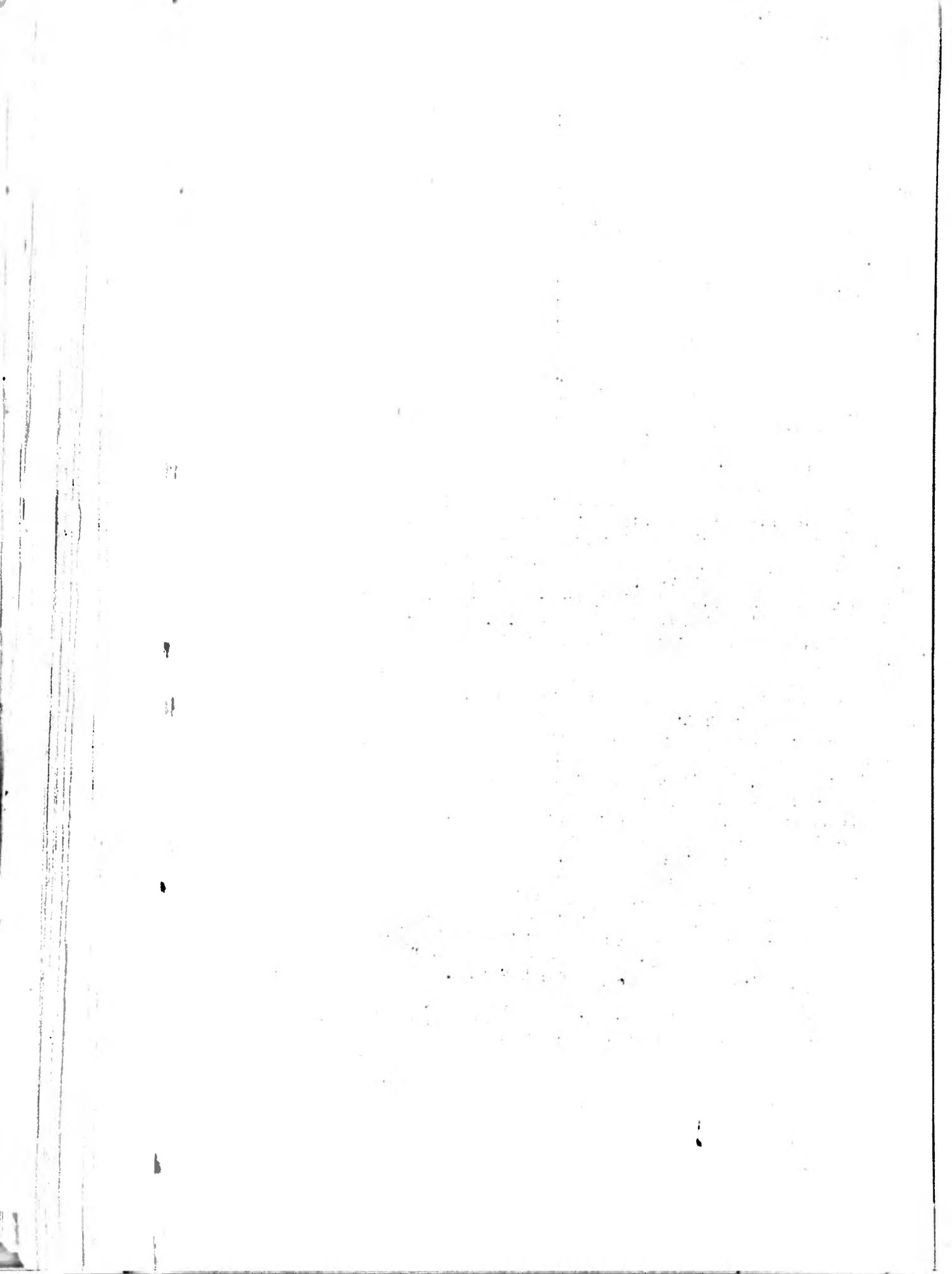
It will be observed that the Local Authority are not empowered to regulate the hours of slaughter and some traders find it convenient to carry out a large proportion of their slaughtering during the late afternoon and at night and quite frequently during the weekend. This has necessitated a large amount of inspection outside the usual office hours, and occasionally such inspection has taken place as early as 6 a.m. and as late as 12 mid-night. It will be appreciated that the work of inspection is rendered difficult on account of

- (1) irregular times of slaughter.
- (2) uncertainty as to the number of animals to be slaughtered
- (3) the fact that slaughtering may be carried out three hours after delivery of the notice - this period is small when it is realised that notice may be given after say 5 p.m. and the carcase may be removed at 7 a.m. the following morning.

During the year 1927 the number of days on which meat inspection was carried out before or after the usual office hours was as follows:-

Weekdays.	133	}	184.
Saturdays.	51		
Sundays	0		

The total number of visits paid to the eight slaughter houses in the district was 184.



(7) PETROLEUM ACTS 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.

- (a) James Holloway, Garages adjoining 41, Fairlawn Avenue, N.2.

12 gallons in two gallon tins.

The applicant is already licensed to keep 12 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins at the above premises.

I suggest that a new licence be granted for a period of six months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 3/6d be charged.

- (b) Messrs. Lindsay Brothers, Highwood Garage, High Road, North Finchley, N.12.

Messrs. Lindsay Brothers desire to store 10 gallons of cellulose paint and 10 gallons of cellulose thinners and to instal a spraying plant for the cellulose painting of motor car bodies.

This is the first application received for a licence for an installation of this character and I am making enquiries with respect to (1) the application of the Petroleum Acts to the use and storage of cellulose paint, and (2) the precautions that should be taken in connection with this process.

- (c) William Alliston, 139, High Road, East Finchley, N.2.

3000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

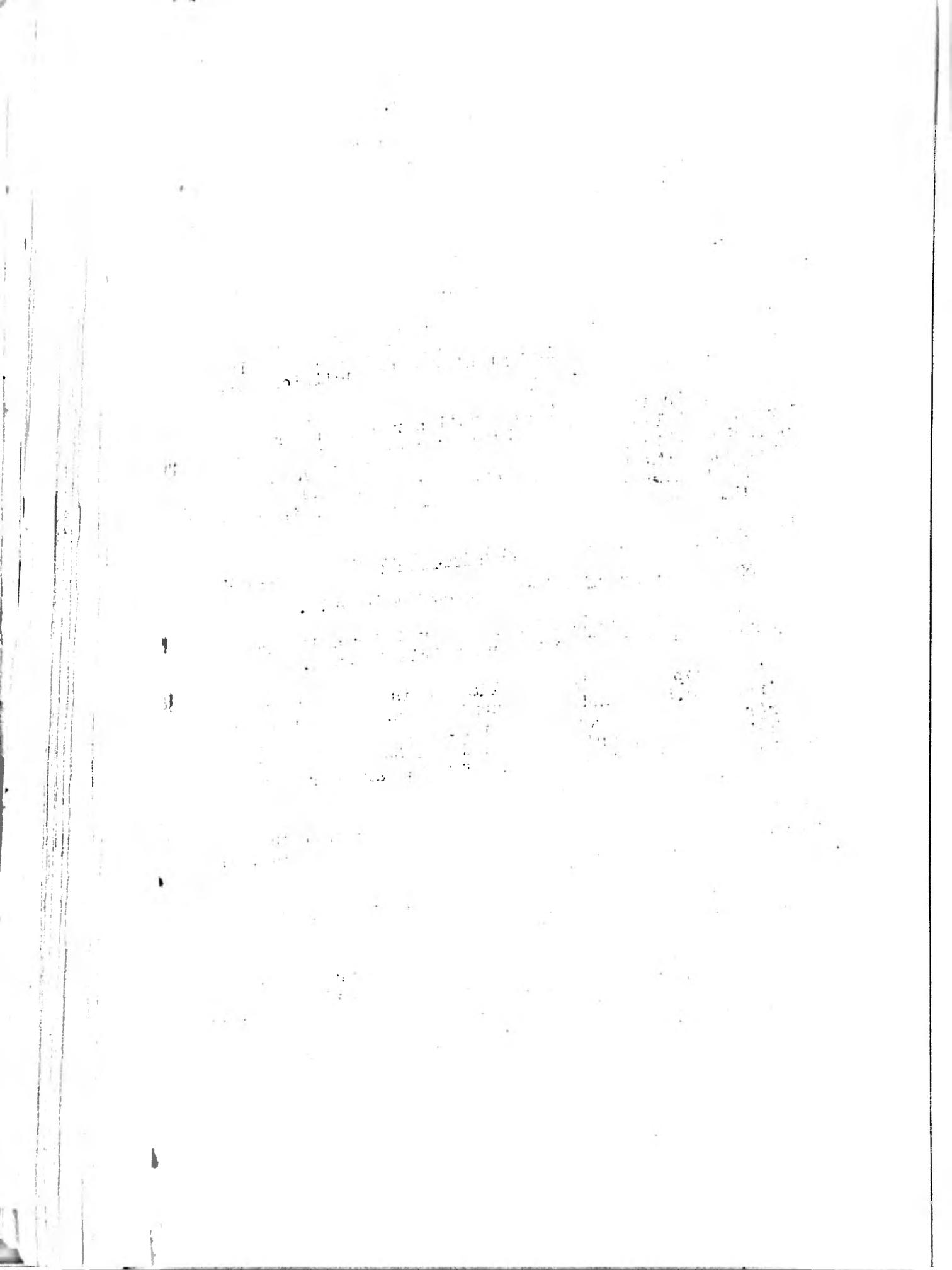
An application has been received for a licence to keep 3000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

The proposed bulk installation is shown on the drawings Nos. 557B and 557C submitted and includes three underground double compartment storage tanks, - one of which is already installed - and six 5-gallon capacity "visible" Bowser pumps, - two of which are already installed.

The premises are at present in the occupation of Mr. W. Bramble, who is licensed to keep 1000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

This application may be granted subject to the following conditions, namely:-

- (1) that the proposed bulk installation be constructed in the manner shown on the drawings Nos. 557B and 557C and that the installation, including the pumps, fittings, pipe lines, etc. and all works incidental thereto be subject to the approval of your



petroleum inspector before being covered up, or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit.

- (2) that all due precautions be taken for the prevention of accident by fire or explosion in respect of the alterations to be carried out in connection with the existing storage tank and pumps.
- (3) that the conditions annexed to the Council's licence be strictly observed.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

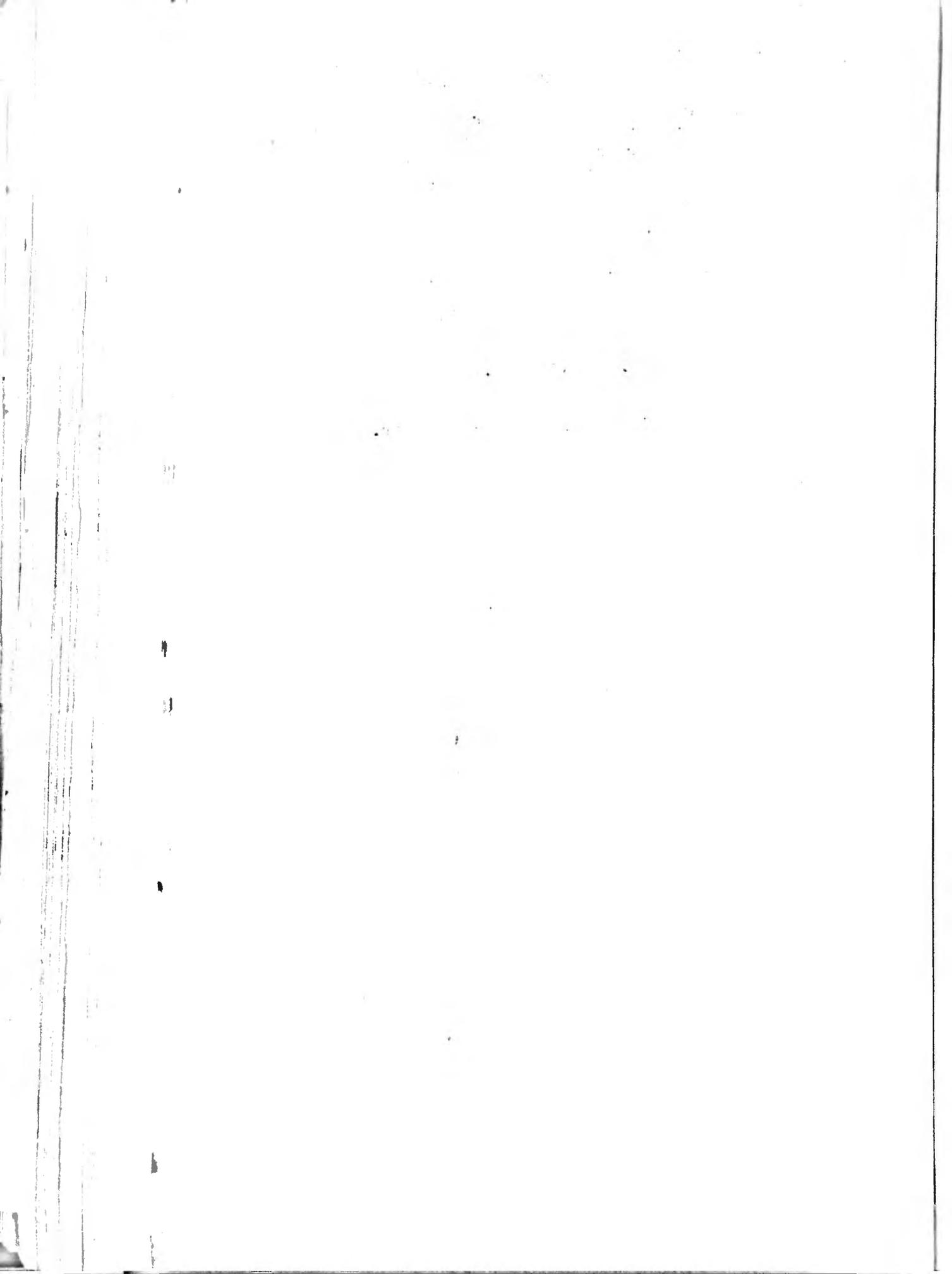
Your obedient servant,

D. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the five preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1364 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 10th January 1928.


Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) William Alliston—139, High Road, East Finchley, N. 2.—
The Inspector reported that the above applicant desired to keep 3,000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk; that the proposed bulk installation was shown on the Drawings No. 557b and 557c submitted, and included three underground double compartment storage tanks, one of which was already installed, and six 5-gallon capacity "visible" Bowser pumps, two of which were already installed; that the premises were at present in the occupation of Mr. W. Bramble, who was licensed to keep 1,000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk;

RECOMMENDED that the application be granted for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject to:—

- (1) the proposed bulk installation being constructed in the manner shown on the Drawings No. 557b and 557c, and to the installation, including the pumps, fittings, pipe lines, etc., and all works incidental thereto being subject to the approval of the Petroleum Inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit;
- (2) all due precautions being taken for the prevention of accident by fire or explosion in respect of the alterations to be carried out in connexion with the existing storage tank and pumps; and
- (3) the conditions annexed to the Council's licence being strictly observed.

1369 STAFF—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.—

- (a) In accordance with the authority delegated by the Council, two candidates for the appointment of Assistant Sanitary Inspector were interviewed, and Mr. J. Gray, Assistant Sanitary Inspector to the Bexley Urban District Council, was appointed thereto. It was reported that he had passed satisfactorily a medical examination.
- (b) A communication was submitted from Mr. C. W. Newbery, thanking the Council for the testimonial granted to him.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (c) It was decided that, for departmental purposes, Mr. T. J. Moore be recognised as the Senior Assistant Sanitary Inspector.

1370 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 10th January, 1928, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen and Pike, and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing, and Mrs. Reeves.

- (a) **MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.**—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the five weeks ended the 31st December, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

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- (b) **REQUISITIONS.**—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

- (c) **MEMBERSHIP OF SUB-COMMITTEE.**—The Clerk submitted a letter, dated 2nd January, 1928, from Mrs. C. S. Syrett, resigning her membership of the Sub-Committee, as she was leaving England and expected to be away for some months;

RECOMMENDED that the resignation be accepted with regret, and that the thanks of the Council be accorded to Mrs. Syrett for the services rendered by her in the past.

- (d) **CHURCH END CENTRE—FEES OF PART-TIME MEDICAL OFFICER.**—It was reported that when the original Scheme was submitted to the Ministry for the establishment of the Church End Centre it was suggested that the fee payable to the Medical Officer should be £2 2s. 0d. per session. The Minister of Health informed the Council that until experience had been obtained of the numbers attending the Centre, and the length of the session required to deal with them, he was unable to approve the payment of a higher fee than 1½ guineas per session. The Committee carefully considered the matter, in conjunction with a communication received from Dr. Phillis Cunnington, and

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 10TH. JANUARY, 1928.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the nine weeks ended
the 31st. December, 1927.

Public Health Department,
3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.3.

6th. January, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

	<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
	North East Church <u>Finch Finch End</u>	North East Church <u>Finch Finch End</u>
1. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.</u>		
Children under 2 yrs.	466 441 352	- - -
Children over 2 yrs.	115 103 95	- - -
Total attendances.	581 544 407	551 699 -
No. seen by doctor.	225 249 186	- - -
New babies.	18 51 26	16 50 9
2. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CRECHE.</u>	<u>1927.</u>	<u>1926.</u>
Total attendances.	1409	956
Average attendance per day.	51	21
Receipts from mothers	£48. 9. 4.	£34. 16. 4.
3. <u>ATTENDANCES AT ANTENATAL CLINIC.</u>		
(4 sessions)	64	63

I am, Mr. Chairman Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

This is the report of
the Medical Officer of
Health referred to in A. TURNER.
paragraph 1370 (a) of the
Public Health Committee's Medical Officer of Health.
report of the 10th January
1928.

A. Turner
Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 10TH. JANUARY, 1928.

REQUISITIONS - 24TH. JANUARY TO 27TH. FEBRUARY, 1928, INCLUSIVE.

<u>No. of</u> <u>Req.</u>	<u>Item.</u>	<u>Estimated</u>			<u>Amt. of Amt. of</u>		
		<u>cost.</u>			<u>Est. already passed</u>		
		<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>	<u>£.</u>	<u>s.</u>	<u>d.</u>
<u>GRACE.</u>							
43.	Food - February & March.	50.	0.	0.	325.	270.	0. 0.
44.	Crescent table.	1.	17.	6			
45.	3 chairs @ 5/3 each.	1.	11.	6			
46.	4 blankets.	2.	8.	0	40.	26.	3. 3.
47.	6 stretchers.	1.	17.	6			
		<u>50.</u>	<u>14.</u>	<u>6.</u>			

BOURCHIER HOUSE GENERAL.

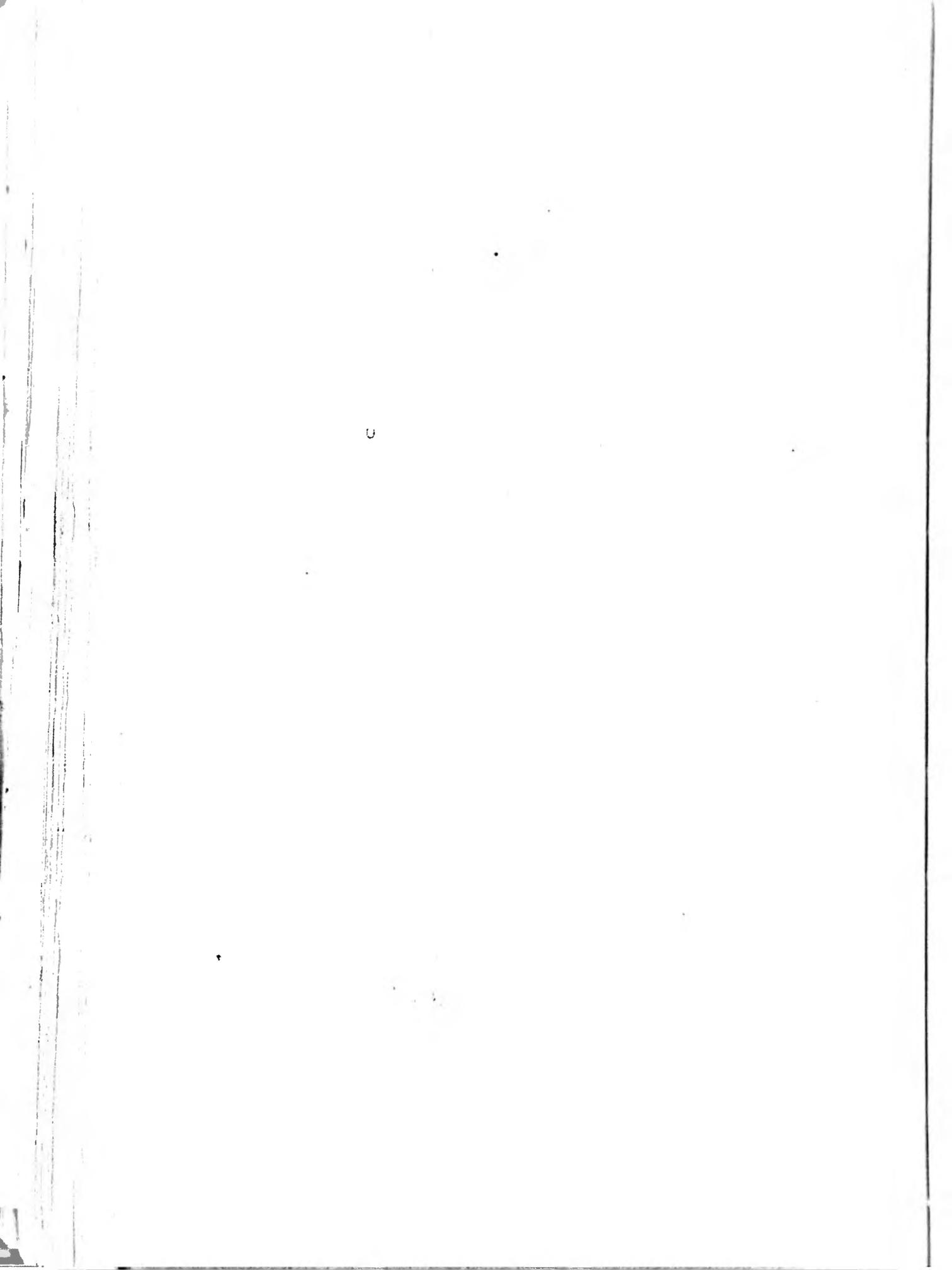
48.	Cleaning materials - February & March.	<u>4.</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>0.</u>	140.	75.	1. 5.
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THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF
THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

49.	1 load firewood.	1.	5.	0.	140.	83.	8. 3.
50.	Gas - Xmas Qtr.	11.	5.	9.			
		<u>12.</u>	<u>10.</u>	<u>9.</u>			

This is the list of requisitions referred to
in paragraph 1370 (b) of the Public Health
Committee's report of the 10th January 1928.

H.O. Gill
Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

RECOMMEND that, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, the fee payable to Dr. Phillis Cunnington be £2 2s. 0d. per session in lieu of 1½ guineas as and from 1st January, 1928.

J. BROADBENT,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that such report be received and adopted

1371 DRAINAGE OF LAND IN HORNSEY INTO FINCHLEY SEWERS.—Referring to Minute No. 67, the Clerk reported that the Town Clerk of Hornsey had informed him that the Ministry of Health had approved the draft Agreement in this matter, with the exception that they considered that the term should be 30, instead of 21, years; further, that in order to meet the Ministry's view, he had informed the Town Clerk that this Council would agree to 30 years;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Clerk be approved.

1372 THE ROYAL SANITARY INSTITUTE—CONFERENCE—PLYMOUTH—16TH/21ST JULY, 1928.—It was reported that the Council had been invited to appoint delegates to attend the above Conference;

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council and the Medical Officer of Health be so appointed.

1373 SANITARY OFFICERS' ORDER, 1926.—Circular letter, dated 15th December, 1927, received from the Ministry of Health as to the contents and arrangement of the Annual Reports of Medical Officers of Health for 1927 was submitted.

1374 LAND—WINDSOR ROAD—NORTH SIDE.—It was reported that Mr. A. H. Everett had made application for renewal of his tenancy (expiring 25th March, 1928), of the above land;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such tenancy be renewed for a period of three years ending 25th March, 1931, on the same terms and conditions as at present existing;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary document.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

1375 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—G. PAYNE.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with.

1376 CANCER.—A circular letter, dated 28th December, 1927, from the Ministry of Health hereon, was submitted.

1377 HOUSING (RURAL WORKERS) ACT, 1926.—Circular letter, dated 6th January, 1928, from the Ministry of Health hereon was submitted, and it was reported that the matter was having the attention of the Officers concerned.

1378 PLAN No. 6327—GARAGE EXTENSION—PROSPECT PLACE—A. E. PICKETT.—A reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was considered:—

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council be directed to serve notice, in the form submitted, upon Mr. Pickett under Clause 95 of the Byelaws made by the Council with respect to New Streets and Buildings requiring him to furnish on or before such day as is specified in such notice a statement in writing shewing sufficient cause why the work in question shall not be removed, altered, or pulled down.

1379 REFUSE DESTROYER.—

(a) Foreman.—

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of this Committee be authorised to make the above appointment, subject to report.

(b) Baling Press.—The Surveyor reported that he had recently inspected the Baling Press at the Tottenham Destructor, and was of opinion that the Committee should seriously consider the desirability of obtaining a larger size press than that for which provision had been made in the loan. He further intimated that the additional cost involved was £250;

RECOMMENDED—

(1) that the expenditure be approved;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (2) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee, with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

1380 PUBLIC BATHS.—Statement was submitted showing the number of bathers and receipts for the five weeks ended 1st January, 1928.

Annexed

1381 SOIL SEWER WORKS—LYNDHURST GARDENS AND BRENT WAY.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

“ the concrete hood over the Low Level Sewer in Lyndhurst Gardens and the hardcore filling to the sewer trench in Brent Way have been completed by Messrs. Tarslag (1923), Ltd. (the new street works contractors), at a cost of £361 15s. 2d. and £240 10s. 6d. respectively.”

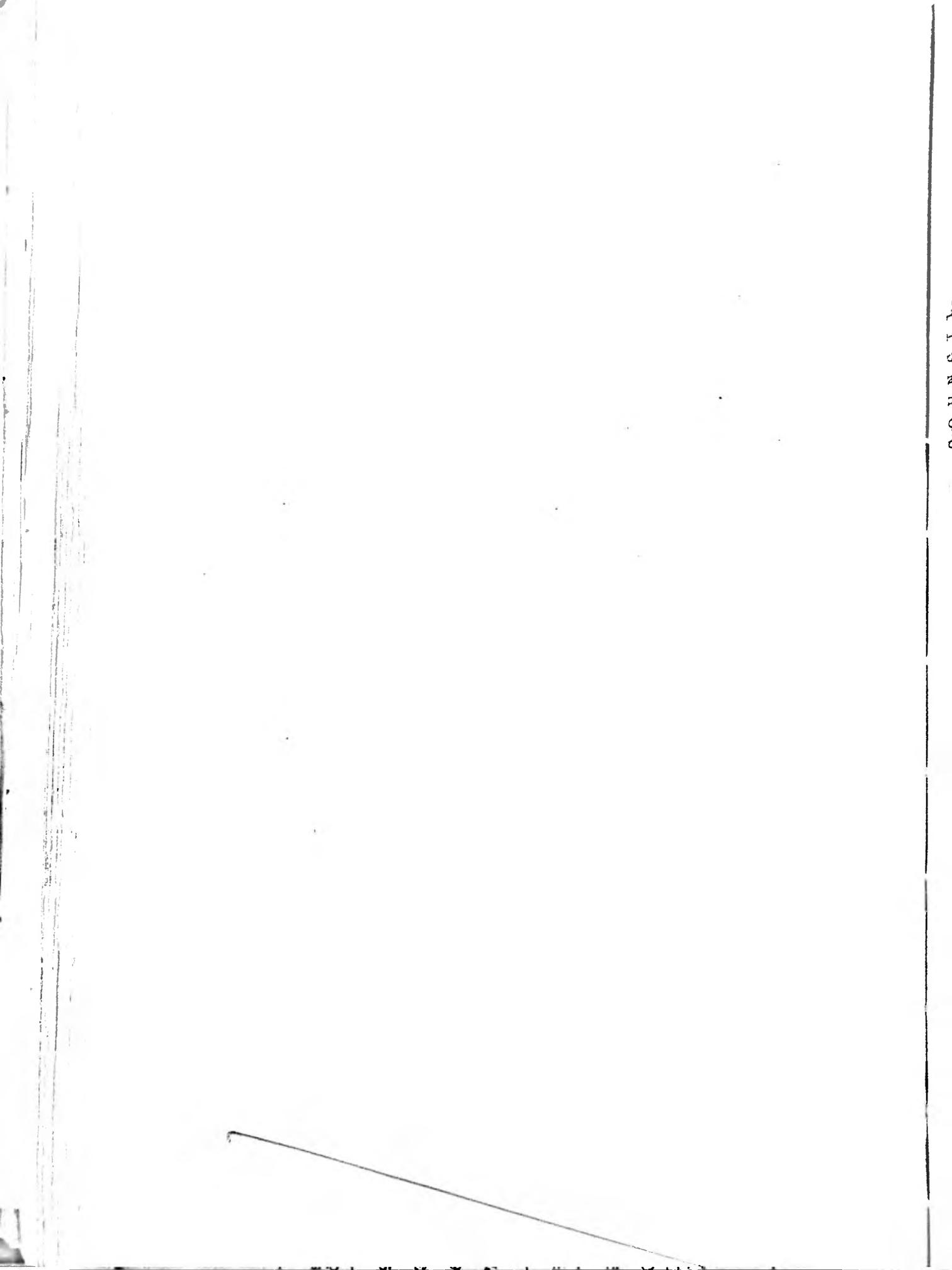
1382 SEWAGE ANALYSIS.—It was reported that samples of sewage effluent were taken from the High and from the Low Level Works on the 30th November, 1927, by the Middlesex County Council, and the analysis figures of the check samples were submitted.

1383 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FIVE WEEKS ENDING 1ST JANUARY, 1928.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH.		SLIPPER BATH.		Mixed Bathers.	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Crspdg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. in Receipt.	
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.				f.	s.	d.	f.	s.	d.	f.	s.	d.	f.	s.	d.	f.	s.	f.	s.
1927																					
BET FWD.	10434	6097	5598	2447	1736	24532	50844	471	18	2	970	13	-	1040	19	11	54	7	10	124	14
Dec. 4.			91	37			128				2	13	4	2	16	7					3
" 11.			88	33			121				2	10	1	3	6	7					16
" 18.			60	28			88				1	15	9	2	12	4					16
" 25.			117	52			169				3	9	6	2	0	5	1	9	-	-	-
1928																					
Jan. 1.			45	18			63				1	10	11	2	17	7					2

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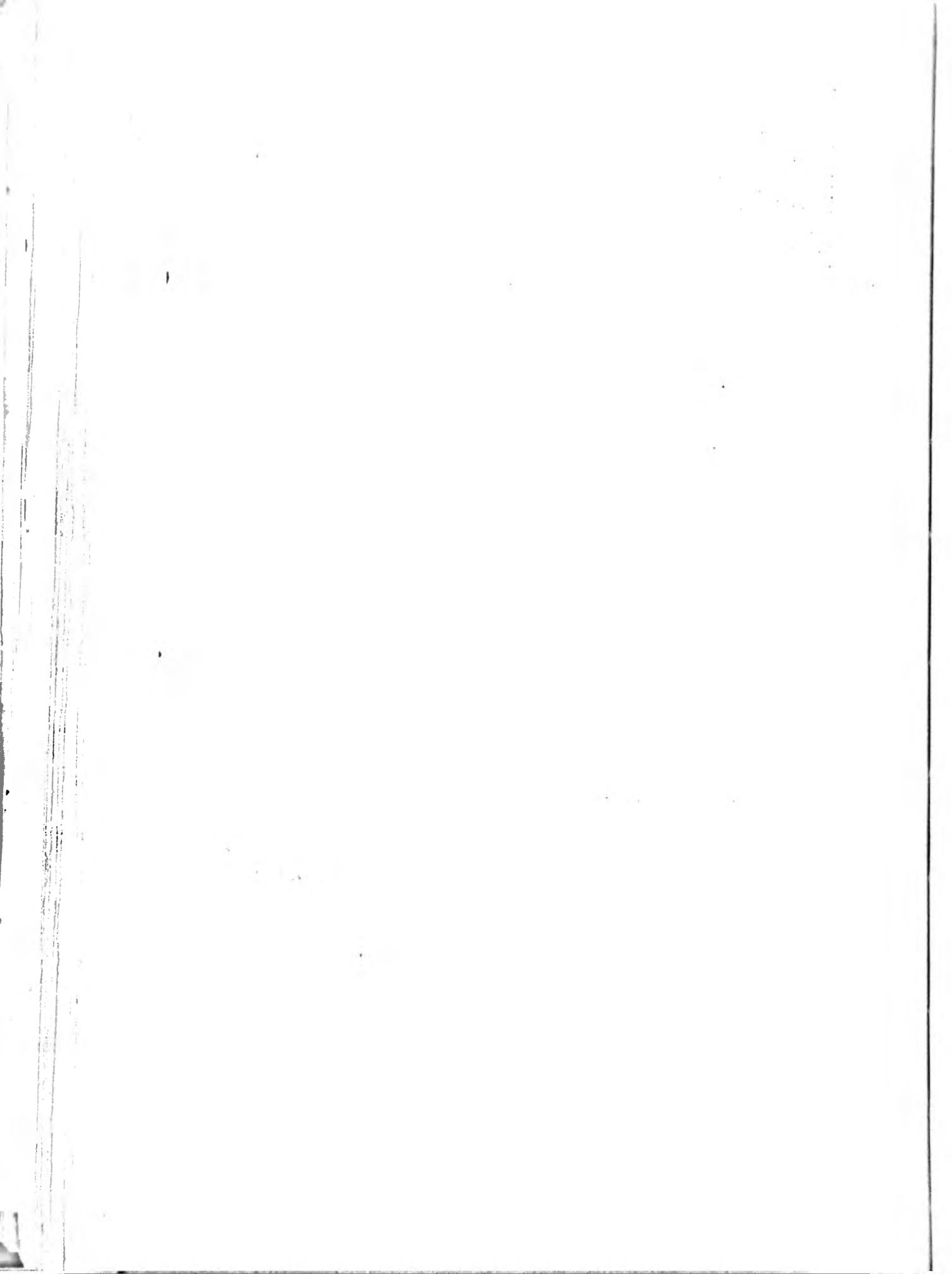
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31st JANUARY, 1928.

W. H. H. H.
Chairman.

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 1380 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 10th January 1928.

PERCIVAL P. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

11th January, 1928.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

1384 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1385 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1386 FIRES.—It was reported that the Brigade had received the following calls since last meeting:—

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
20/11/27	9.22 p.m.	Church Lane Fire Alarm point	Test call by Chairman and Members of Fire Committee.
1/12/27	6.35 a.m.	No. 5, Grove Terrace, Finchley, N. 3.	A greengrocer's shop and contents severely damaged by fire, heat and water. Several rooms of rest of house, used as dwelling - house, slightly by smoke. Mr. Purcell was carried to safety down the Fire Ladder from the second floor. Two men were also guided to safety down the fire ladder.
2/12/27	7.55 p.m.	No. 11, Friern Watch Avenue, N. 12.	A dwelling-house of several rooms and contents severely damaged by fire, heat and water. Roof off.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
2/12/27	7.55 p.m.	No. 9, Friern Watoli Avenue, N. 12.	A dwelling-house of several rooms and contents severely damaged by water, and part of roof off.
4/12/27	8.13 a.m.	13, St. Mary's Avenue, N. 3.	Chimney jams, mantelpiece, and overmantel; also about 2 x 3 ft. of floor and skirting damaged by fire and cutting away in drawing room on ground floor; rest of contents in same slightly by smoke and dirt.
6/12/27	5.30 p.m.	137, Long Lane, N. 2.	A 10 h.p. Singer Motor-car slightly damaged by fire in Garage at rear of premises.
11/12/27	7.15 p.m.	(East Finchley Sub-Fire Station)	Electrical False Alarm.
14/12/27	8. 0 p.m.	13, Woodhouse Parade, High Road, N. 12.	Electric light switch block in kitchen, also some electric light wires damaged by fire.
15/12/27	10. 6 p.m.	No. 11, Brent Way, N. 3.	A chimney on fire in drawing - room on ground floor. Con- tents in same slightly by smoke, water and dirt.
20/12/27	10.12 a.m.	Floral Cottage, Ballards Lane, N. 3.	A front sitting-room on ground floor and contents slightly damaged by fire, heat and smoke.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FROCHLEY

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - MEETING -

11th JANUARY, 1928.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS.

Amount of estimate

£3,474. 0. 0.

<u>Req. No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>		
		Amount previously requisitioned	£2,423.15. 8.
	1	Accountant to pay Firemen's wages	135. 0. 0.
106	5	12 tons House Coals	21.18. 0.
		200 bundles of Fire-wood	-.11. 0.
		Acct. - Fire Expenses	25. 0. 0.
107	8 o	550 yards 18 S. W. G. double vulcanised lead covered underground fire alarm wire	1. 4. 4.
"	" o	1 Inside Fire Alarm Head, East End Road, and Regents Park Road	9. 7. 6.
108	" o	Repairing Fire Alarm posts, East End Road and Regents Park Road	3.14. 1.
"	" o	Repair indicator replacement Rod re Fire Alarm Board	-. 2. 3.
109	9	1 pr. Cloth Trousers damaged at Fire No.5 Grove Terrace, Fireman Blake.	1. 2. 0.
"	"	1 pr. Cloth Trousers, damaged at Fire Friern Watch Avenue, Fireman Hulkes	1. 2. 0.
"	"	Repair damaged Helmet - Fireman Blake	1. 5. 0.
110	10	100 Gallons No.1 Petrol	5. 0. 0.
111	11 o	Repairs to burst water pipe at Central Station	-.14. 7.
"	" o	Repairing burst water service main at Whetstone Station, Surveyor's Department	9. 4. 1.
112	12 o	1 new piercing crown for large kemik	-. 2. 6.
113	13 o	1 doz. studs and nuts	-. 5. 6.
114	14 o	1 new Fire Hydrant, Brownlow Road, N3, renewal, say	4.10. 0.
115	15	2 galls. metal polish	-.16. 0.
"	"	28 lbs. soap	-.12. 0.
"	"	28 lbs. Hudson soap	-.13. 0.
"	"	3 stove brushes	-. 4. 6.
"	"	1 gross 24 x 24 sponge cloths	1. 4. 6.
"	"	1 doz. Nugget	-. 5. 6.
"	"	2 qts. O' Cedar Oil	-. 8. 6.
"	"	3 lbs. floor Polish	-. 4. 6.
<u>AMBULANCE,-</u>			
116	o	Reline Transmission bands, etc.	1. 5. 6.
"	"	Repair due to accident	14. 0. 0.
"	"	5 galls. Lubricating Oil	-.15. 0.
			<u>£2,664. 7. 6.</u>

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PINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

REQUISITION - 12TH JANUARY TO 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

ESTIMATE.	88517 0 0
ADDITIONAL ITEMS.	551 0 0

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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD. 39870 3 2

Req. Item
No. No.

RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

915	0	Patching - Regents Park Road.	29 11 8	
916	14	1740 yds sup. relay slab paving - Great North Road.	261 0 0	
917	0	Slab paving by Tally Ho!	250 0 0	
918	19	Scavenging - manual labour.	100 0 0	
919	20	Do. - team labour.	10 0 0	
920	21	0 Snow clearing.	652 17 1	
921		Do. Do. 25tons 13 cwt. salt transferred from stores.	79 15 3	
922	22	Chippings - transfer from stores.	61 13 1	
923	27	0 Remove fencing and re-erect on new) line, N. and S. corners, Granville) Road. Regents Park Road.)	27 12 6	
924	29	Maintenance of surface water system	15 0 0	
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PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

925	32	½ retention, East End Road, Manor Cottage to Hamilton Road.	266 17 9	
926	35	120 tons tarmac, East End Road.	349 7 6	
927	36	Gritting, Do.	25 0 0	
928	38	0 Clearing and piping ditch, East End Road.	13 8 8	
929	40	Relay channel - Hendon Lane.	6 0 0	
930	42	Gritting, Do.	25 0 0	
931	48	Do. - Potteridge Lane.	15 0 0	
932	54	Do. - Hampstead Lane.	10 0 0	
933	58	Relay slab paving - Hendon Lane.	60 0 0	
934	60	Do. - Mortis Green.	36 0 0	
935	61	Relay kerb. Do.	41 0 0	
936	78	Scavenging - East End Road and Potteridge Lane.	13 0 0	
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

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933	58	Relay slab paving - Hendon Lane.	60 0 0
934	60	Do. - Mortis Green.	36 0 0
935	61	Relay kerb. Do.	41 0 0
936	78	Scavenging - East End Road and Totteridge Lane.	13 0 0
937	80	Snow clearing.	24 10 1
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Req. Item
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

939	27	0	Repair school and R.A.C. motor signs.	2	6	9
940			Alter position of sign post by Queen's Head. ($\frac{1}{2}$ cost.)	5	0	0
941	71		55 tons fine old macadam. Prospect Place and Squires Lane.	45	7	6
942	78		Scavenging - Manual Labour.	300	0	0
943	79		Do. o Team labour.	25	0	0
944	80		Snow clearing.	70	6	1
			Do. Do. 9 tons 12cwt salt, transfer from stores.	30	0	5
945	87		Maintenance of trees.	20	0	0
946	89		Repair scavenging trucks, barrows etc.	20	0	0
947	90		Injector check valve box with valve, seating and fixing Roller 10217.	7	10	0
948	93		Depot - transfer for tools, fuel and sundries.	11	3	11
949	95	0	G.P.O. trench reinstatement - Sedgemere Avenue.	4	16	7

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PUBLIC LIGHTING.

950	90		Electric lamps.	521	0	7
951	99		Gas lamps - wages.	30	0	0
952	100		Gas.	180	0	0
953	102		Repair standpipes, etc. gas lamps	9	19	6
954			4 new lamps and alter one - Totteridge Lane.	38	0	0
955			7 double-arm lighting brackets, Great North Road, Whetstone.	45	0	0

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

6TH JANUARY, 1928.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 11TH JANUARY, 1928.

S T O R E S.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. No.					
956	O	720 - 3fta. 1½" x 6" paling boards.	12	0	0
957	O	150 - 12fta 3" x 2" tree stakes.	11	5	0
958	O	24 channel blocks.	5	2	0
959	O	8 1/3 yds sup. slab paving.	2	11	5
960	O	30 tons salt.	96	15	0
961		30 " Do.	96	15	0
962		300 tons 3/8" granite chippings.	415	8	4
963		120 gals. No.1. motor spirit.	6	0	0
964		80 " paraffin oil.	2	16	8
965		6 tons blue lias lime.	11	10	6
966		10 " portland cement.	27	7	6
967		2 " pitch.	10	10	0
968		10 gals. brown hard gloss paint.	7	10	0
969		10 " Do.	7	10	0
970		6 oilskins and sou'westers.	5	9	6
971	O	6 bushes for motor forge fan.)			
972		1 gross each 1/4" and 5/16" sq. nuts.)			
973		12 large tins Ronuk.)	1	18	8
974		12 " " Enamelline.)	<hr/>		
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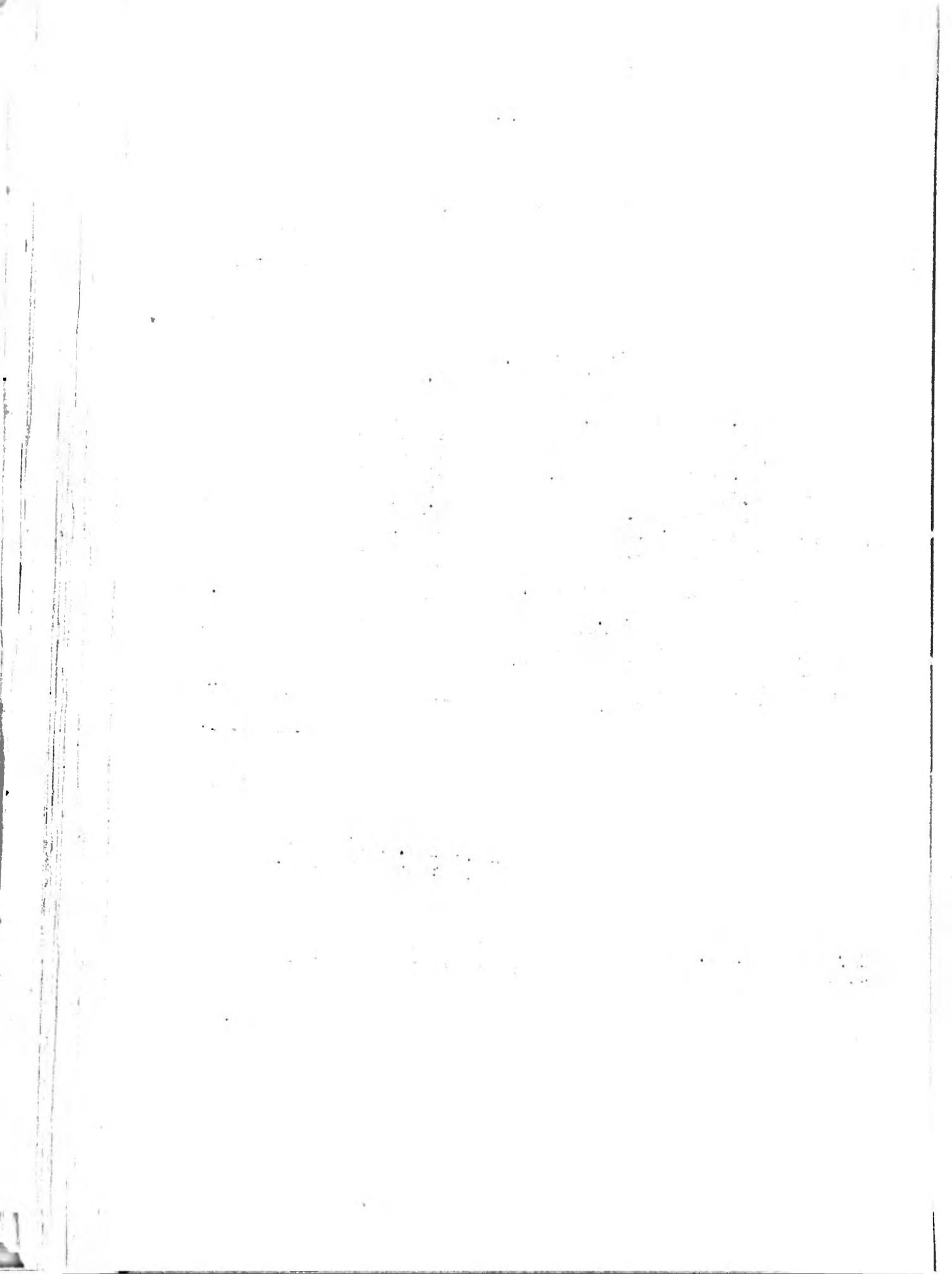
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6TH JANUARY, 1928.

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1385 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 11th January 1928.

W. G. G. G.
Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
21/12/27	3.14 p.m.	No. 2, Friern Lane, Whetstone, N. 20.	A chimney on fire in kitchen on ground floor; contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water, and dirt.
22/12/27	2.34 a.m.	23, Dudley Road, N. 3.	Some wearing apparel burned and chair scorched by fire in dining-room on ground floor; rest of contents in same slightly by smoke.
22/12/27	8.18 p.m.	43, Chandos Road, N. 2.	A chimney on fire in sitting - room on ground floor. Contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
26/12/27	4.50 p.m.	No. 5, Whetstone Place, High Rd., Whetstone, N. 20	A stove in kitchen by cutting away and removal. Rest of contents in same slightly by dirt.
30/12/27	12.29 p.m.	25, Fortis Green N. 2.	A bed sitting-room on second floor and contents slightly damaged by fire, heat, smoke and water.
30/12/27	3.24 p.m.	378, Long Lane, N. 2.	Some wearing apparel burned in kitchen on ground floor. Contents in same slightly by smoke.
30/12/27	7.41 p.m.	(East Finchley Sub-Station).	Electrical False Alarm.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

Date.	Time.	Address.	Damage.
30/12/27	9.44 p.m.	No. 7, The Hawthorns, Regents Park Road, N. 3.	A defective hearth; by fire and cutting away. In drawing-room on first floor; rest of contents in same slightly by dirt.

1387 AMBULANCE—ACCIDENT.—The Chief Officer reported that on the 21st December, 1927, the ambulance was engaged, by request from the Hendon Council's Fire Brigade, to remove to the Hendon Cottage Hospital people who had been injured through the skidding of a London General Omnibus in Golders Green Road near to Brent Bridge, and that, when the ambulance was passing through Brampton Grove, the machine skidded on the icy road and collided with a tree, thereby damaging the near side panel, spare wheel carrier, mud-guard and head lamp, but not sufficiently to put the machine out of commission. The Committee were informed that the estimated cost of the repairs was £14, and that the matter had been referred to the Insurance Co.

1388 AMBULANCE—PURCHASE OF.—Referring to paragraph 1034 of the Committee's report dated 9th November, 1927, it was

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk of the Council be instructed to insert advertisements in suitable papers inviting tenders for supply and delivery of a new Motor Ambulance.

1389 NEW MOTOR FIRE ENGINE—PURCHASE OF.—The Committee expressed the view that the time had arrived for the purchase of a Motor Fire Engine in place of the old "Merryweather" engine;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk of the Council be instructed to insert advertisements in suitable papers inviting tenders for supply and delivery of a new Motor Fire Engine;
- (b) that provision therefor be made in the estimates of the Committee for next year.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1390 ST. JOHN'S AMBULANCE FIRST AID CLASSES.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given to the Committee to make arrangements for two firemen to attend First-Aid Classes during the year and that the fees, which amount to 8s. 0d. be paid by the Council.

1391 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned property of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with:—

Ornamental tree—Squires Lane.

1392 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that a number of claims had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

1393 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—W. JAMES, W. GORDGE, A. J. WILMOT, D. HOWES and A. E. FULLER.—It was reported that the above employees had, since last meeting, met with accidents and that the matters had been dealt with.

1394 STREET ACCIDENTS.—Returns received from the Police Authorities for the weeks ended 11th, 18th and 25th December, 1927, and 1st January, 1928, respectively, were submitted, from which it appeared that the total number of accidents during those weeks was as follows:—

Fatal	...	None.
Non-fatal	...	59.

1395 IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council stating that, at the last meeting of the County Council, his Highways Committee had reported upon the decision of the Ministry of Transport with regard to the application which had been made for a grant in aid of the cost of effecting the above-mentioned improvement; further, that it was noted that the Ministry were only prepared to contribute towards the cost of the works and the site value of the land actually required for the improvement; that revised estimates submitted by the District Valuer were considered and that the revised estimated cost of the improvement, namely £41,000, was approved: he forwarded for the information of the Council copy of the following resolution

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*)

adopted by the County Council and added that he would be glad to learn that this Council was prepared to share the net estimated cost of the work, viz., £15,000 :—

“ That the County Council approves of the carrying out of the widening scheme at Tally Ho! Corner, Finchley, including the widening of the Great North Road, Ballards Lane and Nether Street, and the construction of a new 60-ft. roadway in continuation of Woodhouse Road, connecting with Ballards Lane, at a cost not exceeding £41,000, subject :—

- (a) To the Ministry of Transport contributing a moiety of the site value of so much of the property as is actually required for the road works, and a moiety of the cost of the works;
- (b) To the Finchley Urban District Council contributing one-half of the net cost to the County Council of carrying out the improvement, after taking into consideration the Ministry of Transport's grant; and sharing in the recoupment from sale of back land;
- (c) To the works being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor and in accordance with plans and specifications approved by him;
- (d) To the consent of the Ministry of Health to the raising of the necessary loan being obtained.”

It was reported that the sum of £15,000 before-mentioned was made up as follows :—

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Estimated cost of land and buildings	32,000
Cost of Works	9,000
	£41,000
Less—	
Probable recoupment	£15,500
Amount of Grant from Ministry of Transport	10,500
	26,000
	£15,000

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that the whole matter be referred to a Sub-Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Committee and Councillor Briant, for consideration and report to the Committee;
- (2) that the officers concerned prepare a full report on the subject for submission to the Sub-Committee.

1396 HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 7th instant.—A report of the proceedings thereat was submitted and certain instructions were given to the Officers concerned.

Annexed

Arising out of the report it was

RECOMMENDED that provision be made in next year's estimates for the laying of a kerb on the West side of Nether Street from the Railway Bridge near Moss Hall to Courthouse Gardens, at an estimated cost of £150.

1397 STREET LIGHTING.—The following resolution received from the Finchley Ratepayers' Defence League was submitted :—

“That the Council be asked to proceed with the improvement in the lighting of the Great North Road without further delay in view of the fact that the poor illumination supplied has been admitted to be partly contributory to the accidents occurring after dark. We have noted that improvement has been admitted by the Council to be necessary inasmuch as this League was promised some three years ago by the Council that it should receive attention.”

RECOMMENDED that the League be asked to indicate the particular portion of the Great North Road referred to.

1398 STREET WIDENING—REGENTS PARK ROAD—WEST SIDE
—EXPRESS DAIRY COMPANY.—

RECOMMENDED that payment of Solicitor's costs, amounting to six guineas, and of Surveyor's fees, amounting to five guineas, in connexion with the Conveyance herein be approved.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1399 HIGHWAYS—MAINTENANCE OF.—A communication was submitted from the Skelton & Erotton Urban District Council forwarding copy of the following resolution and asking that this Council would pass one in similar terms and acquaint the Local Member of Parliament and the Government of their having done so :—

“That the Government be requested to provide the full amount of the cost of constructing and maintaining every District Road which has been scheduled by the Ministry of Transport.”

RECOMMENDED that the resolution above set forth be supported by the Council.

1400 HIGHWAYS—GOODS ON FOOTPATH. — The following resolution from the Finchley Ratepayers' Defence League was submitted :—

“That the Finchley Urban District Council be requested to call the attention of the Police to the encroachment on the footpaths by traders displaying goods in different part of the district.”

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that, as in many instances there are reserved strips of pavement in front of shops upon which traders are at liberty to display their goods if they so desire, the Council will be glad if the League will be good enough to indicate the specific cases to which they refer, when the matter will receive the Council's attention.

1401 LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924—SECTION 4—CLOSING OF STREETS FOR WORKS.—A letter, dated 5th January, 1928, from the Ministry of Transport hereon was submitted and it was reported that same was receiving the attention of the Surveyor.

1402 COTTAGES—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

“The estimated cost for the two cottages was £1,250, which sum was also the amount of the loan. The actual cost including establishment expenses and loan charges, was £1,356 3s. 9d.”

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

7th January, 1928.

Present.- Councillor Wells.

1. TREES - BALLARDS LANE BY MEIKLEJOHN INSTITUTE.-

The above trees were inspected, but the Sub-Committee was of opinion that no action was necessary.

2.- SEAT - NETHER STREET - BY COURTHOUSE GARDENS.-

The Sub-Committee suggests that the above seat be removed, and that it be placed on the east side of Nether Street (facing south) outside the entrance gate of the Finchley Lawn Tennis Club.

3.- FLOODING OF GARDENS FROM ROAD WATER - NETHER STREET.-

A complaint in regard to the above was considered by the Sub-Committee, and it was decided to suggest that provision be made in next year's estimates for the laying of a kerb from the railway bridge to Courthouse Gardens on the west side of the road at an estimated cost of £150.

4.- TREE - 5, GROSVENOR ROAD.-

The above tree was inspected, arising out of a request for its removal. The Sub-Committee suggests that the position would be met by the removal of the lower, and the thinning out of the upper, branches.

5.- TREES - FINCHLEY AVENUE.-

Arising out of the decision to plant trees in the above street the Sub-Committee suggests that two trees only be planted on the footpath on the south-east side between the existing oak tree at the bottom end of the road; further, that it would be desirable to arrange, if possible, with the owner of the premises at the junction of the road with Crooked Usage for the planting of a few silver birch trees on his land, between the dwarf wall and the close boarded fence.

6.- TREES - JUNCTION OF WAVERLEY GROVE AND HENDON LANE.-

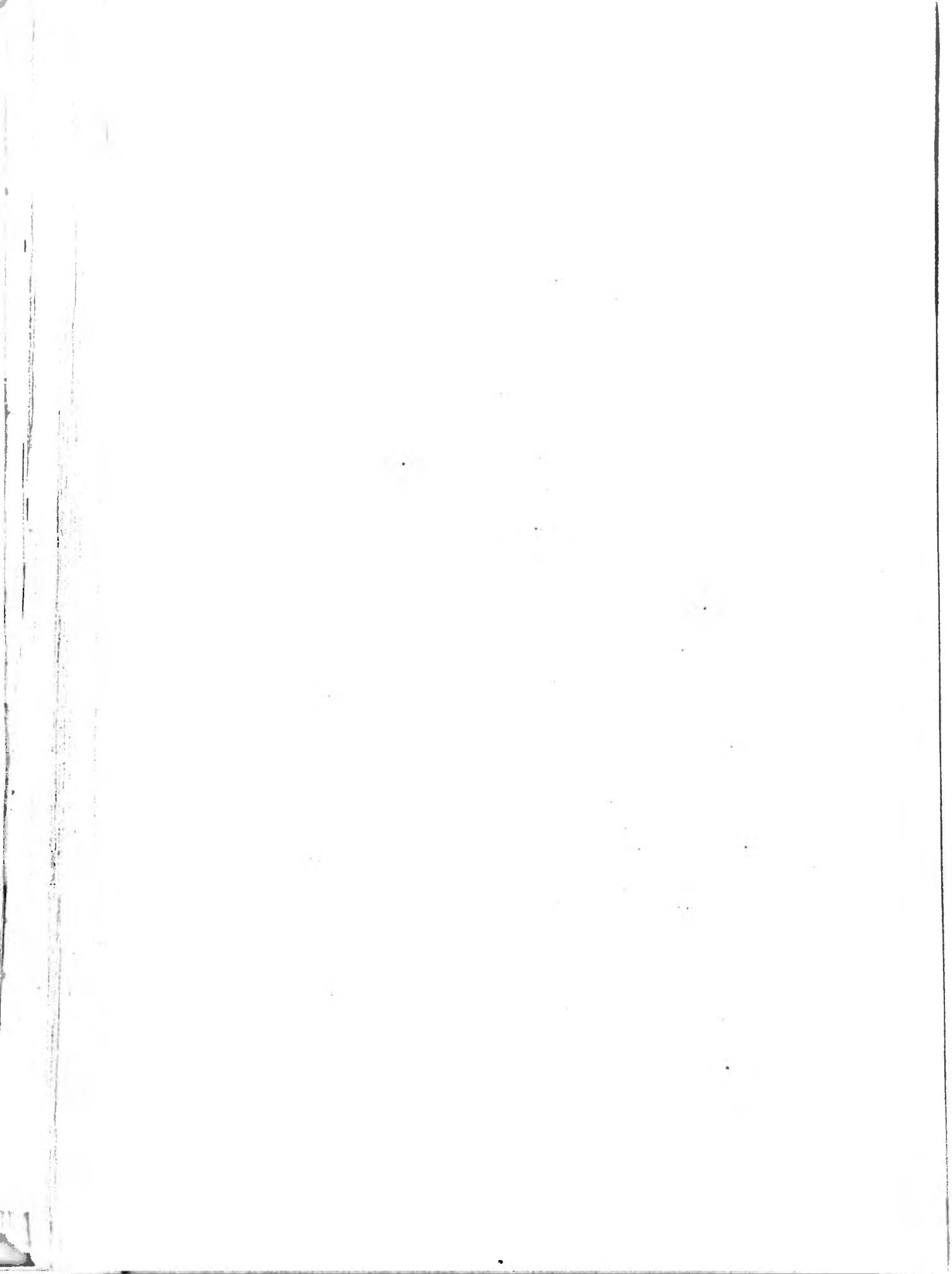
It was decided to suggest that the planting of trees at above be considered when Waverley Grove is made up.

H. V. WELLS,

Chairman.

This is the report of the Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph 1396 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 11th January 1928.

H. V. Wells
Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1403 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office Authorities were submitted :—

- (1) Underground line from Dollis Park Exchange to Abercorn Road, via Dollis Park, Crescent Road and Dollis Road;
- (2) Underground line north-west side of Hendon Lane, from Wickliffe Avenue to Windsor Road;
- (3) Underground line from Dollis Park Exchange to the Finchley and Hendon boundary via Hendon Lane and Finchley Avenue;
- (4) Underground line west side of Fairlawn Avenue, from Nos. 1/3 to outside No. 18;
- (5) Underground line west side of Grove Road, from outside No. 35 to Nos. 31/29;

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved, subject :—

- (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and
- (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction.

1404 HIGHWAYS—ELECTRICITY MAIN.—The Surveyor reported receipt of an application from the Electricity Department, dated 2nd January, 1928, together with plan showing the line of a length of cable proposed to be laid on the East side of Nether Street, north of Essex Park;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the proposal.

1405 EAST END ROAD WIDENING—CEMETERY FRONTAGE.—The Surveyor reported that the work in connexion with the laying of the footpath would be commenced on the 12th instant.

1406 HIGHWAYS—RE-NUMBERING—SUMMERS LANE, CRESCENT ROAD and DOLLIS PARK.—Plans were submitted showing the proposed re-numbering of premises in the above streets;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that such plans be approved;
- (b) that, in accordance with the provisions of the Towns Improvement Clauses Act, 1847, notice be served upon the several occupiers of premises in such streets requiring them respectively to adopt the numbering shown upon the above-mentioned plans.

1407 ANNUAL SUPPLIES.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for advertisements to be issued inviting tenders in respect of the above.

1408 REMOVAL OF SNOW.—Arising out of the recent heavy fall of snow a discussion took place, and the Clerk reported that the Bye-laws made by the Council provided (*inter alia*) as follows:—

“The occupier of any premises comprising any house or building and 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 carriageway or upon any paved crossing.

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 carriageway 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.”

After hearing a report by the Surveyor it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Clerk be directed to take such steps as may be considered necessary or desirable with a view to bringing the provisions of the above-mentioned Bye-laws to the notice of the occupiers of premises in this district;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (b) that the Surveyor have a notice exhibited in each of the Council's Depôts to the effect that, in the event of a heavy fall of snow, the Council expect all employees to present themselves for duty on a Sunday or on a Bank Holiday.

1409 CABLES—BALLARDS LANE.—The Surveyor reported that he had given authority to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company to lay a cable in the footway in the above road between Brownlow Road and Wentworth Park, on the understanding that, should the Council at any time require such cable to be removed on account of street widening or any other cause, the Company would do so at their own expense;

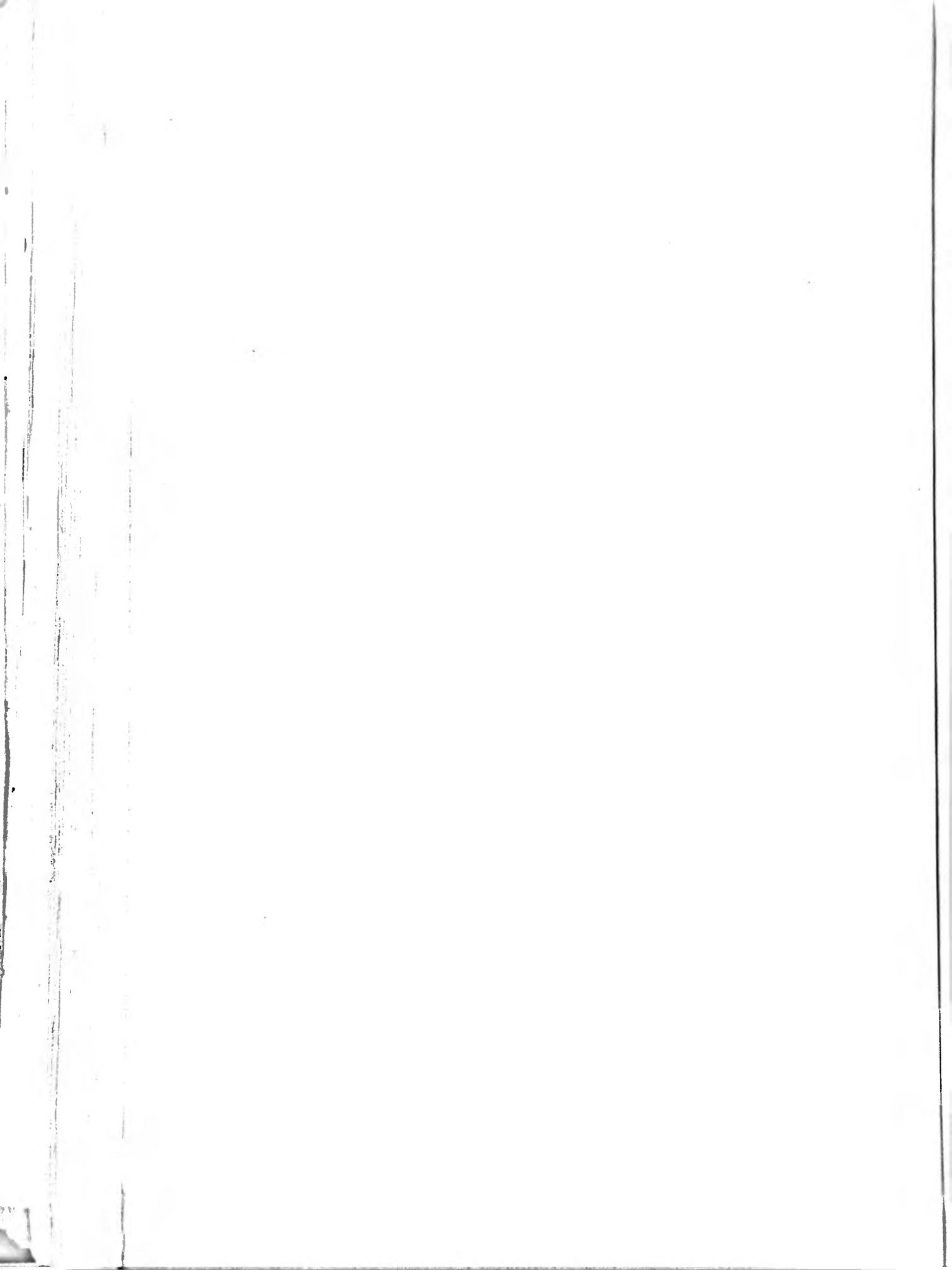
RECOMMENDED that the action of the Surveyor be approved.

1410 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.



ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

12th January, 1928.

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Grocott and Wells and Messrs. Robin, Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

1411 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1412 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—The Clerk reported that the North Finchley Allotment League desired the under-mentioned amendments and additions to be made to the statement of compensation approved by the Council on the 28th November, 1927:—

Amended.

- (1) The deletion of S. Allured's name (plot No. 20a, 10 poles, page 1) from list of transferring allottees and addition thereof to list of non-transferring allottees with consequent reduction in compensation payable.
- (2) The substitution of " 10 poles " and " £2 10s. " for " 20 poles " and " £5 " opposite to G. Pryor's name (Plot No. 126, page 3).
- (3) A similar amendment in regard to F. Carter (Plot No. 66, page 2).
- (4) The like in regard to W. Mousley (Plot No. 99, page 3) and addition of that name to list of aged allottees in respect of 10 poles not taken up.
- (5) The addition of the following item under heading 5 (Cost of removal of greenhouses):—

Plot No.	Name of tenant.	Amount payable.
123a	T. Bungay	£1 0s. 0d.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the statement be modified as desired by the League;

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

- (2) that the Finance Committee be informed of the consequent reduction of the total compensation payable from £888 to £881 5s.;
- (3) that the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the work of fencing the land;
- (4) that the question of the allocation of this Committee's expenditure in consequence of the re-allocation of the glebe land be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

(b) Lonsdale Meadows.—It was reported that the 25th March, 1928, had been suggested as the date for completion herein;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the date suggested be agreed;
- (2) that the Finance Committee be asked to make provision for meeting the following expenditure incidental to the purchase:—

	£	s.	d.
Estimated cost of fencing eastern boundary (including proportion agreed to be contributed on erection thereof by Vendor)	95	0	0
Vendor's Solicitors' Costs ...	15	15	0
Vendor's Surveyor's Charges ...	14	14	0

(c) Ingleway.—Letter was submitted from the tenants at above (Messrs. E. B. Day and W. Armstrong) making application for a reduction in the rent payable in respect of their plots, having regard to the rent charged by the Council for allotments in other parts of the district;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the rent charged to the tenants named be reduced from 1/4 a pole per annum to 1/- a pole per annum;

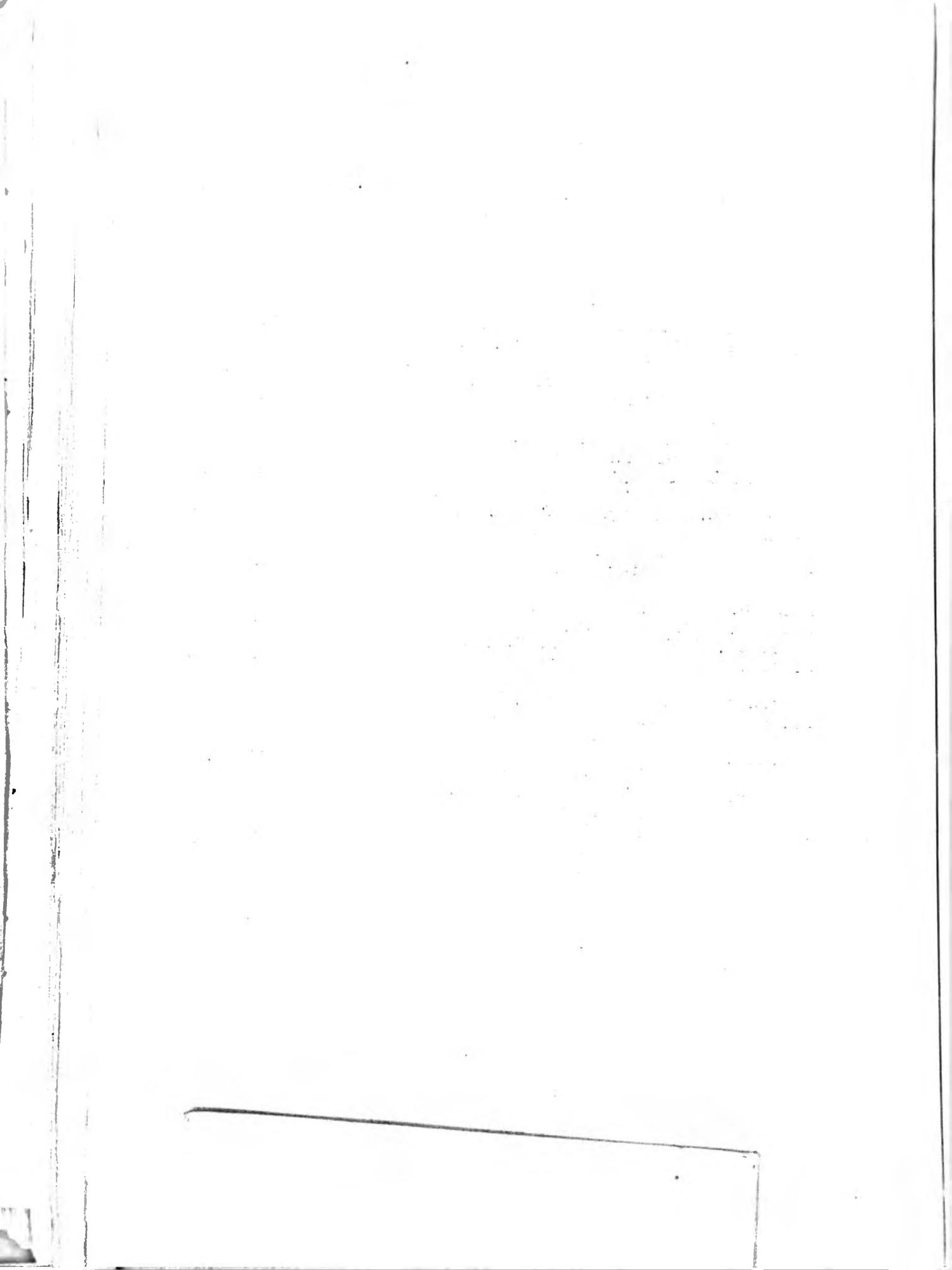
COMPENSATION.

List referred to in Allotments Committee's Report
dated 10th November, 1937. (2/- a pole)

(1) Dispossessed allotment holders transferring to new ground.

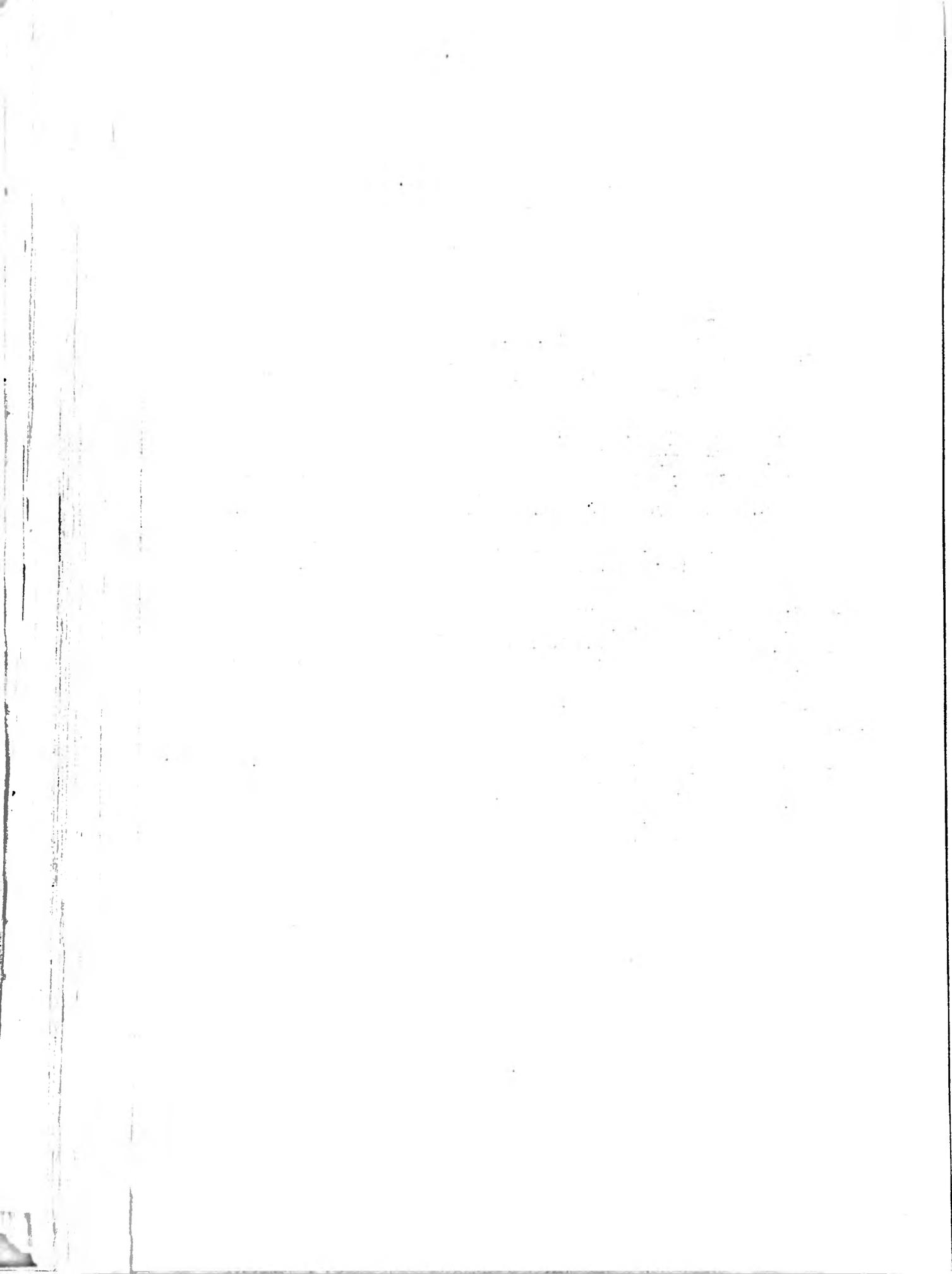
<u>Plot No.</u> <u>on old</u> <u>ground.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Address.</u>	<u>Area to</u> <u>be taken</u> <u>up on new</u> <u>ground.</u> <u>(Poles)</u>	<u>Compensation</u> <u>payable.</u> <u>£. s. d.</u>
2	Lee, J.	1, Belgrave Terrace	10	2.10. 0.
4a	Streader, A.	81, High St. N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
4b	Palmer, S.	23, Fallowcourt Ave.	10	2.10. 0.
6a	Cooper, R.	Rosslyn House, Nether St., N.3.	10	2.10. 0.
6b	Cook, W.	13, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
8a	Wilding, G.	77, Grange Ave,	10	2.10. 0.
12b	Evans, W.	20, William St., N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
14	Barrett, F.	51, Fallowcourt Ave.	20	5. 0. 0.
18	Ellcock, S.	1, Warwick Cottages, N.12.	20	5. 0. 0.
20a	Allured, S.	2, Crystal Cotts. N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
20b	Fowler, F.	do.	10	2.10. 0.
22	Deed, G.	81, Lodge Lane, N.12.	10	2.10. 0.
28	Raynor, F.	Pretoria Villa, Leggatt Grove.	20	5. 0. 0.
30a	Pope, G.	94, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
34	Washbrook, W.	55, Squires Lane	20	5. 0. 0.
36	Anderson, J.	3, Hall St., N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
40	Sinton, R.	21, Birkbeck Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
1	Brackstone, G.	65, Crescent Way.	20	5. 0. 0.
3a	Petch, A.	11, Dale Grove.	10	2.10. 0.
5	Denton, A.	7, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
7a	Woolner, H.	96, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
7b	Evans, W.	3, Hall Street.	10	2.10. 0.
9	Mold, H.	66, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
11a	Bray, F.	64, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
13	Arnett, J.	198, Woodhouse Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
15a	Lines, T.	2, Primrose Villas, Granville Road.	10	2.10. 0.
17	Woolner, F.	2, Wallingford Villa, Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
19	Holliday, W.	Ashleigh, Castle Rd.	10	2.10. 0.
21	Mayne, C.	Tresmere, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
23	Webb, A.	1, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
25	Cook, A.	Marlow Villa, Hutton Grove.	12	3. 0. 0.
29	Bickers, E.	47, Lodge Lane.	15	3.15. 0.
31	Thompson, W.	76, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
33	Prayle, W.	10, Avenue Road.	10	2.10. 0.
35	Tinsley, E.	71, Grove Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
37	Sinton, J.	Terrington Cottage, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
39	Cook, T.	55, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
42	Collwell, H.	28, Crossway.	20	5. 0. 0.
44	Murray, J.	33, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.

Carried forward £139. 5. 0.

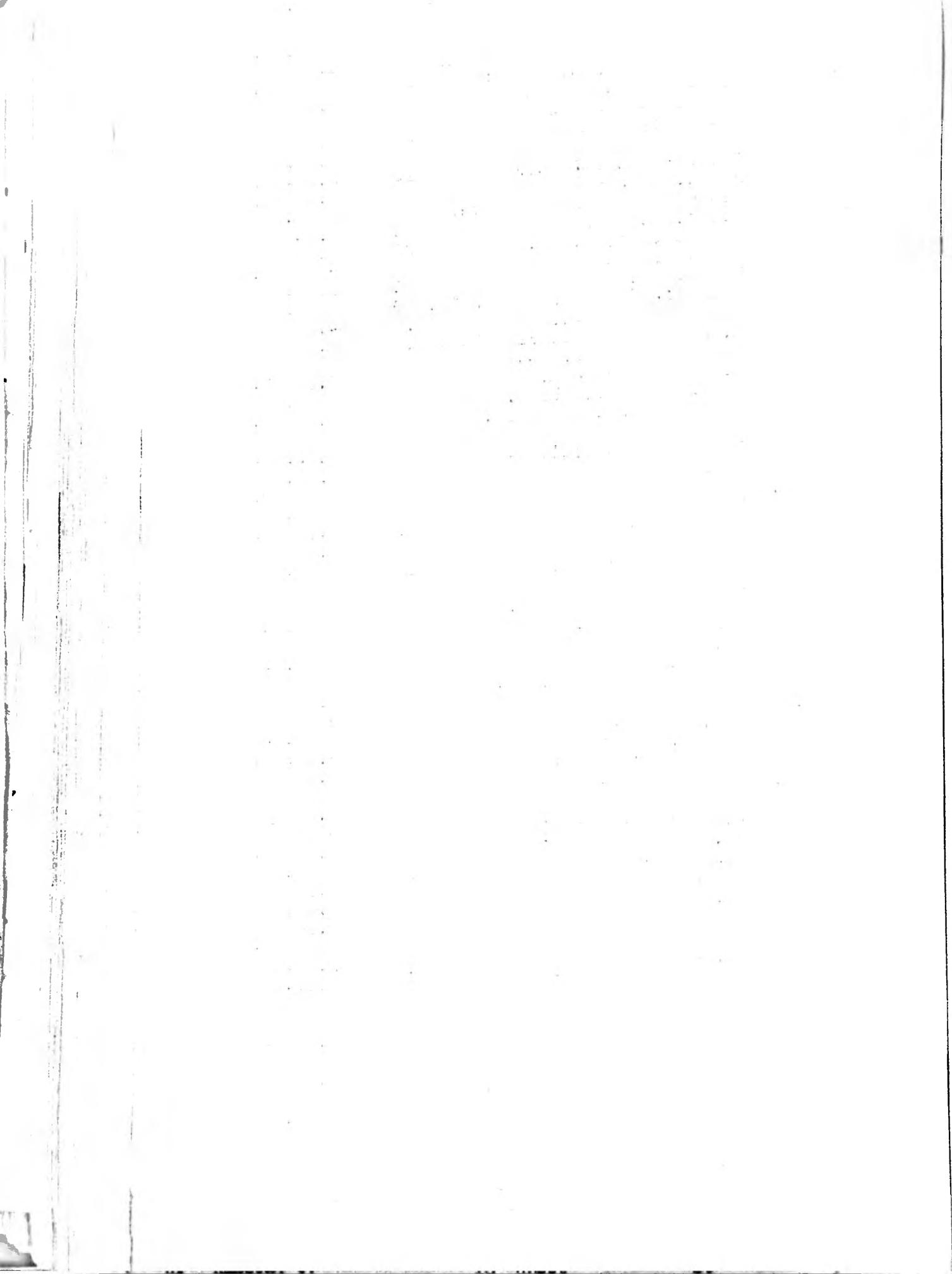


46	Hayes, J.	78, Ingleway.	20	5. 0. 0.
48a	Geaves, S.	Ford Villa, Gruneisen Road.	10	2.10. 0.
48b	Geaves, W.	4, Grove Villas, Hutton Gro.	10	2.10. 0.
50b	Boakeau, F.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
52	Page, H.	194, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
54	Gray, W.	12, Percy Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
56	Taylor, G.	10, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
56	Lansbury, H.	13, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
60	Fowler, W.	50, Lodge Lane.	30	5. 0. 0.
66	Carter, F.	Rosemeath, Woodgrange Ave.	20	5. 0. 0.
70	Bunton, T.	Eliacombe, Dale Grove.	20	5. 0. 0.
72	Shipp, G.	High Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
74	Pateman, S.	78, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
76	Wetton, T.	13, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
76	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
76b	Game, F.	44, Hutton Grove.	12	4.10. 0.
80a	Fowler, G.	1, Albion Cott., High Rd., N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
80b	Pryke, C.	44, Stanhope Road.	14	3.10. 0.
83a	Eacott, H.	18, New Trinity Road.	12	3. 0. 0.
83b	Adams, H.	7, Dunger Place, N. 12.	12	3. 0. 0.
41	Wilding, H.	9, William Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
43a	Beck, S.	2, Avenue Road.	12	3. 0. 0.
43b	Humphries, W.	15, Upway.	12	3. 0. 0.
45	Wilding, G.	77, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
47b	Tubb, F.	63, Crescentway.	10	2.10. 0.
49	Sitton, J.	79, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
53a	Sleeman, W.	9, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
55	Richardson, J.	102, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
57	Bond, W.	141, High Road, N. 2.	20	5. 0. 0.
59	Fensome, W.	Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
61	Tinsley, W.	17, Fredericks Place.	20	5. 0. 0.
65	Fowler, Mrs.	1, Albion Cottages, High Road, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
69	Hookham, G.	1, Garthway.	20	5. 0. 0.
71	Major, J.	131, Station Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
73	Oliver, B.	19, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
75	Windmill, E.	6, Birkbeck Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
79	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
84	Vivian, C.	48, Clifford Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
86	Toogood, F.	75, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
88	Poulter, G.	St. Bride's, Castle Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
90a	Tinsley, F.	39, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
90b	Bennett, A.	18, Crossway.	10	2.10. 0.
92	Griffin, G.	92, Granville Road.	10	2.10. 0.
94a	Conisbee, J.	8, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
94b	Young, A.	18, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
96	Hathaway, H.C.	1, Albert Street.	10	2.10. 0.
100	Gibson, H.W.	St. George's Villa, Ballards Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
102	Willet, C.	2, Birkbeck Road.	10	2.10. 0.
104	Fensome, H.	2a, do.	10	2.10. 0.
106	Lansbury, G.	16, Lodge Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
108	Bryant, C.	3, Dantsic Cottages, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
110	Davies, D.	156, Squires Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
112	Shuttleworth, G.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
114	Hammersley, G.	6, Percy Road.	10	2.10. 0.
116	Richard, E.	67, High Road, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
118	Desbry, J.	29, Queens Road, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
120	Bursted, F.	Ballards Lane, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.

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46	Hayes, J.	78, Ingleway.	20	5. 0. 0.
48a	Geaves, S.	Ford Villa, Gruneisen Road.	10	2.10. 0.
48b	Geaves, W.	4, Grove Villas, Hutton Gro.	10	2.10. 0.
50b	Bodinead, F.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
52	Page, H.	194, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
54	Gray, W.	13, Percy Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
56	Taylor, G.	10, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
56	Lansbury, H.	13, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
60	Fowler, W.	50, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
66	Carter, F.	Roseneath, Woodgrange Ave.	20	5. 0. 0.
70	Bunton, T.	Ellacombe, Dale Grove.	20	5. 0. 0.
72	Shipp, G.	High Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
74	Pateman, S.	78, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
76	Wetton, T.	13, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
78	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
78b	Game, F.	44, Hutton Grove.	18	4.10. 0.
80a	Fowler, G.	1, Albion Cott., High Rd., N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
80b	Pryde, C.	44, Stanhope Road.	14	3.10. 0.
82a	Eacott, H.	18, New Trinity Road.	12	3. 0. 0.
82b	Adams, H.	7, Dunger Place, N. 12.	12	3. 0. 0.
41	Wilding, H.	9, William Street, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
43a	Beck, S.	2, Avenue Road.	12	3. 0. 0.
43b	Humphries, W.	15, Upway.	12	3. 0. 0.
45	Wilding, G.	77, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
47b	Tubb, F.	63, Crescentway.	10	2.10. 0.
49	Sitton, J.	79, do.	20	5. 0. 0.
53a	Sleeman, W.	9, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
55	Richardson, J.	102, Woodhouse Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
57	Bond, W.	141, High Road, N. 2.	20	5. 0. 0.
59	Fensome, W.	Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
61	Tinsley, W.	17, Fredericks Place.	20	5. 0. 0.
65	Fowler, Mrs.	1, Albion Cottages, High Road, N. 12.	20	5. 0. 0.
69	Hockham, G.	1, Garthway.	20	5. 0. 0.
71	Major, J.	131, Station Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
73	Oliver, B.	19, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
75	Windmill, E.	6, Birkbeck Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
79	Cresswell, W.	Brownlow Villa, Brownlow Rd.	20	5. 0. 0.
84	Vivian, C.	48, Clifford Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
86	Toogood, F.	75, Grange Avenue.	20	5. 0. 0.
88	Poulter, G.	St. Bride's, Castle Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
90a	Tinsley, F.	39, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
90b	Bennett, A.	18, Crossway.	10	2.10. 0.
92	Griffin, G.	92, Granville Road.	10	2.10. 0.
94a	Conisbee, J.	8, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
94b	Young, A.	18, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
96	Hathaway, H.C.	1, Albert Street.	10	2.10. 0.
100	Gibson, H.W.	St. George's Villa, Ballards Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
102	Willet, C.	2, Birkbeck Road.	10	2.10. 0.
104	Fensome, H.	2a, do.	10	2.10. 0.
106	Lansbury, G.	16, Lodge Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
108	Bryant, C.	3, Dantes Cottages, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
110	Davies, D.	156, Squires Lane.	10	2.10. 0.
112	Shuttleworth, G.	5, Theobalds Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
114	Hammersley, G.	6, Percy Road.	10	2.10. 0.
116	Richard, E.	67, High Road, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.
118	Desbry, J.	29, Queens Road, N. 3.	10	2.10. 0.
120	Bunsted, F.	Ballards Lane, N. 12.	10	2.10. 0.



85b	Mann, F.	Delhi Villa, Leicester Rd., 10 New Barnet.		2.10. 0.
87	Hatchett, J.	Wallingford Villa, Coleridge Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
89	Cole, J.	17, Gruneisen Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
91	Sing, J.	8, Lodge Lane.	20	5. 0. 0.
95	Taylor, T.	10, Percy Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
95b	Thatcher, S.	23, Chislehurst Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
97a	Dixon, J.	38, Derby Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
99	Mousley, W.	9, New Oak Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
101	Mrs. D. Roberts	48, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
103	Searle, S.	7, Fredericks Place.	20	5. 0. 0.
105a	Gallyer, F.	Breedene, Leggatt Grove.	20	2.10. 0.
105b	Quarrington, W.	7, Upway.	10	2.10. 0.
107a	Player, J.	50, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
107b	Comer, H.	188, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
109a	Nutkins, C.	56, Stanhope Road.	10	2.10. 0.
111a	do.	do.	10	2.10. 0.
111b	Turner, H.	47, Crescent Way.	10	2.10. 0.
113	Gilks, C.	16, Stanhope Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
117	Halsey, A.	Oakwood, Castle Road.	20	5. 0. 0.
121a	Richards, J.	1, Prospect Cotts., Summers Lane.	10	3.10. 0.
121b	Bird, A.	160, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
123a	Bungay, T.	37, Ingleway.	10	2.10. 0.
123b	Hudson, H.	74, Woodgrange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
125a	Rolph, F.	10, Grange Avenue.	10	2.10. 0.
123b	Finch, G.	7, Summers Row,	10	2.10. 0.
124a	Hazell, E.	51, Grove Road.	10	2.10. 0.
124b	Keen, T.	164, Woodhouse Road.	10	2.10. 0.
126	Pryor, G.	9, William Street.	20	5. 0. 0.

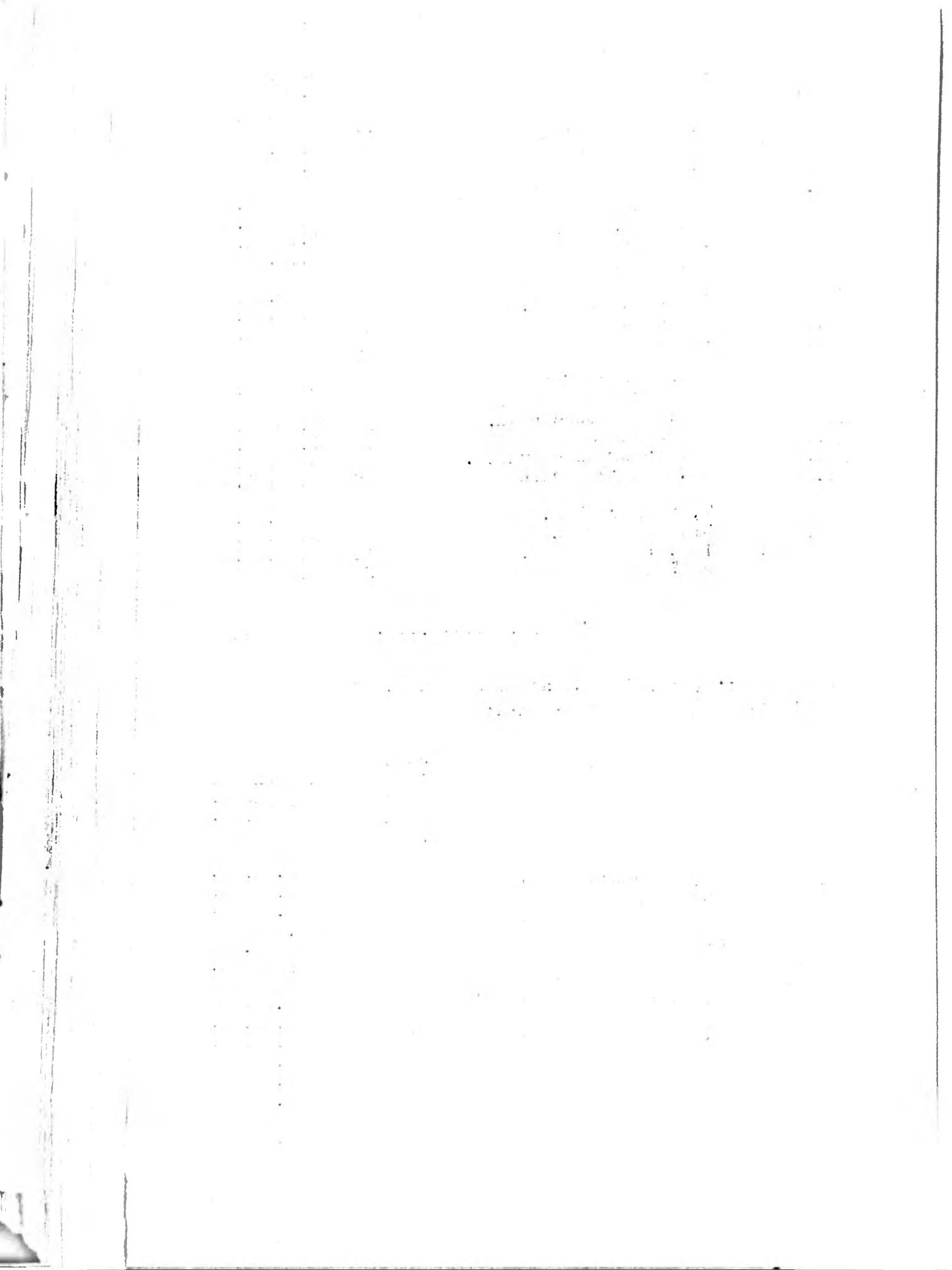
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(2) Dispossessed allotment holders who do not intend to transfer to new ground. - 2/- a pole.

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Area of which dispossessed. Poles.</u>	<u>Compensation payable. £. s. d.</u>
51	Danby, E.	59, High St., N. 12.	20	2. 0. 0.
53b	Calkin, J.	130, Long Lane.	10	1. 0. 0.
63	Jacques, F.	76, Clifford Road.	20	2. 0. 0.
3b	Townsend, H.	Kilminton, Castle Rd.	10	1. 0. 0.
15b	Dunkley, A.	8, Friern Park.	10	1. 0. 0.
27	Bickers, S.	47, Lodge Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
10	King, W.	1, High Street, N. 12.	20	2. 0. 0.
12	Croft, E.	Tillydene, Castle Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
16	Bartlett, F.	181, Squires Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
24	Smith, H.	38, Derby Avenue.	20	2. 0. 0.
26a	Tyler, G.	98, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
26b	Webb, J.	Since deceased.	10	1. 0. 0.
32	Brown, C.	Oak Lodge, Christchurch Ave.	20	2. 0. 0.
62	Colman, F.	Station Villas, Mill Hill.	20	2. 0. 0.
64	White, A.	125, Squires Lane.	20	2. 0. 0.
95a	Armstrong, W.	88, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
115	Kirby, C.	3, St. John's Terrace, Friern Lane	20	2. 0. 0.

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Carried forward 27. 0. 0.



Brought forward £37. 0. 0.

119	Young, A.E.		20	3. 0. 0.
380	Warne, W.		10	1. 0. 0.
29	Bickers, E.	47, Lodge Lane.	5	10. 0.
31	Thompson, W.		10	1. 0. 0.
2	} Lee, J.	1, Belgrave Terrace.	20	2. 0. 0.
50a				
38a	Bird, A.	160, Woodhouse Road.	10	1. 0. 0.
44	Murray, J.	33, Ingloway.	10	1. 0. 0.
58	Lansbury, H.	13, Theobalds Avenue.	10	1. 0. 0.
78	Wetton, T.	13, Grange Avenue.	10	1. 0. 0.

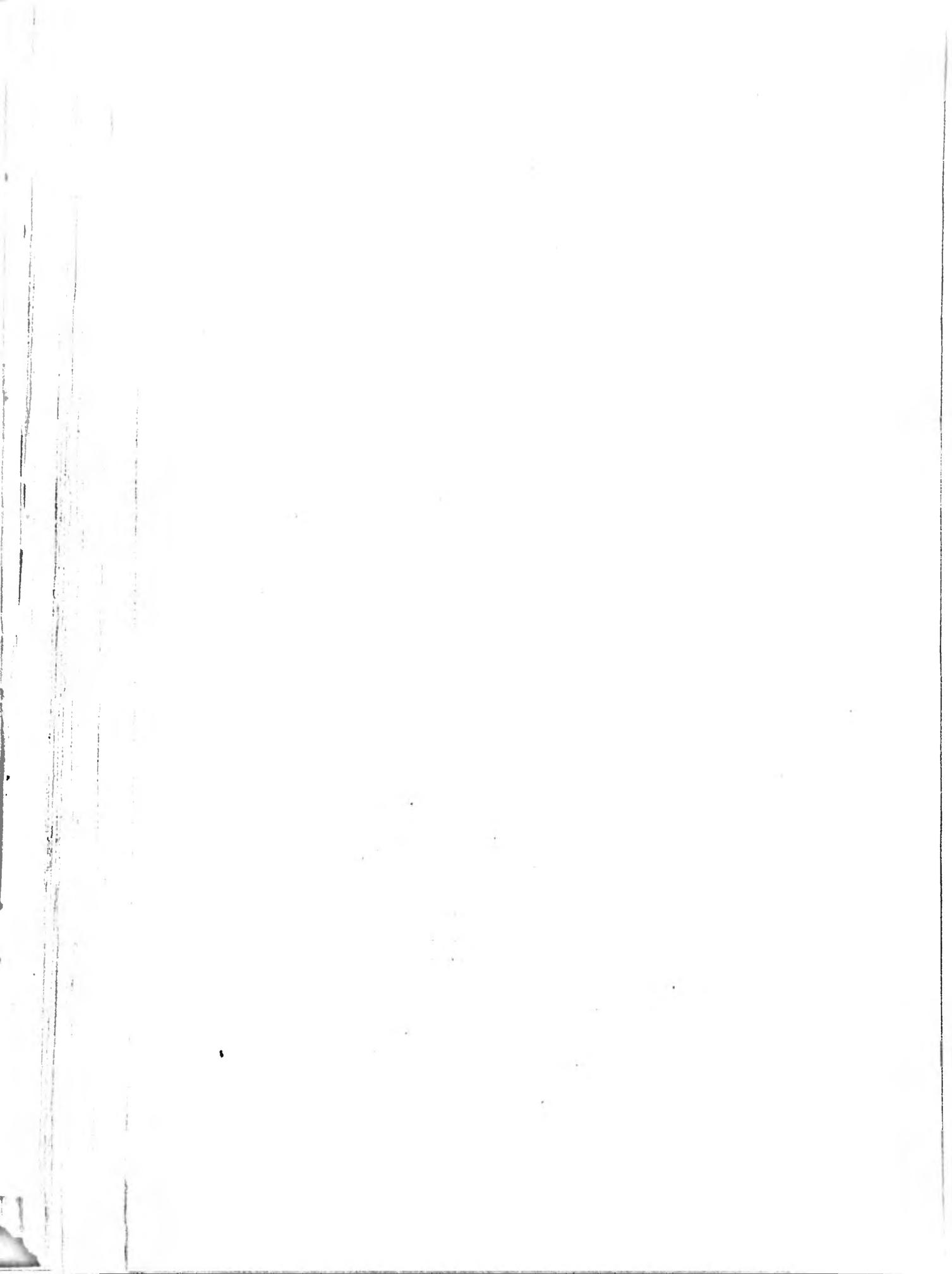
Total £37.10. 0.

(3) Dispossessed aged and infirm and women (widows) allotment holders who are unable to break up the new ground. 2/6d. a pole.

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Area of which dis-possessed. Poles.</u>	<u>Compensation payable. £. s. d.</u>
67	} Smith, C.	3, Avenue Road.	40	5. 0. 0.
68				
77	Irons, G.	20, Gruneisen Road.	20	2.10. 0.
47a	Fensome, C.	Sandown, Dale Grove.	10	1. 5. 0.
60	Currell, W.	The Almshouses, Oak Lane.	10	1. 5. 0.
30a	Kemsley, E.	73, Queens Avenue.	10	1. 5. 0.
85a	Hpw, E.	North Holme, Nether St.	10	1. 5. 0.
123a	Joiner, J.	6, William Street.	10	1. 5. 0.
11b	Rae, Mrs.	50, Clifford Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
97a	Davy, Mrs.	St. Denys, Castle Rd.	10	1. 5. 0.
109b	Wildman, Mrs	1, Stanhope Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
19	Holliday, W.	Ashleigh, Castle Rd.	10	1. 5. 0.
22	Deed, G.	81, Lodge Lane, N. 12.	10	1. 5. 0.
25	Cook, A.	Marlow Villa, Hutton Grove.	8	1. 0. 0.
33	Prayle, W.	10, Avenue Road.	10	1. 5. 0.
37	Sinton, J.	Torrington Cottage, N. 12.	10	<u>1. 5. 0.</u>
			Total	<u>£33.10. 0.</u>

(4) Piggeries -(Mean between Surveyor's and League's valuations.)

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Surveyor's Valuation. £. s. d.</u>	<u>North Finchley Allotments League's valuation. £. s. d.</u>	<u>Compensation payable. £. s. d.</u>
29	Bickers, E.	10. 0. 0.	15. 0. 0.	13.10. 0.
31	Thompson, W.	5.10. 0.	6. 0. 0.	5.15. 0.
39	Cook, T.	17.10. 0.	23. 0. 0.	21. 5. 0.
2	Lee, J.	4.10. 0.	5. 0. 0.	4.15. 0.
38	Warne, W.	5. 5. 0.	5. 0. 0.	5. 2. 6.
41	Wildang, H.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
45	Wildang, G.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
65	Fowler, Mrs.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
Carried forward		<u>70. 10. 0.</u>	<u>86. 0. 0.</u>	<u>78. 5. 0.</u>



46	Brought forward	£70.10. 0.	£86. 0. 0.	£78. 5. 0.
46	Hayes, J.	10.15. 0.	12. 0. 0.	11. 7. 6.
50a	Lee, J.	4.10. 0.	5. 0. 0.	4.15. 0.
50b	Bouinead, F.	9. 3. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
54	Gray, W.	11. 5. 0.	12.10. 0.	11.17. 6.
56	Taylor, G.	10. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.
58	Lansberry, H.	5.15. 0.	5. 0. 0.	5. 7. 6.
60	Fowler, W.	11. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	10.10. 0.
63	Smith, C.	16. 0. 0.	30. 0. 0.	19. 0. 0.
67	Hatchett, J.	9. 3. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
93	Taylor, T.	9. 5. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.12. 6.
108	Bryant, C.	7.15. 0.	8.10. 0.	8. 2. 6.
110	Davis, D.	11.15. 0.	13. 0. 0.	12. 7. 6.
114	Hammersley, G.	11.15. 0.	13. 0. 0.	12. 7. 6.
131	Lee, J.	9.10. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9.15. 0.
141	Davies, W.	2. 5. 0.	2. 0. 0.	2. 2. 6.
143	Smith, G.	12.10. 0.	14.10. 0.	13.10. 0.
149	Lawrence, J.	11. 5. 0.	15. 0. 0.	13. 2. 6.
151	Mitnews, E.	12. 0. 0.	12. 0. 0.	12. 0. 0.
138	Fowler, G.	12. 0. 0.	10. 0. 0.	11. 0. 0.
128a	Lee, J.	15.10. 0.	10. 0. 0.	12.13. 0.
114	Randall, G.	7.10. 0.	9. 0. 0.	8. 3. 0.
130	Ellis, J.	8.15. 0.	10. 0. 0.	9. 7. 6.

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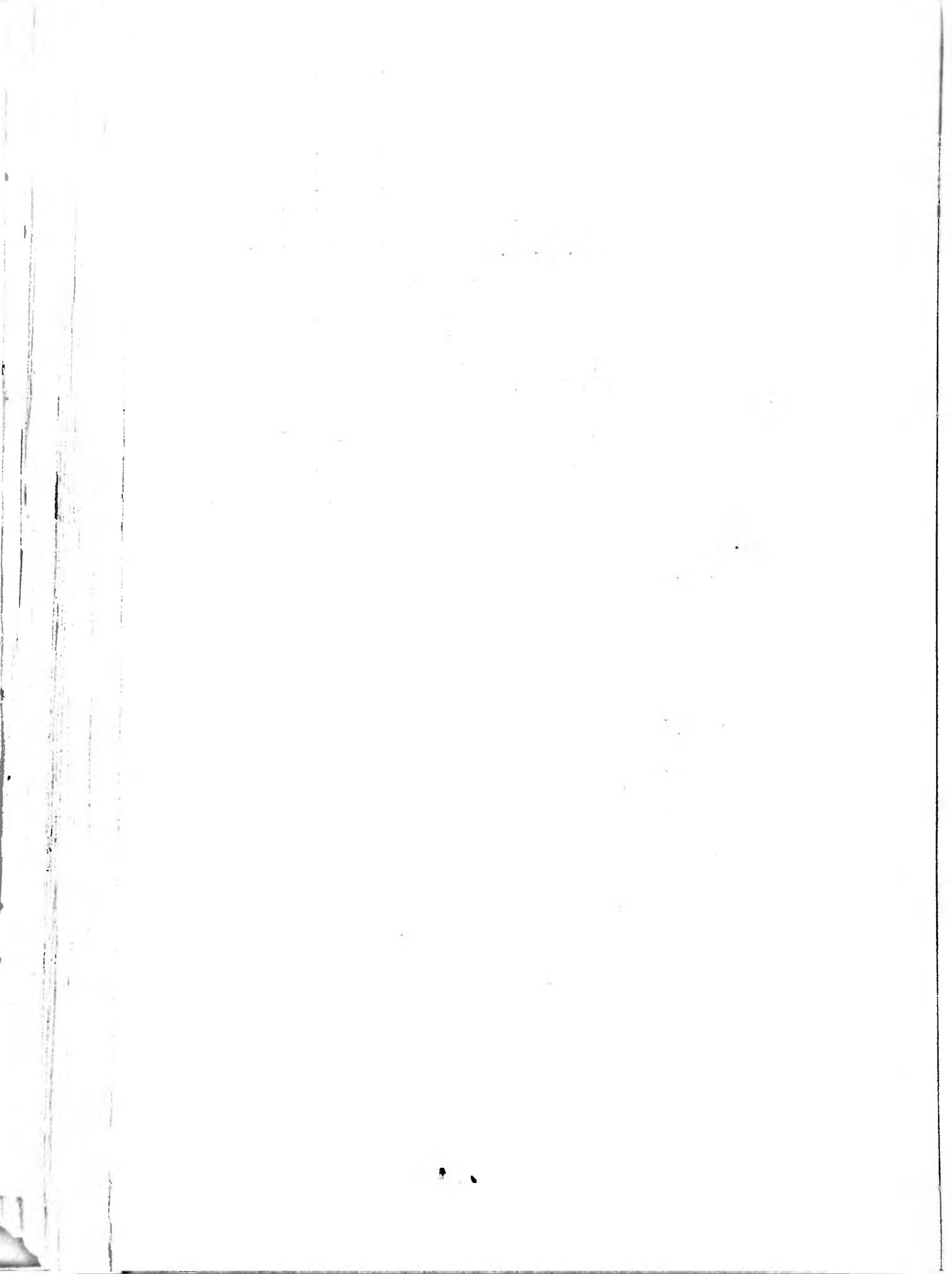
(5) Cost of removal of greenhouses. Estimates agreed by the League and the Surveyor of the Council.

<u>Plot No.</u>	<u>Name of tenant.</u>	<u>Amount payable.</u>
5	Denton, A.	£15. 0. 0.
9	Moles, H.	7.10. 0.
16	Barrats, F.	6.10. 0.
17	Woclner, F.	3.10. 0.
18	Ellicock, S.	4. 0. 0.
40	Sinton, R.	15. 0. 0.
61	Tinsley, W.	1.10. 0.
69	Hookham, G.	3. 0. 0.
74	Pateman, S.	5. 0. 0.
78	Cresswell, W.E.	7. 0. 0.
83	Ranson, T.	2.10. 0.

Total £70.10. 0.

This (together with the four preceding pages) is the statement of compensation referred to in paragraph 1412 (a) of the Allotments Committee's report of the 12th January 1928.

W. J. Gill
Chairman.



ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

(2) that the modified rent be payable as from the 1st October, 1927.

1412a TOWN PLANNING SCHEME, No. 2—ALLOTMENTS—VALE FARM.—The reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee was considered;

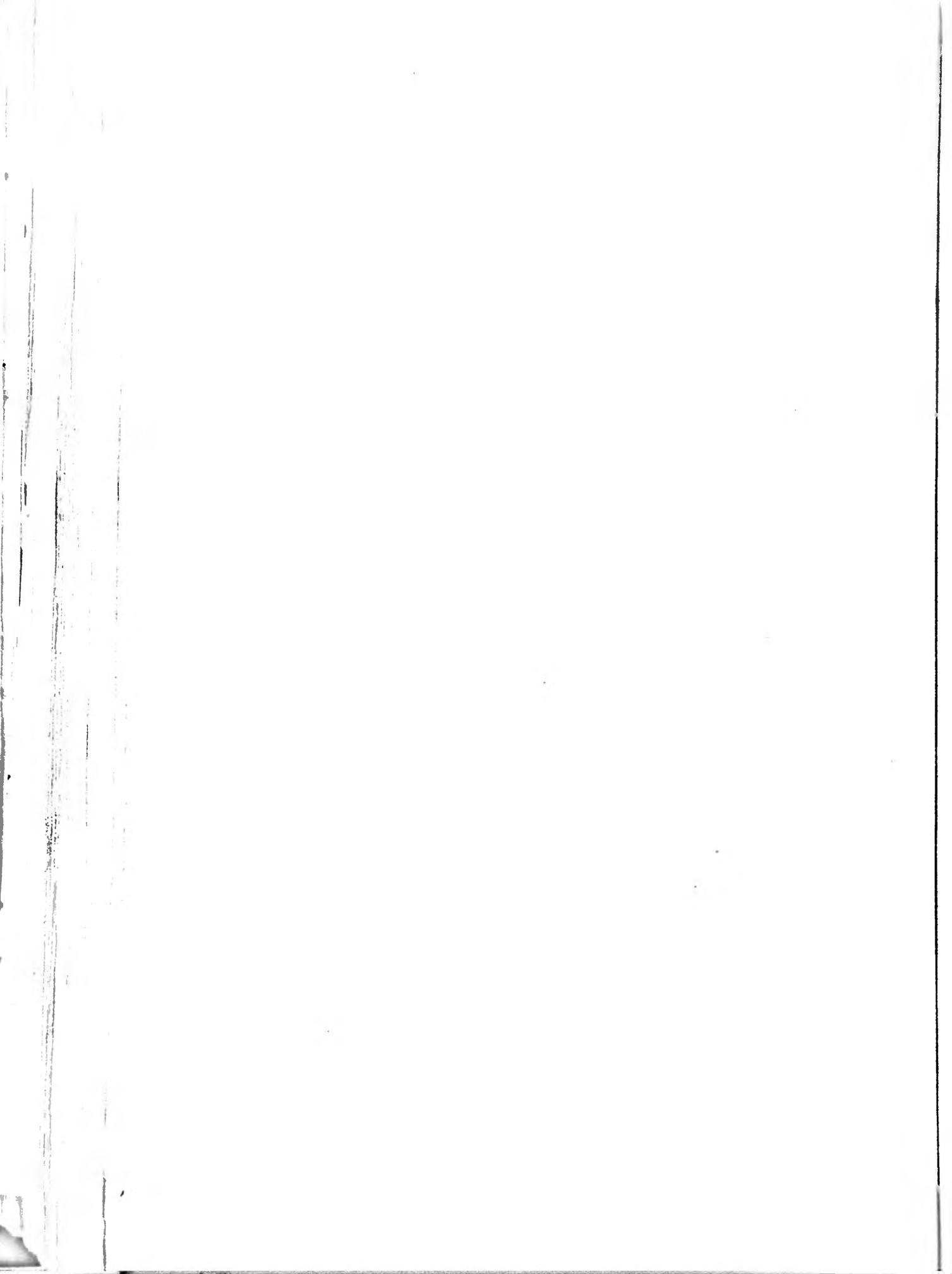
RECOMMENDED that so far as this Committee is concerned, no objection be raised to the suggested reply to the Ministry's observation hereon.

1413 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.



**REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION
COMMITTEE,**

held 16th January, 1928.

Present : Councillor D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, G. H. Pateman, H. G. Sommerfield, C. S. Syrett, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake, and Mr. R. Williams.

- 1414 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £4,302 17s. 5½d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

1415 REPAIRS.—

RECOMMENDED that sundry repairs as set out in the Minute Book be approved.

1416 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the following be approved :—

		£	s.	d.
Central School—				
1 Singers Sewing Machine	...	5	15	0
Holy Trinity—				
1 Fireguard	... ..	2	11	0
1 Incinerator	... ..	1	5	0
Long Lane—				
2 metal Mats, each	... ..	4	5	0
St. Mary's—				
1 gas Copper	... ..	2	0	0
School Medical Service—				
Drugs and apparatus	... ..	14	8	0
Dental Register	... ..	2	5	0

1417 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the appointment of the under-mentioned in the place of members of the Staff absent ill be approved :—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

School.	Name.	From.
S.M.M.	Mrs. Nicklin	Nov. 28.
S.M.M.	Mrs. Nicklin	Dec. 12.
S.M.I.	Mrs. Collison	Dec. 14.
A.S.J.	Miss Clothier	Jan. 9.
A.S.J.	Miss Clothier	Dec. 1.
S.J.	Miss Clothier	Dec. 6.
N.R.J.	Miss Clothier	Dec. 12.
S.L.I.	Miss Kent	Jan. 9.
L.L.I.	Miss Kent	Dec. 1.
L.L.I.	Miss Armstrong	Dec. 19.
S.L.B.	Mrs. O'Donnell	Dec. 5.
S.L.B.	Mrs. O'Donnell	Jan. 9.
CARETAKERS.—		
A.S.	Mrs. Aldridge	Nov. 24.
S.L.	Mr. Rogers	Dec. 31.

1418 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—A letter, dated the 16th January, 1928, has been received from the Rev. J. C. Joyce announcing that it is hoped to open the new Roman Catholic School early in 1929; plans amended after the suggestions by the Board of Education have also been submitted and these have been referred to the School Management, Works and Accounts Sub-Committee for consideration.

1419 JOINT COMMITTEE (Representatives of the Education Committee and Teachers).—A meeting of the Joint Committee took place on the 13th instant at which matters relating to the undermentioned items were discussed:—

1. Trade Schools.
2. Fire Drill.
3. Holidays, 1928.
4. Sick-Pay Regulations.
5. School Attendance.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1420 SQUIRES LANE SCHOOL.—RE-ORGANIZATION.—A letter, dated the 4th January, 1928, has been received from the Board of Education approving the Authority's proposals for the re-organization of the senior departments of this school as from the 1st April, 1928. The Board also state that they hope the Authority will consider the question of effecting changes in the several schools according to the principles advocated in the Report of the Board's Consultative Committee on the Education of the Adolescent.

1421 SWIMMING.—The following reports, etc., in regard to the swimming season 1927, have been considered and circulated to members :—

Annexed.

1. The annual report of the Finchley Schools' Swimming Association.
2. The report of Mr. F. S. Welch, assistant master, on the early morning swimming class.
3. The statistics relating to the attendance at the Bath of scholars from the elementary schools in Finchley.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the draft time-table for 1928 submitted by the Finchley Schools' Swimming Association, as circulated, be approved;
- (2) that the appointment of the following instructors for the season 1928, be approved :—
 - for the boys—the Superintendent at 2/6 per hour;
 - for the girls—Miss A. Thetford at 4/0 per hour;
- (3) that the payment of the annual grant of £10 for the year 1928, to the Finchley Schools' Swimming Association be approved.

1422 ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended the 16th December, 1927, the record of school attendance was as follows :—

EDUCATION (continued).

Schools	Official recognized accom.	Accom. per Council's policy	No. on books	Average Attend- ance	Percent- age
Council	4096	3369	2836	2347	82.7
Voluntary	1719	1484	1453	1253	86.2
Totals	5815	4853	4289	3600	83.8

1423 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.—

RECOMMENDED that the school holidays for 1928 shall be as follows :—

BREAK-UP. (After afternoon school).	RETURN.	No. of days.
Easter— Wed., 4th April	Mon., 16th April	7
Whitsun— Fri., 25th May	Wed., 30th May	2
S.S. Treats— Wed., 27th June	Mon., 2nd July	2
Summer— Fri., 27th July	Mon., 3rd Sept.	25
Autumn— Wed., 24th Oct.	Mon., 29th Oct.	2
Christmas— Thurs., 20th Dec.	Mon., 7th Jan.	11
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D. A. A. MERRY.

Chairman.

Annual Report for year ending 31st December, 1927.

SWIMMING:

In presenting their Seventeenth Annual Report the Executive of the Finchley Schools' Swimming Association regret that for the first time in eight years there has been a decline in the number of swimmers in the schools compared with the previous year. This was no doubt due to the adverse weather conditions experienced throughout the season, which affected the attendance at the baths of many classes. Thus whilst there are some 40 children more than last year who attended the Baths, the number of attendances was over 900 fewer.

During the season 354 fresh children were taught to swim - a decrease of 29 on last year's figures. Of the children who left the Finchley elementary schools during the year, 348 were able to swim - an increase of 28 compared with the previous year. The total number of swimmers in the schools for the past nine years is as follows:-

1919	...	450	1924	...	854
1920	...	608	1925	...	900
1921	...	713	1926	...	943
1922	...	746	1927	...	878
1923	...	816			

SWIMMING CERTIFICATES:

This season 320 F.S.S.A. certificates have been issued - 150 to boys and 170 to girls. The classes are as follows:-

Boys:	1st class, 70:	2nd class, 27:	3rd class, 53.
Girls:	1st class, 90:	2nd class, 29:	3rd class, 51.

This is a decrease of 101 certificates on last year.

LIFE-SAVING CERTIFICATES:

There have been 183 Life-Saving awards this season - 63 for boys and 120 for girls; these are classed as follows:-

L.S.S.A. (Elementary)	...	81.
(Advanced)	...	70.
R.L.S.S. (Proficiency)	...	25.
(Bronze medallion)	...	7.

Last year there were 70 more awards.

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Finchley was again well represented in the London Finals, and its representatives met with a fair amount of success. In the contest for the Stuart Cup, between teams of junior girls, the Squires Lane team won second place after a thrilling race in which they led for practically the whole distance. Harold Crow of Great North Road School won third place in the 100 yards Championship for boys under 16 years of age. Albert Street and Squires Lane Girls reached the final of the Life-Saving Championship and returned the fastest times in both cases.

ANNUAL COMPETITIONS:

The Twenty-third Annual Gala of the Association took place on 15th October. A novel feature of the competitions was Inter-District Contests for boys' and girls' teams. Both these and the other events were keenly contested and a high standard of swimming was maintained throughout the evening. One pleasing feature of the competitions was that a girls' Life-Saving team was entered from each competing school.

The importance of a knowledge of life-saving methods cannot be overlooked, and it is to be hoped that every school will endeavour to include life-saving as part of the equipment of each of its swimmers.

The thanks of the Association are due to all those officials who carried out their various duties so admirably. A word of congratulation must be given to Squires Lane School whose representatives surpassed themselves, winning no fewer than twelve of the trophies.

We greatly appreciate the fact that Major Cadogan was present at the Gala and presented the trophies and medals to the successful competitors at the end of the evening.

"FISHER" AND "WOODROW" SHIELDS:

Albert Street School is to be commended on its excellent accomplishment in retaining for the third successive year the most coveted trophies of the Association, namely the "Fisher" and the "Woodrow" Shields, which are awarded to the girls' and boys' departments having the highest ratio of swimmers and Life-Saving certificate holders to the number of children on roll.

The Association wishes to place on record its cordial thanks for the valued and highly efficient services of its Secretary, Mr. Keefe, and Certificate Secretary, Mr. Baxter. A very large share of the work of the Association naturally devolves upon its Secretaries, and the marked success of the Annual Gala speaks well for their organization.

Our thanks are also due to the many teachers who have taken part in the instruction of the children, and to the two instructors, Miss Thorford and Mr. Stevens.

This is the report referred to (Sgd.) W. W. HARRISON,
in paragraph 1421 (1) of the Chairman.
Education Committee's
Report of the 16th January² 1928.

W. W. Harrison
Chairman

ANNUAL COMPETITIONS, 1927.

Trophy	Event		School
Howard Cup.	50 yds. under 13 years.	Girls	Squires Lane
Cope Cup.	50 yds. " " "	Boys	Squires Lane
Boggon Cup.	Diving " " "	Girls	Squires Lane
Martin Cup.	Diving " " "	Boys	Squires Lane
Leslie Cup.	Junior Team	Girls	Squires Lane
Syrett Cup.	Junior Team	Boys	Squires Lane
Martin Cup.	100 yds. under 14 yrs. 3 mos.	Girls	Albert Street
Chapman Cup.	100 yds. " " " "	Boys	Squires Lane
Bennett Cup.	Diving " " " "	Girls	Albert Street
Rector's Cup.	Diving " " " "	Boys	Squires Lane
F.S.S.A. Cup.	Back swimming	Girls	Albert Street
F.S.S.A. Cup.	Back swimming	Boys	Squires Lane
Gaines Shield.	Senior Team	Girls	Squires Lane
Herdman Cup.	Senior Team	Boys	Squires Lane
Nicholls Cup.	Life-Saving Team	Girls	Albert Street
Tucker Cup.	Life-Saving Team	Boys	Squires Lane
Fisher Shield.)	Highest percentage of swimmers and Life-Saving certificate holders.	Girls	Albert Street
Woodrow Shield.)		Boys	Albert Street
Lawrence Cup.	100 yds. over 14 yrs. 3 mos.	Girls	North Road.
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Inter-District Contests.	Team	Girls	South Islington
	Team	Boys	Willesden

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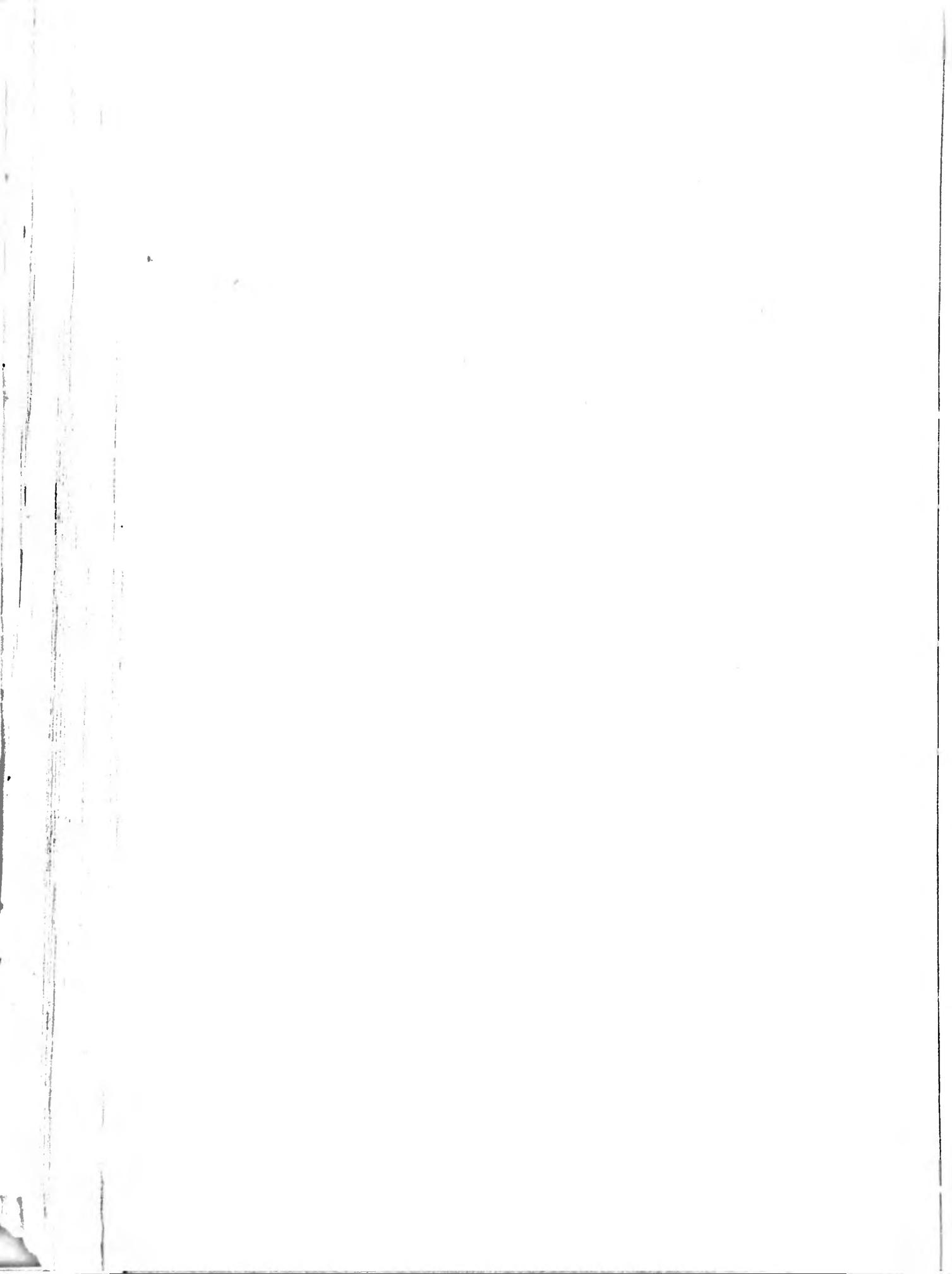
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Great North Road School.

26th November, 1927.

Gentlemen,

EARLY MORNING SWIMMING CLASS, 1927.

I have pleasure in submitting my third annual report on the work of the Early Morning Class.

The classes were held at 7 a.m. on school days from April 27th to September 21st. The attendance was satisfactory with an average of 12 for the whole season, the details being as follows:-

School	April	May	June	July	Sept.	Total
Christ Church	1	26	8	44	-	79
Long Lane	19	97	48	55	-	217
North Road	-	-	-	-	50	50
Squires Lane	23	133	93	147	20	416
St. Mary's	4	19	8	15	-	46
T o t a l	47	275	157	259	70	808

A comparison with last year's returns will show that the attendance is less, this being due to two main causes. The first of these was the closure of the class for a fortnight in June whilst I was engaged upon examinations, while the other reason was the premature conclusion of the class in September on account of the new conditions of my teaching employment, which placed too great a strain upon me.

The attendance at the end was such as would have justified continuation for another week or two had that been possible.

Another cause was undoubtedly connected with my transfer from Squires Lane to the Great North Road School at midsummer. That the personal influence of the teacher plays a large part in securing keen attendance is very apparent if the figures for these two schools be compared for the months of July and September.

Despite the diminution in aggregate attendance at the classes, the results obtained were such as to indicate satisfactory progress. 38 boys learned to swim at least the width of the bath - some reached quite a high standard of efficiency during the season, though it is upon the preliminary stages that my work is concentrated.

A comparison of the work done during the three years that the class has been under my control is interesting:-

Year	No. on roll	No. who passed test for width	Percentage
1925	57	17	30.
1926	105	48	46.
1927	63	40	63.

The last column which is a measure of the efficiency of the class indicates that the proportion of successful learners has more than doubled in the three years.

105 boys in attendance at these classes have learned to swim and passed the first test of the Finchley Schools' Swimming Association during the three years in which the class has been running.

I thank the Council for granting the use of the Baths, and hope that if I am still in Finchley next summer I may be privileged to conduct the class once more.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd.) F. STAFFORD WELCH.

This is the report referred to in paragraph 1421(2) of the Education Committee's report of the 16th January 1928.



Chairman.

Time-Table for 1928.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.15	<u>Boys:</u> North Road Life-Saving	<u>Boys:</u> Squires L. Life-Saving	<u>Girls:</u> -	<u>Boys:</u> Albert St. Life-Saving	<u>Boys:</u> Albert St. Life-Saving
9.0	St.Mary's	St.John's	Albert St.	Albert St.	Long Lane
9.30	Squires L.	St.Mary's	Albert St.	Albert St.	
10.0	Squires L.	St.Mary's		North Road	North Road
10.50	Squires L.	Squires L.	Squires L.	North Road	North Road
11.0	Long Lane	Albert St.	Squires L.	Christ Ch.	Holy Trinity
11.30	Long Lane	Albert St.	North Road	Christ Ch.	Albert St.
	<u>Girls:</u>	<u>Girls:</u>	<u>Girls:</u>	<u>Girls:</u>	<u>Girls:</u>
2.0	Albert St.		Christ Ch.		Holy Trinity
2.30	Albert St.		Christ Ch.		Squires L.
3.0			Squires L.		North Road
3.30	Long Lane		St.Mary's		North Road
4.0	Long Lane		St.Mary's		St.John's
4.30	Life-Saving		Life-Saving		

7 a.m. Early morning swimming class,
for scholars from all schools, conducted
by Mr. F.S.Welch, assistant master,
Squires Lane Council School.

This is the draft time-table
referred to in paragraph 1421
of the Education Committee's
report of the 16th January 1928.

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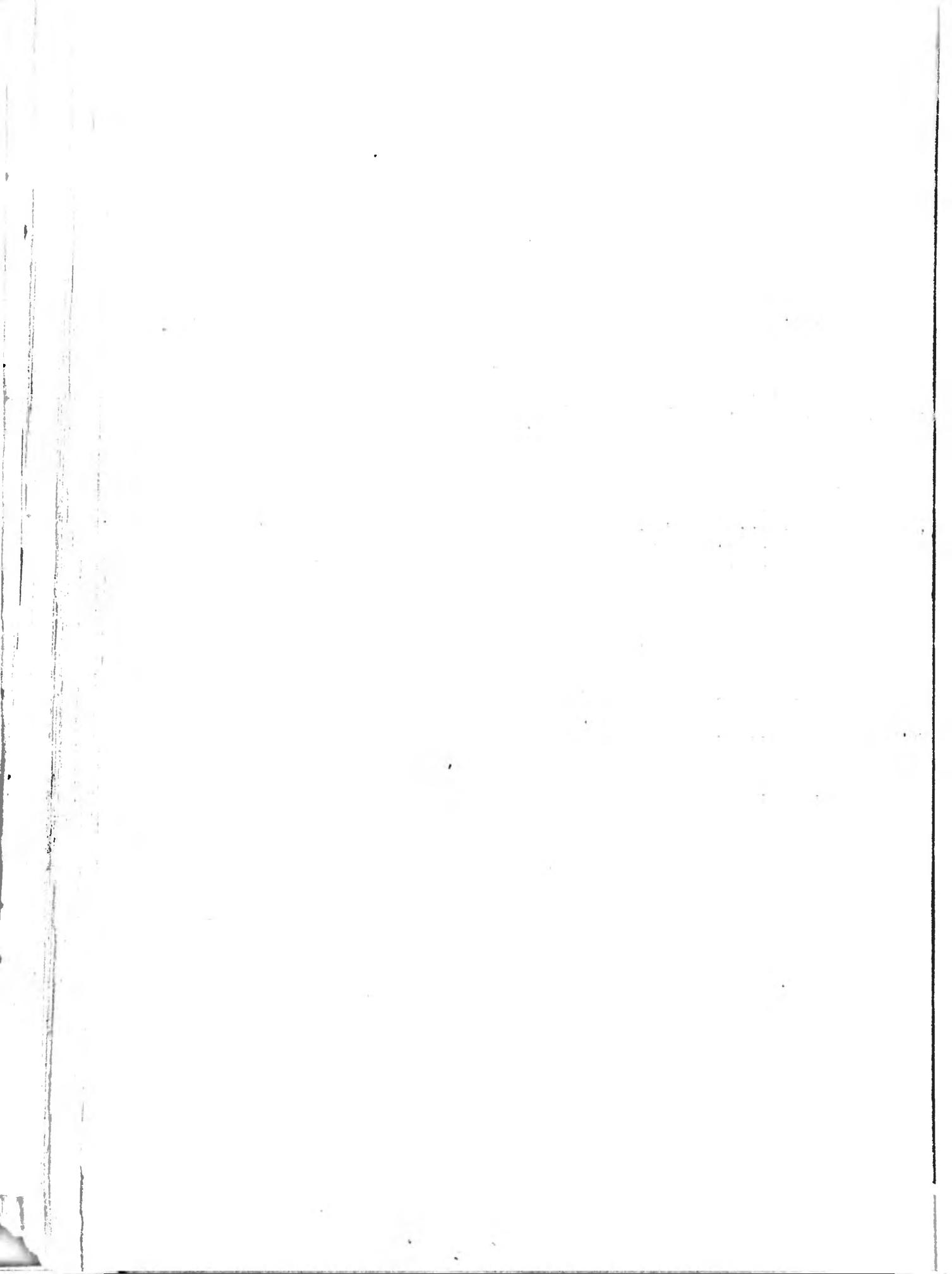
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<u>BOYS:</u>	A.S.	L.L.	S.L.	N.R.	S.M.	S.J.	C.C.	H.T.	Total
No. of scholars attending bath.....	237	34	202	123	88	39	81	45	899
No. of squads.....	5	3	4	4	2	1	2	1	22
No. of times squads attended.....	107	53	91	62	33	17	46	16	450
<u>Attendances:-</u>									
1. during school hours..	3066	1080	2444	1444	740	354	1172	468	10768
2. during holidays.....	378	161	225	150	51	40	135	34	1224
3. Life-Saving.....	1018	-	247	-	-	-	-	-	1265
T O T A L.....	4462	1241	2916	1594	791	394	1307	552	13257
<u>Certificates:-</u>									
Committee's.....	44	23	33	18	9	6	12	6	151
L. S. S. A.....	41	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	53
R. L. S. S.....	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	7
(Medallion).....	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
<u>GIRLS:</u>									
No. of scholars attending bath.....	168	70	106	100	64	45	57	38	648
No. of squads.....	4	2	4	3	1	1	2	1	18
No. of times squads attended.....	94	35	78	53	23	16	46	19	362
<u>Attendances:-</u>									
1. during school hours..	2839	825	1243	1095	582	274	812	510	9180
2. during holidays.....	470	121	236	166	59	91	152	129	1424
3. Life-Saving.....	435	-	139	217	108	-	70	-	969
T O T A L.....	3744	946	1618	1478	749	365	1034	639	10573
<u>Certificates:-</u>									
Committee's.....	45	20	36	20	16	5	18	10	170
L. S. S. A.....	38	7	22	11	-	-	20	-	98
R. L. S. S.....	4	-	5	7	-	-	2	-	18
(Medallion).....	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	4
Total attendances - boys and girls.....	8206	2187	4534	3072	1540	759	2541	1191	23830

The above are the statistics referred to in paragraph 1421 of the Education Committee's report of the 16th January 1928.

W. B. Smith
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

18th January, 1928.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Pike and H. O. Syrett, and Councillors Bowen, Pateman and Wells (non-members).

1424 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1425 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to:—

Annexed

- (a) " £18 10s. 0d." being substituted for £15 against the item (Valuation Department) " 1 safe ";
- (b) the addition of the following item:—
Uniform—Caretaker—Council Offices £5; and
- (c) " £7 " being substituted for £10 against the item (Finance Department and Stores) " 10 reams Foolscap (single cash)."

1426 VALUATION COMMITTEE—MEMBERSHIP OF.—A communication was submitted from Mr. Arthur Gray, stating that he would be pleased to serve on the above Committee.

1427 STATUE—LA DELIVRANCE.—A letter, dated 4th January, 1928, was submitted from the Ministry of Health, stating that, subject to the production of proper vouchers to the District Auditor, the Minister sanctioned expenditure of sums amounting to £61 11s. 8d. incurred by the Council in connexion with the unveiling ceremony of the above Statue.

1428 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—GREAT NORTH ROAD TO COLNEY HATCH LANE.—A letter, dated 7th January, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, forwarding a plan illustrating the proposed new route of the North Circular Road between the Great North Road and Colney Hatch Lane, and asking if this Council was prepared to negotiate for the land required for the road. The letter added that the Ceme-

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

tery Authorities had decided to accept the District Valuer's estimate of compensation, and that the Council was the only freeholder with whom the County Council had not yet come to terms. The Surveyor reported that it appeared that an area of 3.35 acres of the Glebe Land would be required for the construction of the road; that a further area of 0.7 acre of the Sewage Disposal Works land would also be required, and that, in addition, the four fields rented from the Joint Burial Board would no longer be available for use by the Council. The Clerk reported upon correspondence which he had had with the District Valuer on the subject;

RECOMMENDED that the Middlesex County Council be informed that this Council is prepared, without prejudice, to consider the District Valuer's estimate of compensation for the land which is required in connexion with the construction of the above-mentioned portion of the North Circular Road, and also any proposals which may be submitted by the County Council.

1429 REGISTER OF LOCAL LAND CHARGES.—

- (a) The Clerk reported that the number of **Official** Certificates issued during 1927 was 875, making the total number to 31st December, 1927, 1,600; that in addition 361 certificates, giving information **outside the scope of the Register** were issued during 1927, making a total since the Register of Local Land Charges first came into operation, namely 1st January, 1926, until 31st December, 1927, of 645.
- (b) He also reported that, in view of the fact that a reduced fee was now payable for **Official** Certificates under the Act (and particularly where several contiguous parcels of land were included in the same requisition for the purposes of the same transaction) he had arranged that, so far as certificates **outside the scope of the Register were concerned**, in similar circumstances a fixed fee of 5/- only should be charged for a certificate;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Clerk be approved.

1430 ELECTION OF COUNTY COUNCILLORS.—The Clerk reported that the above Election for the Finchley East, Finchley

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

ACQUISITIONS - JANUARY, 1928.

Estimate for year 28893. 0. 0.

Amount previously requisitioned 7,935. 6. 8.

Ordered since last meeting.

Repairs to lighting and radiators	2.17.10.
2 tons Anthracite Coal	6.15. 0.
4 tons House Coal	7. 6. 0.
10,000 transparent wage envelopes	5. 3. 4.
Typing apportioned figures - 17th Batch	5. 5. 0.
Binding register of Electors	- . 5. 0.
Advertising - Unpaid Rates	1. 0. 0.
- Foreman - Refuse Destructor	3. 0. 0.
- Clerk - Valuation Department	1. 1. 0.
50 notices - "unpaid rates"	- .10. 6.
8 copies Barnet District Gas & Water Bill	1.12. 0.
Index Map for register of Local Land Charges	10. 3. 2.
Hire of Car - Outdoor Meeting	- .17. 6.
do. - Palmers Green	1. 6. 3.

Now requisitioned

Clerk's Department

Subscription to Law Society -(Legal Assistant)	3. 3. 0.
Printing Minutes & Reports - January 1928.	30. 0. 0.
Subscription for Reports of Middlesex District Councils' Association, year ending March 1928.	1. 1. 0.
Two copies - U.D.C. Association's Monthly Circular 1928	4. 4. 0.
Subscription to Local Government Reports, 1928	3.13. 6.
Binding 1 Letter Book No.148	1. 1. 0.
1 Bottle - Typewriter Oil	- . 3. 0.

Surveyor's Department.

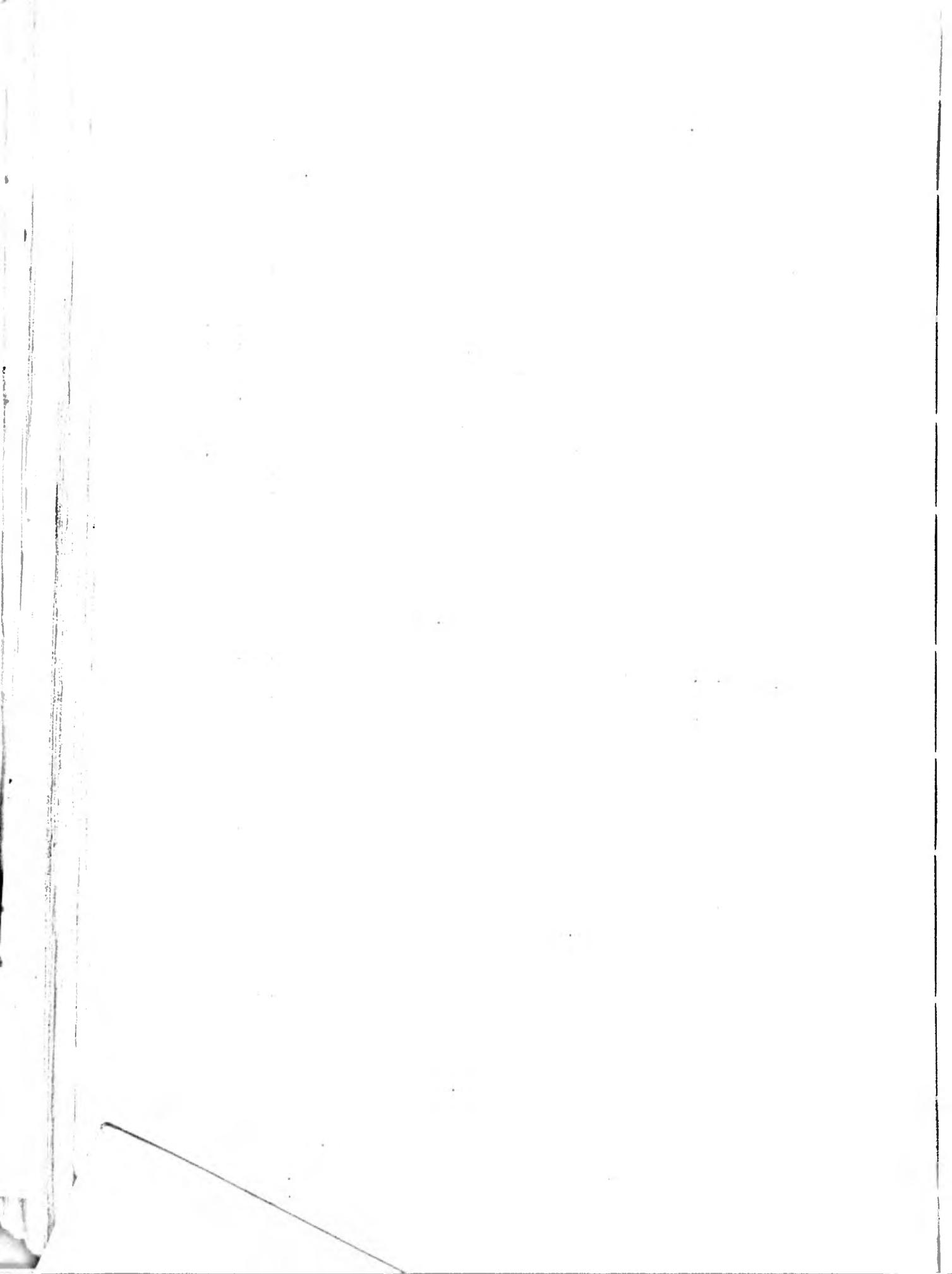
3 press copy Letter Books	2.17. 0.
6 Licence Books	2. 2. 6.
2,000 Acknowledgment P.C.'s.	1. 3. 0.
12 Foolscap Compiler Files	1.15. 0.
1 box of 100 qto. Pen Carbons	- . 5. 0.
5 reams Qto. Headed Notepaper	3.12. 6.
2 doz. note-books 6" x 4" x 1/2"	- .15. 0.
250 Joca Files Foolscap lettered Engineer &) Surveyor's Dept. Style F Quality B)	8.10. 0.
3 doz. Time Book Refills	5.12. 0.
1,000 Ezlow Paper Clips	- . 5. 0.

Drawing Office.

1 leather-topped Office Stool	- .13. 6.
50 mounted 6" maps of Finchley District	3. 2. 6.
25 unmounted do.	- .18. 9.
2 rolls of printing linen	2.13. 0.
4 do. do. paper	1. 8. 8.
1 doz. level books	2. 5. 0.
1 stick each Hooker's Green and Burnt Umber	- . 2. 6.

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Drawing Office (Contd)

1 whole cake Brown Mador	-. 1. 3.
1/2 gross assorted rubber bands	-. 2. 0.
3 bottles each blue and scarlet Higgins Ink	-. 9. 0.
1 refill for 50 ft. Patent Metallic Tape	-. 7. 3.
1-12" boxwood scale marked on 2 edges	-. 4. 0.
1 gross Gillits 404 nibs	-. 3. 0.
1 roll Ozalid paper	-. 3. 6.

Public Health Department

250 Acknowledgment Cards	-. 7. 6.
250 Compliment Slips (C.S.I))	-.12. 0.
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5,000 Commercial envelopes	2. 7. 6.
3 boxes eyelets for Punch No. 1	-. 2. 6.
1 gross of tags	-. 3. 6.

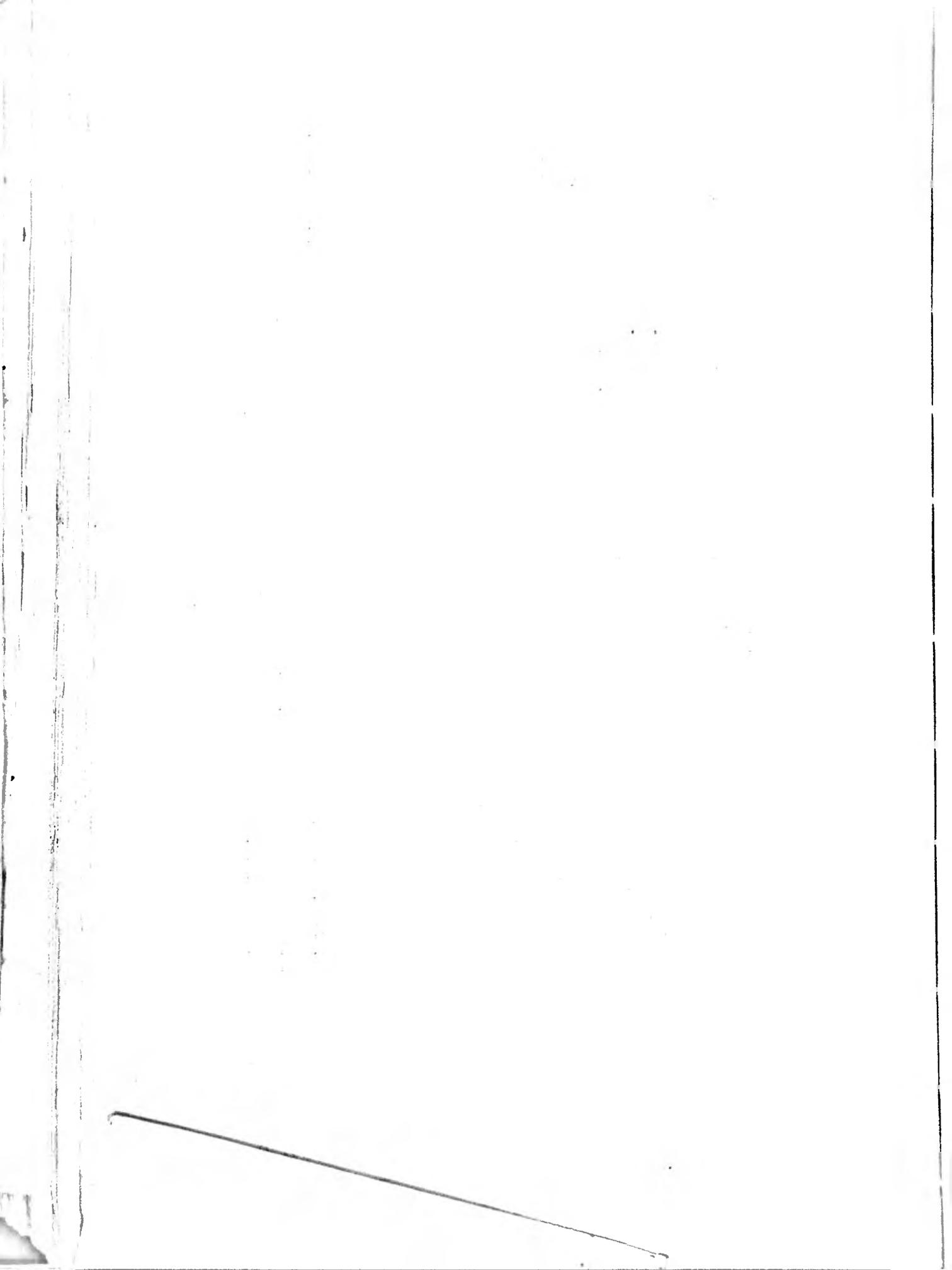
Valuation Department

Binding "Rating & Income Tax"	-. 4. 6.
2 Ink Pots	-. 3. 0.
1 Pen Tray	-. 1. 0.
1 Safe	15. 0. 0.

Finance Department & Stores.

20 Order Check Books	7.17. 6.
25,000 Window envelopes @ 6/9	8. 8. 9.
20,000 do. @ 1/6	1.10. 0.
20,000 do. @ 1/2d	41.13. 4.
6 doz. flat files	2. 5. 0.
5 reams wide-lined paper F'cap	1.12. 6.
10 do. Print ruled paper F'cap	2. 0. 0.
10 do. qto. Single T.- Lithoed heading Finance Dept	4.10. 0.
25 do. F'cap Typewriting paper - Thick)	6.15. 0.
25 do. qto. T. paper, thick)	
25 do. F'cap Thin T. Paper	2. 5. 4.
2 boxes Ivanhoe pen Nibs - fine	-. 9. 0.
6 doz. H.B. Royal Sovereign Pencils	1. 2. 6.
1 Collecting & Deposit Book - Cashier (Gen)	2.19. 0.
1 do. do. Collector (North)	1. 7. 3.
1 do. do. Cashier ((Elec)	1. 5. 0.
1 Electricity Rental (Housing)	1. 4. 0.
1 Summons Register 3 qrs.	1. 7. 6.
12 reams qto. T. Paper Headed Clerk's Dept.	6. 0. 0.
12 doz. Shorthand notebooks	2.10. 0.
2 doz. Rubbers (soft)	-.11. 0.
3 doz. Boxes Rubber Bands (assorted)	2. 5. 0.
2 stamp moisteners	-. 4. 6.
Rubber stamps N.W.11 & Essex Park	-. 4. 0.
10 reams F'cap (single cash)	10. 0. 0.
2 doz. Rubbers (Typewriter)	-. 6. 0.
1 doz. Penholders (assorted)	-. 2. 0.
5,000 9 x 7 envelopes	2.15. 0.
1,000 14 x 10 do.	1. 0. 0.
1 doz. Letter Index Books	1.10. 0.
3 doz. boxes Paper Fasteners	1.16. 0.

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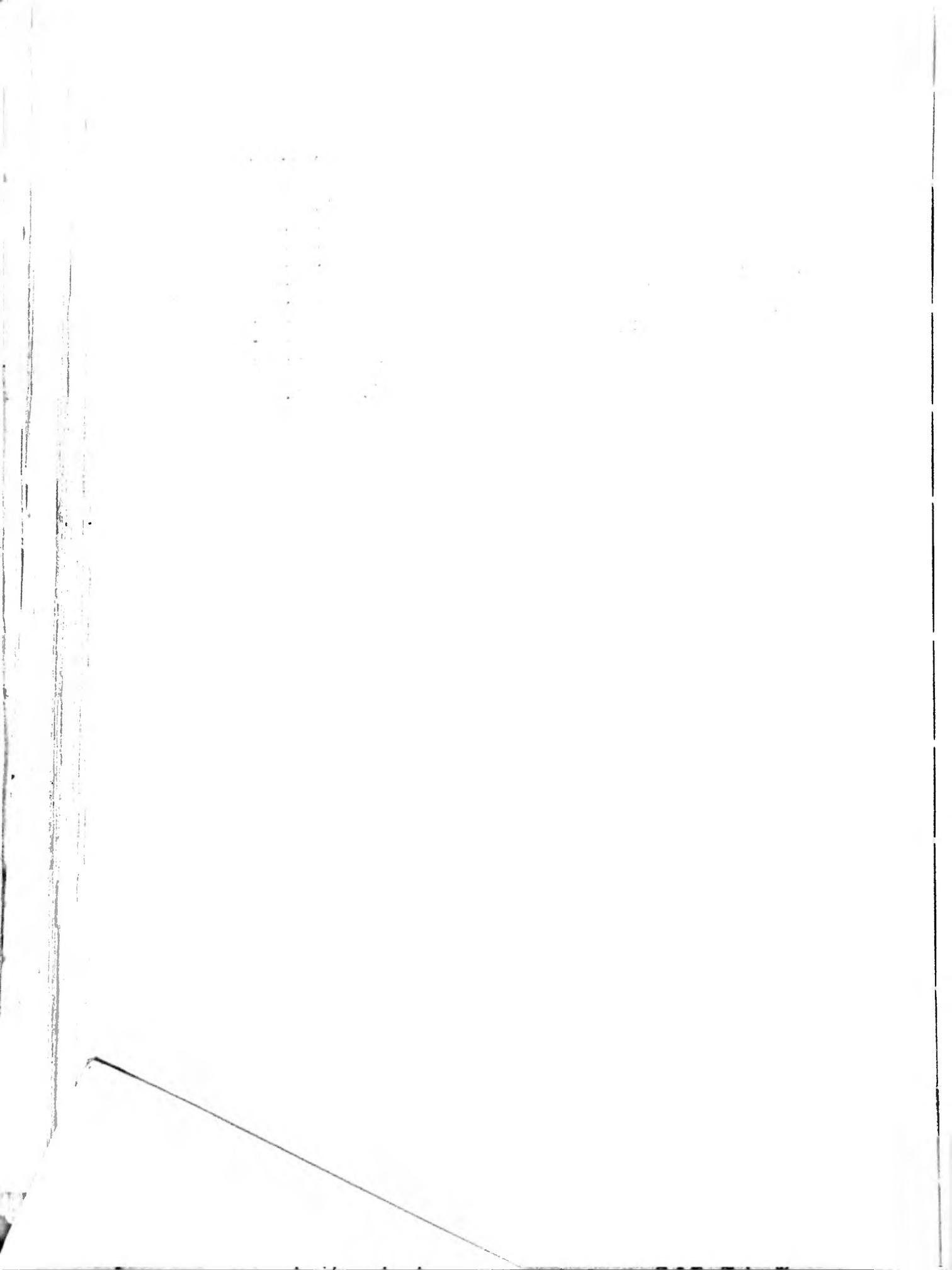


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1 Receipt Book - Cottage Gardens	1. 0. 0.
200 Superannuation Cards	1. 0. 0.
2 boxes relief pen-nibs	- 5. 0.
1/2 doz. Boxes gross drawing pins	- 6. 0.
1 doz. Joca Flat Files	- 8. 0.
5,000 cheque enclosure forms	3. 0. 0.
1,000 do. followers	- 10. 0.
6 boxes assorted pins 1 lb.boxes	- 15. 0.
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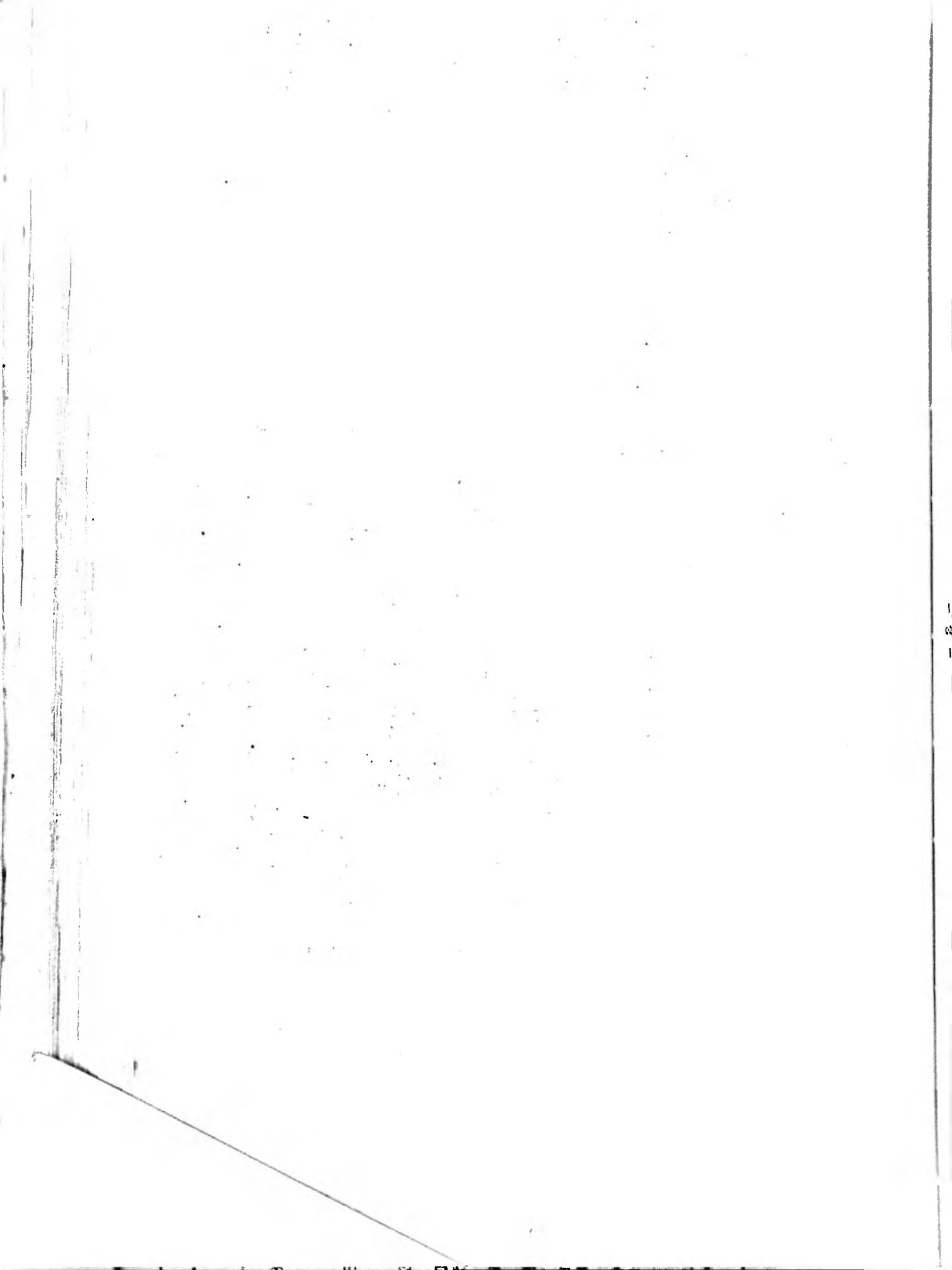


FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 18TH JANUARY, 1928.

WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS			TOTAL					
					1st Scheme.	Assisted Scheme.							
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.				
"O" = expended or on order.													
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209	5	0	404	5	0	1028	8	0	1641	10	
Req. No.	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	297	15	7	553	16	2	500	14	0	1352	5	
975	O Wages and team labour.	40	1	6	19	1	9	46	15	2	105	18	
976	O Stores.	5	14	-	3	3	7	6	13	6	15	11	
977	O 59 pieces wall paper. (28, 31, 37, 39, 40, 42, Queen's Road. (111, 113, Squires Lane.	3	9	9							3	9	
978	O Clean out kitchen boiler, force and test circulating pipes, remake manhole.) 19, Ingleway.							1	2	6	1	2	
979	O Remove old, provide and fix new 20 gal. 1/8" plate hot water tank.) 5, Garthway.							3	10	3	3	10	
980	O Remove ball valve, clear stoppage, connect up and test.) 157, Summers La.							-	8	5	-	8	
981	O Remove old, provide and fix new 20 gal. 1/8" plate hot water tank.) 6, Ingleway.							3	10	3	3	10	
982	C Open ground, repair stop cock and make good. 24, Queen's Rd.	-	15	9							-	15	
983	O Repair burst pipe in outside W.C. 109, Squires La.	-	8	8							-	8	
984	O Do. Do. in roof, remove storage tank, repair pipe behind, test and refix cistern.) 129, Do.	-	17	5								17	
Carried forward.		£	349	2	8	576	9	11	562	5	8	1487	1



		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.	WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			TOTAL
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		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£.	
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Req. No.						
985	C Supply and fit new 50 gal. cold water cistern.) 72, Ingleway.)			2 16 2	2 1	
986	O Repair 2 burst pipes in roof, main) supply and draw off to sink, test) and recover pipes.)					
987	O Repair burst pipe in roof behind) store cistern.)		94, Woodhouse Rd.	- 13 9	- 1	
988	O Repair ball valve on store cistern.		4, Queen's Rd.	- 11 9	- 1	
989	C Repair burst on main service in roof) and recover pipes.)		36, " "	- 5 7	- 5	
990	O Supply and fit new 50 gal. cold water) cistern.)		78, Woodhouse Rd.	- 9 -	- 9	
991	C Repair burst on main service in roof) and recover pipes.)		78, " "	2 16 2	2 16	
992	O Repair burst pipe in W.C. 119)		84, " "	- 9 -	9	
993	O Remove old, provide and fix new 20) gal. 8" plate hot water tank.)		Squires La.	- 8 5	8	
994	O Do. Do.) 4, Crossway.) 35, Ingleway.)			3 10 3	3 10	
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Note. Includes for external painting.		166 - -	247 - -		413 -	

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

13TH JANUARY, 1928.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 18TH JANUARY, 1928.

AVENUE HOUSE.

REQUISITION - 19TH JANUARY TO 15TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

"0" = expended or on order.

		REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	410 19 4
Req. No.			
995	wages - gardeners.	40 0 0	
996 0	Water, (Caretaker's rate) 2 quarters.	1 0 0	
997 0	Repairs to roller.	1 2 2	
		-----	42 2 2

			£ 453 1 6
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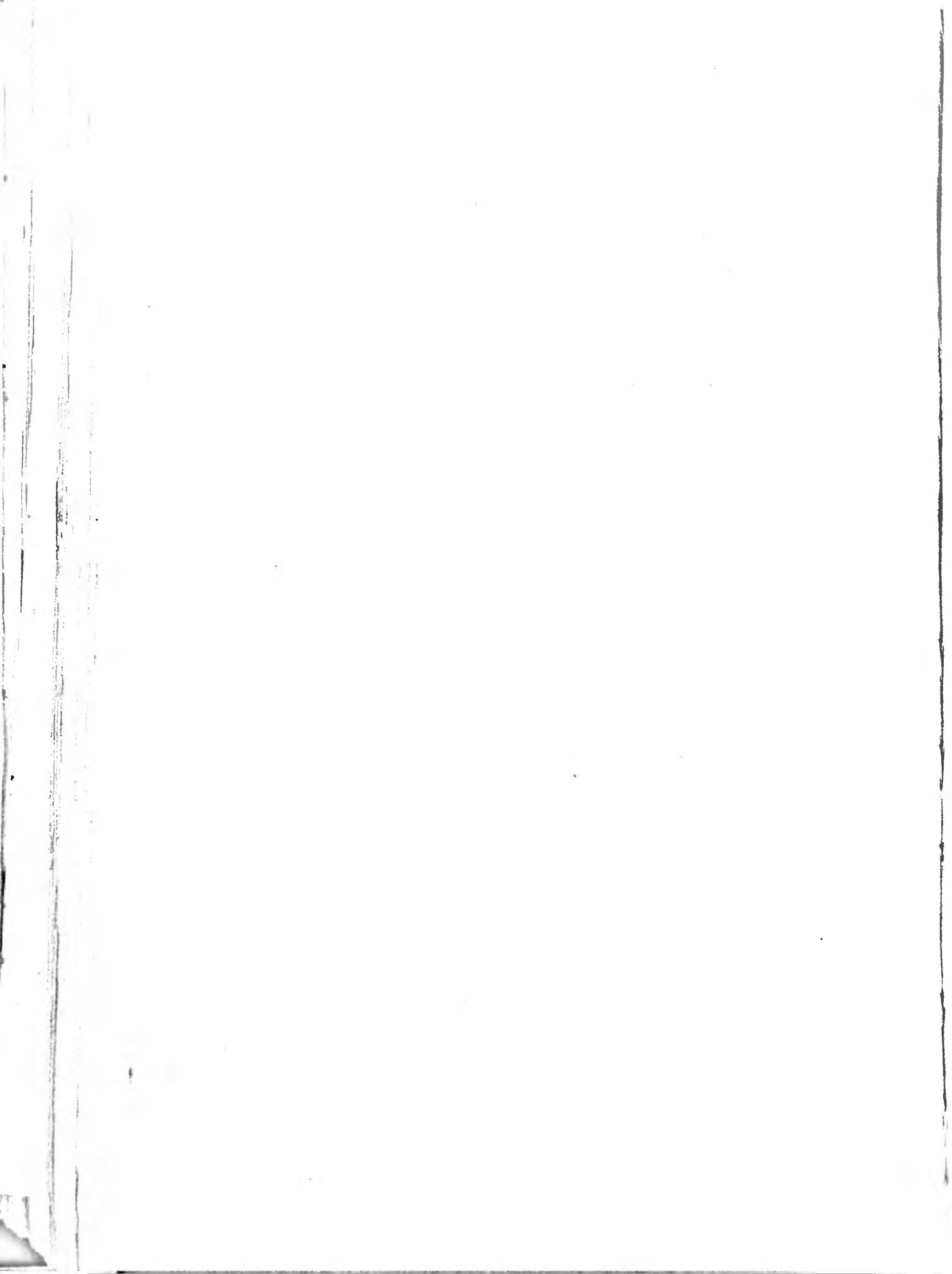
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GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

North, and Finchley West Electoral Divisions would take place on Wednesday, 7th March, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be authorised to use the Council Offices as Offices for purposes of the Election.

1431 FINCHLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.—A communication was submitted from the Secretary of the above, acknowledging receipt of the Council's cheque for £75, and conveying thanks for the continued practical interest taken by the Council in the Hospital.

1432 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—JARMAN.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident since last meeting, and that the matter had been dealt with.

1433 NATIONAL PLAYING FIELDS ASSOCIATION.—A copy of the minutes of a meeting of the London and Greater London Committee of the above Association held on the 15th December last was submitted.

1434 SHOPS (EARLY CLOSING) ACT, 1920.—A communication was submitted from the Home Office, stating that the above Act had been included in the Expiring Laws (Continuance) Act, 1927, which received the Royal Assent on the 22nd December, 1927. It was added that the Act, which would otherwise have lapsed at the end of 1927, had therefore been continued in force as amended by the Shops (Early Closing) Act (1920) Amendment Act, 1921, until the 31st December, 1928.

1435 MIDDLESEX DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.—A print of the minutes of the Annual Meeting of the above Association (circulated) held on the 31st October last was submitted.

Annexed.

1436 AVENUE HOUSE—ATTORNEY GENERAL v. THE COUNCIL AND OTHERS.—A report of the Clerk hereon, dated 14th January, 1928, was submitted, and arising thereout the Clerk intimated that he had been in communication with Mr. Fox, who had agreed to undertake the work therein mentioned without further fee;

RECOMMENDED that the report be referred to the Avenue House Sub-Committee for consideration.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1437 STAFF.—

- (a) Absence through illness.—The names of two members of the Staff who had since last meeting been absent through illness were submitted.
- (b) Valuation Department—Temporary Clerk.—It was reported that, in accordance with the authority given at the last meeting of the Council, Mr. E. Garrett, of Finchley, had been appointed to the above position at a wage of £3 10s. a week, and that he commenced his duties on the 10th January, 1928.

1438 COUNCIL OFFICES—TELEPHONES.—

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be authorised to arrange for the installation of an additional telephone line at above, at a cost of approximately £8 per annum.

1439 OPEN SPACES—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—The Chairman of the Council intimated that he had nothing further to report in regard to this matter at the moment.

1440 LICENSING (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1910.—Notices of Application to the Justices for certain Licences under the above Act were submitted from:—

- (a) H. V. Phillips, of 121, High Road, East Finchley ;
(b) F. Webb, of 9, Cornwall Parade, Ballards Lane ;
(c) F. Pleasants, of the Joiners Arms, Ballards Lane.

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

1441 GLEBE LAND.—

- (a) Reference was made to certain observations of the Ministry of Health in regard to the above land which were before the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee at their last meeting, and to the reply which that Committee were recommending to the Council be forwarded to the Ministry ;

MIDDLESEX DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.

(CONSTITUENT AUTHORITIES—The Borough Councils of Acton, Ealing, Hornsey and Twickenham, the Urban District Councils of Brentford & Chiswick, Edmonton, Enfield, Feltham, Finchley, Friern Barnet, Hampton Wick, Harrow-on-the-Hill, Hayes, Hendon, Kingsbury, Ruislip - Northwood, Southall - Norwood, Southgate, Staines, Sunbury, Teddington, Tottenham, Uxbridge, Wealdstone, Wembley, Willesden, Wood Green and Yiewsley, and the Rural District Councils of Hendon, South Mimms, Staines and Uxbridge).

At the Annual General Meeting of the Association, held at the Middlesex Guildhall, Westminster, S.W.1, on Monday, the 31st October, 1927.

Present :—

Alderman F. C. CLARK (Twickenham), Chairman.	
Councillor H. M. KNIGHT (Uxbridge U.), Vice-Chairman.	
Alderman J. P. HAMILTON	Acton Borough Council.
Councillor J. BRUCE-KINGSMILL	Twickenham „ „
F. FERNHOUGH, Esq. (Clerk)	Brentford & Chiswick U.D.C.
Councillor A. J. HOLLYWOOD	Edmonton „
„ D. GEDDES	Feltham „
„ C. H. BARBER	Friern Barnet „
G. T. FLETCHER, Esq. (Clerk)	„ „
Councillor E. W. BRUCE	Harrow-on-the-Hill „
„ W. SUTCLIFFE	Hayes „
„ F. W. MOSS	Southall-Norwood „
H. E. BURWELL, Esq. (Clerk)	„ „
Councillor H. T. SALMON	Southgate „
„ T. H. VERCOE	Teddington „
R. W. TRAVIL, Esq. (Deputy Clerk)	Uxbridge „
Councillor G. HULLAH	Wealdstone „
„ W. BRYCESON	Willesden „
„ H. ASHBY	Yiewsley „
„ H. W. TILBURY	South Mimms R.D.C. „
„ F. J. LIAS	Staines „

- 1.—**Apology for Absence.** An apology for absence was received from Councillor W. Watkins (Uxbridge R.).
- 2.—**Minutes.** The Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting, held on the 25th October, 1926, were taken as read, confirmed, and signed by the Chairman.
- 3.—**Chairman.** Resolved: That Alderman F. C. Clark (Twickenham) be re-appointed Chairman of the Association until the next Annual General Meeting.
- 4.—**Vice-Chairman.** Resolved: That Councillor H. M. Knight (Uxbridge U.) be re-appointed Vice-Chairman of the Association during the term of office of the Chairman.
- 5.—**Hon. Treasurer.** Resolved: That Mr. E. G. Stray (Town Clerk, Twickenham), be re-appointed Hon. Treasurer of the Association until the next Annual Meeting.
- 6.—**Hon. Auditors.** Resolved: That Mr. E. R. Abbott (Clerk, Ruislip-Northwood), and Mr. E. A. Pratt (Clerk, Willesden), be re-appointed Hon. Auditors of the Association until the next Annual Meeting.
- 7.—**Hon. Solicitor.** Resolved: That Mr. F. Fernihough (Clerk and Solicitor, Brentford and Chiswick), be appointed Hon. Solicitor of the Association until the next Annual Meeting.
- 8.—**Hon. Secretary.** Resolved: That Mr. C. Turner be re-appointed Hon. Secretary of the Association until the next Annual Meeting.
- 9.—**Executive Committee.** The following Reports of the Executive Committee, as embodied in the Minutes of their Meetings held on the 5th and 31st January, 1927, 25th April, 1927, 25th July, 1927, and this day, were submitted, and were taken as read, confirmed and adopted as Minutes of the Association:

Executive Committee Meeting, 5th January, 1927.

Present.—F. C. Clark, Esq. (Twickenham) Chairman, F. Fernihough and E. Willis (Chiswick), J. Brown (Enfield), H. W. A. Carter and D. Geddes (Feltham), G. T. Fletcher and J. M. Ganeson (Friern Barnet), R. J. Belchamber and P. Taylor (Hampton Wick), R. J. Leach and R. S. Davey (Hayes), F. W. Moss, H. E. Burwell and J. B. Thomson (Southall-Norwood), W. S. Cross (Acton), G. J. Barrett (Staines U.), D. M. Sutherland, E. Beeching and H. F. Coates (Sunbury), C. W. W. Burge (Teddington), H. F. Wilkinson (Tottenham), E. G. Stray and F. W. Pearce (Twickenham), H. M. Knight and R. W. Trivil (Uxbridge U.), G. Hullah and H. Walker (Wealdstone), W. H. Lea (Yiewsley), E. B. Crowsdell (Hornsey) and C. Turner (Brentford) Hon. Secretary.

Maining of Classified Roads. The Chairman explained that the Meeting had been convened at the request of the Twickenham Borough Council, to consider the amended terms suggested by the Middlesex County Council on their "maining" of classified roads in the County at present district roads under the control of the local authorities.

The Town Clerk of Twickenham reported that, acting upon the recommendation of this Committee dated 26th October, 1925, his Council had informed the County Council of their willingness to accept the County Council's proffered terms for the "maining" of all classified roads in Middlesex, and to enter into the proposed agreement as to the maintenance of such roads in Twickenham as agents for the County Council.

That the reply of the appropriate Committee of the County Council had been received wherein enquiry was made as to whether the Borough Council would undertake

- (a) Where the frontages were undeveloped, to acquire the land for widening, at their cost under their Town Planning Scheme or other powers;
- (b) Where there were developed frontages, to acquire these under their Town Planning Scheme or other powers, and defray the cost of the site values, and half the cost of acquiring the buildings, the other moiety being met by the County Council;
- (c) The County Council to meet the cost of the road works in each case, and

That the Borough Council were subsequently informed that in former instances no conditions with regard to widenings had been imposed by the County Council when applications for "maining" were acceded to.

It was reported that a similar enquiry to their application had been received by the Sunbury Urban and Staines Rural District Councils.

The position with regard to the "maining" of classified roads at date so far as could be ascertained was reported as follows:—

Local Authorities who have entered into		
Agreement with the County Council	...	9
Do. with respect to certain roads	...	8
Do. entered into negotiations for Agreement	...	3
Do. prepared to negotiate	...	2
Do. decided to take no action	...	2
Do. having no roads affected	...	1
No replies	...	9
		34

Proposed by the Town Clerk (Hornsey) }
 Seconded by Councillor Sutherland (Sunbury) } 1. That the reasons which actuated the Middlesex County Council in July, 1922, with reference to the maining of all classified roads apply with equal force to-day:

2. That it is inequitable that certain of the Middlesex Authorities should be placed in a more favourable position than others, in regard to the maintenance of classified roads:

3. That a deputation be appointed to discuss the matter with a Committee of the County Council.

Carried nem. con.

The deputation was appointed of representatives of the Hornsey and Twickenham Borough Councils, Southgate, Sunbury and Willesden Urban District Councils and Staines Rural District Council, with the Chairman of the Association.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman concluded the meeting.

Executive Committee Meeting, 31st January, 1927.

Present:—Alderman F. C. Clark (Twickenham), Chairman; H. M. Knight, Esq. (Uxbridge U.), Vice-Chairman; Messrs. J. Morgan (Acton), W. Preye (Edmonton), D. Geddes and H. K. A. Carter (Feltham), H. Wood Barter (Finchley), G. T. Fletcher (Friern Barnet), R. J. Leach and R. S. Davey (Hayes), A. E. Hammond (Hendon R.), E. B. Croasdell (Hornsey), E. R. Abbott (Ruislip-Northwood), H. E. Burwell (Southall-Norwood), G. Fullbrook and A. E. Lauder (Southgate), F. J. Lias and D. C. Fidler (Staines R.), D. M. Sutherland and H. F. Coales (Sunbury), E. G. Stray (Twickenham), R. M. Travil (Uxbridge U.), W. Watkins (Uxbridge R.), G. Hullah (Wealdstone), F. Wilkinson (Willesden), H. Ashby (Yiewsley) and C. Turner (Brentford) Hon. Secretary.

An apology for absence from Mrs. Chard (Southall-Norwood), was submitted.

1. **Membership.** The Hon. Secretary reported that since the last meeting, the Feltham Urban District Council had resolved to join the Association, and that the whole of the local authorities in Middlesex with the exception of Heston & Isleworth and Hampton Urban District Councils were now members.

The Chairman extended a hearty welcome to the representative of the Feltham Urban District Council present.

2. **Classification of Roads.** The Chairman reported that a deputation consisting of representatives of the Hornsey and Twickenham Borough Councils, Southgate and Willesden Urban District Councils and Staines Rural District Council, had, that day, met and urged upon the County Council's Classification of Roads Sub-Committee the necessity for the withdrawal of the suggested amendment of the County Council's terms for the "maining" of classified district roads, and that the Sub-Committee had promised to submit the views of the Association to the County Highways Committee.

Proposed by Mr. Lauder (Southgate) }

Secounded by Mr. Croasdell (Hornsey) } That those local authorities which have not yet entered into an agreement with the County Council as to the maintenance of main and classified roads within their respective districts as agents for the County Council, be urged to consider the question of surrendering their existing rights only upon the condition that such local authorities should be allowed to retain the actual work of maintenance without limit of time.

The resolution was put and declared to be lost, four voting in favour and five against.

3. **Extraordinary Traffic on Highways.** The question raised by the Finchley Urban District Council, whether concerted action could be taken with a view to owners of heavy vehicles being compelled to make adequate contribution towards the cost of road repairs, was pressed by that Council's representative.

It was Resolved: That the anticipated legislation, to be introduced by the Minister of Transport, on the subject of the consolidation and amendment of the law with regard to road vehicles, be awaited.

4. **Yiewsley Street Improvements.** The representative of the Yiewsley Urban District Council reported that his Council's application to the Middlesex County Council, with respect to certain street improvements, was still under negotiation.

Resolved: That no action be taken hereon at present.

5. **Lighting of Arterial Roads.** The Hon. Secretary reported that the resolution, on the subject of provision of grants out of Imperial funds towards the lighting of arterial roads, had been communicated to the Ministry of Transport, and that a reply had been received stating that the resolution would receive attention.

6. **Land Fronting Arterial Roads.** Consideration of the subject of the acquisition for development by local authorities of land fronting on arterial roads, submitted by the Tottenham Urban District Council, was, in the absence of that Council's representative, deferred.

7. **Royal Sanitary Institute Congress.** An invitation to appoint delegates to the Royal Sanitary Institute Congress, to be held at Hastings in July next, was considered.

Resolved: That no delegates be appointed by the Association to the Royal Sanitary Institute's Congress, 1927.

8. **Finance.** The following account was passed for payment:

Brentford Printing & Publishing Co., Ltd., printing Minutes and forms	£	s.	d.
	4	10	0

Executive Committee Meeting, 25th April, 1927.

Present:—Alderman F. C. Clark (Twickenham) Chairman; H. M. Knight, Esq., (Uxbridge U.) Vice-Chairman; Messrs. H. Howard Collier (Enfield), D. Geddes (Feltham), C. H. Barber and G. T. Fletcher (Friern Barnet), E. W. Bruce and John Strachan (Harrow), W. Sutcliffe (Hayes), A. E. Hammond (Hendon R.), H. E. Burwell and J. B. Thomson (Southall-Norwood), G. Fullbrook and A. E. Lauder (Southgate), C. H. Knifton (South Minns), F. J. Lias (Staines R.), E. G. Stray (Twickenham), R. M. Travil (Uxbridge U.), Geo. Hullah (Wealdstone), C. Eric. Staddon (Wood Green), H. Ashby (Yiewsley) and C. Turner, Hon. Secretary.

1. The Chairman called attention to the deaths since the last meeting of Mr. E. F. Collins, late Hon. Secretary of the Association and Clerk of the Chiswick Urban District Council, and of Mr. G. H. Salmons, Clerk to the Teddington Urban District Council, and he moved: That appropriate expressions of condolence with them in their irreparable loss be tendered to the members of the families of the late Mr. E. F. Collins and Mr. G. H. Salmons and also to the Teddington Urban District Council with regard to Mr. Salmons.

Carried sub. silentio.

2. **Minutes.** The Minutes of the last Meeting, held on the 31st January, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

3. **Maining of Classified Roads.** A letter dated 10th ulto, from the Middlesex County Council was read, stating that the Classification of Roads Sub-Committee, after duly considering their suggestion that the Local Authorities should make some contribution towards the cost of acquiring property for widening works necessary to meet the exigencies of traffic after the roads had been mained and the representations made by the deputation from this Association thereon, had decided not to insist upon the stipulations but to deal with applications on their merits.

Copies of the letter having been furnished to the constituent authorities, the observations of the Ealing Borough Council, Southall-Norwood and Tottenham Urban District Councils, Twickenham Borough Council and Wood Green Urban District Council thereon, were read and considered.

Resolved: That the constituent authorities be recommended to await the passing into law of the provisions with regard to maining of highways contained in the Road Traffic Bill now before Parliament before opening up, or proceeding further with, negotiations with the Middlesex County Council on the subject of the maining of classified district roads.

4. **Refuse Deposits.** Moved by Councillor Ashby (Yiewsley), Seconded by Councillor Sutcliffe (Hayes): That this Association protests against their area being made a dumping ground for London Refuse, as whilst the various Local Authorities are endeavouring to raise the standard of health of the inhabitants they find their efforts thwarted by the deposits of this filth which form breeding grounds for rats, flies and other vermin, and this Association calls upon the Minister of Health to introduce such legislation as will empower Local Authorities to prevent these deposits within their Districts.

That copies of the Resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Health and the Members of Parliament representing the area covered by the Association.

On being put to the Meeting, four voted in favour of and four against the Motion and the Chairman declared the same not carried.

It was Resolved: That the attention of the Yiewsley Urban District Council be called to the powers contained in Sections 44 and 91-111 of the Public Health Act, 1875, to deal with the matter of refuse deposits.

5. **Poor Law Administration.** The following Memorandum, submitted by the Teddington Urban District Council, was considered:—

The Council gives general assent to the Memorandum of the Urban District Councils' Association with the exception of the third paragraph on page 3.

1. The Council would specially emphasise the following points:—

(a) The proposals of the Ministry do not make for decentralisation, but, rather for centralisation, throwing all local administration on the County and Borough Councils.

(b) The proposals are premature, in view of the Royal Commission on Local Government, which has not yet reported.

(c) Additional administrative work is thrown upon the already overburdened County and Borough Councils, which will cause such work to become bureaucratic, and consequently extravagant, if not inefficient; thereby unnecessarily increasing the rates.

(d) The proposals are a serious blow to Local Government, subjecting the District Councils to the County Council or its officials, which will result in many efficient Councillors refusing to remain in Office.

2. The Council disagree with a considerable part of the third paragraph on page 3 of the Memorandum of the Association suggesting that a scale of outrelief should be fixed by the County Council. Each case of application for Poor Law relief should be dealt with on its merits, according to the circumstances of the case, by persons with local knowledge and experience. This is inconsistent with a hard and fast scale of relief. Such a fixed scale must necessarily be too high in most cases and too low in a few; or it must be too high generally, unless it is generally insufficient. Such a scale would, therefore, be extravagant, and would unnecessarily increase the rates.

3. The Council would further point out that the proposals would be no remedy for the abuse of elections, which takes place in a few instances, by the bribing of electors with promises of a high scale of relief. The proposals would only transfer this abuse from the election of guardians to the municipal elections, and so intensify the evil. This would discourage many efficient Councillors from offering themselves for election, and would throw all local government into hopeless confusion. The only remedy is the action of the Ministry at West Ham, or the temporary disfranchisement (as far as municipal elections are concerned), of persons in receipt of Poor Law relief (other than medical relief) for more than say thirty days during the twelve months prior to the making up of the register of Local Government electors.

The Committee also considered in conjunction therewith the Report of their Sub-Committee appointed to consider the proposals of the Ministry of Health as to Poor Law Reform dated 12th July, 1926, adopted at the Meeting held on the 26th idem.

Resolved: That the Resolution of the Committee, dated 26th July, 1926, recommending that the attitude of and action taken by the Urban District Councils' Association on the subject of Poor Law Reform should be supported by the Members of the Association and that the constituent authorities should carefully watch the steps adopted by the Ministry of Health and any Government legislation introduced to bring the proposals into operation, be confirmed and adhered to.

6. **Highways—Grants.** At the request of the Feltham Urban District Council, the alleged dissimilarity which exists in regard to the distribution of grants particularly as regards roads in the south-west portion of the County as compared with the north-west portion, was considered.

After hearing the observations of Councillor Geddes (Feltham) on the subject, it was **Resolved:** That the Feltham Urban District Council be invited to submit for consideration at the next Meeting the evidence in support of their allegation.

7. **Payments to Councillors for loss of remunerative time.** At the request of the Tottenham Urban District Council, the question of the payment to Councillors for loss of remunerative time whilst engaged on Official business within the limits of their district, was considered.

The Tottenham Urban District Council stated that the matter had arisen as a result of one of the Councillors attending an Inquiry held by the Ministry of Health at the Town Hall, Tottenham, and the Minister's statement that he was not aware of any legal authority for payment in respect of the remunerative time lost by such attendance.

Attention was drawn to the failure to carry at the Conference of Urban District Councils on the 30th June, 1923, the following motion submitted by the Hayes Urban District Council:—

"That the Ministry of Health be requested to initiate legislation to authorise the payment of Members of local authorities for loss of remunerative time when engaged on the business of the authority, other than attendance at ordinary Council and Committee Meetings."

Resolved: That no action be taken by the Association on the subject of the payment to Councillors for loss of remunerative time whilst engaged on Official business within the limits of their district.

8. **Extraordinary Traffic on Highways.** The following Resolutions, adopted by the Tottenham Urban District Council, were considered:—

(a) "That a circular letter be sent to the Borough and Urban District Councils in the County of Middlesex, enquiring whether they would be prepared to appoint representatives to attend a Conference at Tottenham in the near future, with a view of discussing the question of urging the Middlesex County Council to apply to the Ministry of Transport to make an Order under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, prohibiting the use by heavy motor traffic of roads which are unsuitable for heavy traffic."

(b) "That a copy of the foregoing recommendation be sent to the Middlesex District Councils' Association for their consideration."

Resolved: That the Committee are in agreement with the principle outlined in the Resolution of the Tottenham Urban District Council, that the constituent authorities be recommended to appoint representatives to the proposed conference to be held at Tottenham and that the recent action of the Association in the direction indicated by the Resolution be communicated to that Authority.

9. **Urban District Councils' Association.** Particulars of the Annual Conference of Urban District Councils of England and Wales to be held at Folkestone on the 23rd to 25th June next were submitted.

Resolved: That the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Hon. Secretary be appointed delegates of the Association to the Annual Conference of Urban District Councils in June next.

10. **Finance.** **Resolved:** That a cheque for £5 further on account of Petty Cash be drawn in favour of the Hon. Secretary.

11. **Meetings.** **Resolved** to recommend: That the Rules and Regulations of the Association be amended by the substitution of the first Monday in May for the last Monday in April as the date of the Ordinary Quarterly Meeting of this Committee.

Executive Committee Meeting, 25th July, 1927.

Present:—Alderman F. C. Clark (Twickenham), Chairman; H. M. Knight, Esq., (Uxbridge U.), Vice-Chairman; Messrs. H. Howard Collier (Enfield), D. Geddes (Feltham), G. T. Fletcher (Friern Barnet), E. W. Bruce (Harrow), W. Sutcliffe (Hayes), Herbert G. Potter (Hendon U.), F. W. Moss and Herbert E. Burwell (Southall-Norwood), H. W. Tilbury (South Mimms R.), W. Sutcliffe and E. G. Stray (Twickenham), W. Watkins (Uxbridge R.), Geo. Hullah (Wealdstone), H. Ashby (Yiewsley) and C. Turner, Hon. Secretary.

1. **Minutes.** The Minutes of the last Meeting held on the 25th April, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

2. **Obituary.** Letters were read from Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Salmons conveying their thanks for the Committee's Resolutions of condolence on the deaths of their respective husbands.

3. **Highways—Grants.** The Feltham Urban District Council (in response to the invitation to submit for consideration evidence in support of their allegation of dissimilarity in regard to the distribution of grants, particularly as regards roads in the south west as compared with the north-west portion of the County,) submitted a list of 14 roads in north and north-west Middlesex which had been widened, strengthened and improved at the expense of the County Council to enable their tramway system to be worked.

Proposed by Councillor Geddes (Feltham)
 Seconded by the Vice-Chairman } That the Feltham Urban District Council's request for consideration of the alleged unequal distribution by the County Council of highway grants in Middlesex be referred back to the Urban District Council with the suggestion that their complaint should in the first instance be communicated to the County Council, supported, if possible, by the representative of Feltham on the County Council.

Carried unanimously.

4. Extraordinary Traffic on Highways. A note of the proceedings at the Conference of representatives of Middlesex Local Authorities convened by the Tottenham Urban District Council and held on the 1st inst., on the subject of Heavy Traffic on Residential Roads was submitted and the following Resolutions passed thereat were considered:—

1. "That in the opinion of this Conference the Local Authorities concerned should take steps with a view to obtaining (a) such revision of Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, or of Clause 44 of the Draft Road Traffic Bill, as will secure greater powers in regard to the restriction of roads which are unsuitable for heavy traffic; (b) a greater measure of financial assistance from State Funds for the formation and upkeep of roads used by heavy traffic; (c) a wider classification to enable District roads subject to heavy traffic to be placed in, say, a Class 3 category; (d) the amendment of the Draft Road Traffic Bill so as to secure therein the imposition of stricter speed limits on heavy vehicles with solid tyres."

2. "That an adjourned Meeting of the Conference be held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on Friday, the 9th September, 1927, at 3 p.m., to consider the action (if any) taken by the various representative Local Authorities upon the foregoing Resolution."

Resolved: That the Resolutions passed at the Conference of Middlesex Local Authorities be accepted and that the constituent authorities be requested carefully to consider the recommendations contained therein and accord their support thereto, particularly with regard to the revision of the terms of Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920 or Clause 44 of the Draft Road Traffic Bill.

5. Maintenance of Roads over Railway Bridges. The Twickenham Borough Council submitted for consideration the action of the County Council in applying to several local authorities for credit to be given in the Main and Subsidized Road Account for 1926-7, of payments received in the past from Railway Companies for maintenance of roads over railway bridges on Main and Subsidized Roads.

Resolved: That the constituent authorities be invited to submit particulars of any demand from the County Council similar to that received by the Twickenham Borough Council with the view to arriving, if possible, at a uniform basis for settlement.

6. Urban District Councils' Association Conference, 1927. A report signed by the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Hon. Secretary, the delegates appointed to attend the Conference of Urban District Councils in June last (copies of which had been circulated), was read and directed to be received.

Resolved: That prints of the Minutes of the Conference of Urban District Councils, 1927, be obtained and supplied to the Town Clerks of Acton, Ealing, Hornsey and Twickenham.

7. Postal Facilities. The Twickenham Borough Council submitted for consideration the subject of the inadequacy of postal facilities in the Borough with the view to eliciting the support of the Association for improvement of the postal services generally.

After hearing the views of Councillor Sutcliffe (Twickenham), it was **Resolved:** That the constituent authorities be asked for consideration at the next Meeting any inefficiencies in the postal services apparent in their respective districts.

8. Finances. The following accounts were passed for payment:—

	£	s.	d.
Urban District Councils' Association, Copies of Conference Minutes	1	8	6
Clark, F. C., Delegate's expenses at U.D.C.A. Conference ...	6	10	0
Knight, H. M., ditto	6	10	0
Turner, C., ditto	6	10	0

Executive Committee Meeting, 31st October, 1927.

Present:—Alderman F. C. Clark (Twickenham), Chairman; H. M. Knight, Esq. (Uxbridge U.), Vice-Chairman; Messrs. James P. Hamilton (Acton), F. Fernihough (Brentford & Chiswick), D. Geddes (Feltham), C. H. Barber and G. T. Fletcher (Friern Barnet), W. Sutcliffe (Hayes), H. T. Salmon (Southgate), F. W. Moss and Herbert E. Burwell (Southall-Norwood), H. W. Tilbury (South Mimms R.), F. J. Lias (Staines R.), R. W. Trivil (Uxbridge), Geo. Hallah (Wealdstone), W. Bryceson (Willesden), H. Ashby (Yiewsley), and C. Turner, Hon. Secretary.

An apology for absence was read from Mr. W. Watkins (Uxbridge R.).

1. **Minutes.** The Minutes of the last Meeting, held on the 25th July, 1927, were taken as read, confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

2. **Maining of Classified Roads.** Correspondence between the Sunbury Urban District Council and the Middlesex County Council, on the subject of the District Council's application for the maining of the classified roads in their area, was submitted, from which it appeared that the County Council were prepared upon the inclusion in the District Council's Town Planning Scheme of the prescriptive frontage lines along the roads in question to bear the cost of the future widenings.

The Executive Committee considered the County Council's amended terms satisfactory and as indicating the successful result of their negotiations with the County Council on the subject.

3. **Heavy Traffic on Residential Roads.** A note of the proceedings at the further Conference of representatives of Middlesex Local Authorities, convened by the Tottenham Urban District Council, and held on the 12th inst., on the subject of Heavy Traffic on Residential Roads, was submitted, and the following Resolutions passed thereat were considered:—

1. That this Conference re-affirm the Resolution passed at the July Conference and as contained in the Notice convening the Meeting above referred to.

2. That no action be taken upon the decision of the Wood Green District Council to support the Resolution passed by the Federation of Ratepayers and Kindred Associations of Middlesex.

3. That the following recommendations of the Twickenham Borough Council be approved and adopted, viz:—

(i) "That, unless the consent of the Borough or Urban District Council concerned is obtained, the driving of heavy motor vehicles should not be allowed over any unclassified road, in any case where a suitable alternative route can be provided over a classified road."

(ii) "That a right of appeal to the Ministry of Transport should be given against any refusal of a local authority to sanction the driving of heavy motor vehicles over any unclassified road."

(iii) "That, if any appeal is upheld by the Minister of Transport, the road should automatically be classified in grades 1 or 2, or be suitably subsidised during the period for which its use by heavy motor vehicles is allowed, so that local authorities concerned may be suitably recompensed for any damage thereby occasioned."

(iv) "That property owners affected shall be entitled to be heard in connection with any appeal against the refusal of a local authority to sanction the driving of heavy motor vehicles over any unclassified road."

(v) "That, in the event of the closure of a classified road at the instance of, or on behalf of, any body or persons in the exercise of their statutory powers, and the user of an unclassified road as an alternative route, any expenditure reasonably necessary to restore such unclassified road, at the end of the period of user, to the same condition as it was prior to such user, shall be contributed to the Authority in whose area such unclassified road is situated, by the body or persons at whose instance or on whose behalf such classified road was closed."

(vi) "That, in the event of the closure of a classified road at the instance of the local authority for the district in which the road is situated, and user of an unclassified road as an alternative route, the Ministry of Transport shall contribute to the expenditure reasonably necessary to restore such unclassified road at the end of the period of user, to the same condition as it was prior to such user, in such percentage proportion as they contribute towards the maintenance of the classified road so closed."

4. That copies of the above Resolutions be forwarded to the Ministry of Transport, the Association of Municipal Corporations, the Urban District Councils' Association, the Rural District Councils' Association, the Middlesex District Councils' Association, and the Federation of Ratepayers and Kindred Associations of Middlesex.

5. That the Ministry of Transport be requested to receive a Deputation of members comprising this Conference, and for this purpose, that one representative be appointed by each of the following Authorities, namely:—

Ealing	Borough Council.		
Hornsey	"	"	
Twickenham	"	"	
Finchley			Urban District Council.
Hampton	"	"	"
Hayes	"	"	"
Heston and Isleworth	"	"	"
Southall	"	"	"
Tottenham	"	"	"
Willesden	"	"	"
Wood Green	"	"	"

6. That copies of the above Resolutions be sent to all local authorities in Middlesex with a request for their support thereto, and to inform the Ministry of Transport and the various Local Government Associations thereof.

Replies from the constituent authorities on the subject were submitted as follows:—

Twickenham. Resolutions passed and submitted to Conference on 12th inst.

Further Resolutions passed, re Road Traffic Bill, 1927, viz. :—

(1) That representations be made to the Ministry of Transport with a view to securing an amendment of existing legislation, or the alteration of any proposed legislation, in order to obtain for local authorities greater powers for prohibition of heavy traffic along roads which are unsuitable either in character or construction therefor.

(2) That the Middlesex District Councils' Association be asked to support the Corporation's representations.

Finchley. Resolved to take up matter with Urban District Councils' Association with view to amendments in Road Traffic Bill.

Hampton Wick. Support recommendations in Resolutions passed at Conference on 1st July.

Wembley. Resolved to support Resolutions of Federation of Ratepayers and Kindred Associations of Middlesex thereon.

Uxbridge R. Support Resolutions of 1st July Conference.

Resolved: That the Resolutions passed at the Conference of Middlesex Local Authorities on the 12th inst. be accepted and that the Chairman, Alderman Hamilton (Acton) and the Hon. Secretary be appointed to represent this Association on the proposed Deputation to the Ministry of Transport.

That the attention of the Tottenham Urban District Council be directed to the desirability of inclusion of the words "or Rural" after the word "Urban" in Paragraph 3 (1) of the Resolution and

That the Resolution passed by the Twickenham Borough Council on the subject of the Road Traffic Bill be supported.

4. **Maintenance of Roads over Railway Bridges.** Replies of certain of the constituent authorities to requests for particulars of any demand from the County Council for credit to be given in the Main and Subsidized Road Accounts of payments received in the past from Railway Companies for maintenance of roads over railway bridges on Main and Subsidized Roads were submitted as follows:—

Hampton Wick. Have no such bridges in District.

Wembley. Credit given to County Council for contributions.

Uxbridge R. No observations to offer.

Finchley. Credit given to County Council for receipts from Railway Company re bridges in subsidized roads. No bridges in main roads maintained by District Council.

Willesden. Credit given to County Council in Main and Subsidized Roads Accounts for payments received from Railway Companies for maintenance of roads over railway bridges.

Southall-Norwood. Ditto.

Resolved: That the Twickenham Borough Council be informed of the replies received and their observations thereon invited.

5. **Postal Facilities.** The constituent authorities' replies to the request for submission of particulars of any inefficiencies in the postal services apparent in their respective districts were submitted as under:—

Hampton Wick. Satisfactory in that District.

Wembley. As the result of Council's efforts, considerable improvements made and although room for further improvement it was hardly to be expected in rapidly growing District that facilities would always be up-to-date.

Uxbridge R. No observations to offer.

Hayes. Have no complaints as to inefficiency.

Feltham. Decided to make representations with view to first delivery being completed by 8.30 a.m.

Finchley. No action.

Willesden. Do not at present wish to draw attention to any alleged inefficiencies.

The Eastern Enfield Tradesmen's Association forwarded a copy of a letter addressed to the Post-Master General with reference to alleged inadequate postal services in Eastern Enfield.

Resolved: That, having regard to the replies received, no further action at present be taken on the suggestion of the Twickenham Borough Council that application be made for improvement of the postal services generally and

That the Eastern Enfield Tradesmen's Association be informed that, in the absence of any communication from the local authority for their District, the Executive Committee are not in a position to take any action with reference to the alleged inadequate postal services in Eastern Enfield.

6. **Hon. Secretary.** The Chairman read a letter received from Mr. C. Turner, stating that the termination of his appointment as Clerk of the Brentford Urban District Council consequent upon the amalgamation of that District with Chiswick, compelled him to tender his resignation as Hon. Secretary of the Association as from this date.

Mr. Turner having been persuaded to withdraw his resignation for another twelve months it was **Resolved** to recommend to the Annual Meeting:

That notwithstanding the retirement of Mr. Turner from the Local Government service, he be re-appointed Hon. Secretary for the ensuing year.

7. **Members.** Read letter (12th inst.) from the Town Clerk, Ealing, forwarding copy Resolution of his Council to discontinue their membership of the Association.

Resolved: That the Ealing Borough Council be asked to submit their reasons for withdrawal from membership of the Association, and invited to reconsider their decision.

8. **Title of Association.** **Resolved:** That the Committee consider at their next Meeting the question of the alteration of the title of the Association to that of the "Middlesex Borough & District Councils' Association."

9. **Finances.** The following accounts were passed for payment:—

	£	s.	d.
Gestetner, D., Ltd., Stationery	1	0	0
Turner, C., Hon. Secretary's Petty Cash	5	0	0

10.—**Finance.** The following audited statement of the Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st March, 1927, was submitted by the Hon. Treasurer:—

Petty Cash
 Order Accounts
 always bridged
 as received and
 for submission
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 being completed
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 for the year

Statement of Income and Expenditure

From 1st April, 1926, to 31st March, 1927.

	RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		EXPENDITURE.	£ s. d.
Balance brought forward—					Turner, O.—Petty Cash	5 0 0
Current Account	...	38 7 9			Walker & Co.—Printing	16 0
Deposit Account	...	2 4 5			Clark, F. C.—Expenses to Conference of Urban District Councils' Association	2 1 6
			40 12 2		Guildhall Servants' Fund—Subscription	1 10 0
Interest on Investments—					Elkington, F. Honorarium	15 0 0
£100 4% Victory Bonds less Tax at 4/-	...	3 4 0			Brentford Printing & Publishing Co.—Printing	4 10 0
£50 5% War Stock 1929-47	...	2 10 0			Barclays Bank—Registration of Stock	2 6
			5 14 0		Jones, W. H.—Preparation of Accounts, etc.	1 1 0
Interest on Deposit	...		1 2		Balance—	
SUBSCRIPTIONS—					Current Account	58 2 9
Year ended 31st March, 1925—					Deposit Account	2 5 7
Staines Urban	...	1 1 0				60 8 4
Year ended 31st March, 1926—						
Chiswick	...	3 3 0				
Finchley	...	1 1 0				
Year ended 31st March, 1927—						
Hornsey	...	3 3 0				
Enlimg, Brentford, Southall - Norwood, Willesden, Twickenham and Harrow (6 at £2 2s. Od.)	...	12 12 0				
Wembley, Southgate, Enfield and Acton (4 at £1 11s. 6d.)	...	6 6 0				
Friern Barnet, South Mimms, Sunbury, Hampton Wick, Hendon, Teddington, Wealdstone, Staines Rural, Hayes, Edmonton, Uxbridge, Feltham, Kingsbury, Ruislip - Northwood, Tottenham and Wood Green (16 at £1 1s. Od.)	...	16 16 0				
			44 2 0			
			£90 9 4			£90 9 4

BALANCE SHEET.

	LIABILITIES.	£ s. d.		ASSETS.	£ s. d.
Capital, 31st March, 1927	...	215 13 4		Investment at Cost—	
				5% War Stock, 1929-47	50 0 0
				4% Victory Bond	100 0 0
				Unpaid Subscriptions—	
				Chiswick (£3 3s. Od.), Staines Urban (£2 2s. Od.)	5 5 0
				Treasurer—	
				Current Account	58 2 9
				Deposit Account	2 5 7
			£215 13 4		60 8 4
					£215 13 4

EDWIN G. STRAY, *Hon. Treasurer.*
April, 1927

We hereby certify that we have examined the above with the books and vouchers relating thereto and have found the same correct,
May, 1927.

EDMUND R. ABBOTT, } *Auditors.*
E. A. PRATT, }

Resolved: That the Financial Statement now submitted be received and adopted.

Resolved: That the following amounts be paid:

			£	s.	d.
Middlesex Guildhall Servants' Fund—Donation	...	...	1	10	0
Ashley, D. A.—Hon. Secretary's Assistant's Honorarium	...	...	12	10	0
Tyler, W. F. ditto	...	...	2	10	0

A vote of thanks was accorded to the Chairman for his services in that capacity during the past year.

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GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

RECOMMENDED that the suggested reply above referred to be not approved, but that the following be substituted therefor, "the Council object to any portion of the land fronting the Great North Road, coloured brown on Plan No. 6302 approved by the Council on the 24th October, 1927, being shown as building land."

(b) It was reported that the expenditure of the Allotments Committee consequent on the re-allocation of the Glebe Land amounted to £1,821 5s. 0d., and that the Allotments Committee had asked that this Committee would now consider the question of the allocation thereof;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the expenditure in question be allocated to the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee; and
- (b) that the question of raising a loan for the amount be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

1442 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—ACCIDENTS.—

(a) W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

(b) J. Culver.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 1252 (b) be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

1443 TENDERS—ROADS AND SEWERS—HOUSING SCHEME No. 4.—The tenders received in respect of the above, which were opened at the last meeting of the Council, were considered;

RECOMMENDED that the tender of Mr. C. Ball (the lowest) at the sum of £2,693 11s. 11d. be accepted, with the exception of the item therein with regard to filling, which work be carried out by the Surveyor.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1444 FREDERICK'S PLACE DEPÔT.—The Surveyor reported upon an offer which he had received from Mr. G. H. Taylor for a lease of the above;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the whole of the site be leased to Mr. Taylor for use as a Builder's Yard for a period of seven years at an annual rental of £78, subject to the Electricity Committee not requiring for the time being the portion of the site allocated to them;
- (b) that an option to purchase the land, as desired by the proposed lessee, be not granted by the Council.

1445 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

18th January, 1928.

Present: Councillors Bowen, Ryan, H. O. Syrett and Mr. R. A. Marples and Major Marx.

1446 CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED that, in the absence of the Chairman, Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

1447 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1448 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1449 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

1450 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 500 tons as compared with 650 tons at last meeting; further, that there was also a stock of about 270 tons of Bohemian Brown Coal in hand; *See below*

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer, be approved:—

100 tons Harworth Washed Small.

250 tons Harworth Washed Small.

100 tons Rossington Washed Slack.

1451 BOILERS.—It was reported that the Insurance Company had inspected No. 4 Boiler and Superheater internally and externally with hammer test; also under hydraulic test; that they had reported that several of the drums were externally smooth wasted to a slight depth and internally moderately pitted and corroded; further, that they had also reported certain other minor matters which had since received attention, and had stated that the boiler was satisfactory for service.

The following is an extract from the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer referred to in paragraph 1450 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 18th January 1928 -

100 Tons	Harworth Washed Small	@ 21/6d. per ton.
250	" Harworth Washed Small	@ 22/9d. " "
100	" Rossington Washed Slack	@ 22/3d. " "

H. Syrett
Chairman.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1452 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report :—

Applications for Supply	8372 =	396200 lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8344 =	391978 " " "
Increase	28 =	4222 " " "
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Lamps connected		338291 lamps of 33 watts
Public Lamps (1,459)	4650	" " "
High c.p. Lamps (46)	805	" " "
Total	343746	" " "
Last meeting	339691	" " "
Increase	4055	" " "
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Applications in hand but not yet connected	*26 =	1302 lamps of 33 watts

* *The figure of 26 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.*

1453 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (1) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had since last meeting been laid in Ridgeway;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the laying of a main in Nethercourt Avenue (Forester's Estate) at an estimated cost of £280.

- (2) Sub-Station Extensions, 1926/27.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported as follows :—

- (a) Cherry Tree Wood.—That this Sub-station was in experimental commercial use, but that several minor matters still required attention at convenient times;
- (b) Percy Road.—That this Sub-station was now in experimental operation.

Electrical Engineer's Office,
Finchley, N.3.
11th January 1928..

REQUISITIONS.

REVENUE.

Emergency requisition.....	200.	0.	0.
Fault detector.....	28.	5.	0.
12 extension pieces for lamp columns.....	9.	0.	0.
12 lbs. fuse wire.....	2.	10.	9.
10,000 lead seals.....	1.	14.	2.
3 driving ropes.....	1.	11.	10.
28 lbs. insulating tape.....	6.	14.	0.
2, 3 way network boxes.....	55.	5.	0.
2,000 metal filament lamps.....	200.	0.	0.
200 yards 3/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	2.	8.	6.
200 yards 7/.036 V.I.R.wire.....	3.	19.	0.
100 pairs house cut-outs.....	81.	5.	0.
10 cwt. box compound.....	32.	13.	4.
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	8.	1.	0.
1,000 tons coal.....	1200.	0.	0.
Carting 1,000 tons coal.....	112.	10.	0.
Meters.....	300.	0.	0.
Telephone rentals and call fees.....	15.	0.	0.
2 fools-cap copy letter books.			
5 tons coke..			
1 gross yards 14/36s cab tyre flexible.			
1 gross yards single flexible.			
6 dozen 3 ampere damper fuses.			
3 dozen 15 ampere damper fuses.			

At an estimated cost of..... 18.17. 7. £2277.15. 2.

CAPITAL..

Service boxes.....	200.	0.	0.
T. and Joint boxes.....	100.	0.	0.
			<u>£300. 0. 0.</u>



This is the list of requisitions referred to
in paragraph 1448 of the Electricity Committee's
Report of the 18th January 1928.

Haswell
Chairman.

ELECTRICITY (continued).

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Electrical Engineer's Office,
Finchley, N.3.
11th January 1928..

REQUISITIONS.

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3 driving ropes.....	1.	11.	10.	
28 lbs. insulating tape.....	6.	14.	0.	
2, 3 way network boxes.....	55.	5.	0.	
2,000 metal filament lamps.....	200.	0.	0.	
200 yards 3/.036 V.I.R. wire.....	2.	8.	6.	
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100 pairs house cut-outs.....	81.	5.	0.	
10 cwt. box compound.....	32.	13.	4.	
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	6.	1.	0.	
1,000 tons coal.....	1200.	0.	0.	
Carting 1,000 tons coal.....	112.	10.	0.	
Meters.....	300.	0.	0.	
Telephone rentals and call fees.....	15.	0.	0.	
2 fools-cap copy letter books.				
5 tons coke.				
1 gross yards 14/36s cab tyre flexible.				
1 gross yards single flexible.				
6 dozen 3 ampere damper fuses.				
3 dozen 15 ampere damper fuses.				
At an estimated cost of.....	18.	17.	7.	£2277.15. 2.

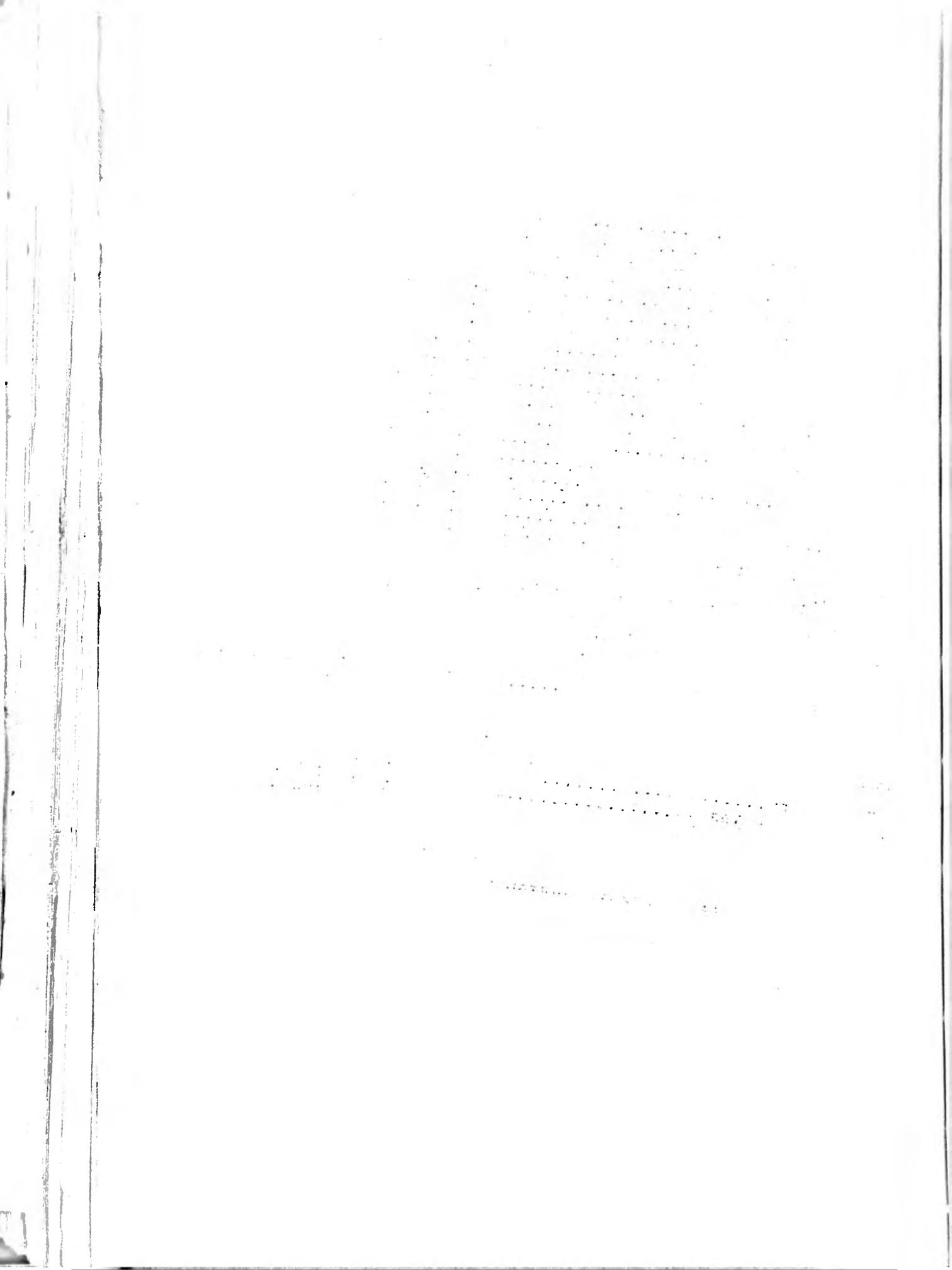
CAPITAL.

Service boxes.....	200.	0.	0.	
T. and Joint boxes.....	100.	0.	0.	£300. 0. 0.

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Report of the 18th January 1928.

Asquith
Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1454 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACTS, 1882/1926.—Print of the seventh Annual Report of the Electricity Commissioners was submitted.

1455 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY (CONSOLIDATION) BILL.—Reference was made by the Clerk to a communication received by him from Messrs. Stanley & Co. (the Solicitors for the above Bill) and also to a conversation which he had had with them on the telephone;

RECOMMENDED that the communication in question be left to the Clerk to deal with.

1456 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—J. WOODS.—It was reported that the above employee had since last meeting met with an accident, and that the matter had been dealt with.

1457 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instruction given to the Chief Electrical Engineer, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman, *pro tem.*

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

19th January, 1928.

Present : Councillors H. O. Syrett, Sommerfield and Wells.

1458 CHAIRMAN.—In the absence of the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman, it was

RESOLVED that Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

1459 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1460 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

1461 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£1,660.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £1,660, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £1,660.*Annexed*

FINANCE (*continued*).

- (b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting, the Council would have approved advances of a total sum of £342,025.
- (c) Advance No. 252—52, Summerlee Avenue.—It was reported that the above premises had not yet been disposed of, in spite of the fact that the reserve price had been lowered; that under Section 5 of the Act of 1899, where the Council took possession of a house, they might either retain it under their own management or sell or otherwise dispose of it as they thought expedient.

Instructions were given for the house to be advertised for sale in the newspaper named at the meeting; for the Auctioneer to be informed of the action taken, and for a further report on the matter to be submitted at the next meeting of the Committee;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (d) Advance No. 105—3, Mayfield Avenue.—The Clerk submitted a letter from Messrs. Chambers & Garnett stating that the Second Charge on the above premises executed by the Mortgagor in favour of Mr. F. W. Walker had been paid off.
- (e) Advance No. 44—55, Brent Way.—The Accountant reported that the balance in respect of the above Mortgage had been repaid, together with all interest charges.

1462 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—18th BATCH—PROPOSED LOAN—£15,103.—The Clerk submitted a letter from the Ministry of Health stating that arrangements were being made for a Local Inquiry to be held in the above matter; that the Inquiry would take place as soon as practicable, and that due notice thereof would be given to the Council.

1463 STREET IMPROVEMENTS.—The Clerk reported receipt from the Ministry of Health of sanctions to the borrowing by the Council of the under-mentioned sums for the purposes stated, viz. :—

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

JANUARY, 1928.

No.	Name.	Locality	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	years.	£.	£.	
498.	Dyson, B.	18, Wentworth Avenue.	F	930	20	1,190	1,165	80
499.	Marlow, F. H.	18, St. Margaret's Avenue.	F	730	20	925	910	80.2
				£ 1,660				

This is the list referred to in paragraph 1461(a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 19th January 1928.

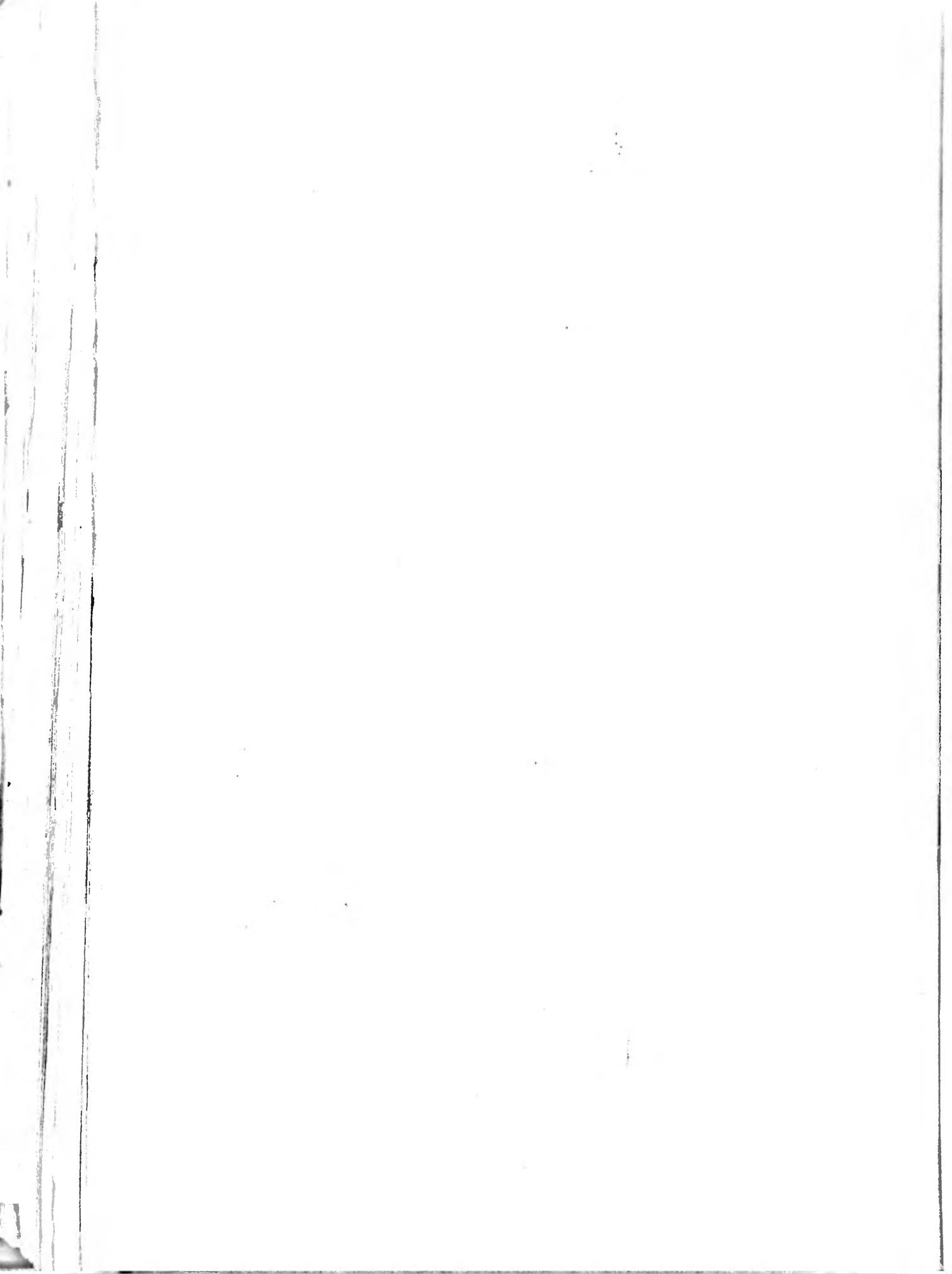
W. S. Hill
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C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.

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FINANCE (*continued*).

Improvement, Green Lane by Manor Cottage	£433 10s. 0d.
New Footpath, Nether Street £594 10s. 0d.
Piping Watercourse, Avondale and Clifford Roads	... .. £2418 0s. 0d.

1464 LOW LEVEL SEWER—CYPRUS GARDENS.—The Committee considered the reference from the Council hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised to the proposal on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,209, made up as follows :—

Estimated cost of work	£1,200
Loan charges	9
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		£1,209
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1465 REFUSE DESTROYER—BALING PRESS.—The recommendations of the Public Health Committee hereon were reported and considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds;
- (2) that the Public Health Committee be asked to include the expenditure involved in their estimates for the ensuing financial year.

1466 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—

- (i) The Committee received and noted the reference from the Allotments Committee hereon.
- (ii) The reference from the General Purposes Committee was considered;

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that resolution No. (2) in Minute No. 1110, as follows:—" that the expenditure involved be defrayed out of revenue " be rescinded;
- (2) that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Minister of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,835, made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Compensation to allotment holders ...	881	5	0
Fencing	140	0	0
Main roads	200	0	0
Filling holes with mould and materials	600	0	0
	£1821 5 0		
Loan charges	13	15	0
	£1835 0 0		

- (b) Lonsdale Meadows.—The reference from the Allotments Committee was reported;

RECOMMENDED that the additional expenditure incidental to the purchase of the above land be defrayed out of revenue.

1467 COTTAGES—CENTRAL DEPÔT.—It was reported that the actual cost of erecting the two cottages at the Central Depôt was £1,356 3s. 9d., as compared with the estimated cost and loan sanction of £1,250;

RECOMMENDED that such excess expenditure be passed and be defrayed out of revenue.

1468 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The Auditor's Report hereon was submitted and referred by the Committee to the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee for consideration and report.

FINANCE (continued).

1469 PROPOSED LOAN—ELECTRIC LIGHTING—£16,574.—Referring to paragraph 1288 (b) of the Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter dated the 14th January, 1928, which he had received from the Public Works Loan Board stating that the rates of interest at which the Board were at present empowered, pursuant to the Public Works Loans Act, 1897, to grant loans on security of local rates, were: 5 per cent. per annum if repayable in not exceeding 30 years, and 5½ per cent. per annum if repayable in not exceeding 50 years;

RECOMMENDED that the whole of the said sum of £16,574 (including that of £500 sanctioned for a repayment period of 60 years) be taken up from the Public Works Loan Board for a period of 30 years.

1470 LOCAL GOVERNMENT & OTHER OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1922.—Referring to paragraph 1286 of the Committee's last report, the Chairman of the Council reported that, as authorised, he had purchased on behalf of the Council the sum of £983 5s. 4d. 5 per cent. War Loan Stock, 1929-1947, for the credit of the Superannuation Fund Investment Account.

1471 FIRE INSURANCES.—

(1) Refuse Destructor—Boiler and Steam and Feed Pipes.—

RECOMMENDED that the quotation of the National Boiler and General Insurance Company, Ltd., contained in their letter addressed to the Surveyor of the Council and dated the 29th December, 1927, be accepted.

(2) No. 9, The Hawthorns.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that in consideration of the Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., allowing a discount of 33½ per cent. on the premiums under the policy covering the above premises, the Council continue the insurance for a period of five years as from the 29th September, 1927;
- (2) that such policy be extended so as to cover the additional office recently erected for the sum of £300.

FINANCE (*continued*).

1472 UNEMPLOYMENT.—Particulars of the above were submitted as follows :—

	9th Jan., 1928.	5th Dec., 1927.	11th Jan., 1927.
Men	379	250	219
Women	29	29	27

1473 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. S. Voice (13, Montpelier Rd., N. 2)—
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 7s. 11d.
Poor Rate	...	£2 5s. 9d.

Mr. S. A. Foulds (43, Elm Park Rd., N. 3)—
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 1s. 2d.
Poor Rate	...	£1 15s. 0d.

The Rev. H. V. Larcombe (39, Fortis Green, N. 2)—
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 11s. 2d.
Poor Rate	...	£2 11s. 2d.

Mrs. E. Alexander (30, Torrington Park, N. 12)—
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	11s. 1d.
Poor Rate	...	18s. 1d.

1474 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the Instructions given to the Clerk of the Council, as entered in his Instruction Book, be approved.

1475 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £4637 3 2

FINANCE (continued).

Cr. (Dec. 1st—Jan. 2nd) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.		
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Collector, N.	1472	9 0			
Collector, S.	1402	19 11			
Cashier	14666	12 1	2	4 9	
	<u>£17542</u>	<u>1 0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4 9</u>	
					17544 5 9

By Barclay's Bank (Dec. 29th) interest on current account	85	19	2
			<u>17630</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>

Leaving balance in hand	12993	1	9
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RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Bank of England (for Metropolitan Police) precept	11227	16	4
Middlesex County Council, on account of precept	...	...	6699	10	5
Barnet Guardians, on account of precept	...	...	4997	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council (Education A/c) on account of precept	...	...	3462	10	0
General District Fund, transfer—					
Proportion salaries, etc., January	...	208	16	9	
Invoices and petty cash	...	20	12	4	
			<u>229</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>
			<u>26616</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	...	<u>£13623</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>

1476 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £19,044 11s. 9d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report	...	...	£1482	17	0
Add Cheques drawn at Council Meeting, December 28th, to—					
Paymaster General, costs, Avenue House	521	14	1

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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	
Accountant General, estate duty, Avenue House	1300	0	0	
Accountant General, succession duty, Avenue House	870	0	0	
Finchley Memorial Hospital, con- tribution	75	0	0	
Transfer to Superannuation Fund—				
Employees' contributions	89	0	8	
Council's contributions	177	2	4	
	<u>266</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	
Less Superannuation payments	44	14	11	
		<u>221</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>
				<u>2988</u>
				<u>2</u>
				<u>4470</u>
				<u>19</u>
				<u>2</u>

Cr. (Dec. 1st—Jan. 2nd) on account of—

	Rates.		Summonses.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Collector, N.	903	15 9		
Collector, S.	854	4 11		
Cashier	8878	3 8	2	5 0
	<u>£10636</u>	<u>4 4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5 0</u>
			10638	9 4

By Cashier (Dec. 1st—Jan. 2nd) general receipts	5979	3	0
„ Farm Clerk (Dec. 8th—22nd) ...	5	15	2
„ Bath Supt. (Dec. 5th—29th) ...	10	8	7
„ Collector (Dec. 7th—31st), general rents	11	10	10
„ Treasurer—			
Interest on 5 per cent. War Stock	73	4	5
From Ministry of Health, grant re Unemployment Loan Schemes	245	0	0
From Middlesex County Council, on account of Sanitary Officers' salaries to 30th Sept., 1927 ...	240	0	0
From Air Ministry, compensation award, Avenue House ...	3027	12	10

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Transfer from Poor Rate Account, proportion salaries and office expenses	208	16	9
Transfers from General Loan Accounts, unexpended balances	2390	14	0
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages and petty cash from—			
Poor Rate Account	20	12	4
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	132	2	11
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	160	18	0
Genl. Loan Accounts	418	2	9
	<u>731</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>0</u>
		<u>23562</u>	<u>10 11</u>
Leaving in hand	...	...	19091 11 9
Deduct cheques drawn January 19th, to—			
Lees & Co., Counsel's fees, Avenue House	22	0	0
Barclay's Bank, Ltd., instalment of Loan 170	25	0	0
	<u>47</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	<u>£19044 11 9</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Adcocks, Ltd., disinfectant	2	12	6
Andrews & Co., paper	2	16	3
Arnold, E. J. & Son, ink	1	11	4
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement	8	0	4
Automatic Light Controlling Co., Ltd., controllers	21	12	0
Baker Bros., hose pipes	1	16	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., fees	2	0	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water	278	15	6
Bayliss, Jones & Bayliss, hand gate	2	12	6
Bell's United Asbestos Co., Ltd., asbestos, etc.	1	9	11
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., Ltd., repairs	12	16	6
Boden, J. S., fees	27	6	0
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., oil	4	17	6
British Reinforced Concrete Engineering Co., Ltd., fabric	17	3	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	84	8	3
Caribonum, Ltd., carbon paper, etc.	1	5	4
Carron Co., boilers	35	9	8
Cayless Bros., ladder	9	9	0
Cloke, G. E., kerb	15	3	11
Cockerell, G. J. & Co., anthracite	6	15	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., reinstatement	160	13	0
Cornwall, E. A., coal	2	17	6
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., wire, etc.	4	7	3
Cunnington, P., fees	20	9	6
Dawson & Co., Ltd., stone	23	0	0
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Dennison, S. & Son, Ltd., scales	4	1	3
Dick, R. & J., belting	1	5	4
Dixon, P., fees	25	4	0
Dodd, J., fish	2	16	3
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., lithography	17	1	1
Endersby, W. A., timber	20	10	4
Finchley Urban District Council, public lighting, etc.	547	0	2
Friend, A., fruit	2	15	0
Gas Light & Coke Co., public lighting	41	8	0
Gee & Co., Ltd., subscription	1	19	0
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., petroleum	4	10	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	25	11	0
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., ferro gallic cloth, etc.	4	6	5
Hall Bros., repairs	10	18	3
Halls, C. & Sons, repairs	24	19	10
Hendon Urban District Council, drainage contribution, etc.	5	16	7
Herts. Gravel & Brick Co., Ltd., sand, etc.	39	14	0
Hobson & Son, Ltd., uniforms	4	19	0
Hodge, F., Ltd., washers	11	9	7
Hornsey, Finchley & Wood Green Joint Hospital, precept.	1148	16	9
Incorporated Council of Law Reporting, law reports	5	15	0
Joyce & Co., timber	2	2	1
Keene's Stores, cleaning materials	1	15	10
Keevans, overalls	2	7	4
Kelly's Directories, Ltd., directory	2	5	0
King, C. A., fees	27	6	0
Kingham, H. & Sons, Ltd., cleaning materials	4	6	5
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., register	2	12	3
Knowles, J. & Co. (London), Ltd., pipes, etc.	29	5	0
Lancet, Ltd., subscription	2	2	0

FINANCE (continued).

s. d.		£	s.	d.
8 3	Lawford & Son, Ltd., lime	24	9	6
5 4	Lighting Trades, Ltd., mantles	14	19	0
9 8	Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement	18	15	1
9 0	London Brick Co. & Forders, Ltd., bricks	26	12	6
3 11	London Incorporated Press, Ltd., printing	29	9	0
15 0	Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk	8	12	1
13 0	Medical Officer, The, subscription	2	2	0
17 6	Metropolitan Asylums Board, ambulance hire	1	4	0
7 3	Metropolitan Water Board, water	1	9	5
9 6	Miscellaneous Disposals Syndicate, Ltd., chairs, etc.	10	18	8
0 0	Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisements	1	7	9
16 8	Mosers, Ltd., glasses	2	12	8
1 3	Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	6	8	5
5 4	Municipal Engineering & Sanitary Record, subscription	1	4	6
4 0	McGarry & Cole, files	1	16	1
16 3	Nonslip Stone Co., stone	149	7	6
1 1	North Middlesex Gas Co., gas	49	0	1
10 4	Norton & Gregory, Ltd., cloth	3	18	10
0 2	Orchard, C. & Co., printing	16	15	0
15 0	Parkinson, W. & Co., reflectors	6	0	0
8 0	Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	30	16	8
19 0	Pearson, T. E. & Co., wallpaper	1	12	8
4 10 0	Peek, W. & E., acid, etc.	1	10	6
5 11 0	Pocock Bros., Ltd., boots	1	18	6
4 6 5	Pooley, H. & Sons, Ltd., repairs	3	8	0
0 18 3	Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., oil, etc.	6	2	2
4 19 10	Postmaster-General, wayleaves	55	16	0
5 16 7	Rees & Freres, publications	1	12	0
9 14 0	Roneo, Ltd., stencils	3	10	0
4 19 0	Salt Supply Co., Ltd., salt	95	12	5
1 9 7	Sampson, T., Ltd., paint, etc.	13	12	5
8 16 9	Shaw & Sons, Ltd., books, stationery, etc.	11	16	0
5 15 0	Skinner, P. R. & Co., pipes	2	18	6
2 2 1	Smart, R. E. & Co., repairs	5	10	0
1 15 10	Sussex Brick & Estates Co., Ltd., wirecuts	9	6	0
2 7 4	Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac	119	4	0
2 5 0	Underwood Typewriter Co., Ltd., typewriter	15	10	0
7 6 0	Vacuum Oil Co., Ltd., oil	7	8	6
4 6 5	Walker, J., team labour	244	6	1
12 3	Warden & Co., Ltd., advertisement	10	10	0
2 5 0				
9 5 0				
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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Webb, T. & Co., trees, etc.	30	0	0
Williams Bros., Ltd., groceries	11	6	6
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premiums	2	5	6
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Total Invoices	£4320	17	8
Refund of Deposits <i>re</i> New Roads and Sewers, Housing Site—and Friern Barnet Lane Improve- ment—			
Rainbow, T. A.	2	0	0
Hartley, R. H. & Co.	2	0	0
Turner & Payne	1	0	0
Adams, T.	2	0	0
French, W. & C.	2	0	0
Durnford Construction Co.	2	0	0
General Contracting & Engineering Co.	1	0	0
Roads & Public Works, Ltd.	2	0	0
Rees, R. F. & Co.	2	0	0
Ball, C.	2	0	0
Bridgewater Bros.	2	0	0
Press, W. & Sons	1	0	0
Carter, C.	2	0	0
Pedrette, T. W.	2	0	0
Wheeler, W. H. & Co.	1	0	0
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	26	0	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer, wages	31	0	2
Street Improvement Loans Account, transfer, excess expenditure	315	4	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans	667	14	5
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loans	585	5	3
Ditto ditto	88	14	8
Bank of England, repayment of loans	850	16	2
Accountant to pay compensation—allotments	881	5	0
Salaries—January.—			
Clerk	100	3	10
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	17	8
Dentist	3	12	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Accountant to pay staff	1105	5	7
Ditto firemen	117	9	8
Ditto fire expenses	25	0	0
Accountant's Wages Account	1300	0	0
Ditto	1100	0	0
Accountant's Imprest Account	533	1	6
	<u>£12223</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>6</u>

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	19044	11	9
Cheques recommended for payment ...	12223	10	6
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£6821</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>

1477 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £6197 15 11

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

E.L. Revenue Account, invoices, stores, etc. ...	1045	11	4
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	<u>£7243</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>3</u>

1478 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1950 7 2

Cr. by Cashier (Dec. 1st—31st), amount received from Consumers' Services	167	13	10
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£2118</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>

1479 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £3595 17 5

Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions ...	38	3	0
Council's contributions ...	60	16	4
	<u>98</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>3496</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1</u>

FINANCE (continued).

Cr. (Dec. 1st—Jan. 2nd) by—

Cashier	...	2417	1	9	
Collector	...	265	9	1	
					2682 10 10

Transfers for invoices, stores & wages from—

General District Fund (gas lamps)	...	31	0	2	
E.L. Loans Account		1045	11	4	
					1076 11 6
					3759 2 4
Leaving in hand	...				7256 0 5

Deduct cheques drawn Jan. 19th, to—

Biram & Co., coal	...	390	3	2	
Goard, T. W., cartage	...	4	4	7	
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal		544	0	3	
Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., motor car tyres	...	3	17	1	
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal		143	4	11	
					1085 10 0
					6170 10 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	17	15	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., repairs	2	16	7
Beale, A., driving ropes	1	11	10
Beldam Packing & Rubber Co., Ltd., jointing	4	7	7
Belliss & Morcom, Ltd., engine oil	5	15	1
Berk, F. W. & Co., Ltd., distilled water	7	17	6
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire	2	8	6
Brown Bros., Ltd., battery, etc.	4	7	5
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	825	7	1
Collins Electrical, Ltd., rewinding coil	1	7	6
Dorman & Smith, Ltd., damper fuses	5	17	7
Evershed & Vignoles, Ltd., testing set	14	9	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., coke, etc.	16	3	3
Hancock, J. L., Ltd., rubber insertion		11	11
Haynes, G., cartage and sand	104	8	11
Hayward, W. & Sons, Ltd., iron fencing	44	8	0
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd., repairs	2	0	6

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., cleaning cloths	2	12	11			
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meters ...	240	12	0			
Indestructible Paint & Standard Varnish, Ltd., paint	1	1	11			
Jackson Electric Stove Co., Ltd., radiator elements	2	4	3			
Kelvin, Bottomley & Baird, Ltd., ammeter repairs	4	7	6			
Lighting Trades, Ltd., flexible ...	1	12	6			
London County Council, testing meters	4	15	0			
London Electric Wire Co. & Smiths, Ltd., wire	5	8	7			
Macassey, E., fees	32	9	0			
Macassey, Sir Lynden, fees	59	14	0			
Miller, Rayner & Hayson, Ltd., filter cloths	1	13	9			
Park Royal Engineering Co., Ltd., connecting switchgear, etc ...	18	7	0			
Porter Patent Safety Seals, Ltd., lead seals	1	15	4			
Rees & Freres, Parliamentary papers...	5	12	0			
Rowell, D. & Co., Ltd., iron kerbing ...	16	16	0			
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., oil	22	12	5			
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., flexible	1	1	0			
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil	35	1	8			
Straker, W., Ltd., books	2	19	5			
Underfeed Stoker Co., Ltd., stoker parts	3	1	6			
Venner Time Switches, Ltd., time switches	39	0	0			
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees	2	0	0			
Total Invoices	1566	11	0			
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	122	3	0			
Ditto Wages Account	850	0	0			
Ditto ditto	850	0	0			
Ditto petty cash	30	0	0			
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	3	12	0			
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on Loan 78 ...	302	15	8			

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FINANCE (continued).

Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans, one quarter	50 1 5	
		3775 3 1
Leaving balance in hand		£2395 7 4

1480 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £11107 4 7		
Cr. by Cashier (Dec. 2nd—Jan. 2nd), amount received from frontagers		163 13 6
Leaving balance in hand		£11270 18 1

1481 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.— The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1080 13 4		
Cr. by Collector (Dec. 7th—31st)—		
Rents	142 8 10	
Allotments	1 3 9	
		143 12 7
		1224 5 11

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—		
General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.		63 14 3
Leaving balance in hand		£1160 11 8

1482 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.— The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2419 6 0		
Cr. by Collector (Dec. 7th—31st)—		
Rents		279 19 10
		2699 5 10

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, stores, etc.	68 8 8	
Barclays Bank, Limited, interest on Loan 202, one quarter	13 4	
		69 2 0
Leaving balance in hand		£2630 3 10

FINANCE (continued).

1483 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £6746 11 3

Add amount debited by Barclays Bank, Ltd. (Dec. 29th) interest on current account	... ..	93 4 9
		<u>6839 16 0</u>
Cr. by Collector (Dec. 7th—31st)—		
Rents	... ..	731 4 5
		<u>6108 11 7</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Middlesex County Council, interest deficiency	... ..	288 4 4
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on Loan 233, one quarter	... ..	178 0 3
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	... ..	160 18 0
		<u>627 2 7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	... ..	<u>£6735 14 2</u>

1484 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1244 7 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

French, W. & C., certificate	... ..	520 7 6
General District Fund, transfer—		
Petty cash	... ..	35 0 0
Unexpended balances of loans	... ..	1543 1 2
		<u>1578 1 2</u>
		<u>2098 8 8</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	... ..	<u>£854 1 3</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1485 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £5466 14 10

Add cheque drawn January 19th to—
Manders, W. & Co., certificate (final) 266 17 9

5733 12 7

Deduct transfer from General District Fund, excess expenditure 315 4 0

5418 8 7

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Carter, C., certificates 395 7 9
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc. 150 18 9

546 6 6

Leaving balance overdrawn £5964 15 1

1486 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £11880 6 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash 36 0 0

Leaving balance overdrawn £11916 6 7

1487 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was— £10100 0 0

Deduct cheque recommended and not required—

29/11/1927, Chambers & Garnett,
re Backhouse, W. 620 0 0

Amount received (Dec. 12th) from
Public Works Loan Board
on mortgage 6460 0 0

7080 0 0

3020 0 0

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under:—

Chambers & Garnett—		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	re Dyson, B. ...	930	0	0			
Ditto	re Marlow, F. H. ...	730	0	0			
Finchley Urban District Council re Backhouse, W. ...		620	0	0			
					<u>2280</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £5300 0 0

1488 RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £392 17 1

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund—

Unexpended balances of loans 847 12 10

Leaving balance overdrawn £454 15 9

1489 REFUSE DESTRUCTOR LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1302 15 7

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Heenan & Froude, certificate ...	1120	15	1
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc. ...	188	14	10
	<u>1309</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>

Leaving balance overdrawn £6 14 4

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FINANCE (*continued*).

1490 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per report of 28th November, 1927, was £40 12 5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices and petty cash	...	7	9	2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£48	1	7
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1491 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £279 3 7

Cr. by Treasurer—

Dec. 28th, interest on Current A/c	11	0	10
Jan. 2nd, interest on Australia 5 per cent. Stock, less tax ...	100	0	0
Jan. 2nd, interest on Victorian Government 5 per cent. Stock, less tax	100	0	0

Transfers received (Dec. 31st) from—

General District Fund	221	8	1
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	98	19	4
Education Account	38	2	8
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Leaving balance in hand	£848	14	6
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

	Present Actual Balance 31st Dec., 1927.		Recommended per Report, 16th Jan., 1928.			Leaving Balance after cheques drawn.	
	CR.	DR.	Transfers between Council's own Accounts		Other Cheques.	CR.	DR.
			CR.	DR.			
Poor Rate	£ 12993	£ ...	£ ...	£ 229	£ 26387	£ ...	£ 13623
General District Fund	15760	...	3331	346	11924	6821	...
Private Street Works Fund	11271	...	...	...	...	11271	...
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue No. 1	1224	...	...	64	...	1160	...
No. 2	2699	...	...	68	1	2630	...
Housing (Assisted Schemes) ... ..	...	6109	...	161	466	...	6736
Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Loans	1244	...	...	1578	520	...	854
Street Improvement Loans ... ..	...	5467	315	151	662	...	5965
Private Street Works Loans ... ..	...	11880	...	36	...	...	11916
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans	393	...	...	848	...	...	455
Refuse Destructor Loan	1303	...	...	189	1121	...	7
Storeyards Loans ... ..	...	45	...	...	...	...	45
Workmen's Dwellings Loans ... ..	...	41	...	7	...	...	48
Electric Lighting Revenue	6179	...	1077	...	4861	2395	...
" " Capital Suspense	2118	...	...	...	...	2118	...
" " Loans ... ..	...	6197	...	1046	...	...	7243
Education	2698	...	...	...	4303	...	1605
" Loans	34	...	...	...	...	34	...
	£ 57916	29739	4723	4723	50245	26429	48497

Net Debit ... £22,068

FINANCE (continued).

FINANCE (continued).

1493 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement:—

(a) General District Rate.—

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320 0 0	Amount of Rates col- lected as per pre- vious statement ...	63124 18 4
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928 ...	88200 0 0	Amount of rates col- lected since last statement (less re- funds) ...	10613 0 10
Supplemental Assess- ments	1166 0 0	Estimated recoverable arrears outstanding ...	15948 0 10
	<u>£89686 0 0</u>		<u>£89686 0 0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350 0 0	Amount of rates col- lected as per pre- vious statement ...	103692 17 9
Estimated product of rates for year end- ing 31st March, 1928	145814 0 0	Amount of rates col- lected since last statement (less re- funds) ...	17504 0 11
Supplemental Assess- ments	1947 0 0	Estimated recoverable arrears outstanding	26914 1 4
	<u>£148111 0 0</u>		<u>£148111 0 0</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1494 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £2,636 1s. 9d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report		£5958	5	11
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—				
Employees' contributions	...	14	3	10
Council's contributions	...	23	18	10
			38	2
			5996	8
				7
Cr. by Cashier (Dec. 1st—Jan. 2nd)—				
Contributions to Special				
School fees	...	10	12	6
Medical treatment	...	7	11	3
Cookery sales	...	8	11	0
Needlework sales	...	4	18	9
Use of rooms, etc.	...	56	11	4
Other Authorities for				
Institutional children		5	11	3
Middlesex County Council, refund of expenditure re special subjects—				
Woodhouse	...	76	15	4
Unemployment Claims—				
Juvenile Employment Bureau	...	5	6	
			170	16
				11
By Poor Rate—				
5th instalment of precept	...	3462	10	0
6th instalment of precept	...	3462	10	0
By Ministry of Health, grant under Agricultural Rates Act, 1923	...	20	13	5
By Board of Education—				
Grant re Choice of Employment, 1927/8	...	70	0	0
Instalment of Substantive Grant...	...	1508	0	0
			8694	10
				4
Leaving in hand	...	2698	1	9
Deduct cheque drawn January 19th to—				
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalments of loans	...	62	0	0
Leaving balance in hand	...	£2636	1	9

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FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts :—

	£	s.	d.
Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books, stationery, etc. ...	22	12	3
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water ...	28	18	4
Boden, J. S., fees	10	10	0
Brodie, A., tools	11	12	4
Bryson, J. G., printing	4	0	0
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses	4	15	8
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., chemicals ...	5	11	4
East London Home, fees	37	10	0
Finchley Memorial Hospital, fees	13	15	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., coal	3	16	0
Hicks, T., fees	34	13	0
Hospital Contracts, Ltd., medical supplies ...	2	1	10
Joyce & Co., timber	1	17	6
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., Ltd., needlework materials	9	10	8
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	1	2	6
Northcotts (North London) School, fees	9	17	2
Parke, Davis & Co., anæsthetic	18	0	0
Prior, J. R., fees	16	16	0
Rooke, W. S., fees	12	12	0
Royal School for Deaf and Dumb Children, fees ...	75	0	0
St. Andrew's Home, fees	18	10	0
St. Elizabeth's School for Epileptic Children, fees	16	17	6
St. Vincent's Orthopædic Hospital, fees	18	0	0
Stella Lamp Co., Ltd., lamps	21	10	3
White, W., cutting grass, etc.	6	0	0
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Total Invoices	388	7	4
Barclays Bank, Ltd., interest on loans	318	10	3
Clerical, Medical & General Life Assurance Society, principal and interest on loans	178	1	1
London Savings Bank, principal and interest on Loan 31	124	14	2
Salaries—January.—			
Turner, A. A.	43	17	1
Cogdale, J.	52	18	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
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	132	14	11
Education Salaries Account	3098	9	8
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	£4240	17	5

FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	2636	1	9
Cheques recommended for payment ...	4240	17	5
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£1604	15	8
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H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro tem.*)

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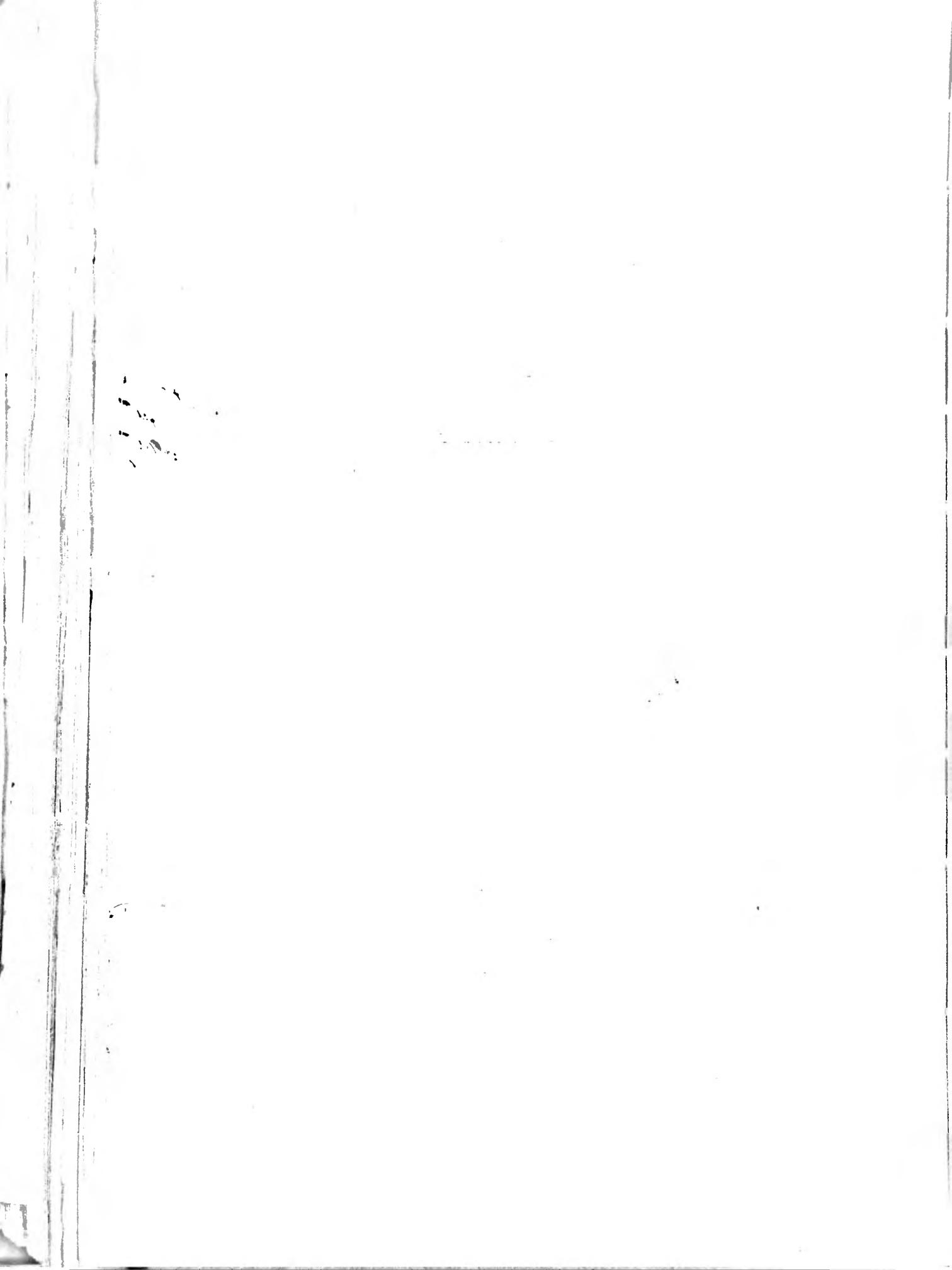
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Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
22nd February, 1928.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend **AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL** to be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on **MONDAY NEXT**, the 27th day of February, 1928, at **7.30 p.m.**

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting.
2. Reports of Committees :—
 - (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 6th February, 1928,
 - (b) **Public Health** of the 7th February, 1928,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 8th February, 1928,
 - (d) **Allotments** of the 9th February, 1928,
 - (e) **Education** of the 13th February, 1928,

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 14th February, 1928,
- (g) **Electricity** of the 15th February, 1928,
- (h) **Finance** of the 15th February, 1928,
- (i) **Valuation** of the 21st February, 1928.

3. Correspondence.

4. Reports of Officers.

5. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees' Reports.

6. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February, 1928.”

7. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

8. Tenders :—

(a) Motor Fire Engine,

(b) Motor Ambulance,

(c) Private Street Works—18th Batch,

(d) Erection of Pumping Station, etc. — Broughton Avenue.

9. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

10. Reports of Committees :—

(a) **Education** of the 13th February, 1928,(b) **Electricity** of the 15th February, 1928.

11. Reports of Officers.

12. General business.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.

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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
30th January, 1928.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the
30th day of January, 1928.

PRESENT:

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pateman, G. H.
Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
Gracott, F. J.	Sommerfeld, H. G.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.

1495 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1496—STATUE LA DÉLIVRANCE.—The Chairman of the Council read a letter, dated 23rd January, 1928, received from Mr. A. H. Hare, of the Graves Gallery, Birmingham, drawing attention to a prospectus, which was enclosed, giving details of the replicas of the above Statue for which, through the good offices of Lord Rothermere, he had been appointed the sole Agent for Great Britain;

RESOLVED (Councillor Agar voting against) that Mr. Hare be heard on the matter.

Mr. Hare thereupon addressed the Council on the subject and expressed his thanks for the opportunity which had thus been afforded to him.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1497 TENDERS.—

- (a) Annual Contracts.—
- (b) Surface Water Sewer Works near Avondale Road and Clifford Road, East Finchley.—
- (c) Improvement Works—Green Lane, Finchley.—
- (d) Footpath Works—Nether Street, Finchley.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

1498 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

- (a) **Legal and Parliamentary and Electricity (Sub) Joint** of the 30th December, 1927.
- (b) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 9th January, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1355 (g) (Friern Barnet Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1355 (e) (Town Planning—Scheme No. 2) it was

RESOLVED—

- (i) that recommendation (1) be approved except as regards the suggested reply relating to the Glebe Land, which matter be dealt with arising out of the report of the General Purposes Committee;
- (ii) that recommendation (3) be deleted.

Arising out of paragraph 1357 (Victoria Recreation Ground—Public Convenience) the recommendation contained therein on being put to the vote was carried, nine voting in favour and five against, it being understood

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

that the whole question would again come up for discussion when the estimates for 1928-29 were under consideration.

- (c) **Public Health** of the 10th January, 1928.
- (d) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 11th January, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1389 (New Motor Fire Engine—Purchase of), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.
- (e) **Allotments** of the 12th January, 1928.
- (f) **Education** of the 16th January, 1928.
- (g) **General Purposes** of the 18th January, 1928.

Arising out of paragraph 1444 (Frederick's Place Dépôt) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Merry and seconded by Councillor Wells "that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee with a view to their considering the question of the widening of Frederick's Place before any action is taken."

On being put the amendment was carried.

- (h) **Electricity** of the 18th January, 1928.
- (i) **Finance** of the 19th January, 1928.

1499 **COBLEY'S FARM—SITE OF—DICKENS' MEMORIAL.**—The Chairman of the Council reported that the Tablet presented by Major The Hon. Edward Cadogan, C.B., M.P., was unveiled by Lady Tree on the 13th January, 1928; that he had formally accepted the Tablet on behalf of the Council and had given an undertaking that it would be carefully preserved. The Chairman intimated his desire, on behalf of the Council, to present to Mr. Robin, the occupier of the premises in Queen's Avenue to which the Tablet had been affixed, a sketch of Cobley's Farm;

RESOLVED that this be agreed.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1500 HOUSING ACT, 1923 — ERECTION OF FIFTY-FOUR HOUSES.—A letter, dated 19th January, 1928, from the Ministry of Health as follows was submitted:—

"I am directed by the Minister of Health to refer to previous correspondence and to state that he agrees to the Council proceeding with the erection of 54 houses on the Summers Lane site, and provided that they comply with the prescribed conditions as to size, construction, density, etc., he will be prepared to recognise them as eligible for the Exchequer Grant provided for by Section I. of the Housing, etc., Act, 1923, as modified by the Housing Acts (Revision of Contributions) Order, 1926.

Grants at the revised rates specified in the Order of 1926 above referred to will be payable in respect of houses which will be completed before the 1st October, 1928.

This approval is subject to the conditions set out in Section 5 (b) on page 3 of Circular 520a relating to the employment of apprentices. When a tender for the erection of any of the houses is provisionally accepted the Council should inform the Local Building Industry Committee of the name of the tenderer, the number of houses included in the accepted tender and the date by which the houses are contracted to be completed.

The formal instrument consenting to the appropriation of the land required for these houses is enclosed herewith.

The Minister raises no objection to the acceptance by the Council of the tender submitted by Messrs. Turner & Payne for the erection of the houses at a figure of £354 per house provided this price is not subject to variations in the cost of labour and materials.

With regard to the additional item of £26 per house which, it is understood, is intended to cover water and lighting services I am to state that this is regarded as a high figure and the item should be carefully considered with a view to securing the execution of the work at a lower figure. The Minister will, meanwhile, defer the issue of loan sanctions.

As regards the item included in the application for loan sanction in respect of land I am to point out that no loan is required for this purpose as the land is already the property of the Council. The adjustment between the respective

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

accounts concerned will, it is assumed, be based on the District Valuer's valuation of the land."

Arising thereout it was

RESOLVED—

- (a) that such communication be left to the Clerk to deal with;
- (b) that the Chairman of the Council be asked to arrange for a further meeting of the Special Committee *re* Housing to be convened at an early date.

1501 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 19th January, 1928, amounting to £55,786 14s. 1d.

1502 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents :—

- (1) Contract with Mr. C. Ball for carrying out of road and sewer works—Housing Scheme No. 4.
- (2) Licences to the under-mentioned to store petroleum spirit, viz. :—
 - (a) James Holloway.
 - (b) William Alliston.
- (3) Agreement with Mr. A. H. Everett for tenancy of land on the north side of Windsor Road.
- (4) Grant of Easement from Mr. Freeman—*re* Low Level Sewer—Lyndhurst Gardens to Cyprus Gardens.
- (5) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 19th January, 1928.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (6) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £1,660 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts).
- (7) Mortgage to the Public Works Loan Board to secure repayment of the sum of £16,574 with interest at £5 per centum per annum. (Electric Lighting)
- (8) Agreement with Mr. H. E. Watkinson in regard to erection of coal store at No. 10, Ridgeway.
- * (9) Contract with Messrs. W. & C. French in respect of Surface Water Sewer Works near Avondale Road and Clifford Road, East Finchley.
- * (10) Contract with Messrs. W. & C. French in respect of Improvement Works, Green Lane, Finchley.
- * (11) Contract with Messrs. W. & C. French in respect of Footpath Works, Nether Street, Finchley.
- (12) Petition against the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply (Consolidation) Bill.
- * See report of Council in Committee.

1503 CHRISTMAS DINNER-TABLE COLLECTION.—The Chairman of the Council reported that the above Collection had realised the total sum of £209 4s. 6d. (£15 in excess of the amount collected last year) and that it had been distributed as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Finchley District Nursing Society	...	150	0 0
Children's Care Committee	...	27	10 0
St. Dunstan's	...	10	0 0
National Institute for the Blind	...	10	0 0
Postages, Petty Cash, etc.	...	11	14 6
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		£209	4 6

The Chairman intimated that he was very pleased with the result of the Collection and asked the Members of the Press present to convey, through the medium of their respective Journals, his thanks to all those who had assisted in the effort.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1504 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1505 ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 6th January, 1928, as under-printed, was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor C. S. Syrett (Chairman), Councillor Pocock (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Bowen, Ryan, H. O. Syrett, and Wade; Mr. R. A. Marples and Major Marx, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING.—In accordance with the reference from the Council, the Committee considered the position of the above Undertaking, having regard to the attitude of the Electricity Commissioners. The Chairman of the Committee dealt at length with the present position of affairs, and reported upon the proceedings at the interview with the Central Electricity Board on the 20th December last. A report of the Chief Electrical Engineer (circulated) was submitted and considered; a general discussion took place with regard to the question of the extension of the existing plant; the replacement out of revenue of certain plant; and as to the position in which the Council would be placed from a legal stand-point were they to accept a supply from the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company.

The letter dated 19th December, 1927, from the Electricity Commissioners (referred by the Council to the Committee for consideration), dealing with the application of surplus revenue was read. This letter indicated briefly that the Commissioners were in accord with the policy adopted by certain Local Authorities of meeting out of annual revenue the cost of regularly occurring expenditure on distribution works, such as house services, meters, wiring of premises, and provision of apparatus on hire or hire purchase, and other comparatively short-lived works, but that they would require exceptional circumstances to be adduced in support of any application for their consent to the use of nett surplus for defraying the cost of main transmission lines, high tension feeders and generating plant, except where the amount proposed to be so applied represented comparatively small items of expenditure in excess of loans previously sanctioned for the particular works.

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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The Clerk reported upon the legal aspect of the whole situation, and drew attention to the provisions of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926. The following propositions were put to the meeting:—

- (1) that the question of installing a replacement set be deferred, pending receipt of a reply from the Central Electricity Board, with regard to the point raised by the Council as to the Board's being able to furnish the Council with a bulk supply of electricity in time for the winter of 1928/9 independently of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, and without in any way prejudicing the legal position of the Council;
- (2) that having regard to the terms of the letter from the Electricity Commissioners above referred to, the opinion of Counsel be obtained as to the power of the Council to proceed with the replacement of certain plant out of revenue without the consent of the Electricity Commissioners, and that in the event of his advising that the Council may do so, the Council proceed forthwith with the installation of a replacement set.

Neither of the above propositions was carried.

Discussion then ensued with regard to the replacement of Nos. 3 and 4 Boilers by a new boiler unit, as mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer. After further consideration, the Committee ultimately

RESOLVED as follows:—

- that the Opinion of Counsel be obtained in time for submission to the Council at next Meeting:—
- (a) as to the power of the Council to proceed with the replacement of certain plant out of revenue without the consent of the Electricity Commissioners, having regard to the terms of their letter dated 19th December, 1927;
 - (b) with regard to the question of replacement, also out of revenue without the consent of the Commissioners, of old boilers by a new boiler unit of equivalent capacity;

To the Chairman and Members of the Electricity Committee:-

Gentlemen, EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.

The application for an additional 3,000 Kilowatt Set was submitted to the Electricity Commissioners in June 1926. This set should have been available for use in your works in time for the present winter. From statistics available when the matter was under preliminary consideration, it was estimated that the maximum load for the winter of 1927/8 would be 3,650 Kilowatts. During the autumn of 1927 this estimate was modified to a figure of 3,300 to 3,400 Kilowatts. The actual load so far observed this winter is about 3,830 Kilowatts and is obviously beyond the safe capacity of the existing plant.

I would remind you that the actual plant installed consists of:-

1,	3,900	Kilowatt	Turbine.
1,	1,486	"	"
1,	700	"	Reciprocating Set.
2 (each)	350	"	" Sets.

The 2, 350 Kilowatt sets were deprived of condensing plant during the recent extensions and it was not thought desirable to expend money on permanently reinstating them in present circumstances; these two sets cannot, therefore, be run simultaneously at present with the 700 Kilowatt Set.

The maximum safe working load is about 3,000 Kilowatts. The new set is, therefore, urgently required.

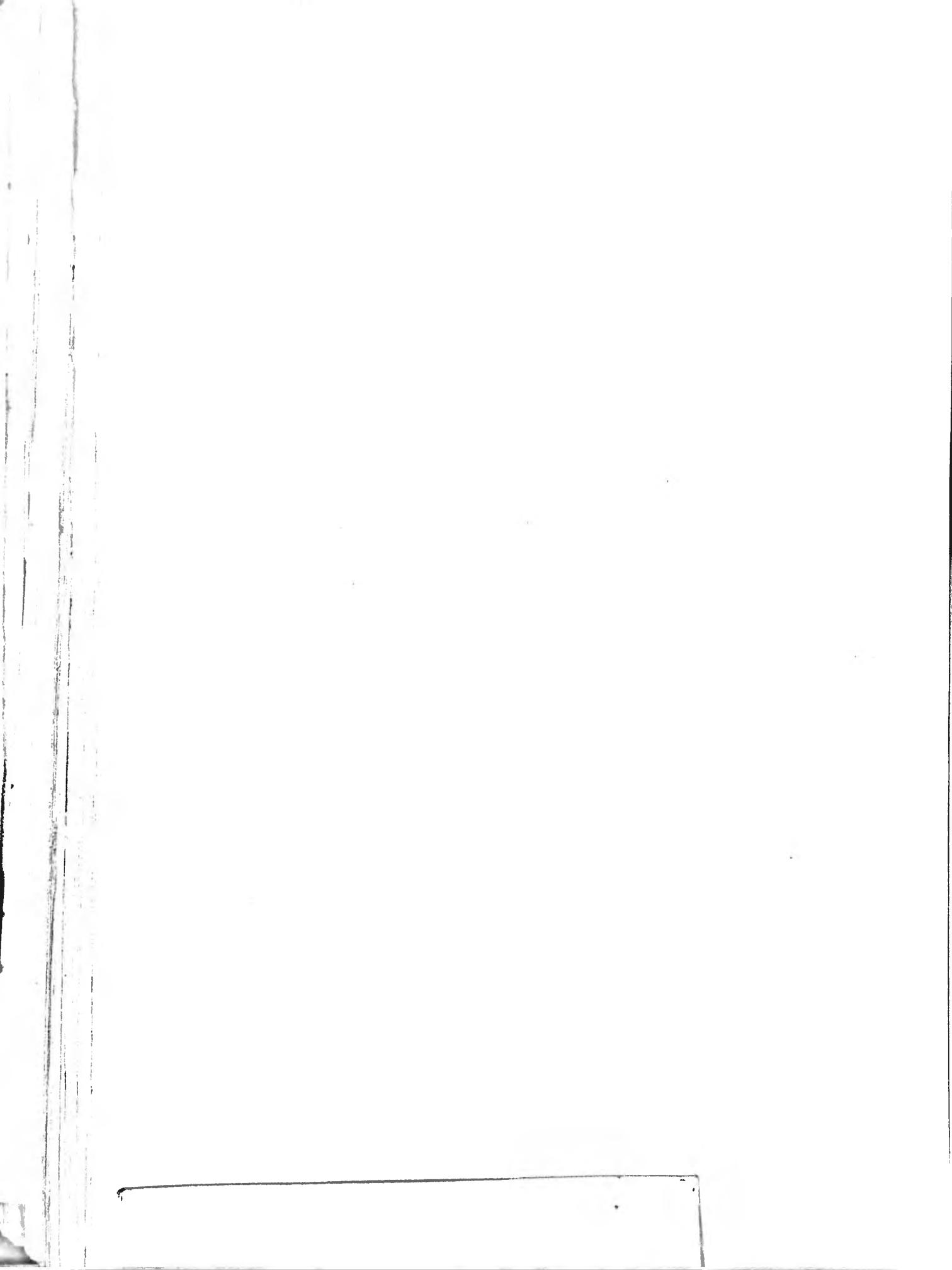
You will appreciate that although the turbine plant is economical, the old reciprocating plant is, by comparison, very uneconomical, and consumes at least twice to two and a half times as much fuel per unit generated. Whenever it is necessary to run reciprocating plant, the cost of running the turbine plant at the same time is increased owing to the lower steam temperature permissible.

Under the 1926 Act the cost of production forms an important and almost vital basis upon which future supplies are founded; it is, therefore, desirable that every effort should be made to reduce the cost of production as much as possible.

The uncertainty of the future, under modern legislation, has, since 1919, caused some hesitation in the expenditure of money on details which were not absolutely essential but which would have assisted in the reduction of costs.

I have reported from time to time, particularly in my last two annual reports, that your Nos. 3 & 4 Boilers have been in active use for about 2½ years and should be replaced by a new boiler unit of a modern and up-to-date type at an approximate cost of £10,500, the whole responsibility for the removal of the existing boilers and the completion of the new boiler by the 1st September next should be placed with one contractor under a penalty clause, or if necessary under a penalty and bonus clause.

P.T.O.



As you are aware there has been considerable delay in the sanctioning of the extension 3,000 Kilowatt Set and negotiations with the Electricity Commissioners and the Central Board have been protracted and still continue, but in the absence of this generating unit, negotiations will not assist you to meet next winter's demand on your undertaking; it becomes, therefore, necessary to review the situation and consider any possible means of strengthening your position. I believe I am correct in stating that you are entitled to replace obsolete plant, up to equal capacity, without the necessity of applying to the Electricity Commissioners under the 1919/1922 Acts. If your old reciprocating plant were replaced by a modern turbine unit of equal capacity you would at any rate have a complete and usable standby for your 2,900 kilowatt set under approximately equally economical conditions and should you receive the sanction for the proposed 3,000 kilowatt turbine, your position in regard to plant capacity would be exactly the same as though you retained your reciprocating plant, but the whole of the plant would then be usable and economical instead of part of it being too uneconomical for use in those days of high efficiencies.

The cost of a replacement turbine set would be about £13,500.

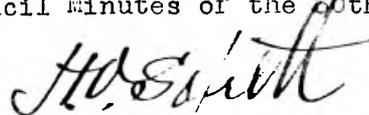
I understood your Council to remark that it was necessary that replacement works should be executed out of Revenue Account.

Included in the application for the 3,000 Kilowatt turbine was a sum of £2,500 for a cooling tower, this apparatus is not necessary on account of the installation of a new turbine but, owing to the increase in the load, in order to obtain the highest efficiency from your turbine plant and should be obtained forthwith.

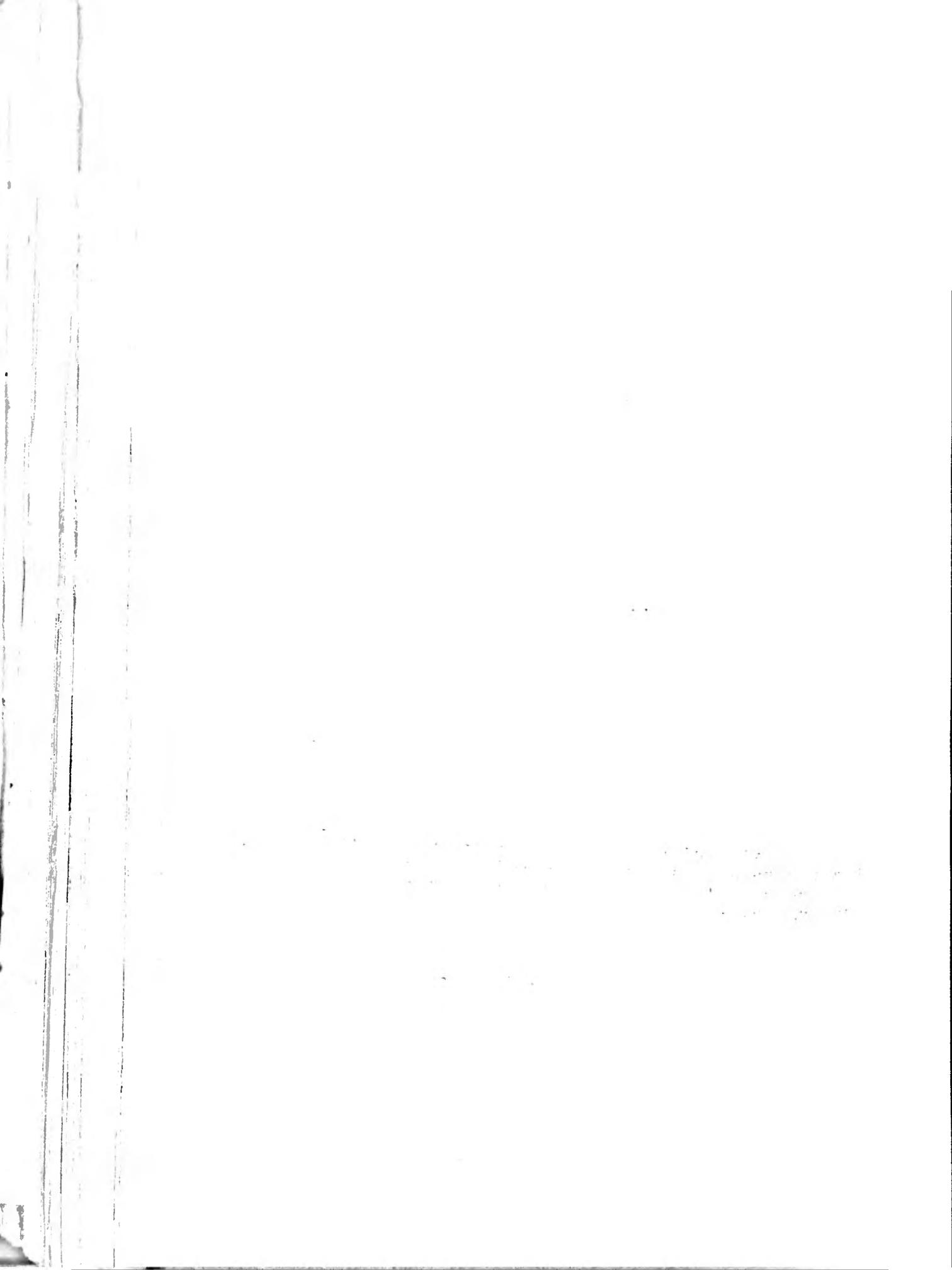
Under the peculiar circumstances, in my opinion, it is desirable to consider the immediate replacement of the inefficient reciprocating plant.

I am, Gentlemen,
Yours faithfully,
Edward Galvert,
Chief Electrical Engineer.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer referred to in paragraph 1505 of the Council Minutes of the 20th January 1928.



Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (c) as to the desirability or otherwise of applying for a mandamus against the Electricity Commissioners, arising out of the application made to them by this Council on the 22nd June, 1926, for sanction to a loan of £24,000;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

C. S. SYRETT,

Chairman.

The Chairman of the Council intimated that the two co-opted Members of the Electricity Committee, namely:—Mr. R. A. Marples and Major Marx, had been invited to be present at the Meeting but, at the same time, he asked the Council to appreciate that, in allowing them to speak, it would be creating a precedent;

RECOMMENDED that on this occasion the co-opted Members be invited to express their views on the matter generally.

The Clerk read (1) Counsels' Opinion which he had obtained in accordance with instructions and (2) a letter, dated 23rd January, 1928, from the Central Electricity Board stating that the Board were in communication with the Electricity Commissioners on the subject and anticipated that a proposal would be made to the Council in the matter very shortly.

The Chairman of the Council made a full statement on the subject and read the letter, dated 19th December, 1927, from the Electricity Commissioners, to which reference was made in the Report.

After full discussion and hearing the views of the Co-opted Members of the Committee the question of the replacement of certain plant out of Reserve was approved in principle; it was then

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Report be received and adopted;
- (b) that the whole question be deferred for one month and referred to the Electricity Committee for further consideration and report;
- (c) that the thanks of the Council be accorded to Messrs. Marples and Marx for their attendance.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1506 TOWN PLANNING—FRIERN BARNET URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL'S TOWN PLANNING SCHEME.—Paragraph 1355 (g) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 9th January, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

1507 NEW MOTOR FIRE ENGINE—PURCHASE OF.—Paragraph 1389 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 11th January, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that the paragraph be received and adopted.

1508 TENDERS.—

- (a) Annual Contracts.—
- (b) Surface Water Sewer Works near Avondale Road and Clifford Road, East Finchley.—
- (c) Improvement Works—Green Lane, Finchley.—
- (d) Footpath Works—Nether Street, Finchley.—

The tenders in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a) the tenders be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration;
- (2) that as regards (b) the tender of Messrs. W. and C. French (the lowest) at the sum of £2,141 0s. 6d. be accepted;
- (3) that as regards (c) the tender of Messrs. W. and C. French (the lowest) at the sum of £411 5s. 2d. be accepted;
- (4) that as regards (d) the tender of Messrs. W. and C. French (the lowest) at the sum of £469 2s. 6d. be accepted;
- (5) that the three contracts with Messrs. W. & C. French be added to the list of documents for sealing.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1509 PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 10th January, 1928, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike and H. O. Syrett.

DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA AND BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—In accordance with the reference from the Council this matter was considered further;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that formal notice be served upon Mrs. Dixon the occupier of "Woodlea," of the Council's intention to enter the premises;
- (b) that in the event of Mrs. Dixon refusing admittance to her house the work of re-laying the single private drain be carried out by means of tunnelling, thereby obviating the necessity for entering the house itself, and that the Surveyor be and is hereby instructed in that event to proceed forthwith with the carrying out of the work in that manner;
- (c) that the Clerk inform Council of the action proposed to be taken, and submit at the Council Meeting his Opinion thereon.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

Arising thereout the Clerk submitted the Opinion of Counsel on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

1510 IN PARLIAMENT—SESSION 1928—BARNET DISTRICT GAS AND WATER BILL.—The Chairman of the Council reported upon an interview which had taken place with the Manager of the Barnet District Gas and Water Company hereon and read a letter, dated 28th January, 1928, which had been addressed to the Company.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

The Members of the Legal and Parliamentary Sub-Committee having expressed their approval of the action taken, it was

RECOMMENDED that a Petition against the Bill be not lodged by the Council in the First House but that they reserve to themselves the right to oppose in the Second House should it be found to be necessary.

1511 PARISH OF ELSTREE—INCREASED REPRESENTATION ON BARNET RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL AND BARNET BOARD OF GUARDIANS.—The Clerk reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1512 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ADVANCE NO. 151.—A letter, dated 28th January, 1928, from the mortgagor hereon was read and the Chairman of the Council reported on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that the mortgagor be informed that, unless the amount of the arrears of instalments of principal and interest now outstanding be paid forthwith, the premises will be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts.

1513 HORNSEY, FINCHLEY AND WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE—EMERGENCY CASES FROM FRIERN BARNET AREA.—A letter, dated 30th January, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk and Accountant of the above Committee;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Public Health Committee for consideration.

1514 GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee, dated 25th January, 1928, was submitted and considered;

RECOMMENDED that such report be received, adopted and entered on the Minutes of the Council subject

- (a) to " £225 " being substituted for " £220 " in column (5) against the particulars relating to the General Assistant in the Clerk's Department;

Annexed.

PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

25th January 1928.

PART II.

PRESENT:-

Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, Merry and H. O. Syrett and Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Wade and Wells (non-Members).

1. STAFF - SALARIES -

It will be remembered that at the meeting of the Council held on the 28th December 1927 the following resolution was passed:-

"That the request for stabilization of the salaries of the Staff affected be acceded to, provided the same take effect on the 1st April 1928, and on a cost of living figure of 60."

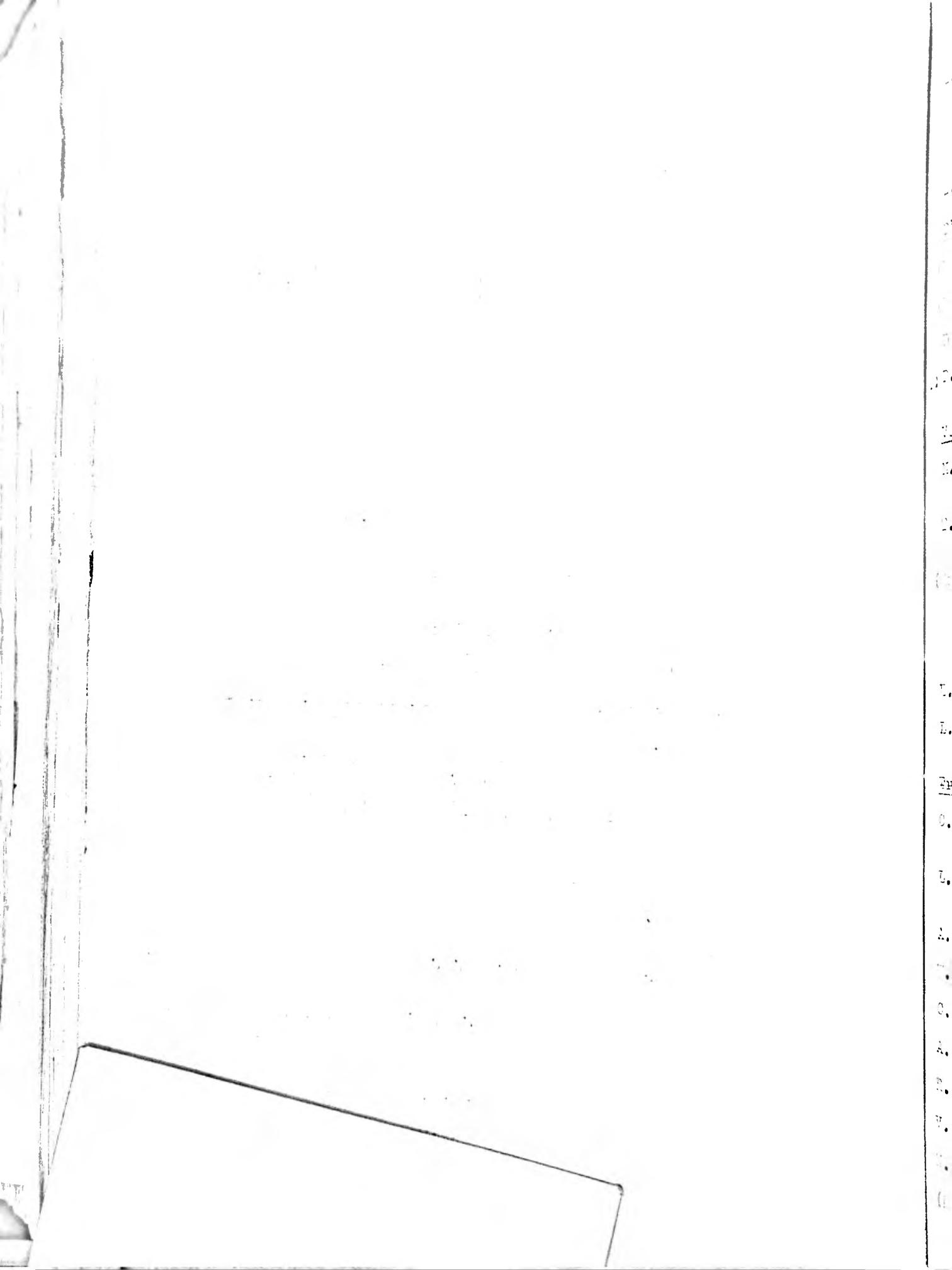
The position under such resolution is set out in column (4) hereunder.

RECOMMENDED that the annual salaries of the several Officers and Members of the Staff be as and from 1st April 1928 as set out in column (5) hereof:-

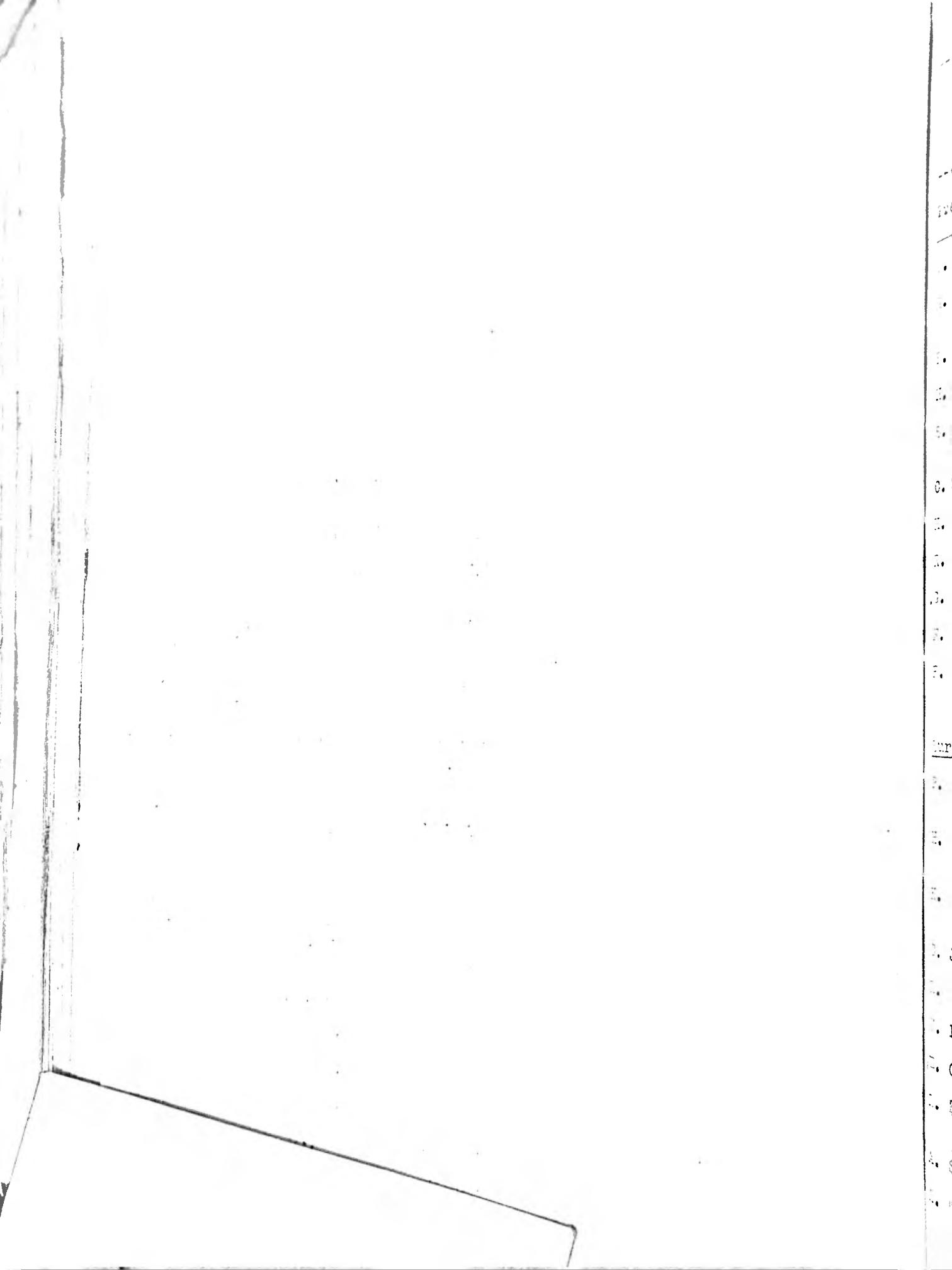
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Clerk's Department -

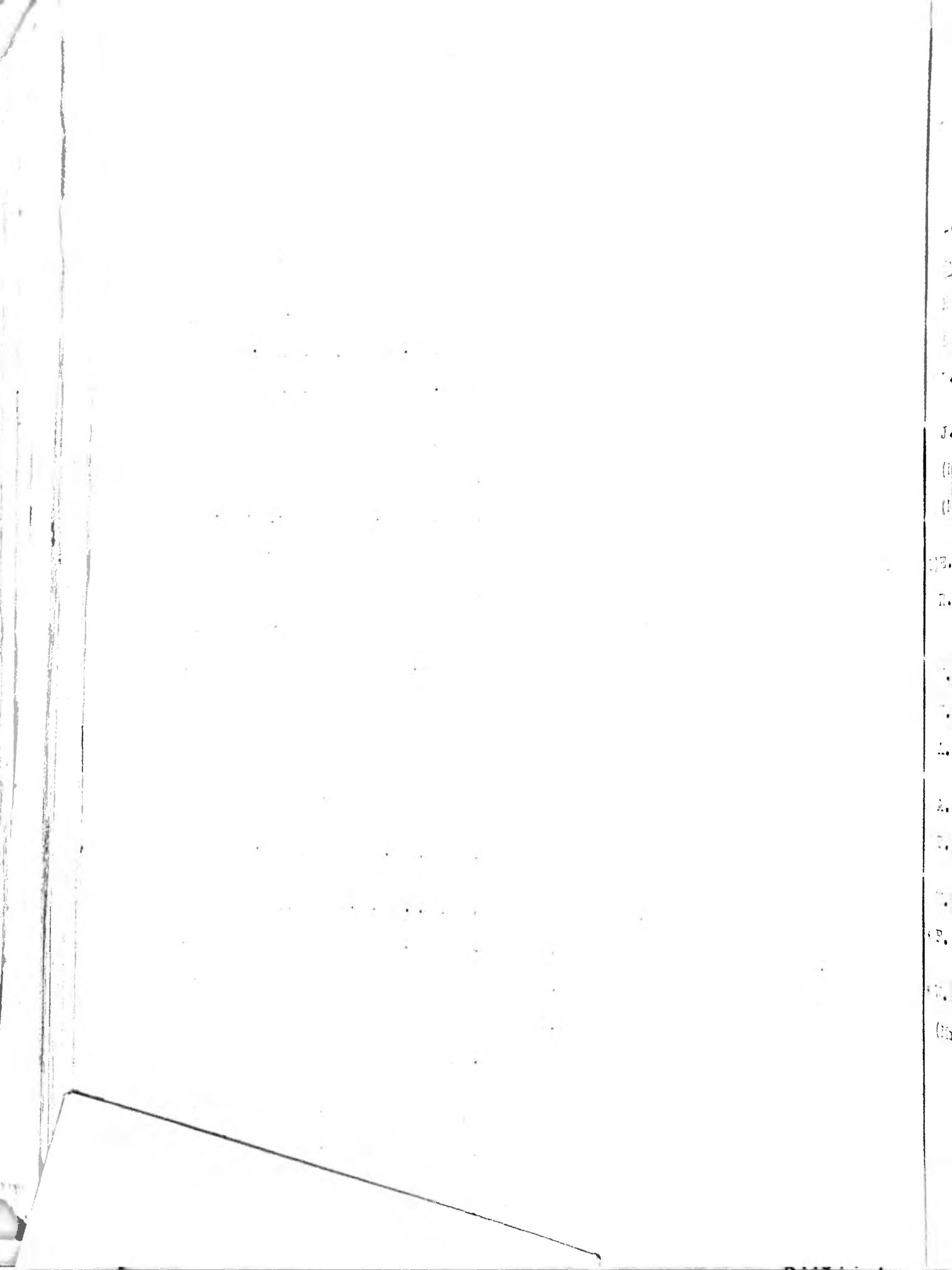
E. H. Lister.	Clerk of Council, Clerk of Education Authority, Registrar Local Land Charges, Clerk of Rating Authority.	£1,214.13.6.	£1,191.13.1.	£1,200.
H. W. Barter	Deputy Clerk of Council.	£486.10.8.	£474.8.9.	£475.
F. Fyans	Legal Assistant	£450.	£450.	£450.
E. C. Brookbank	Committee Clerk	£326.7.2.	£317.15.8.	£350.
L. Watkins	General Assistant	£212.10.0.	£212.10.0.	£220.
Miss E. Arnold	Typist	£180.9.1d.	£177.11.11.	£180.



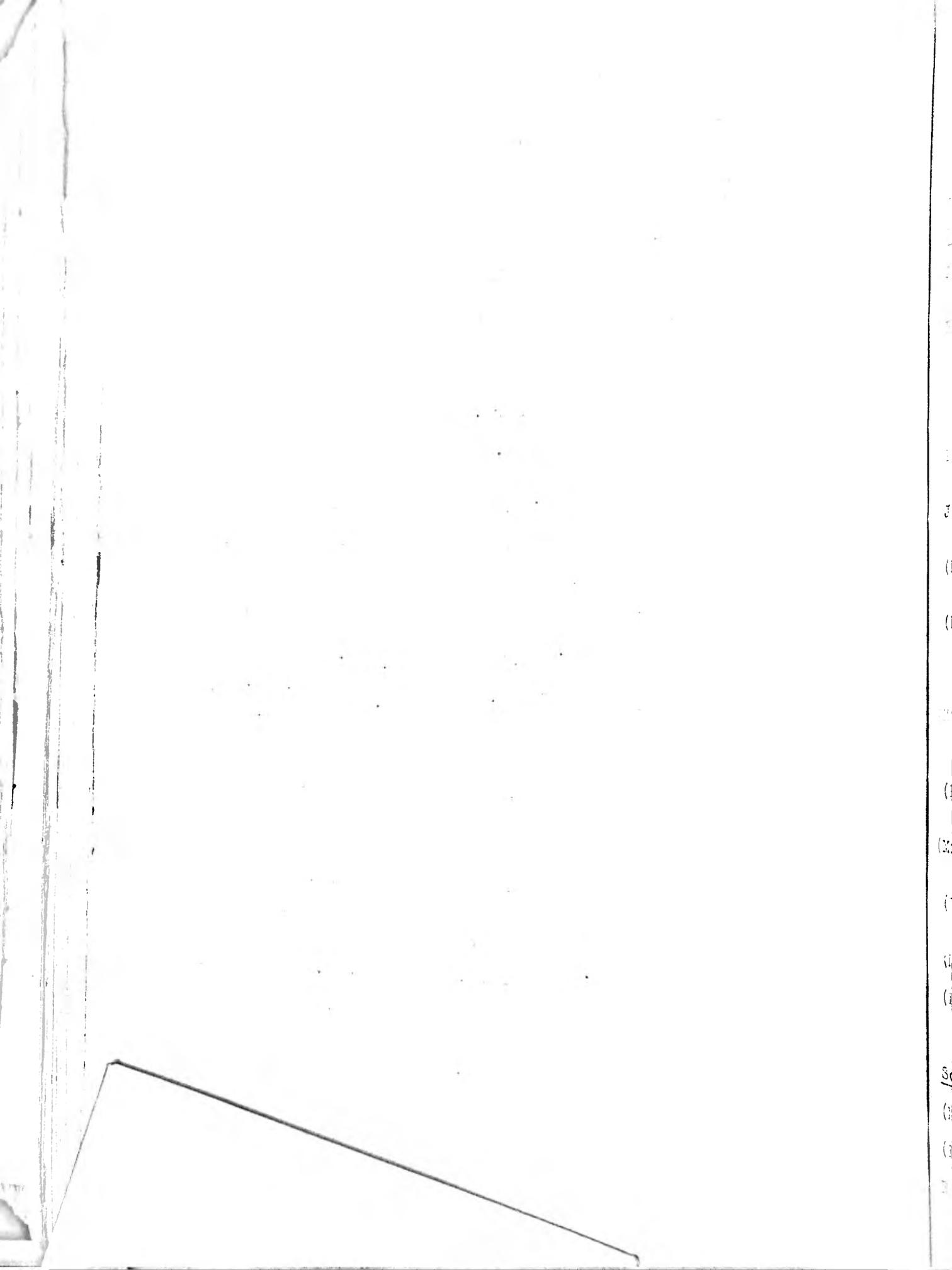
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<u>Clerk's Dept. (Contd.)</u>				
(Miss) A. Sharp	Typist	£135.	£135.	£150.
(Miss) E. Reynolds	Typist	£120.	£120.	£140.
D. Blakey	Junior Clerk	£78.	£78.	£91.
(F) P. Maule-finch	Office Boy	£39.	£39.	£39.
<u>Valuation Department -</u>				
H. W. Barter	Clerk to the Committee	£100.	£100.	£150.
P. H. Hill	Valuation Officer	£420.	£420.	£450.
(Miss) M. A. Smith	Clerical Asst.	£130.	£130	£143 and a further in- crease of £13 p.a. on 1st April 1929.
E. Garrett	Clerk (temporary)	£182.	£182.	£182.
L. Essex	Junior Clerk (temporary)	£44.4.0.	£44.4.0.	£44.4.0.
<u>Treasurer and Accountant's Department -</u>				
C. F. Carpenter.	Treasurer and Accountant.	£735.	£735.	£735.
L. Smith	Deputy Account- ant.	£375.	£375.	£375.
A. Hill.	1st Assistant	£349.10.2.	£340.9.9.	£350.
W. A. Stokes	Book-keeper	£225.	£225.	£237.10.0.
C. C. Wagnell.	Clerk	£160.	£160.	£160.
A. Philpott	Clerk	£78.	£78.	£100.
R. D. Channon.	Clerk	£65.	£65.	£80.
V. Gumsley	Junior Clerk	£65.	£65.	£71.10.0.
W. Woodland	Office Boy	£32.10.0.	£32.10.0.	£45.
(Miss) E. Thom	Typist	£34.10.0.	£34.10.0.	£32.5.0.



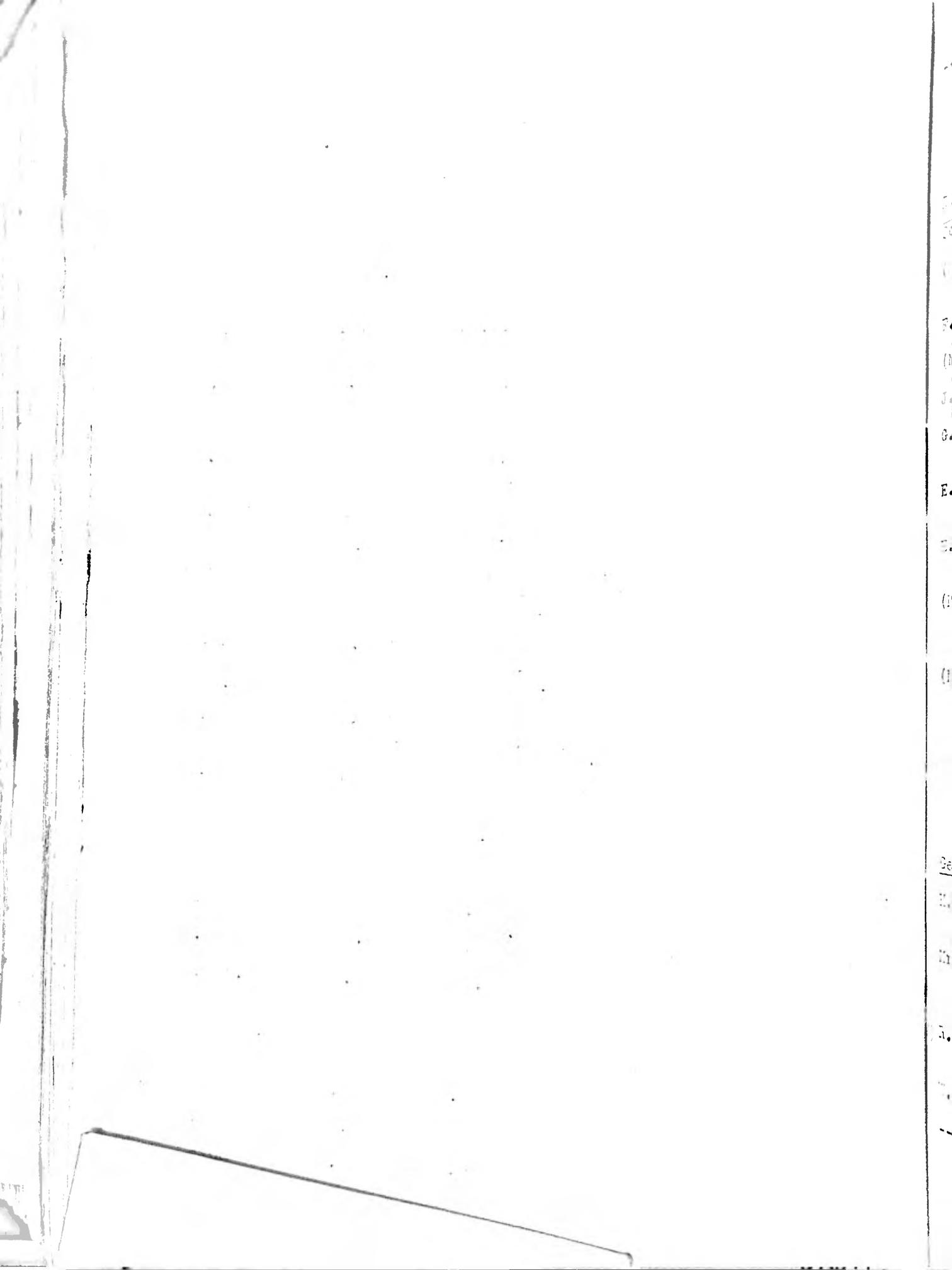
Name. (1).	Position (2).	Present salary & bonus. (3)	Position 1st April 1928.- Stabilized. (4).	Committee's recommendation. (5).
<u>Treasurer and Accountant's Department (contd.)</u>				
F. C. Goodman	Audit Clerk	£300.	£300.	£300.
R. H. Terry.	Junior Audit Clerk	£90.	£90.	£100.
P. Bevan	Rate Collector	£378.13.4.	£367.13.5.	£375.
E. Gregory	Rate Collector	£378.13.4.	£367.13.5.	£375.
S. E. George	Electricity Collector	£282.18.9.	£274. 2.9.	£280.
C. D. Frecker.	Cashier	£300.	£300.	£300.
E. C. Blurton	Clerk	£251.8.7.	£243.10.10.	£260.
R. C. Harris	Clerk	£195.	£195.	£200.
B. A. Tranter	Clerk	£200.	£200.	£200.
F. G. McIlm	Junior Clerk	£52.	£52.	£52.
F. Stuart	Warrant Officer	£182.	£182.	£195.
<u>Surveyor's Department -</u>				
P. T. Harrison	Engineer & Surveyor	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,050.
H. A. Newman	Deputy Engineer and Surveyor	£535.4.5d.	£523.6.2.	£535.
H. W. Melhuish	Chief Asst. Engineer	£353.15.9.	£345.11.5.	£360.
C. J. Read	Engineering Asst.	£250.	£250.	£250.
R. R. Hole	Engineering Asst.	£240.	£240.	£250.
C. L. Dewhirst.	Engineering Asst.	£312.	£312.	£312.
E. G. Thorp	Engineering Asst.	£382.4.0.	£382.4.0.	£382.4.0.
R. Browning	Street Works Assistant	£312.	£312.	£312.
A. S. Hamilton	Draughtsman	£156.	£156.	£182.
A. Griffiths	Plans Referencer	£156.	£156.	£156.



Name. (1)	Position. (2).	Present salary & bonus. (3).	Position 1st April 1928 - Stabilized. (4).	Committee's recommen- dation. (5).
<u>Surveyor's Department (contd.) -</u>				
H. Lawford	First Clerk	£350.16.1.	£340.18.1.	£350.
S. V. French	Second Clerk	£331.7.2.	322.15.8.	£335.
(C) T. Hall.	(Junior Clerk	(£65.0.0.	£65. 0. 0.	£70.
J. Iddenden.	General Clerk	£275.7.2.	£266.18.6.	£275.
(Miss) J. Stein.	Typist	£130.	£130.	£140.
(Miss) E. Andrews	Typist	£91.5.10.	£91.5.10.	£104.
(E) E. Taylor	Office Boy	£45.10.0.	£45.10.0.	£52.
R. F. Tabor	Outdoor Asst. & Chief Building Inspector	£325.	£325.	£340.
W. H. Burton	Outdoor Asst.	£255.11.5.	£247. 2. 1.	£250.
W. H. Fennell	Outdoor Asst.	£250.	£250.	£260.
A. H. Halstead	Housing Estates Manager	£250.	£250.	£260.
A. Bayliss	Road Foreman	£302.1.5.	£293. 2. 3.	£300.
T. J. Judge	Storekeeper and Yard Foreman	£234.	£234.	£234.
W. J. Davis	Stores Clerk	£196.14.2.	£189. 9. 8.	£200.
* F. Bailey	Sewage Works Manager	£300.	£300.	£320.
* W. J. Hall	Farm Clerk	£135.9.5.	£128. 2. 2.	£135.
(Mrs) Beale	Office Cleaner	£65.	£65.	£65.
	h = house, light and coal.			



Name.	Position.	Present salary & bonus.	Position 1st April 1928 - Stabilized.	Committee's recommendation
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<u>Public Health Department -</u>				
A. A. Turner	Medical Officer of Health	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000.
E. J. Franklin	Chief Sanitary Inspector	£510.7.8.	£499.2.11.	£510.
	) Duties outside)) Sanitary Officers)) Order, 1922)	£100.	£100.	£100.
P. J. Moore	Assistant Sanitary Inspector	£290.	£290.	£315.
J. Yates	Assistant Sanitary Inspector	£290.	£290.	£315.
(Miss) J. Hull.	Health Visitor & School Nurse (Uniform allowance £7.10s. per annum)	£250.	£250.	£250.
(Miss) W. Hudson	Health Visitor & School Nurse (Uniform allowance £7.10s. per annum)	£225.	£225.	£225.
(Miss) S. Hacking	Health Visitor & School Nurse (Uniform allowance £7.10s. per annum).	£205.	£205.	£215.
(Miss) G. Roberts	Creche Sister (Uniform allowance £5 per annum)	£60.	£60.	£70.
(Miss) N. Helmes	Creche Nurse (Uniform allowance £5 per annum)	£30.	£30.	£35.
(Miss) G. Batty.	Clerk)	£104.	£104.	£114.
(Miss) K. Nichol.	Clerk)	£127.	£127.	£137.
(Miss) C. Sprules	Junior Clerk	£39.	£39.	£45.10s. and that she be placed upon the permanent Staff.
<u>School Medical Department -</u>				
(Miss) J. Sharpe.	Clinic Nurse	£205.	£205.	£212.10s.
(Miss) J. Dinning	Clerk	£65.	£65.	£75.
R. S. Matthews	School Dentist	£500.	£500.	£525.



Name.	Position	Present salary & bonus	Position 1st April 1928 - Stabilized.	Committee's recommendation
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<u>Education Department -</u>				
Cogdale, J.	Secretary	(a) £641.15.6.	£628.18 11.	£650.
(Miss) D. Liddington	First Asst.	£224.16.1.	£219. 4.10.	£230.
F.R.Carpenter	Clerk	£175.12.6.	£169. 5. 0.	£180.
(Miss) L.Day.	Junior Clerk	£130.	£130.	£140.
J. Salmon	Office Boy.	£32.10.0.	£32.10.0.	£39.
G. Froome.	Supt. Attendance Officer	£343. 9.2.	£534.11.9.	£350.
E. Gill.	Attendance Officer	£231. 3. 9.	£224.0. 7,	£230.
E. Gilbert	Attendance Officer	(b) £227.15.11.	£221.16.3.	£230
(Miss) J. Sharpe	School Medical Service	£205.	£205.	£205.
(and uniform allowance of £7.10s.per annum)				
(Miss) J. Dinning.	do.	£65.	£65.	£65.

(a) Plus £75 provided by Middlesex Education Authority in respect of Higher Education.

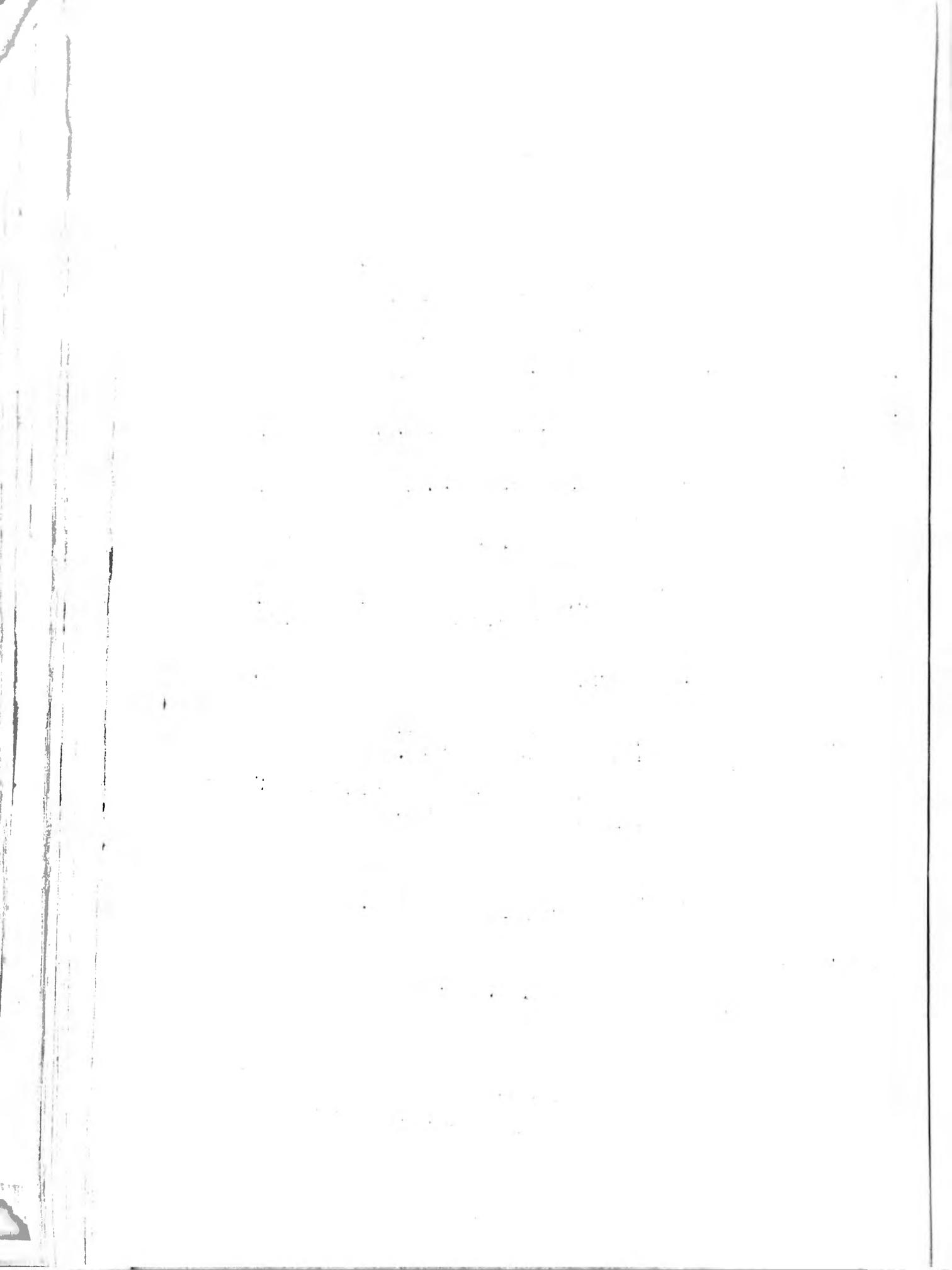
(b) Allowance of £30 for work in connexion with Employment of Children By-Laws included.

General -

H. Hanson	Chief Officer of Fire Brigade	£259.15.4.	£251.9.0.	£252.
Mr. & Mrs. Rice.	Joint Caretakers of Council Offices.	£194. 4.10.	£187.1.6.	£200.
(T) H. Parsons.	Telephone Operator	£156.	£156.	£156.
W. Applin	Messenger	£179.4.11.	£172.7.3.	£184.

(T) denotes Temporary Staff.

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2. SALARY - CHIEF SANITARY INSPECTOR -

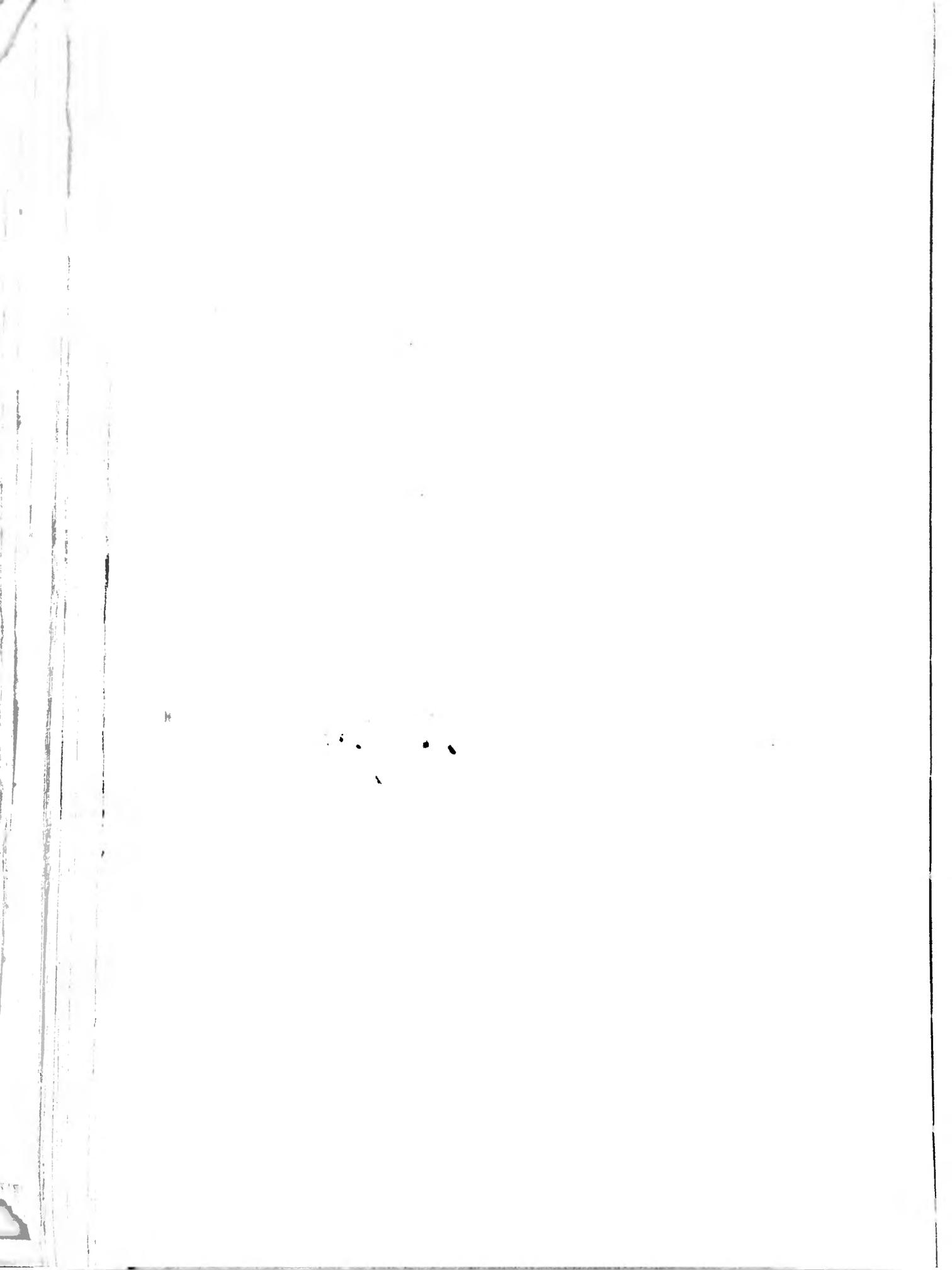
RECOMMENDED that application be made to the Ministry of Health for the approval of the salary of £510 per annum fixed by the Council as the salary of Mr. E. J. Franklin as Chief Sanitary Inspector as and from 1st April 1928, in lieu of present salary and bonus amounting to £510.7.8d. per annum for the said Office.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.

This (together with the six preceding pages) is the report of the General Purposes Committee referred to in paragraph 1514 of the Council Minutes of the 30th January 1928.

E. J. Franklin
Chairman.

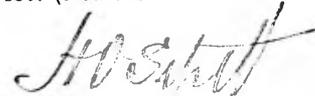


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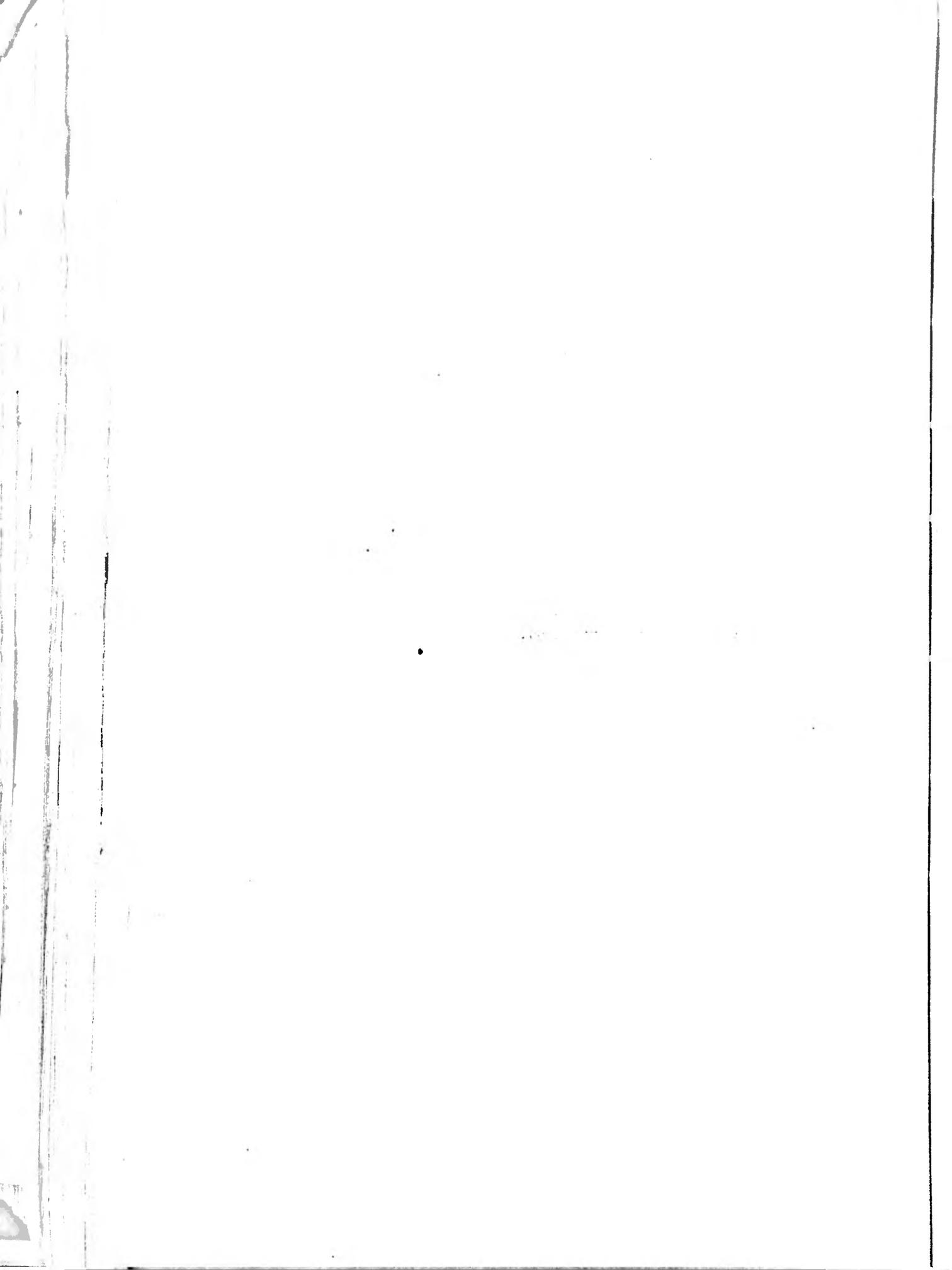
- (b) to the deletion of the particulars relating to Miss J. Sharpe and Miss J. Dinning contained in page 6 of the report;
- (c) to " £215 " being substituted for " £212 10s." in column (5) against the particulars relating to the Clinic Nurse in the School Medical Department.

1515 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Sommerfield voting against Minute No. 1507 (New Motor Fire Engine—Purchase of)).


Chairman.

27th February 1928.



**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

6th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent, Bowen, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Pateman and Wells (non-members).

1516 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1517 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the addition of the following item under the heading "Recreation Ground":—

Fencing shrubbery ... £20.

Annexed

1518 ESTIMATES—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—The above were considered, and referred to the Finance Committee.

1519 TOWN PLANNING.—

(a) Scheme No. 1—Claigmar Vineyard and Hervey Close.— A letter dated the 21st January, 1928, was submitted from the owners of premises in Hervey Close stating that they had learned with apprehension that the Council had purchased part of the old vinery adjacent to the Power House, and asking for an assurance that the Council, having regard to the representations contained in the communication, would respect the residential character of the locality, and would not themselves use or permit others to use Hervey Close as a thoroughfare for vehicles for industrial purposes;

RECOMMENDED that in reply the Clerk be instructed:—

(1) to explain that the Council have purchased a portion of the area known as Claigmar Vineyard for the purposes of their Electricity Undertaking and a Central Depôt, but that the land owned by the Council is neither contiguous to Hervey Close nor dependent thereon for communication purposes;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (2) to point out that the portion of Claigmar Vineyard which on the one side abuts on Hervey Close and on the opposite side is bounded by the land owned by the Council is scheduled for residential purposes;
- (3) to express regret that the Council have no power to restrict the user of Hervey Close either as a private street or as a highway repairable by the inhabitants at large.

(b) Scheme No. 2.—

- (i) Christ's College.—The Committee had under consideration a letter received from the County Solicitor stating that the observations contained in his letter of the 30th December, 1927, relative to Woodhouse Central School (summarised in paragraph 1355 (e) (ii) of the Committee's last report) applied equally to Christ's College, and that he would be glad to have an assurance that the County Council had a free hand as regards any buildings considered necessary by them for educational purposes, or alternatively, that the property would be re-allocated under the Town Planning Scheme for such purposes;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the consent of the Ministry of Health, the Preliminary Statement and Map No. 2, so far as they relate to the property known as Christ's College, be modified so as to permit of the user of the land for educational purposes.

- (ii) Land by St. Margaret's Avenue.—A letter dated the 24th January, 1928, was submitted from the Totteridge Lane Freehold Land Company, Limited, stating that arising out of negotiations with the Surveyor it was understood that in consideration of their surrendering the land coloured green on the plan accompanying the communication the Council would:—

- (1) allow shops or other business premises to be erected on the land coloured pink on such plan;

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,
6TH FEBRUARY, 1928

REQUISITION - 9TH FEBRUARY TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

ESTIMATE.	2191 0 0
EXTRA ITEMS:- Pavilion, Putting Green) and Glebe land entrance.)	375 0 0

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"0" = expended or on order.

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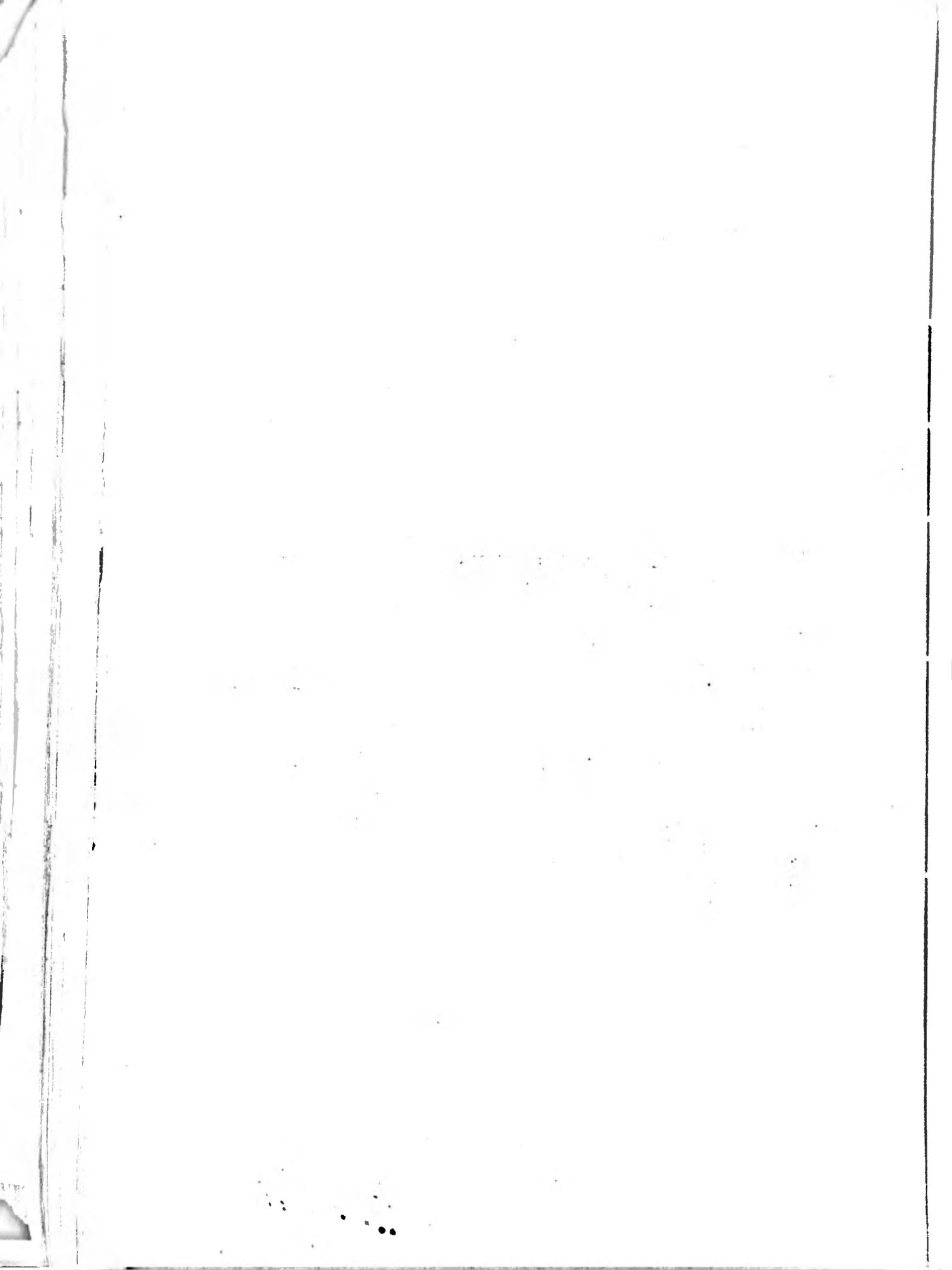
Req. No.	Item No.				
<u>RECREATION GROUND.</u>					
998	1	Wages.	67	0	0
999	3	Overhaul and repair 30" motor mower.	9	7	6
1000	5	Overhaul and repair 12" mower. (Estd)	2	10	0
1001		Sundry small tools.	1	18	11
1002		Water.	1	10	0
1003	8	12 packets flower seeds, 2 doz. rose trees.	1	14	0
1004		3 loads manure.	1	10	0
1005		1 ton coke.	1	16	8
1006	13	New gully.	3	0	0
			-----	90	7 1
<u>OTHER OPEN SPACES.</u>					
1007	17	Wages - Cherry Tree Wood.	25	0	0
1008	21	Water - Do.	1	9	5
1009	24	Water and gas, and wages at convenience, Arden Playing Fields.	2	12	0
1010	25	Shrubbery, Arden Playing Fields.	17	0	0
1011		Vale Farm Cottage - sundry repairs.	1	15	0
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST FEBRUARY, 1928.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1517 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 6th February 1928.

H. O. Spill
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

- (2) allow cellar flaps to be fixed on the land surrendered, subject to approval as regards size and construction;
- (3) bear the cost of water, gas and electric services across the land surrendered either by carrying out the work within one month of the Company's request or by repayment to the Company of the cost of that section of the work;
- (4) fill up the land so surrendered as aforesaid and pave same at their own expense on completion of the shops or within one month of notice being given by the Company requesting the Council so to do;
- (5) allow garages to be erected on the land coloured yellow on the plan;
- (6) make no apportionment against the Company for private street works charges in St. Margaret's Avenue in respect of the 20ft. strip at the entrance thereto to be surrendered for widening the Great North Road (but as regards the 5ft. return strip to St. Margaret's Avenue proposed to be surrendered, the Company to pay their proportion of the usual charges for making up St. Margaret's Avenue to 40ft. in width);
- (7) bear the cost of a Conveyance of the land surrendered and of any agreement embodying the above terms;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the action taken by the Surveyor in negotiating the matter be approved;
- (2) that items (1) and (5) above set forth be approved, subject to the elevations being to the satisfaction of the Council;
- (3) that the remaining items be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee and to the Finance Committee for consideration and report;

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

(4) that, subject to the approval of those Committees, the Clerk be instructed to prepare an Interim Development Order and any other necessary documents in the matter.

- (c) Barnet Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme.—The Clerk reported receipt of notice that the Ministry of Health would hold an Inquiry at the Council Offices, Barnet, on the 23rd instant, into an application for approval of the Preliminary Statement of proposals for development in connexion with the above Scheme. The Clerk and the Surveyor were instructed to attend such Inquiry as this Council's representatives and to make representations as to Brookside Walk, Open Spaces and other matters indicated at the meeting;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (d) Friern Barnet Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme.—

Allotments—Woodhouse.—At the request of the Chairman of the Allotments Committee, the Committee discussed the advisability of asking the Friern Barnet Urban District Council to schedule the above land for "Allotments or Open Spaces" instead of for residential purposes;

RECOMMENDED that the Authority named be asked so to modify their Preliminary Statement.

- (e) Allotments—General.—

RECOMMENDED that at the draft stage of each Scheme the several areas of land at present earmarked as permanent allotments be scheduled for purposes of "Allotments or Open Spaces."

- (f) North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee.—The Chairman of the Committee submitted summary of a report (circulated) on Open Spaces, which was presented at the last meeting of the above Joint Committee by the Town Planning consultants.

Amended.

Report on Open Spaces

submitted to Town Planning and Open Spaces
Committee - 6th February, 1928.

At the last meeting of the Joint Committee the Report of the Consultants on Open Spaces was considered, a summary of which is given hereunder:-

"The great majority of the existing public open spaces take the form of local parks and recreation grounds, and the need is now for a regional system of open spaces. The formulation of a programme for the gradual building-up of a proper system of open spaces is quite practicable, especially as it is now possible to earmark suitable sites well in advance before the land has acquired a building value.

In such a region as North Middlesex the need for a regional system of open spaces and for a regional policy for securing them is outstandingly clear. For owing to the almost completely built-up character of the inner zone and the rapidly becoming built-up condition of the suburban zone, it is impossible to make adequate provision for the open space requirements of every constituent local authority within its own area, and, consequently, if these requirements are to be satisfied some comprehensive scheme must be evolved by which open spaces - particularly the larger reservations - are 'pooled' for the benefit of the whole region."

Proposals before the Joint Committee for the reservation of land for open spaces were as follows:-

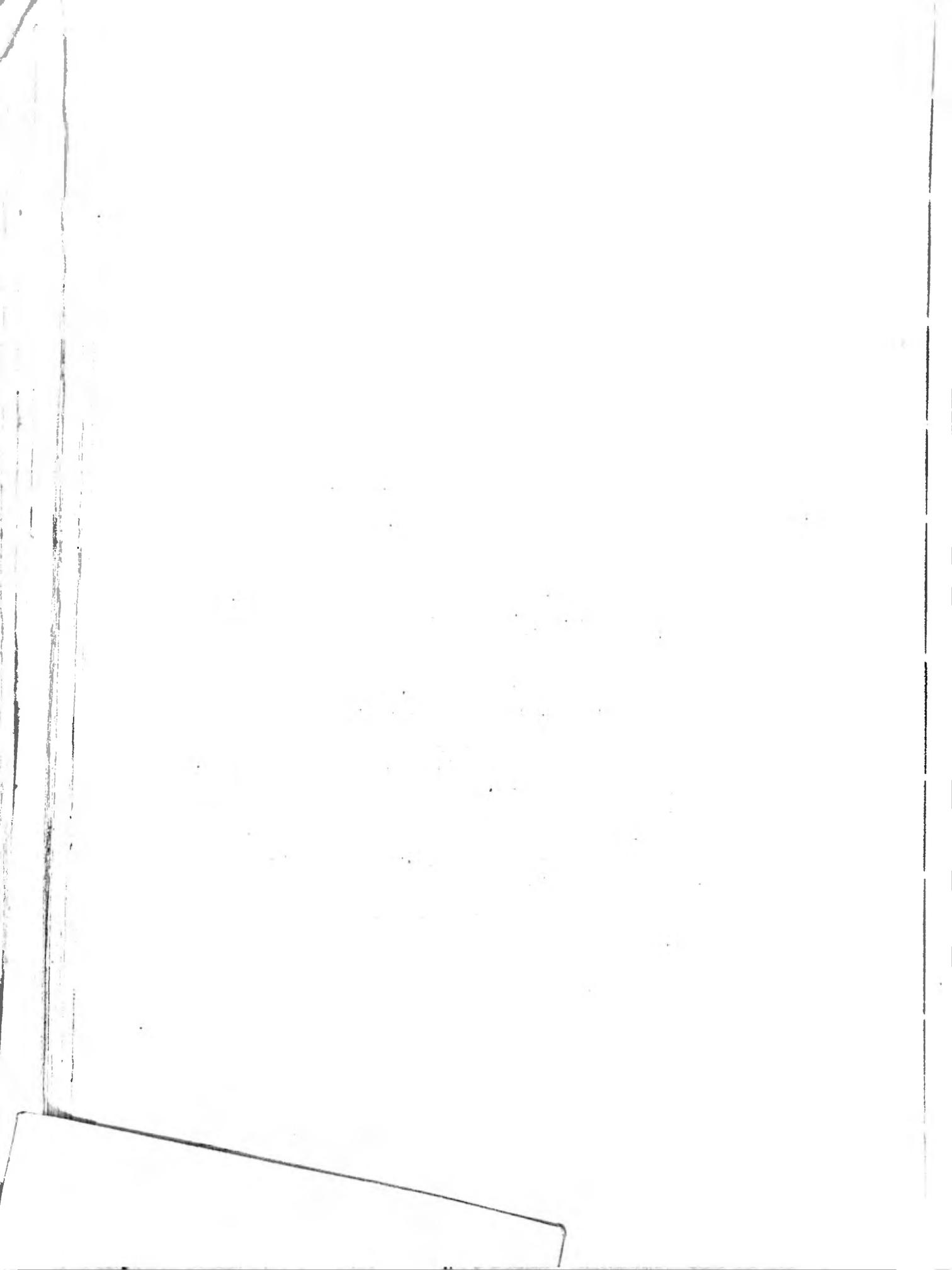
- Small Playgrounds for young children.
- Recreation grounds and playing fields for organised games.
- Local parks and public gardens.
- Large natural reservations.

Of the above, the provision of small playgrounds and parks is primarily a matter for individual Local Authorities, but the Joint Committee consider that they should RECOMMEND

Accepted standards as to the requisite acre per head of the population,

and accordingly suggested that in urban areas Local Authorities should aim to have at least five acres of public open space per thousand of the population. The five acres should be apportioned as follows:-

Small playgrounds for children under 14 -	1/3 acres.
Playing fields -	2-2/3 "
Local parks -	2 "
Total area per 1000 inhabitants	<u>5 "</u>



The provision of playing fields in the North Middlesex region is to a large extent a regional question, because in many districts it is impossible to obtain an adequate area of land. The best means of providing open spaces and playing fields appears, therefore, to be by reservation in continuous belts of land on the boundaries of the several urban districts.

The Joint Committee RECOMMEND

- (1) That golf courses and private parks should be scheduled in local town planning schemes as private open spaces, by agreement with the owners.
- (2) The reservation of park strips along the banks of streams.

In this latter connection it is to be hoped that Hendon and Finchley will continue the Brook side walk to the boundary of the Hertfordshire region. Other suggested reservations are:

The Lea Valley.
Pymme's Brook. (East Barnet - New Southgate).
Mimshall Brook. (South Mimms)
Dean's Brook. (Burnt Oak - Edgware)
The Upper Brent Valley. (Billesden - Wembley - Kingsbury)
Yeading Brook. (Pinner - Harrow).

Inasmuch as the larger natural reservations will be for the benefit of the whole region and also for the benefit of Londoners living outside the region, it is quite clear that the local authorities in whose districts these open spaces must perforce be located cannot be expected to bear more than a small proportion of the cost. To meet this situation it will be essential to establish some kind of regional fund to which contributions should be made not only by the constituent local authorities and the County Council (who already make grants of 25% towards the acquisition of open spaces) but also by the London County Council, the Metropolitan Boroughs and the City Corporation.

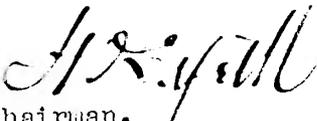
There appear to be certain difficulties to be overcome in adopting such a course but we believe that they can be surmounted and that it is essential that they should be surmounted. In view of the fact that interests extending beyond the boundaries of the region itself are involved,

WE RECOMMEND - that the Greater London Joint Committee should be urged to give the matter immediate consideration.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the summary of report referred to in paragraph 1519 (f) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 6th February 1928.


Chairman.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

1520 METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD ACT, 1921—CHERRY TREE WOOD OPEN SPACE.—A letter dated the 5th December, 1927, was submitted from the Surveyor of the Metropolitan Water Board stating, with reference to paragraph 1171 of this Committee's report of the 5th December, 1927, that he understood that the Board's Contractors desired to carry out as much main laying as possible during the summer months, but were prepared to leave this portion to the end of the Contract and to carry out the work during the autumn;

RECOMMENDED that the Board be asked not to commence operations in the Open Space before the 30th September, 1928.

1521 VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND—BOWLING GREEN.—After consideration of letters dated the 31st January and 1st February, 1928, from the Finchley Victoria Bowling Club, it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the terms on which the Club had the exclusive use during last season of rinks Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the use, in common with the public, of rinks Nos. 5 and 6 be applicable during the forthcoming season;
- (2) that the Club be informed that provision has been made in the estimates for the ensuing financial year for the installation of an additional fifty lockers in the pavilion and that the rent to be charged therefor will be 2/6 a locker for the season;
- (3) that the green be open for play from Saturday, the 28th April, 1928, until Saturday, the 6th October, 1928, inclusive, weather and the condition of the green permitting.

1522 PREMISES—42-44, THE BROADWAY, CHURCH END.—The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. A. Robert Bowles stating that his client, the owner of the above premises, was anxious to bring forward his shop fronts to a line drawn between the outside of two pilasters which extended, one on either side of the premises, some three feet in front of the existing shop fronts;

RECOMMENDED that the proposal be disapproved.

1523 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

1524 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

Annexed. **RECOMMENDED** that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report:—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6346	One house	Hutton Grove	Mr. W. J. Smith.
✓ 6347	Garage	18, St. Margaret's Avenue	Mr. F. H. Marlow.
✓ 6351	Alterations to form garage	108, Holden Road	Mr. K. Macdonald.
✓ 6352	One house	Plot 594A, Middleway	Mr. L. C. Gibson.
✓ 6353	New store and garage	Rear of 135, Long Lane	Mr. W. Calkin.
✓ 6355	Additional lavatory accommodation	Essex House, Ballards Lane	Clark's College, Ltd.
✓ 6356	Conversion of houses into flats	Nos. 2, 30 and 32, Chandos Road	Mr. H. Bassant.
✓ 6357	Garage	14, Essex Park	Mr. A. Ibbetson.
✓ 6358	Six houses	Hill Top	The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
✓ 6359	Garage	2, Woodberry Gardens	Mr. E. J. Cleaver.
✓ 6360	Tool shed	Wharfedale, Swan Lane	Mr. E. Lofthouse.
✓ 6361	Shelter	Rear of Grove Villas, Regents Park Rd.	Mr. W. Ashby.
✓ 6362	One house	The Bishop's Avenue, adjoining "Heathfield"	Mr. G. D. Roberts.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

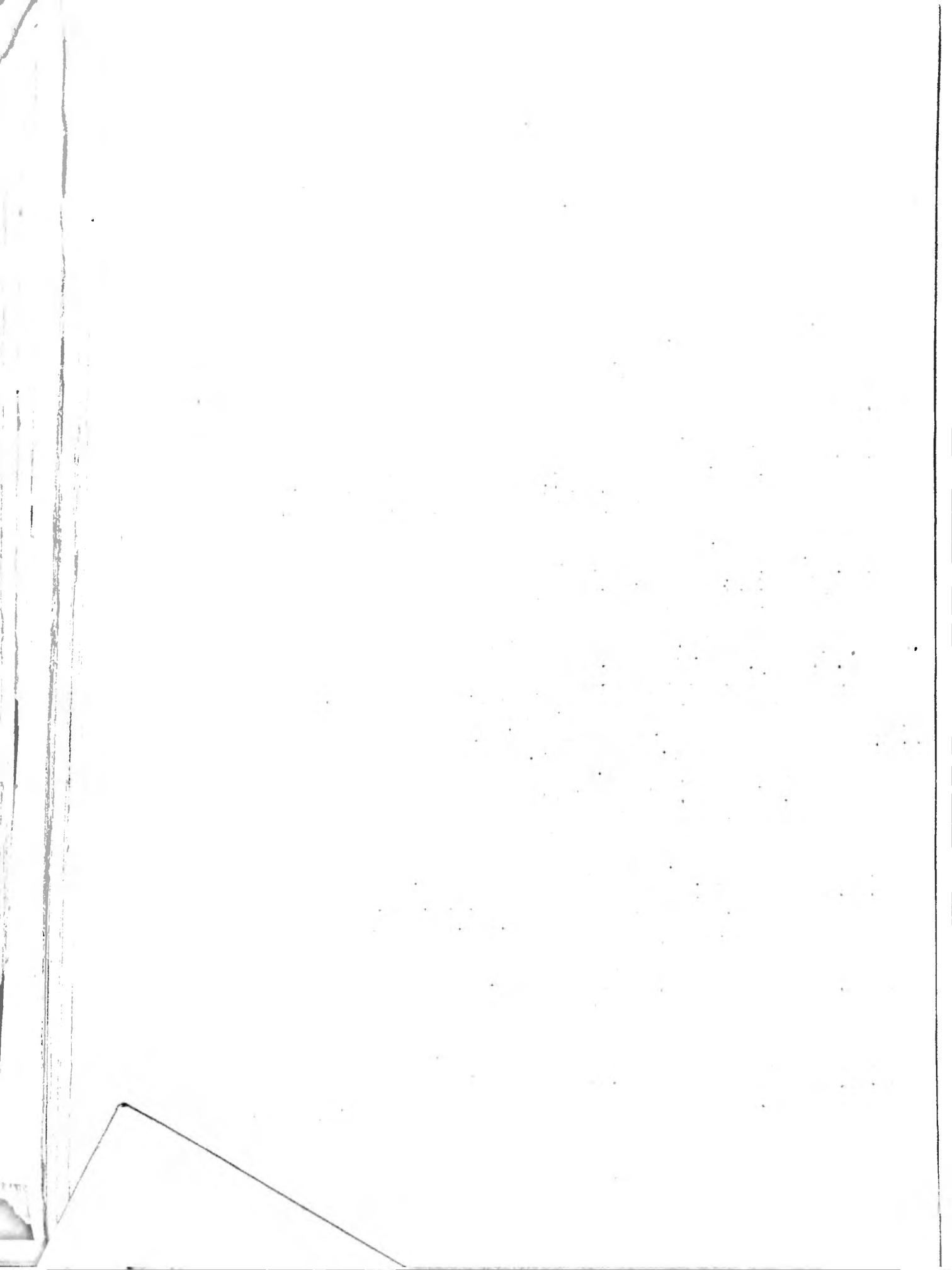
6TH JANUARY, 1928.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 16 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES.	6
GARAGES.	5
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	2
MISCELLANEOUS.	5

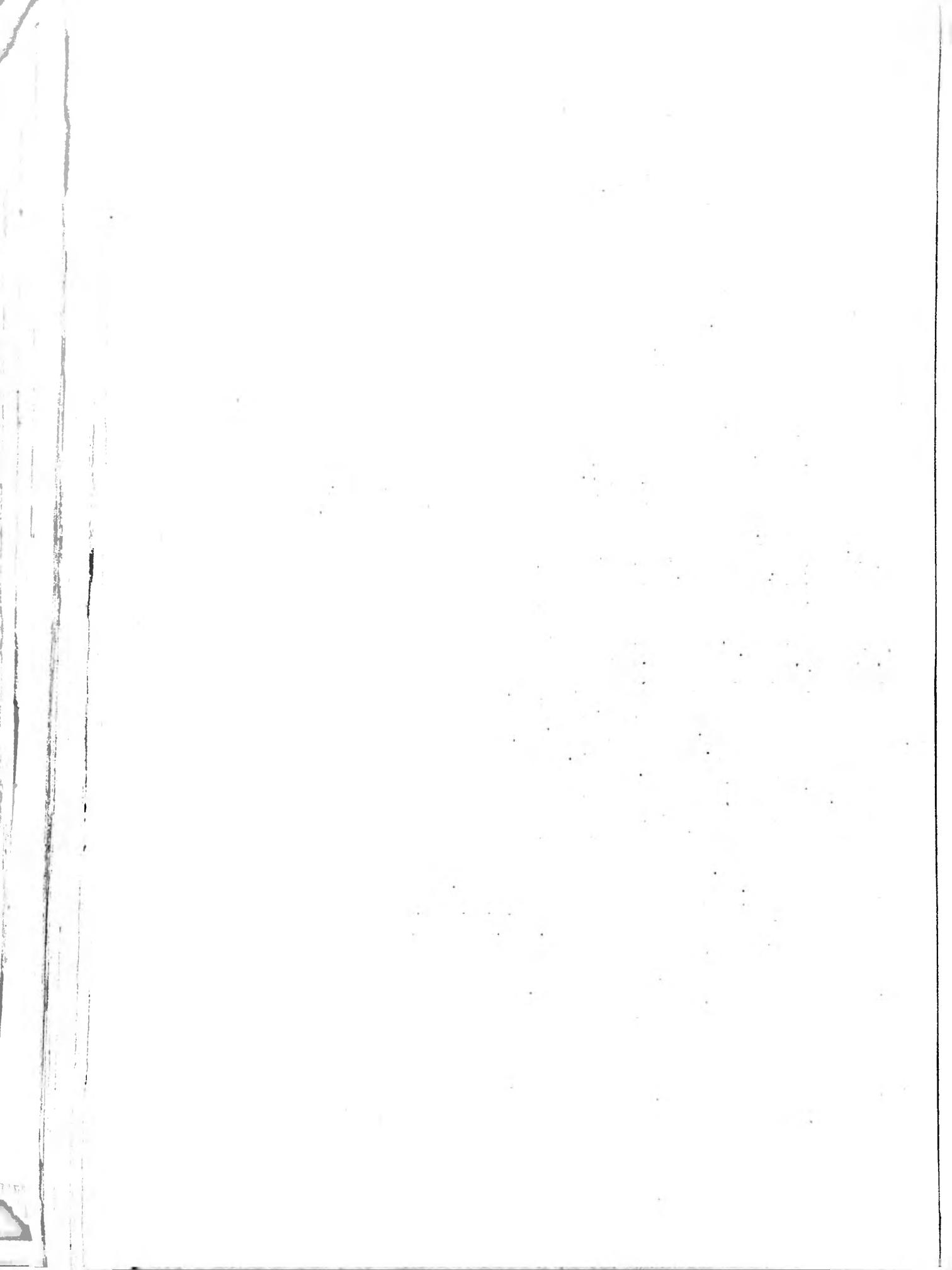
- 6346 ✓
18.1.28. One house.
Hutton Grove.
Mr. W. J. Smith.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting, is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
6347. ✓
12.1.28. Garage.
18, St. Margaret's Avenue.
Mr. F. H. Marlow.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6351. ✓
28.1.28. Alterations to form garage.
108, Holden Road.
Mr. K. Macdonald.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting, is now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
6352. ✓
11.1.28. One house.
Plot 594A, Middleway.
Mr. L. C. Gibson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6353. ✓
14.1.28. New store and garage.
Near of 135, Long Lane.
Mr. W. Calkin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6355. ✓
18.1.28. External sanitary accommodation.
Essex House, Ballards Lane.
Clerks' College, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6356. ✓
19.1.28. Conversion of houses into flats.
Nos. 2, 30 and 32, Chandos Road.
Mr. H. Bassant.
This work has already been carried out and the plans have been submitted following a request for same from this department. The plan MAY BE APPROVED.



- 6357 ✓
21.1.28. Garage.
14, Essex Park
Mr. A. Ibbetson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6359.
28.1.28. Garage.
2, Woodberry Gardens.
Mr. E. J. Cleaver.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6360. ✓
30.1.28. Tool shed.
Wharfedale, Swan Lane.
Mr. A. Lothouse.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6361.
28.1.28. Shelter.
Rear of Grove Villas, Regents Park Road.
Mr. W. Ashby.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED
- 6362
30.1.28. One house.
The Bishop's Avenue, adjoining "Heathfield".
Mr. G. D. Roberts.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6363 ✓
31.1.28. Coal house and tool house, with additional bedroom
over.
"Kilbrogan", Dollis Avenue.
Mr. B. H. Wright.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6364 ✓
31.1.28. 2 garages.
Between 13 & 15, St. Margaret's Avenue.
No.15 - Mr. C. Griffiths.
No.13 - Mr. Webber.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6365. ✓
31.1.28. 2 houses.
Claremont Park. (Nos. 26 and 28.)
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6366. ✓
27.1.28. One house.
No.11, Friern Watch Avenue.
Mr. A. P. Brokeir.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

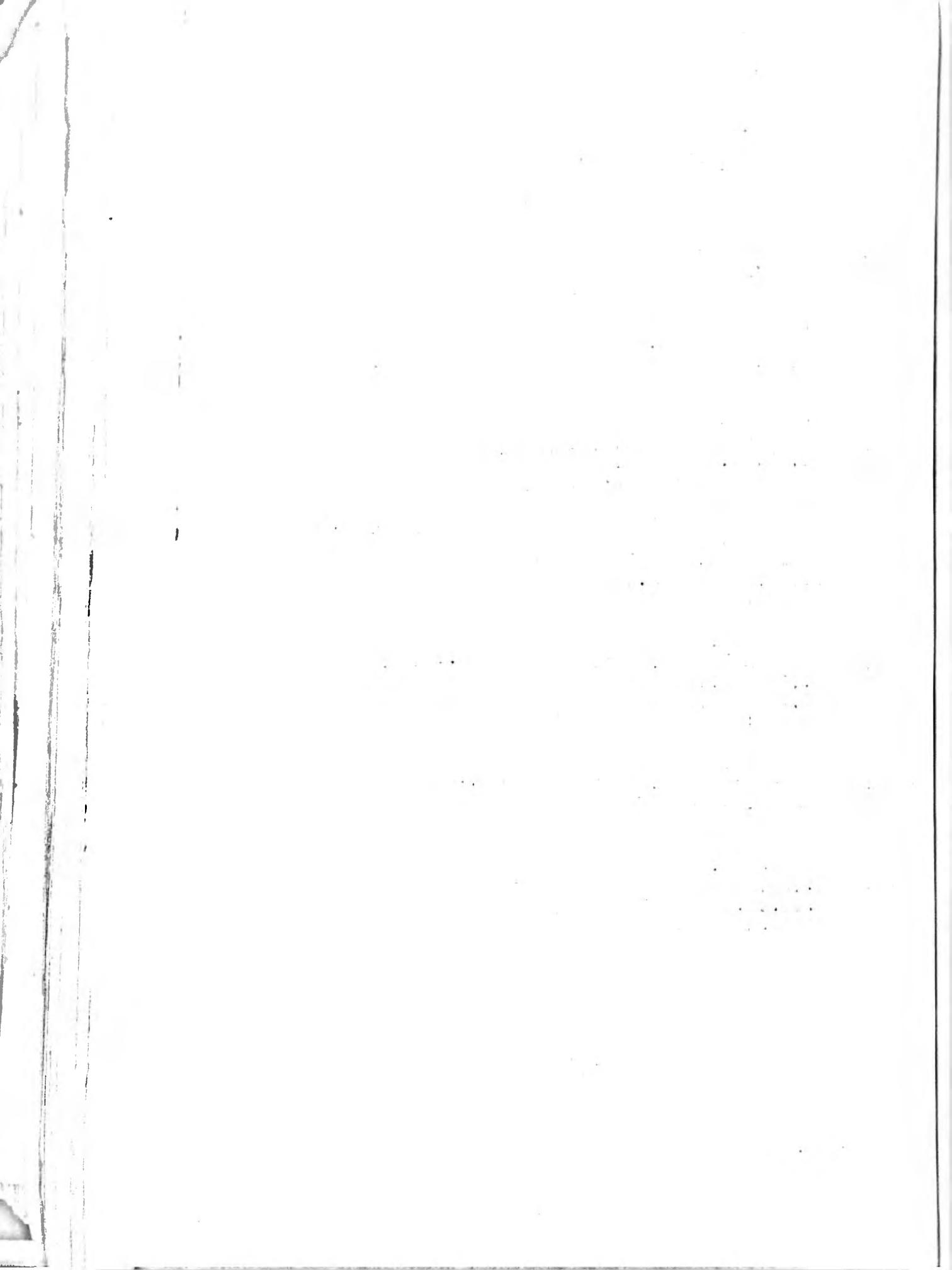
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21.1.28. Garage.
14, Essex Park
Mr. A. Ibbetson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6359.
28.1.28. Garage.
2, Woodberry Gardens.
Mr. E. J. Cleaver.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
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30.1.28. Tool shed.
Sharfedale, Swan Lane.
Mr. A. Lothouse.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6361.
28.1.28. Shelter.
Rear of Grove Villas, Regents Park Road.
Mr. W. Ashby.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED
- 6362 ✓
30.1.28. One house.
The Bishop's Avenue, adjoining "Heathfield".
Mr. G. D. Roberts.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6363 ✓
31.1.28. Coal house and tool house, with additional bedroom
over.
"Kilbrogan", Dollis Avenue.
Mr. B. H. Wright.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6364 ✓
31.1.28. 2 garages.
Between 13 & 15, St. Margaret's Avenue.
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

1ST FEBRUARY, 1928.



TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

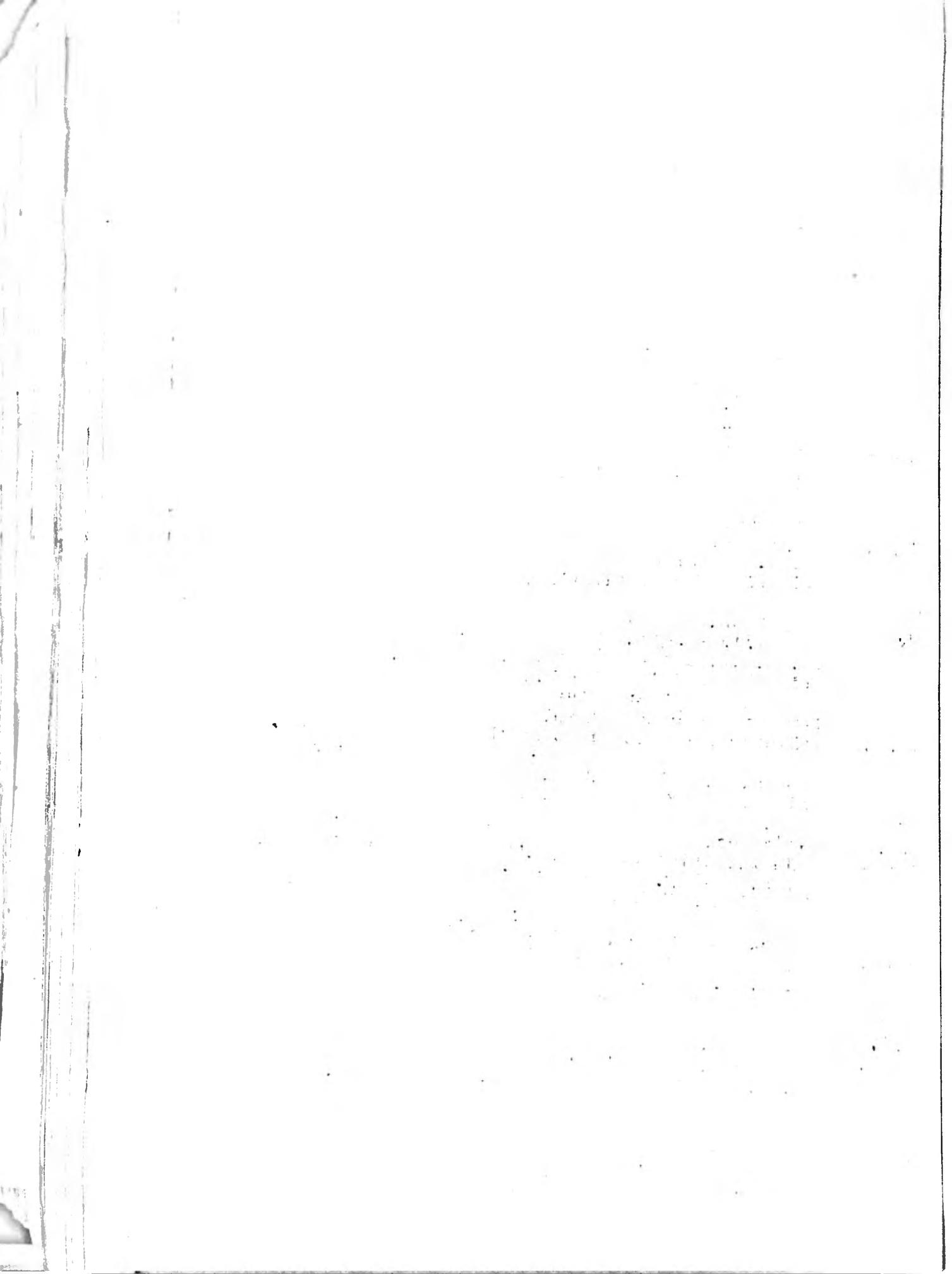
6TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 10 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES.	18
CARAGES.	7
NEW WAREHOUSE AND SHOP.	1
MISCELLANEOUS.	1

6358. ✓ 6 houses.
27.1.28. Hill Top.
The Oakwood Tenants, Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6367 ✓ 2 houses.
1. 2.28. Middleway.
Mr. H. Lawrance.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6368 ✓ 2 garages.
2.2.28. 24, Village Road.
Mr. W.W.S. Legge and Mrs. M. E. Legge.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6369 ✓ New warehouse and shops.
2. 2.28. Ballards Lane and Great North Road, near Tally Ho!
Corner.
Messrs. W. Jelks & Sons.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6371 ✓ Tool shed.
2. 2.28. Petrol Service Station, High Road, North Finchley.
Mr. E. Dudley.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6372 ✓ 5 lock-up garages, sheds, etc.
3. 2.28. 55, Market Place, East Finchley
Mr. G. A. Oram.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6373 ✓ One house.
3. 2.28. High Road, Whetstone.
Mr. C. Elgar.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
- 6374 ✓ 4 houses.
4. 2.28. Claremont Park.
Messrs. Aird & Baldwin.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



6375^l
4. 2.28. 4 houses.
Ridgeway.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

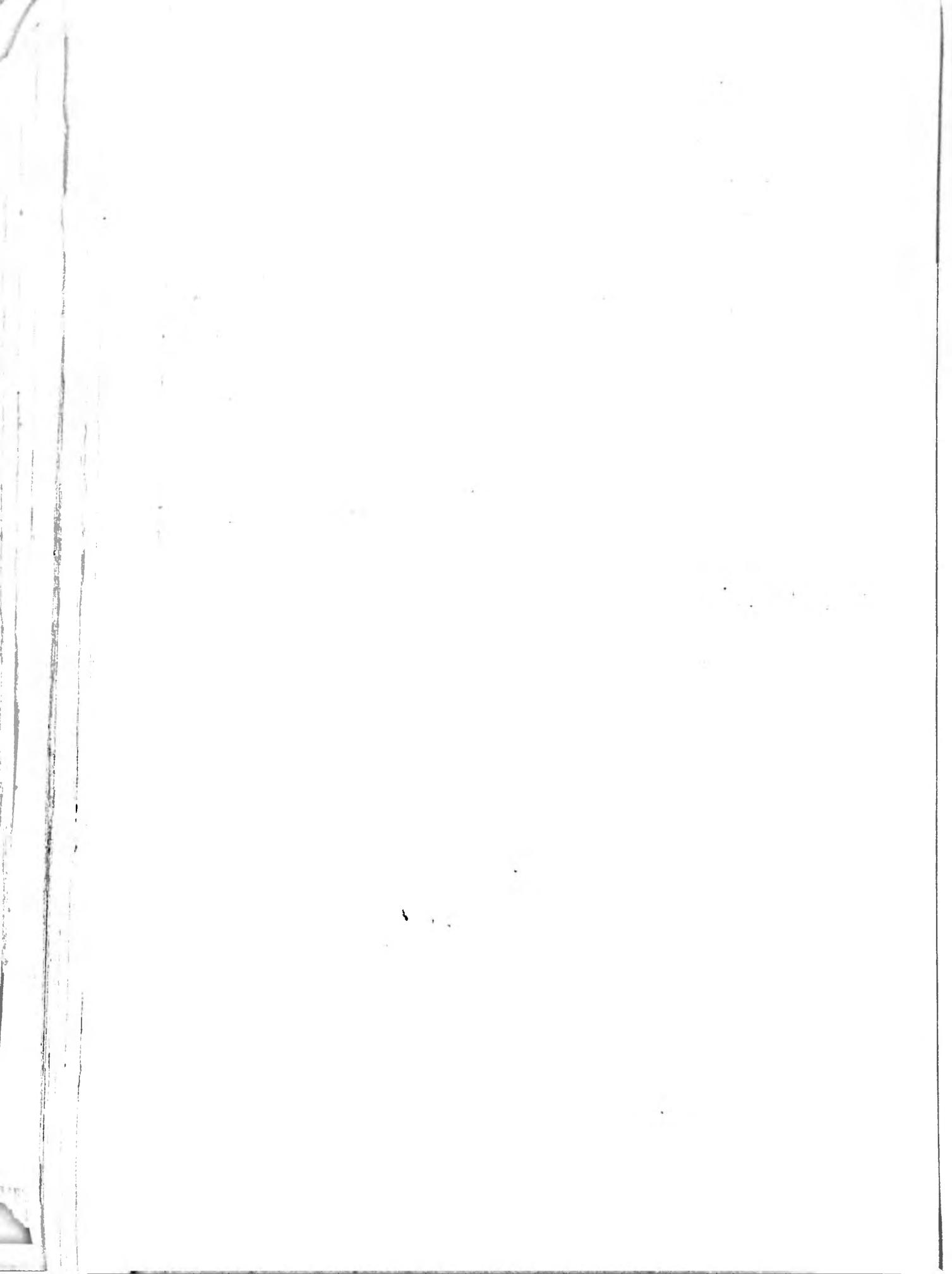
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4. 2.28. Bungalow.
Swan Lane, Whetstone.
Mr. G. Berriman.
The owner of the land has promised to set back his front fence 20 feet from the centre of Swan Lane and in addition to keep the building back a further distance of 10 feet. In the Town Planning Scheme, the Ministry recommends that the building line along this frontage should conform with that of the new houses to the south thereof.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

6TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph 1524 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's Report of the 6th February 1928.

J. Burdett
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6363	Alterations and additions	Kilbrogan, Dollis Avenue	Mr. B. H. Wright.
✓ 6364	Two garages	13 and 15, St. Margaret's Avenue	No. 15—Mr. C. Griffiths. No. 13—Mr. Webber.
✓ 6365	Two houses	Claremont Park (Nos. 26 and 28)	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6366	One house — Re-construction after fire	11, Friern Watch Avenue	Mr. A. P. Brokeir.
✓ 6367	Two houses	Middleway	Mr. H. Lawrance.
✓ 6368	Two garages	24, Village Road	Mr. W. W. S. Legge
✓ 6369	New warehouse and shops	Ballards Lane and Great North Rd., near Tally Ho! Corner	Messrs. W. Jelks and Sons.
✓ 6371	Tool shed	Petrol Service Station, High Road, North Finchley	Mr. E. Dudley.
✓ 6372	Five lock-up garages, sheds, etc.	55, Market Place, East Finchley	Mr. G. A. Oram.
✓ 6374	Four houses	Claremont Park	Messrs. Aird and Baldwin.
✓ 6375	Four houses	Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
✓ 6376	Bungalow	Swan Lane, Whetstone	Mr. G. Berriman.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plan be **DISAPPROVED** for the reason stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
6373	One house	High Road, Whetstone	Mr. C. Elgar.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

7th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Pateman, Pike, Ryan, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillors Knowlman, Wade, and Wells (non-members).

1525 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1526 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1527 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the four weeks ended 28th January, 1928, was submitted and approved. *Annexed*

1528 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 7th February, 1928, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Briant, Pike, and Ryan, and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing, and Mrs. Reeves.

(a) ESTIMATES.—The Sub-Committee's estimates for the year ending 31st March, 1929, were considered and referred to the full Committee.

(b) CENTRAL CONSULTATIVE ANTE-NATAL CLINIC.—The Medical Officer of Health submitted a letter dated 24th January, 1928, from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, drawing attention to the activities of the Central Consultative Ante-Natal Clinic of the County Council, and inviting this Council to make use of the Clinic. The Medical Officer of Health reported fully on the matter, and it was ultimately decided that it was unnecessary for this Council to participate in the Scheme.

J. BROADBENT,
Chairman.

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

1529 ESTIMATES.—The Committee's estimates for the year ending 31st March, 1929, were considered and referred to the Finance Committee.

Unrevised 1530 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:—

1531 WATER SUPPLY—11, EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, FORTIS GREEN.—The Inspector reported that the water supply to the above dwelling-house and shop had been disconnected on account of non-payment of Water Rate;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to write the owner of the premises requiring him to provide a proper and sufficient water supply thereto under Section 23 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908, and failing compliance that he take proceedings for recovery of the penalties thereunder.

1532 MILK & DAIRIES AMENDMENT ACT, 1922—MILK AND DAIRIES ORDER, 1926.—The Inspector reported that an application had been received from Richard Norman Uren, of Pursley Farm, Shenley, Barnet, to be registered as a retail purveyor of milk within this district;

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

1533 UNSOUND FOOD.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

1534 PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871/1926 — APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.—

(a) James William Halliwell and Fred Greenwood, Hillview Works, East End Road.—The Inspector reported that the above applicants were already licensed to keep 1½ cwts. of carbide of calcium at the above premises, and suggested that a new licence be granted for a period of four months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 1s. 8d. be charged;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 7TH. FEBRUARY, 1928.

REQUISITIONS - 28TH. FEBRUARY TO 26TH. MARCH, 1928. DICTATIVE.

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost.			Amt. of Amt. of Req. Est. already passed.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>							
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>							
75.	4 shoes for mare.		10.	0.)	52.	33.	5. 0.
76.	1 new pair reins.	1.	6.	0.)			
77.	½ cwt. bran.		5.	0.)			
78.	1 dozen pkts. glitto.		2.	8.)	80.	52.	2. 3.
79.	1 washleather.		7.	6.)			
80.	1 - 18 inch. "Stillson" wrench.		3.	6.)	25.	13.	3. 0.
81.	Repairs to guttering - caretaker's quarters.	5.	0.	0.)			
			7.	19. 6.)			

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>							
82.	Gas - Xmas Qtr.		4.	4. 9.)	80.	52.	2. 3.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

REQUISITION - 9TH FEBRUARY TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

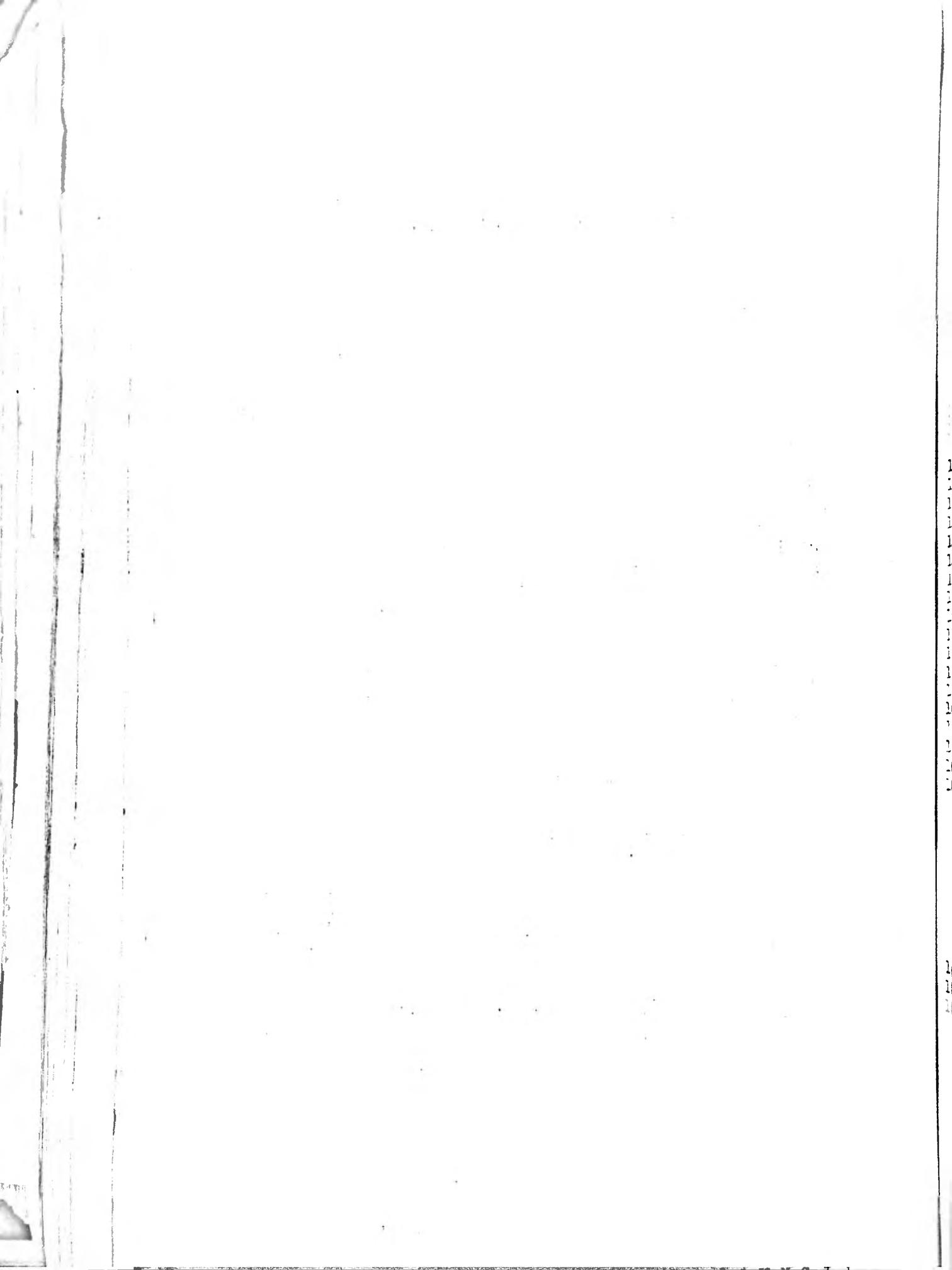
ESTIMATE	9378	0	0	
LESS REFUSE COLLECTION.	5816	0	0	
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"0" = expended or on order.

		REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	7568	16	5	
		LESS UNIFORMS AND REFUSE				
		COLLECTION.	4850	18	8	
			-----			2717 17 9
1012	1	Disinfectants - transfer from stores.	3	8	0	
1013	3	FLUSHING - team labour.	31	0	0	
1014	4	Do. - water.	10	0	0	
1015	5	Do - wages.	30	0	0	
1016	6	TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS - wages.	50	0	0	
1017	7	Repairs to sewers.	50	0	0	
1018	8	Transfer from stores, waste, etc.	2	0	0	
10		<u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>				
1019		Wages.	100	0	0	
1020		Electricity.	70	12	7	
1021	0	Repairs to motor.	7	12	0	
1022	0	2 pairs bearings.	2	15	0	
1023		Electric hand lamp, flex, wall) plug, socket and switch.)	1	2	0	
1024		260 gals. petroleum.	9	15	0	
1025		5 gals. engine oil.		16	3	
1026		Overhaul engines.	2	10	0	
1027	0	Repair water valve pipes.		3	0	
		<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>				
1028		Wages.	130	0	0	
1029		Water, gas and electricity.	78	12	1	
1030		3 uniforms - male attendants.	9	9	0	
1031		Transfer from stores, toilet sundries, etc.	9	5	9	
1032	15	Repair flushing van	10	0	0	
1033	16	Transfer from stores, sewer smocks.	2	12	7	
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND FEBRUARY, 1928.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REQUISITION - 9TH FEBRUARY TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

ESTIMATE.	5444	0	0	
LESS REFUSE DISPOSAL.	1298	0	0	
				4146 0 0
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"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.	Item No.					
		REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.				3516 3 9
1034	1	Wages.	428	0	0	
1035	2	40 gals. paraffin oil.	1	8	4	
1036		1 ton coke.	1	12	6	
1037	3	Horse hire.	15	0	0	
1038	5	Water.	4	9	3	
1039	6	Gas.	21	1	4	
1040	7	Electricity.	52	18	10	
1041	8	Maintenance of weighbridge ($\frac{1}{2}$ year)	5	8	0	
1042		2 - 4" sluice valves.	4	2	0	
1043		4 bridges for hand pen-stocks)				
1044		14 lbs jute packing.)	1	16	6	
1045		12 sets ball bearings.	21	6	0	
1046		6 sets ball races.	10	18	6	
1047		2 expanding phosphor bronze rings.	1	2	0	
1048		30 steel ropes for sprinkler arms.	13	12	6	
1049		12 sheets corrugated iron.	2	7	3	
1050		2 gross steel balls.	5	8	0	
1051	13	Salaries.	96	11	3	
						687 2 3

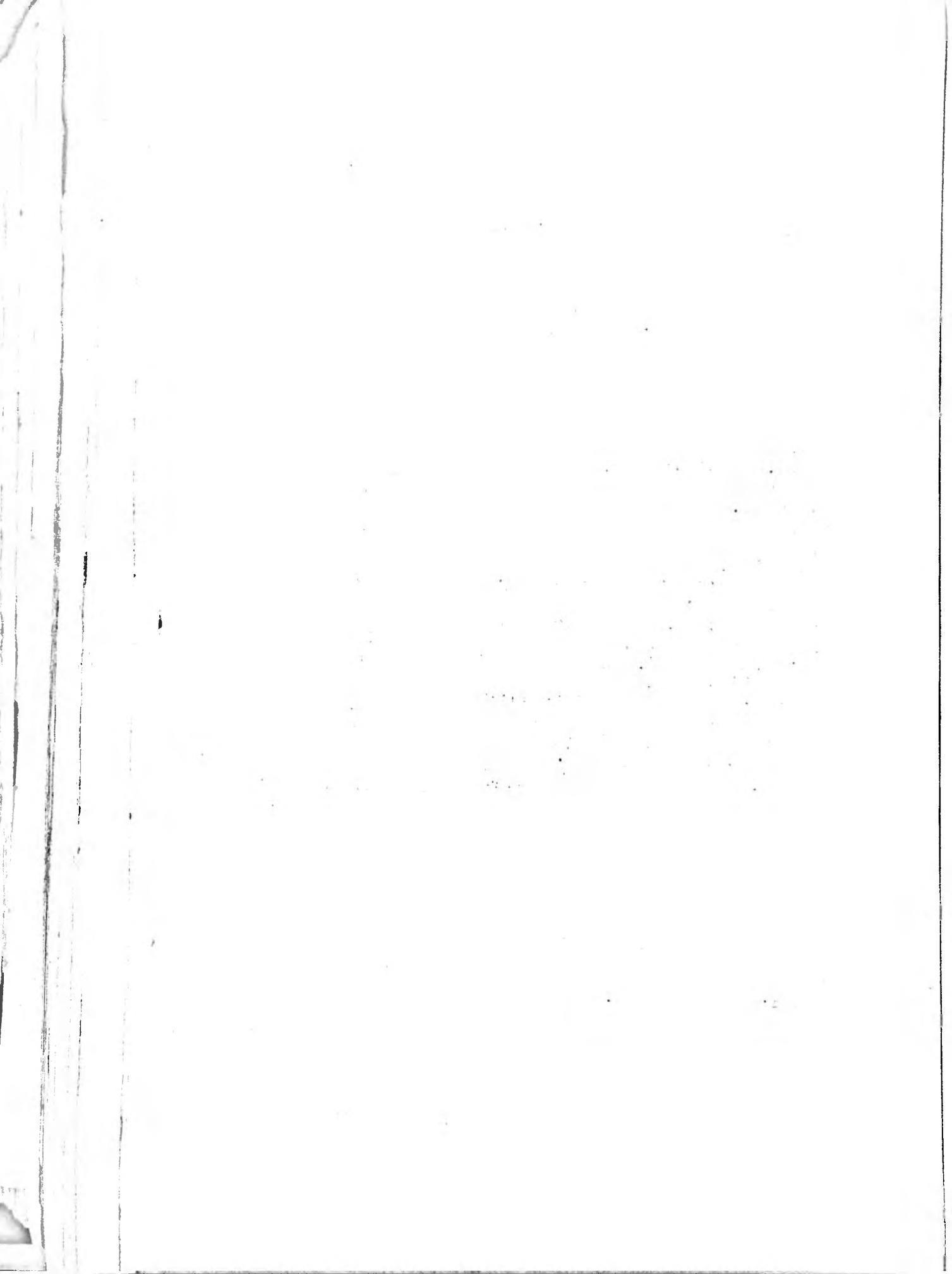
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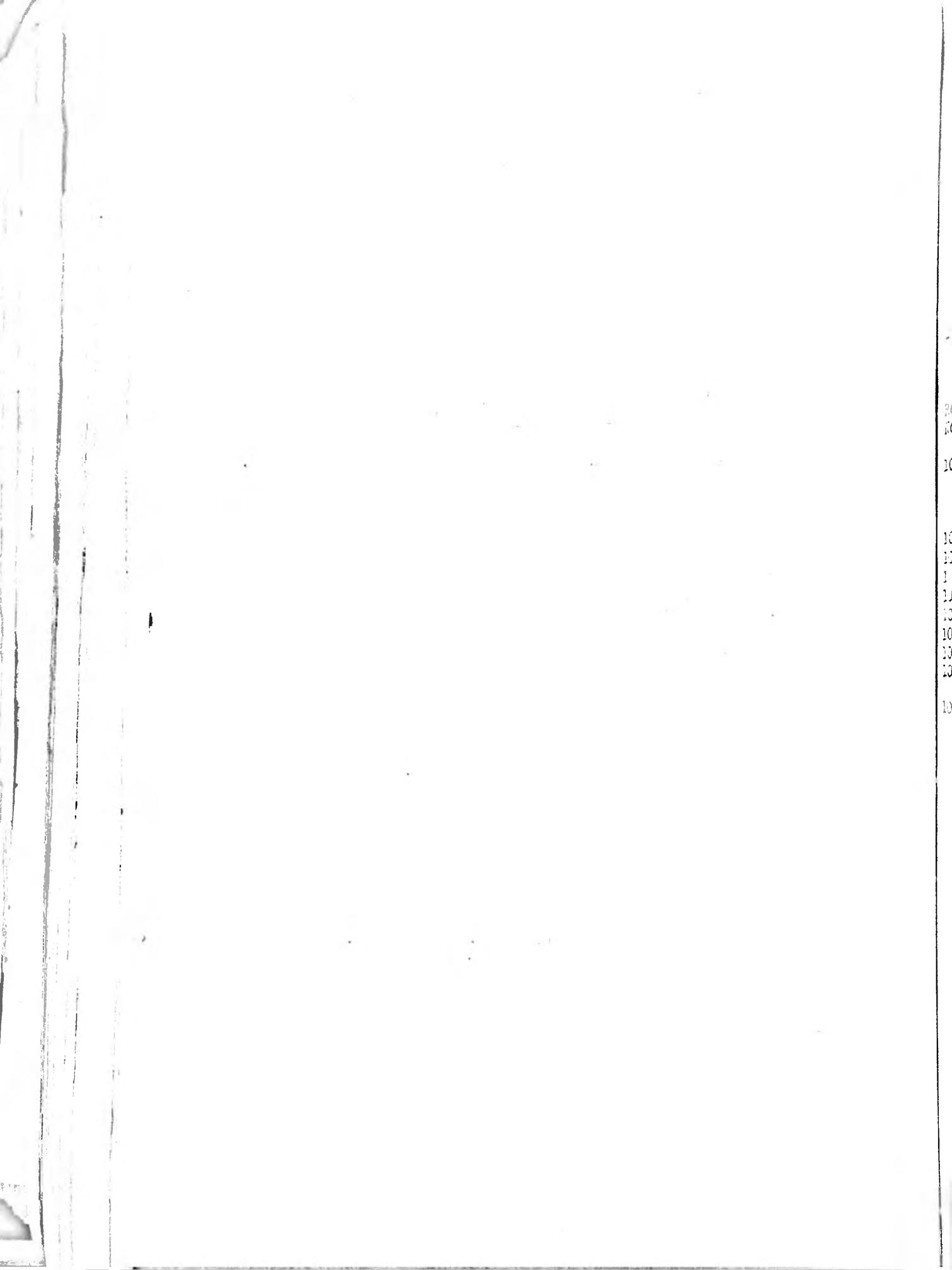
MORTUARY.

1052	0	Repair burst pipe in lavatory.	1	4	9	
1053		Gas stove and fixing.	5	3	3	
1054	0	Table and chair.	1	15	11	
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON,
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND FEBRUARY, 1928.





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PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.

REQUISITION - 9TH FEBRUARY TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

ESTIMATE.

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"0" = expended or on order.

REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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Req. Item
No. No.

1060 1 Refuse removal - February - March. 967 13 4

REFUSE DISPOSAL.

1061	2	Wages.	195	0	0
1062	3	Water.	6	12	5
1063	4	Electricity.	7	17	4
1064	5	0 6 - 3prong drags with handles.	1	16	0
1065	0	4 No.10. Shovels.	1	0	0
1066		42 gals. boiler fluid.	5	15	6
1067		21 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{8}$ ", and $\frac{1}{4}$ " packing.	6	17	6
1068		2 doz. gauge glasses and 4 doz. rubber rings.	1	1	3
1069		1 cwt. cotton waste.	1	11	4

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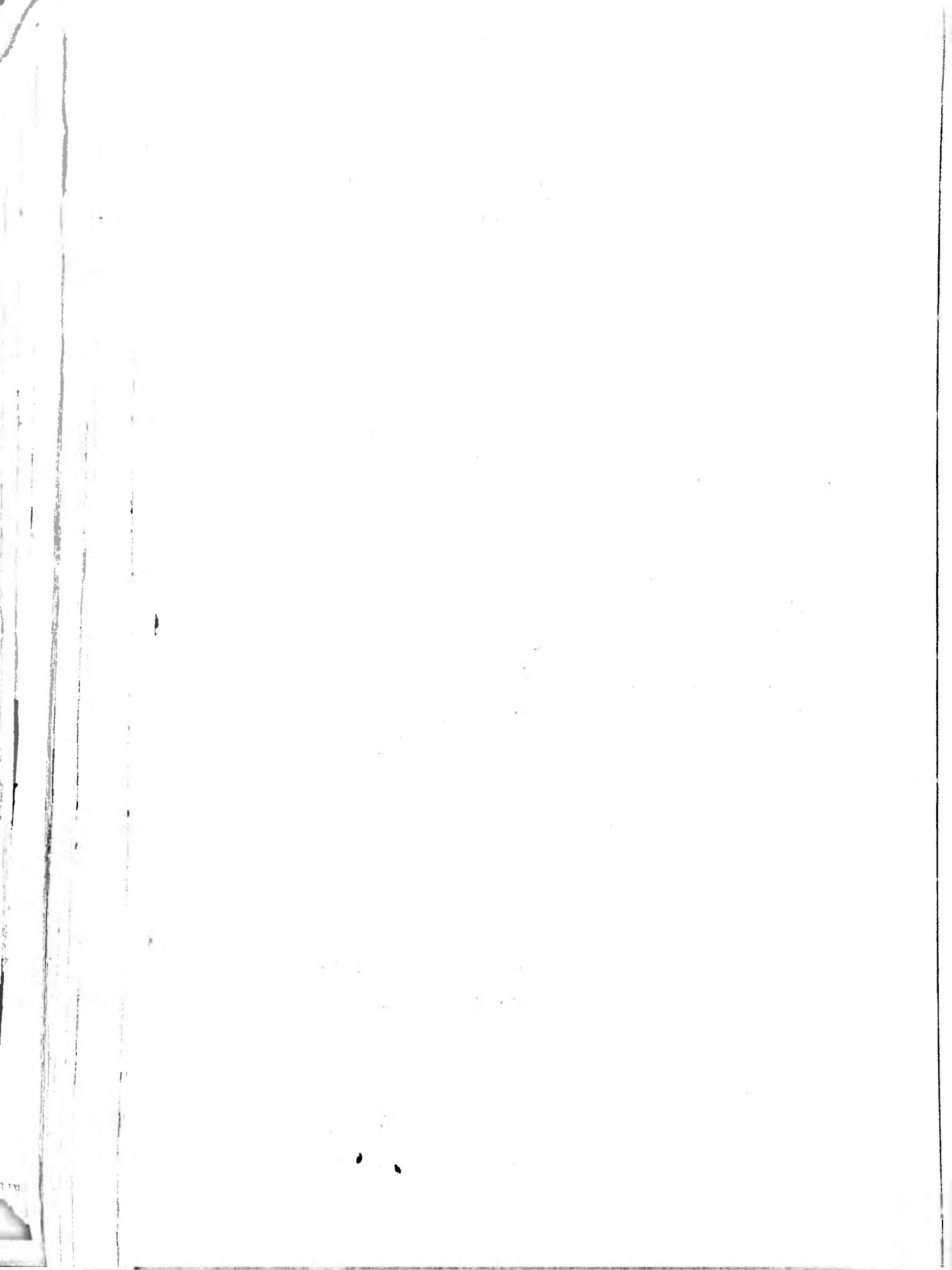
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND FEBRUARY, 1928.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1526 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th February 1928.

P. T. Harrison
Chairman.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the four weeks
ended the 28th. January, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members
of the Public Health Committee.

3, The Pavilions,
Finchley, N.3.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

3rd. February, 1928.

		Population census 1921 .. 46,716.				
		wards.			1926	1927
		N.	E.	W.		
1.	<u>DEATHS.</u>					
	Number	11	4	12	27	45
	Infants under one year ..	1	-	-	1	5
	Infectious Disease	-	1	-	1	1
2.	<u>BIRTHS.</u>					
	Number notified under the Not. Births Act.....	20	10	11	41	42
3.	<u>INFECTIOUS DISEASE.</u>					
	Number of cases notified.	6	9	4	19	28
	Scarlet Fever.....	2	4	-	6	9
	Diphtheria	2	2	-	4	5
	Erysipelas	-	1	-	1	1
	Influenzal Pneumonia...	1	-	-	1	9
	Pneumonia (Other forms)	1	1	4	6	1
	Ophthalmia Neonatorum..	-	1	-	1	2
	Poliomyelitis	-	-	-	-	1
4.	<u>TUBERCULOSIS.</u>					
	Pulmonary cases	-	1	2	3	7
	Non-Pulmonary cases.....	2	-	-	2	2
5.	<u>PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.</u>					
	Number in hospital on the 6th. January				30	24
	Number admitted				10	2
	Number discharged				11	13
	Number of deaths				1	1
	Number in hospital on the 3rd. February				18	18

6. SMALLPOX.

Twenty Finchley residents were discovered to have been in contact with Smallpox at the Wellhouse Hospital, Barnet. Every one of these was persuaded to be vaccinated and all were kept under observation until the incubation period elapsed. None of the contacts developed the disease.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

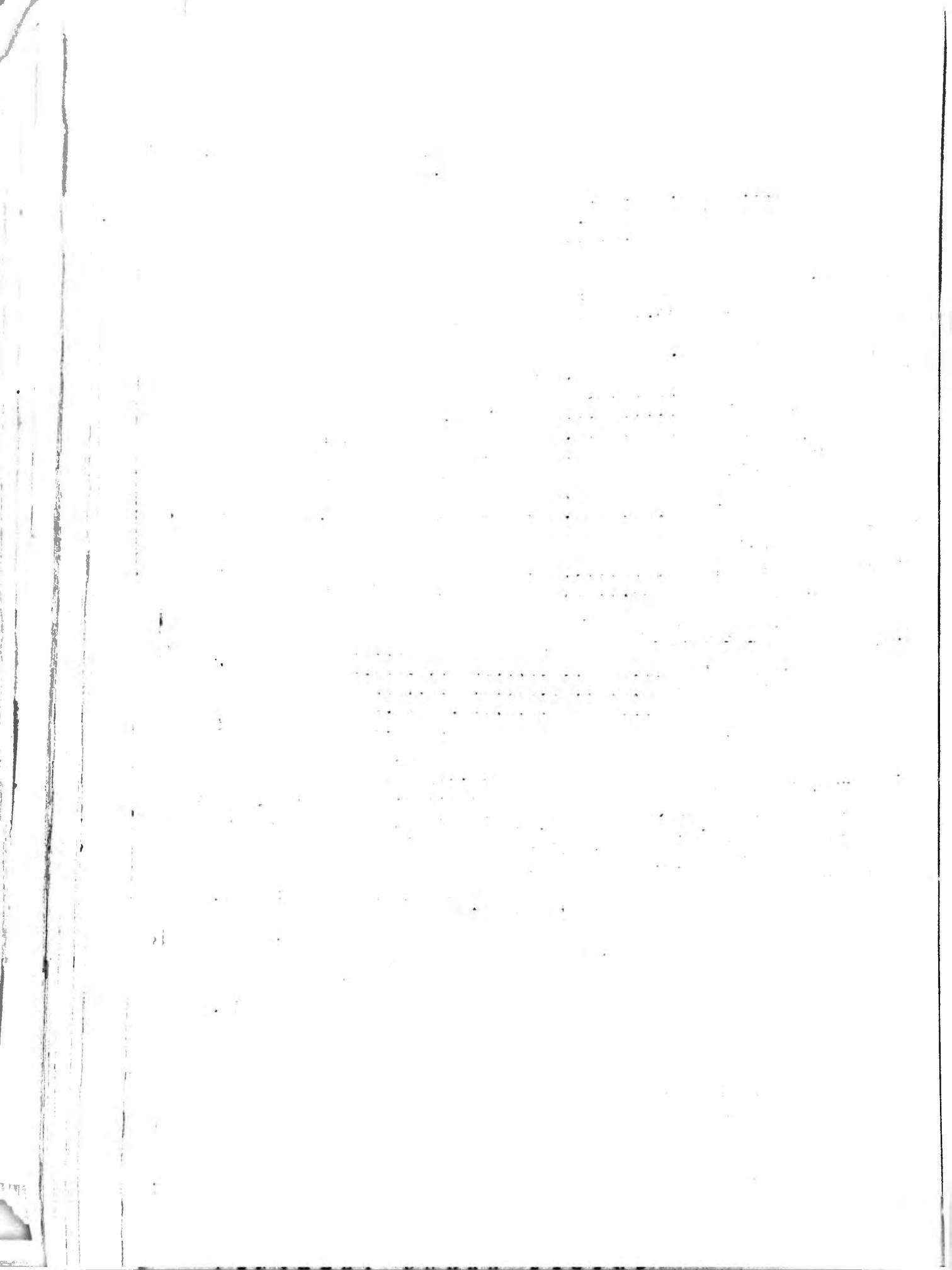
Your obedient servant,

This is the report of
the Medical Officer of Health
referred to in paragraph
1527 of the Public Health
Committee's report of the
7th February 1928.

A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.

W. Hill
Chairman.



SECRETARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
5, The Pavements,
N.S.

3rd February, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) WATER SUPPLY - 11, EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, FORTIS GREEN ROAD, N.E.

The water supply to the dwelling house and shop known as 11, Exchange Buildings, Fortis Green Road, has been disconnected on account of non-payment of water rate. It would appear that action may be taken to enforce the provision of a proper water supply under Section 23 of the F.H.D.C. Act, 1908, or Section 62 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

(2) MILK & DAIRIES AMENDMENT ACT, 1928.
MILK & DAIRIES ORDER, 1926 - REGISTRATION.

An application has been received from Richard Norman Uren of Pursley Farm, Shenley, Barnet, to be registered as a retail purveyor of milk within the district of Finchley.

This application may be granted.

(3) UNSCOUND FOOD

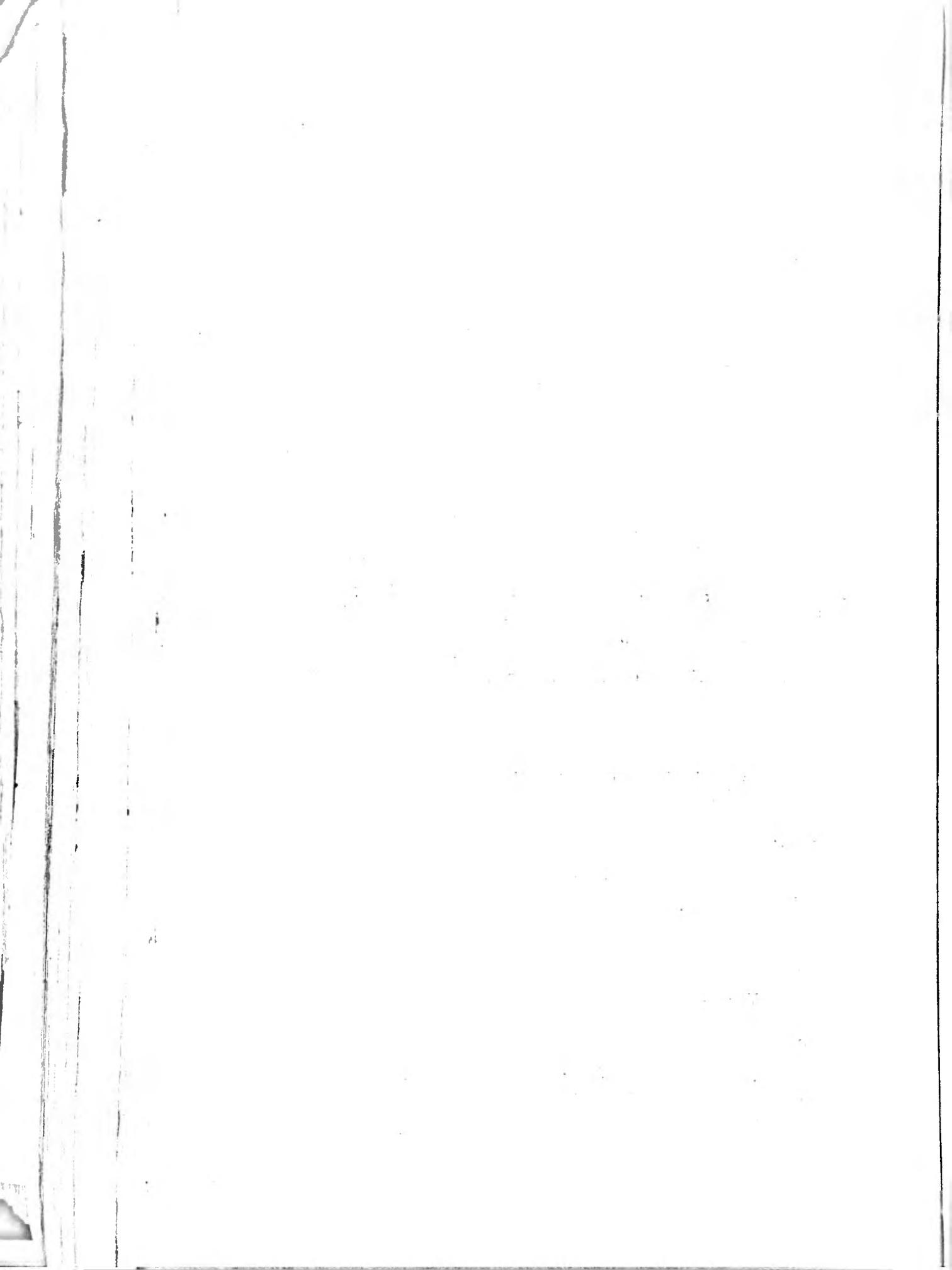
The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

6 Heads and Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
4 Sets of Lungs.	"
3 Mesenteries.	"
1 Skirt.	"
1 Set of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
3 Livers.	"

Swine.

2 Carcasses and Offal.	(Tuberculosis)
17 Heads and Tongues.	"
2 Plucks.	"



10 Mesenteries.	(Tuberculosis)
1 Spleen.	"
25 Sets of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
18 Livers.	"
4 Spleens.	"
1 Heart.	"

Sheep.

7 Sets of Lungs.	(Other diseases)
4 Livers.	"

(4) PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.

(a) James William Halliwell and Fred Greenwood, Hillview Works, East End Road.

1½ cwts. carbide of calcium.

The applicants are already licensed to keep 1½ cwts. of carbide of calcium at the above premises. I suggest that a new licence be granted for a period of four months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 1/8d be charged.

(b) Edward Dawson Gwion Harries, Petrol Supply Station High Road, N.20. (Immediately south of Mr. H. C. Wade's office)

4000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

The applicant is already licensed to keep 4000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk at the above premises.

I suggest that a new licence be granted for a period of four months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 5/- be charged.

(c) Durant Hire Service, Totteridge Lane, Whetstone N.20.

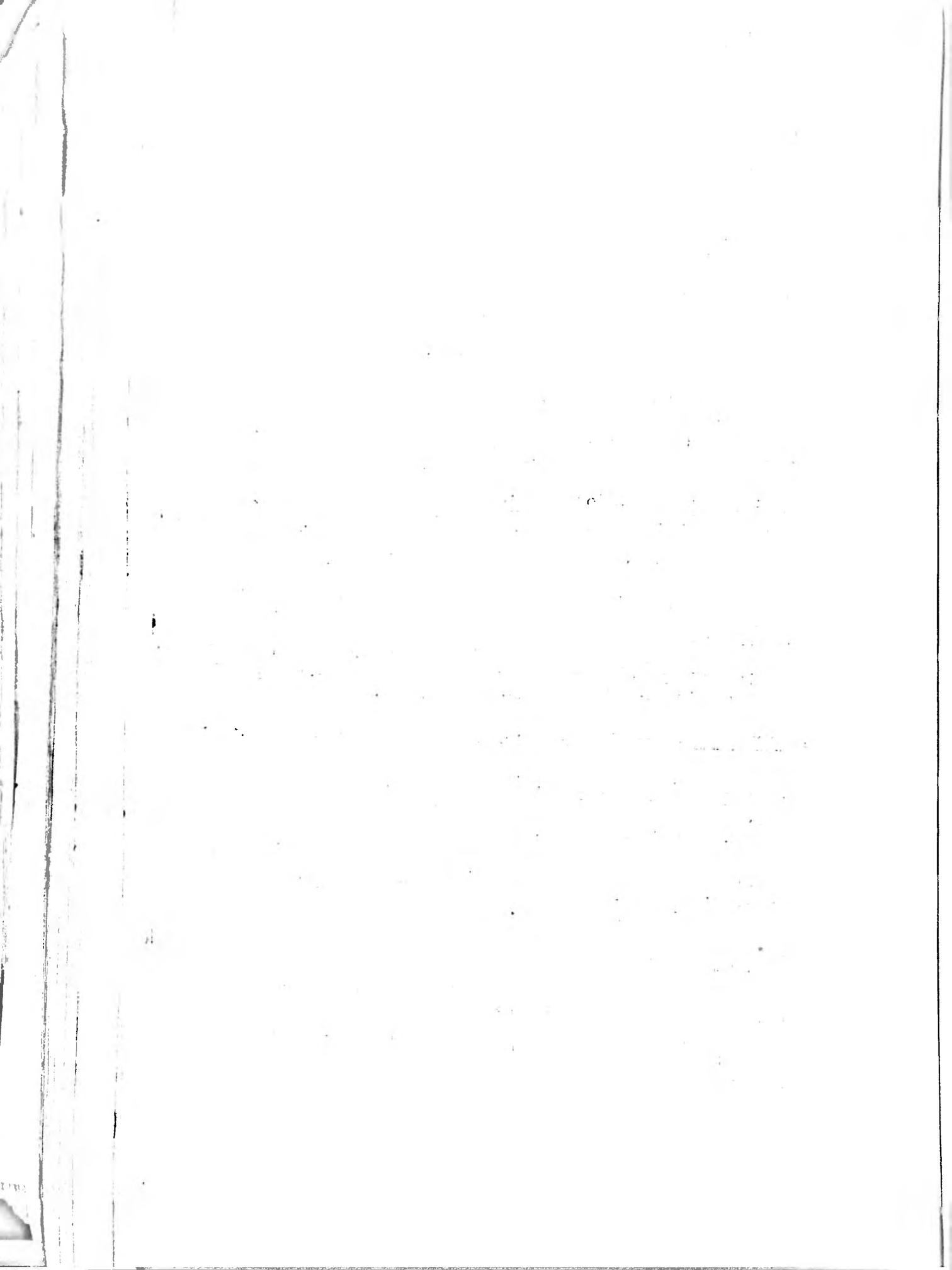
A plan has been submitted showing a proposed bulk installation for keeping 500 gallons of petroleum spirit at a garage in the course of erection at Totteridge Lane, N.20.

I think it unlikely that your Committee will approve this proposal and at the moment it is uncertain whether Messrs. Durant Fire Service will proceed further with the matter.

(d) Messrs. Hopping Brothers, High Road, N.20.

A plan was received on the 1st February, 1928, showing a proposed new bulk installation at the above premises.

I will endeavour to report upon this application at your Committee.



- (e) Messrs. Lindsay Bros., Highwood Garage, High Road, N.12. -
Proposal to keep petroleum mixture, viz. ... 20 gallons
of cellulose paint and thinners.

With reference to paragraph 7 (b) of my report dated the 6th January, 1928, I have communicated with the Factory Department and the Explosives Department of the Home Office with respect to the proposal to install a cellulose paint spraying plant at the above premises. I have also visited the premises with Miss Pease, H.M. Inspector of Factories for this District.

It would appear that, in the event of a licence being granted by the Council, conditions may be attached thereto with respect to (inter alia) the mode of storage and generally as to the safe keeping of such petroleum mixture. It is not clear, however, whether "keeping" includes "use".

I have consulted the Clerk of the Council and an endeavour is being made to obtain a ruling upon this point from the Home Office and a further report will be submitted at the meeting of your Committee.

- (f) Mr. Sampson, 3, College Villas, Nether Street, N.3.
Motor Tyre re-treading works.

Mr. Sampson desires to keep petroleum spirit for use at the above works. The question of "use" also arises in this case, and I suggest that the matter be deferred until a reply has been received from the Home Office.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

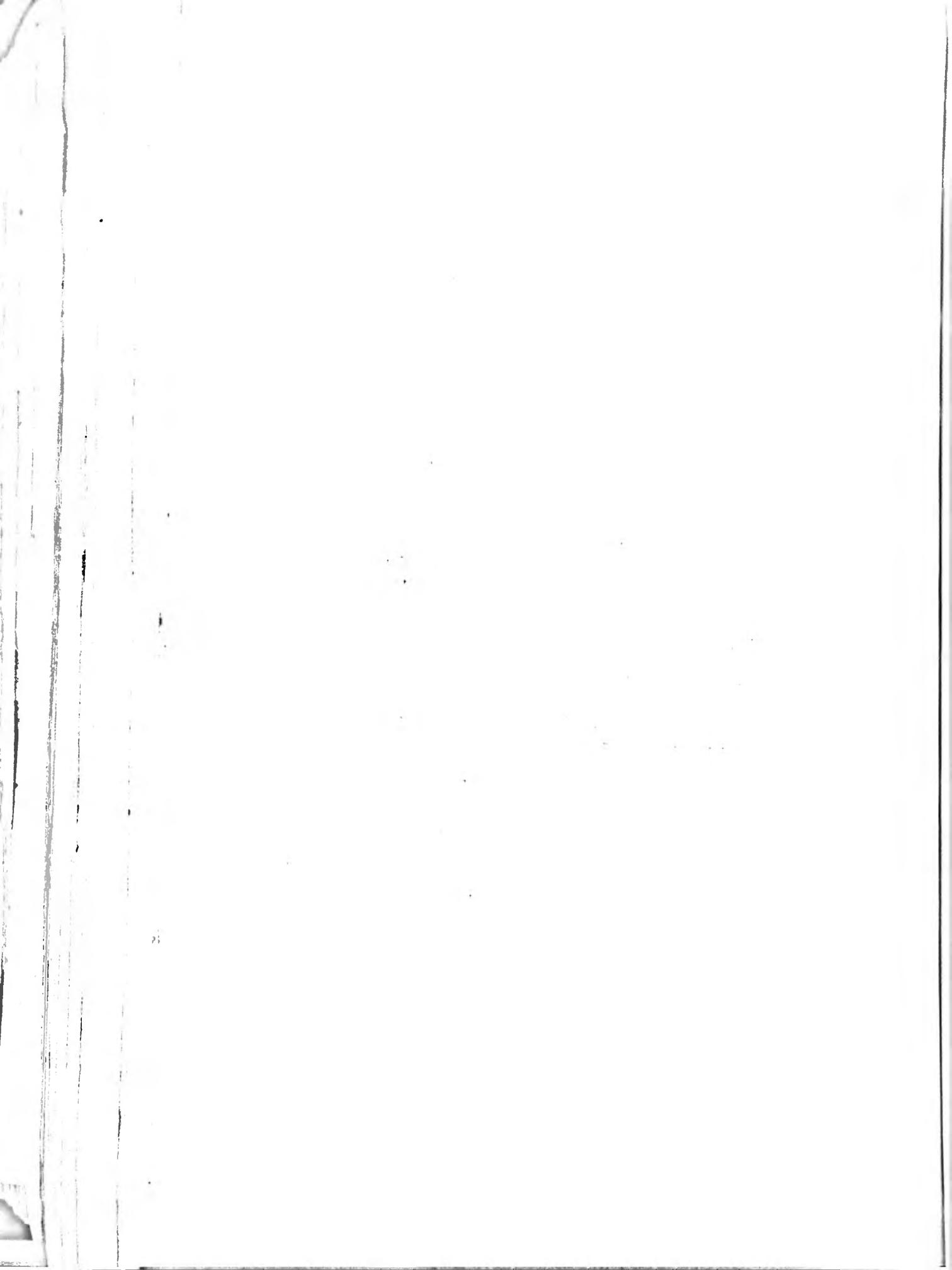
Your obedient servant,

E.J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1530 of the Public Health Committee's Report of the 7th February 1928.

Franklin
Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (b) Edward Dawson Gwion Harries, Petrol Supply Station, High Road, N. 20 (immediately south of Mr. N. C. Wade's Office).—The Inspector reported that the above applicant was already licensed to keep 4,000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk at the above premises, and suggested that a new licence be granted for a period of four months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a licence fee of 6s. 8d. be charged;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (c) Messrs. Lindsay Bros., Highwood Garage, High Road, N. 12.—Proposal to keep petroleum mixture, viz., 20 gallons of cellulose paint and thinners.—The Inspector reported that the above applicants desired to store 10 gallons of cellulose paint and 10 gallons of cellulose thinners, and to instal a spraying plant for the cellulose painting of motor-car bodies; that he had communicated with the Factory Department and the Explosives Department of the Home Office with regard to the proposal, and that he had also visited the premises with H.M. Inspector of Factories for this district; further, that it would appear that, in the event of a licence being granted by the Council, conditions might be attached thereto with respect to (*inter alia*) the mode of storage and generally as to the safe keeping of such petroleum mixture, but that it was not clear, however, whether "keeping" included "use"; that he had consulted the Clerk of the Council on the subject, and that an endeavour was being made to obtain from the Home Office a ruling upon this point.

The Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Home Office on the 3rd February, 1928, and that he had received a telephonic message to the effect that a reply to his communication would be forwarded in the course of a few days.

The view was expressed at the meeting that the use of the applicants' premises for cellulose paint-spraying would be likely to create a nuisance to the occupants of premises in the adjoining residential neighbourhood, and in these circumstances the Clerk was instructed to communicate forthwith with the Home Office, asking that the matter might receive very serious consideration;

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that the action taken be approved;
- (2) that the consideration of the application be deferred, pending receipt of a reply from the Home Office to the letter addressed to them on the 3rd February, 1928;
- (3) that in the event of such reply being received before the Council Meeting, the application be considered thereat.

1535 REFUSE DESTROYER.—

(a) Opening of.—This matter was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the date for the formal opening of the above be fixed for the 17th March, 1928, at 3.30 p.m.;
 - (2) that an invitation be extended to adjoining Local Authorities to appoint representatives to attend on the occasion;
 - (3) that the whole of the arrangements be left to the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Committee, and the Clerk to deal with.
- (b) Foreman.—It was reported that the Sub-Committee authorised to deal with this matter had appointed Mr. G. A. Phillips, of Sheerness, to the position, and that he commenced his duties on the 31st January, 1928.

1536 PLAN No. 6327 — GARAGE EXTENSION — PROSPECT PLACE—A. E. PICKETT.—The Clerk reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, Formal Notice to "Show Cause" had been served upon Mr. Pickett, and he submitted a letter dated 2nd February, 1928, received from him on the subject. The Committee were of opinion that Mr. Pickett had failed to show sufficient cause why the work in question should not be removed, altered, or pulled down;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that in these circumstances the Council proceed to remove, alter, or pull down such work, in accord-

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

ance with their powers contained in Clause 95 of the Bye-Laws with respect to New Streets and Buildings;

- (2) that the Surveyor be instructed to take the necessary steps in the matter.

1537 SMALL-POX.—It was reported that a letter, dated 19th January, 1928, had been received from the Clerk of the Middlesex Districts Joint Small-Pox Hospital Board indicating the action to be taken in the event of a small-pox case arising, and that it had been referred to the Public Health Department for attention.

1538 SILVER BIRCH TREES—GIFT OF.—The Surveyor reported that 200 small silver birch trees had been presented to the Council by a person who had expressed the desire that his name should remain anonymous;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Surveyor be directed to convey to the donor the best thanks of the Council for the gift;
- (b) that the trees be planted at the Sewage Farm, and transplanted on the highways later.

1539 PUBLIC BATHS.—

- (a) Statement.—Statement (circulated) was submitted, showing the number of bathers and receipts for the four weeks ended 29th January, 1928;
- (b) Use of by School Children.—

RECOMMENDED that the time-table prepared by the Finchley Schools Swimming Association (circulated) in connexion with the use of the Swimming Bath during the coming season by scholars from the elementary schools be approved;

- (c) Swimming Bath—opening of.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Swimming Bath be re-opened for the summer season on Monday, the 2nd April, 1928, and that Public Notice thereof be given;

Annexed.

Annexed.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

- (2) that the Surveyor be authorised to make the necessary arrangements with regard to staff.

1540 STOPPAGE IN SEWER—HENDON LANE.—The Surveyor reported hereon, and as to correspondence which he had had with Mr. H. Littlejohn;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the matter be referred to the Insurance Company;
- (b) that the Surveyor be directed to express to Mr. Littlejohn the Council's appreciation of the attitude adopted by him; that he be informed that the matter has been referred to the Insurance Company, and that it will be considered further by the Committee at a later date.

1541 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective **Instruction Books, be approved.**

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHOWING NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 29TH JANUARY, 1928.

Week Ending.	SWIMMING BATH. Men.	SLIPPER BATH. Women.	Mixed Men.	Bathers. Women	Council Schools.	Total Numbers.	Club Receipts. £. s. d.	Total Receipts. £. s. d.	Crspdg Receipts. £. s. d.	Inc. in Receipts. £. s. d.	Dec. i Receipts. £.	
BRT F.D.	10434	6097	5598	2447	1736	24532	50844	471 18 2	970 13 -	1040 19 11	54 7 10	124 1
Jan. 6.			86	69		155			2 19 10		2 9	
" 15.			89	44		133			2 14 4		- - 11	
" 22.			109	44		153	2 6	3 6 8	1 4 10		2 1 10	
" 29.			80	33		113			2 5 10		7	
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Last year's figures.			6688	3157							NETT DECREASE.	£ 68

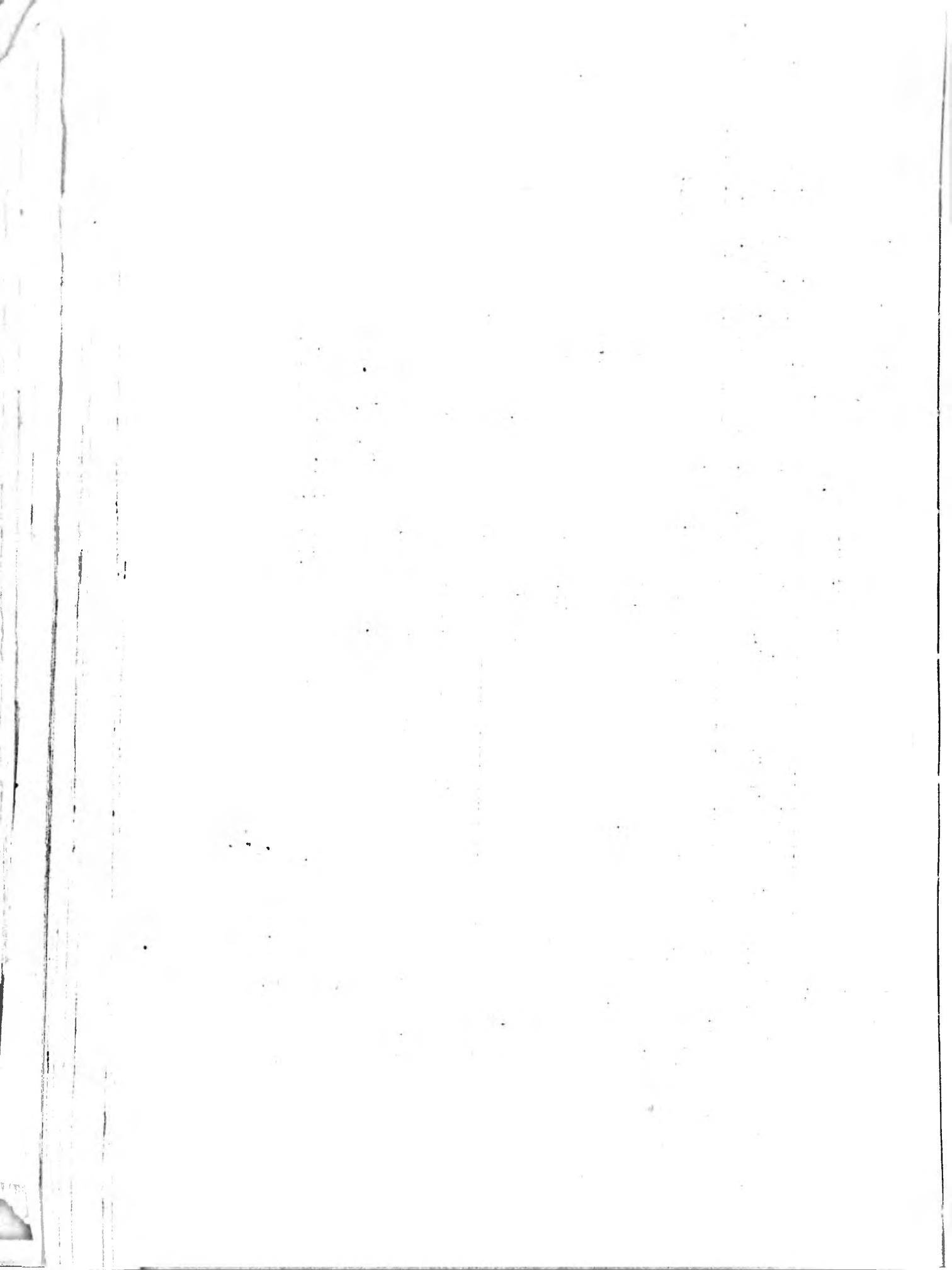
31ST JANUARY, 1928.

Chairman.

C. H. Smith

This is the statement referred to in paragraph 1539 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th February 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



FENCHLEY SCHOOLS' SWIMMING ASSOCIATION.

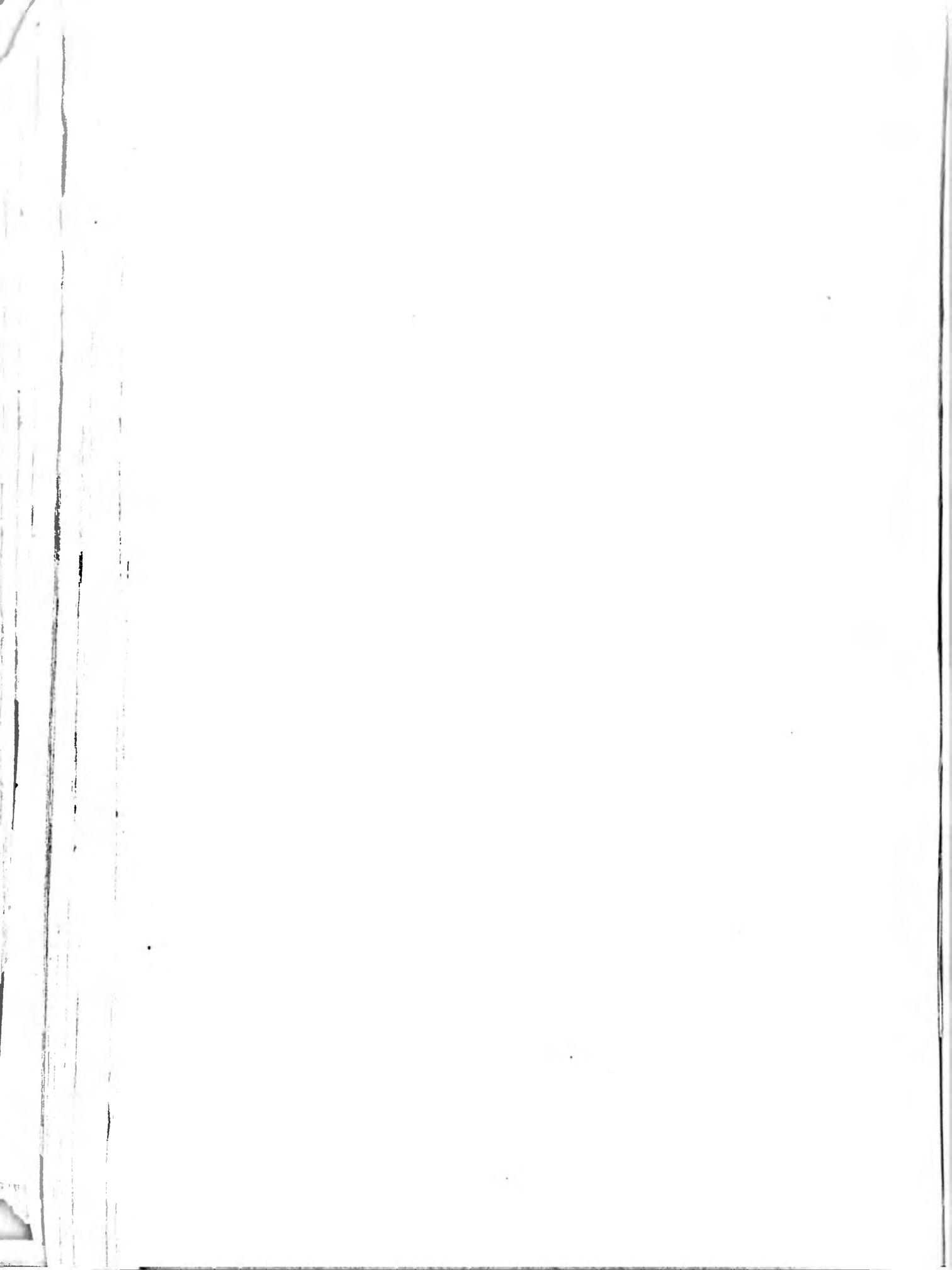
Time-Table for 1928.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.15	Boys: North Road Life-Saving	Boys: Squires L. Life-Saving	Girls: -	Boys: Albert St. Life-Saving	Boys: Albert St. Life-Saving
9.0	St. Mary's	St. John's	Albert St.	Albert St.	Long Lane
9.30	Squires L.	St. Mary's	Albert St.	Albert St.	
10.0	Squires L.	St. Mary's		North Road	North Road
10.30	Squires L.	Squires L.	Squires L.	North Road	North Road
11.0	Long Lane	Albert St.	Squires L.	Christ Ch.	Holy Trinity
11.30	Long Lane	Albert St.	North Road	Christ Ch.	Albert St.
	Girls:	Girls:	Girls:	Girls:	Girls:
2.0	Albert St.		Christ Ch.		Holy Trinity
2.30	Albert St.		Christ Ch.		Squires L.
3.0			Squires L.		North Road
3.30	Long Lane		St. Mary's		North Road
4.0	Long Lane		St. Mary's		St. John's
4.30	Life-Saving		Life-Saving		

7 a.m. Early morning swimming class, for scholars from all schools, conducted by Mr. F.S. Welch, assistant master, Squires Lane Council School.

This is the time-table referred to in paragraph 1539(b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th February 1928.

F. S. Welch
Chairman.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

8th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Briant, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells, and Councillors Pateman, Peacock and Sommerfield (non-members).

1542 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1543 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Annexed

1544 FIRES.—A list (circulated) of the fires which had occurred since last meeting was submitted.

Annexed

1545 FIRE ALARMS—EAST END ROAD.—The Chief Officer reported that a fire alarm point was established on the 13th January, 1928, in East End Road.

1546 TENDERS.—

(a) Motor Fire Combination.—

(b) Motor Ambulance.—

The Clerk reported that he had inserted advertisements inviting tenders for the above and that same were receivable up to 4 p.m. on Monday, the 13th February, 1928.

1547 ESTIMATES.—The Committee's estimates for the year ending 31st March, 1929, were considered and referred to the Finance Committee.

1548 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that one claim had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

1549 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—W. C. MILLS AND J. WILMOT.—It was reported that the above employees had since last meeting met with accidents and that the matters had been dealt with.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1550 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matters had been dealt with:—

Lamp column—Corner of Windermere Avenue and Holly Park.

Paving—Corner of Mayfield Avenue, Great North Road.

Gas column—High Road, Whetstone.

Plane tree and footpath—Long Lane.

1551 STREET ACCIDENTS.—Returns received from the Police Authorities for the weeks ended 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th January, 1928, respectively, were submitted, from which it appeared that the total number of accidents during those weeks was as follows:—

Fatal	...	...	None.
Non-fatal	...	...	45.

1552 IMPROVEMENT—TALLY HO! CORNER.—Referring to Minute No. 1395 the Committee considered a report of the Sub-Committee, dated 7th February, 1928 (circulated). Arising thereout it was

RECOMMENDED—

- Annexed*
- (a) that the report of the Sub-Committee be received and adopted;
 - (b) that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the County Council, stating that, before arriving at a definite decision on the question of contribution towards the cost of the Improvement, this Council desire to be furnished with further details as to:—
 - (1) what increased revenue will be derived from the Tramways Company in consequence of the construction of the new length of track between Ballards Lane and Woodhouse Road; and to what extent this Council will benefit thereby; and
 - (2) how the estimated cost of the Improvement, including the probable recoupment, is made up;

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REQUISITION - 9TH FEBRUARY TO 31ST MARCH, 1928.

ESTIMATE.	88517	0	0		
LESS CAPITAL ITEMS.	51148	0	0		
				37369	0 0
ADDITIONAL ITEMS.	551	0	0		
EAST END ROAD - PATH BY CEMETERY.	267	0	0		
CENTRAL DEPOT COTTAGES - EXCESS.	106	3	9		
				924	3 9
				38293	3 9

"0" = expended or on order.

Req. Item	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	44614	7	6	
No. No.	LESS CAPITAL ITEMS.	11140	1	5	
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RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

1070	1	Relay wood paving - Great North Rd.	222	3	2	
1071		Patching asphalt - Do.	610	8	7	
1072		Do. Do. and tarmac - Regents Park road.	515	15	6	
1073	10	Do. tarmac - North Circular Rd.	50	0	0	
1074	19	SCAVENGING - manual labour.	260	0	0	
1075	20	DO. - team labour.	70	0	0	
1076	21	GRITTING.	40	0	0	
1077	22	Chippings for Do. - transfer from stores.	115	2	7	
1078	23&24.	WATERING - meter rents - 2 quarters.	21	7	6	
1079	26	Tools - transfer from stores.	12	12	0	
1080	29	Maintenance surface water system.	5	0	0	
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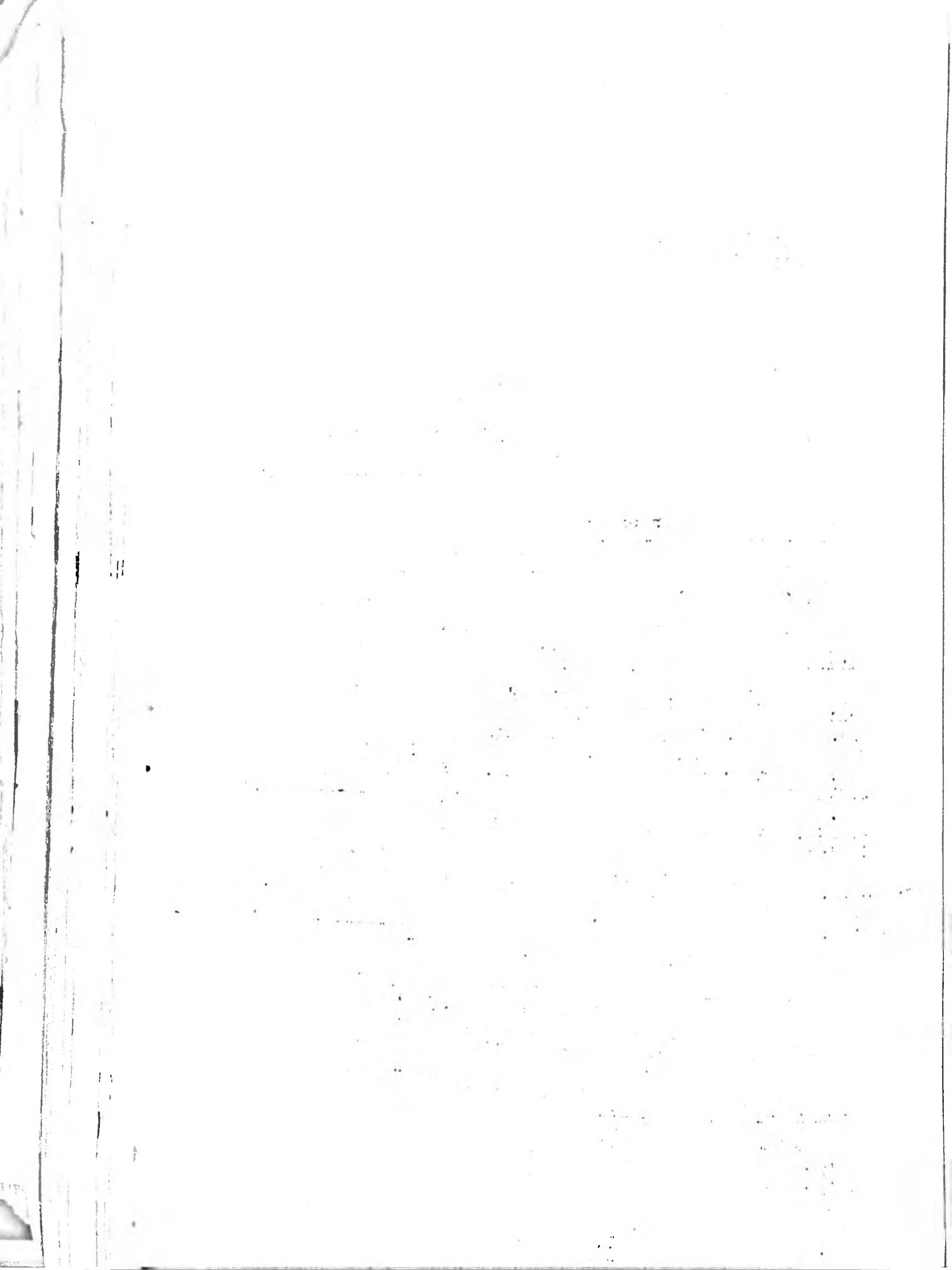
PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

1081	38 0	Repair footway - East End Road.	4	1	8	
1082	46	Gritting - Fortis Green.	12	0	0	
1083	78&79	SCAVENGING - East End Rd and Totteridge Lane.	38	0	0	
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NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.

1084	26	Water for troughs and fountains.	14	15	6	
1085	27 0	Removing fence - Regents Park Road.	2	6	5	
1086	0	Refixing seat - Great North Road.	1	3	9	
1087	26&88	Hire car - reading water meters.	2	17	4	
1088	28	Repair 3 water vans.	60	0	0	
1089	69	300 ft. run relay channel, Claverley Grove, Eton Avenue, Seymour Road and Dale Grove.	41	5	0	
1090	78	SCAVENGING - manual labour.	565	0	0	
1091	79	DO. - team labour.	125	0	0	

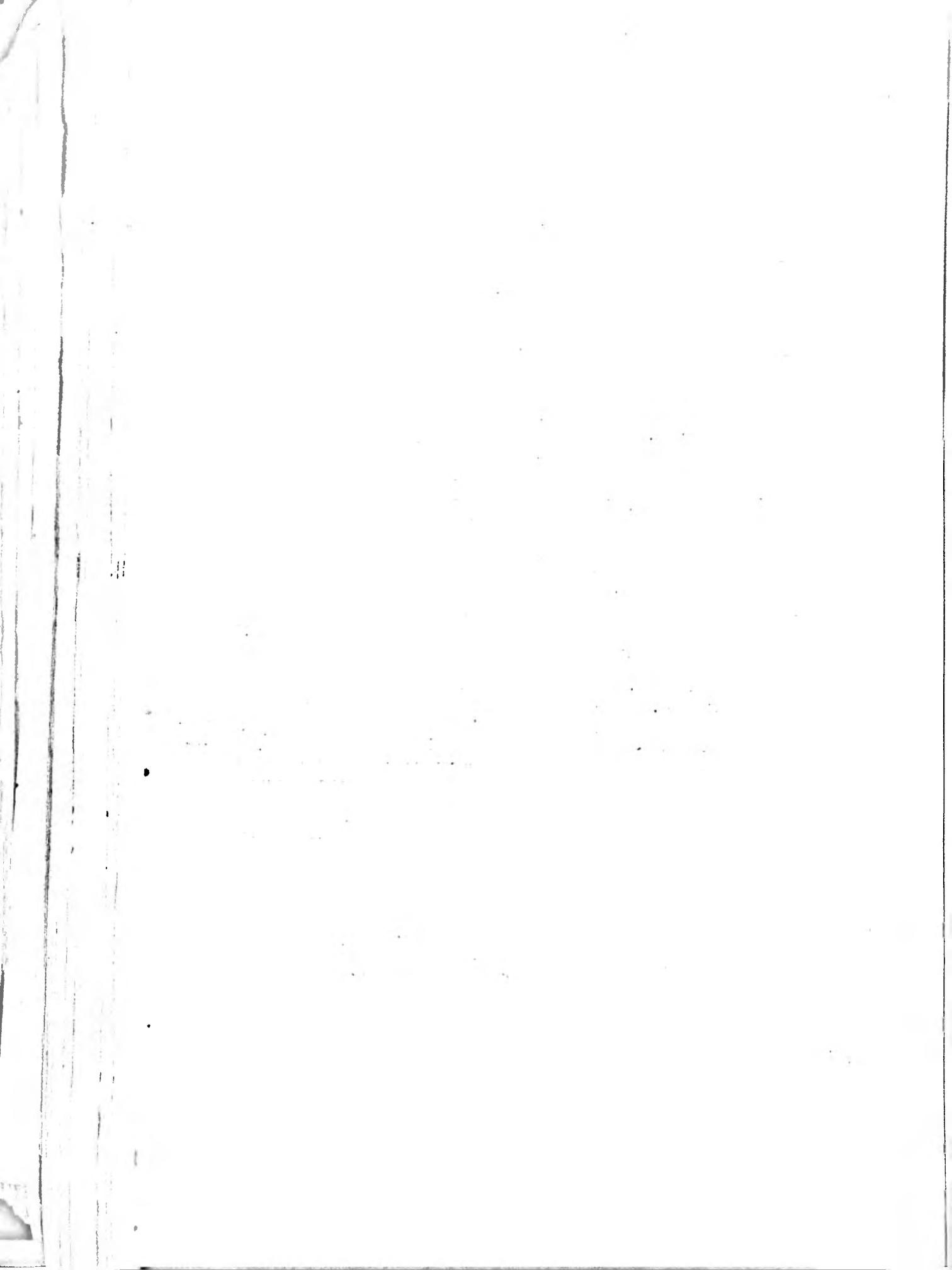
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		Brought forward,	812	8	0	35450	17	1
Acc. No.	Item No.							
1092	80	GRITTING.	26	0	0			
1093	81	Chippings for Do. - transfer from stores.	38	3	11			
1094	82&83.	WATERING - meter rents - 2 quarters.	20	5	0			
1095	85	Tools - transfer from stores.	26	13	8			
1096	86 0	Notice boards re cyclists, path to brook.	3	5	9			
1097		Dollis Road and Woodgrange Avenue, surface water sewer.	56	0	0			
1098		Path by cemetery - East End Rd.	139	8	6			
1099	87	Maintenance of trees.	78	0	0			
1100	89	Repair scavenging trucks, etc.	15	0	0			
1101	92	Maintenance - surface water system.	30	0	0			
	93	CENTRAL DEPOT.						
1102		Fuel and sundries - transfer from stores.	4	9	11			
1103		Maintenance of weighbridge, (1/2 year)	6	16	0			
1104		Water and electricity.	9	11	2			
1105		Excess on Cottages.	106	3	9			
1106	0	HAMILTON ROAD DEPOT - clearing depot and repairing fence.	9	1	3			
1107	94	6 new scavenging trucks.	64	10	0			
1108		2 new hand carts.	25	10	0			
1109	95	G.P.O. trench reinstatements.	55	0	0			
			-----			1526	6	11
		<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>						
1110	98	Electric lamps.	1042	1	8			
1111	99	Gas lamps - wages.	73	7	10			
1112	100	Gas.	216	0	0			
1113	103	4 controllers.	4	17	6			
			-----			1336	6	6
			-----			£ 38313	10	6
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

3RD FEBRUARY, 1928.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

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REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.

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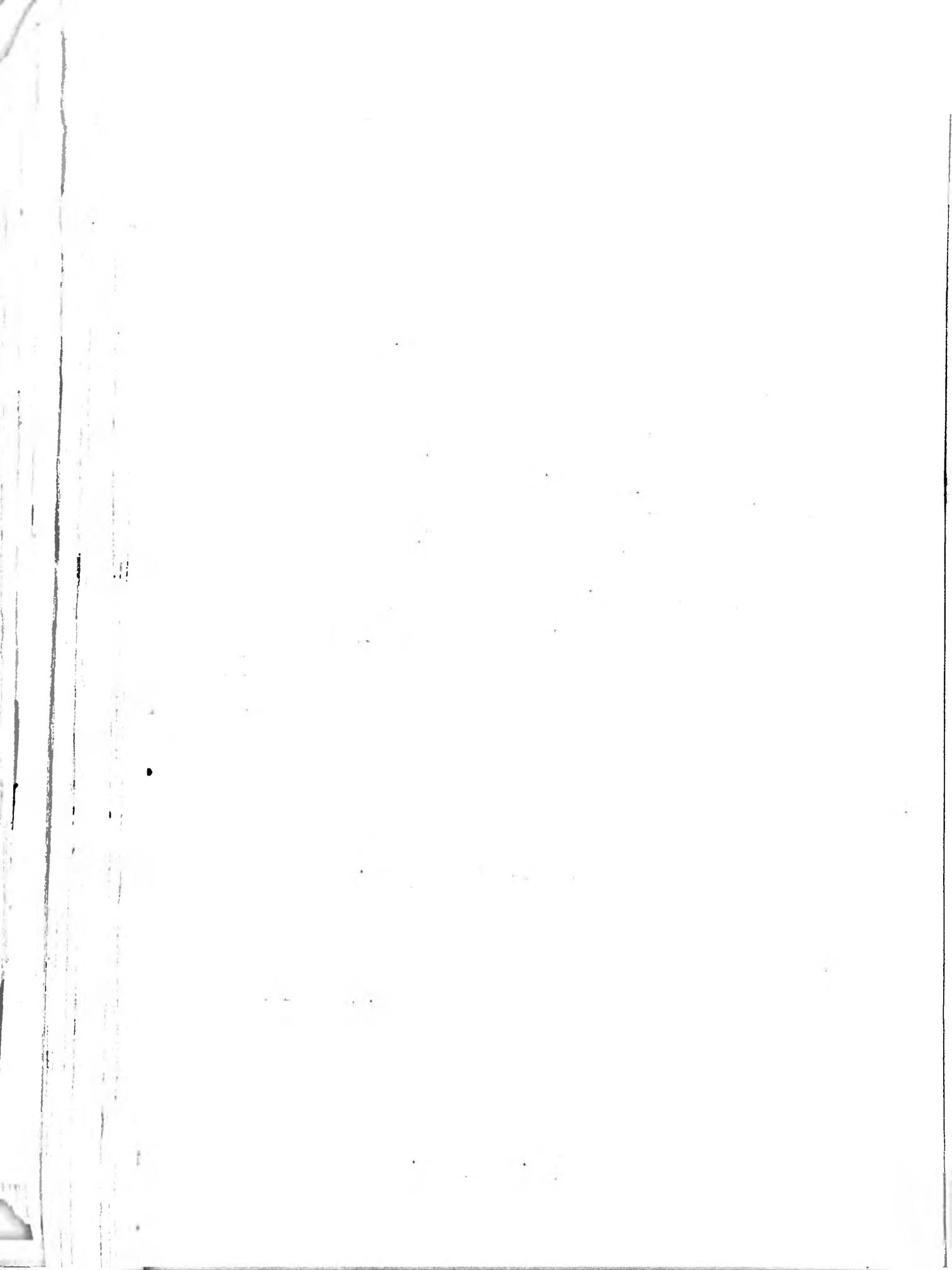
1114	6 doz. No.2. shovels.	9	9	0
1115	56 yds. sup. paving slabs.	17	5	4
1116	80 gals. paraffin oil.	2	16	8
1117	60 " No.1. motor spirit.	3	0	0
1118	12 broom holders.			
1119	12 navy barrow wheels.	2	4	6
1120	40 gals. disinfectant.	6	10	0
1121	80 " creosote oil.	5	0	0
1122	10 tons portland cement.	27	7	6
1123	5 " lighting cement.	24	3	9
1124	5000 creosoted wood blocks.	46	8	9
1125	50 yds. paving sand.	22	10	0
1126	12 sheets 20 gauge sheet iron.	2	5	0

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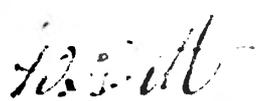
URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - 8th FEBRUARY, 1928

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS

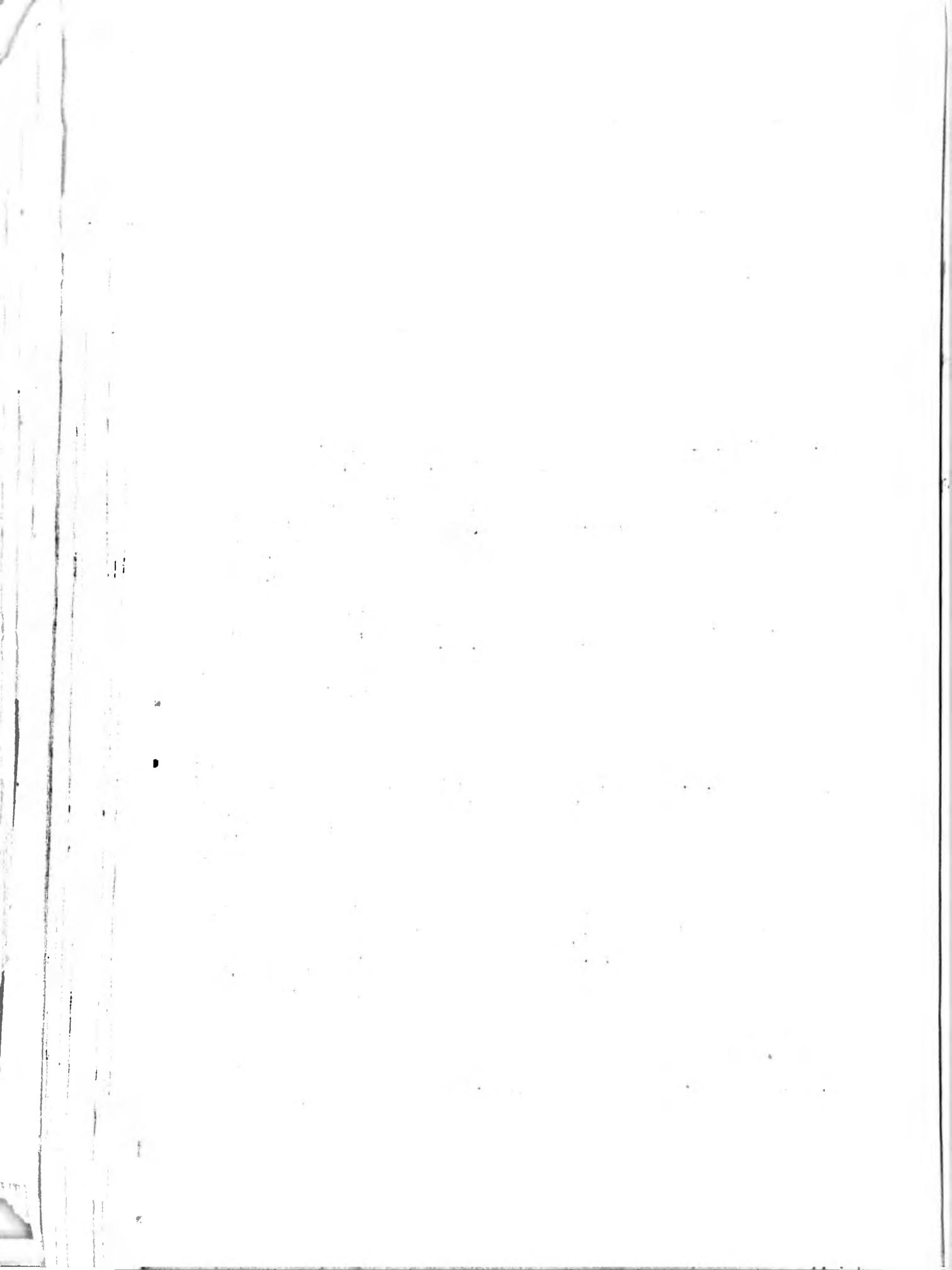
	Amount of estimate	<u>23,474. 0. 0.</u>
	Amount previously requisitioned	2,664. 7. 6.
g. Item. Ord.		
1	Account to pay Firemen and retaining fees (balance)	240. 0. 0.
5	Electricity & Gas for $\frac{1}{2}$ year to 31st March	27. 0. 0.
6	Fire Expenses & Drills	15. 0. 0.
8	Repair - Fire Alarm	1. 5. 0.
"	1 Telephone pole	-.12. 6.
12	Supply 1 Oxygen Gas Cylinder in place of one condemned	1.10.11.
"	5 lbs. 16 S.W.G. tinned copper wire	-.11.10.
13	Supply 1 Save all oil tray	-.15. 0.
14	1 Fire Hydrant - Leopold Road, E. Finchley	10.13. 0.
	2 " " - Hilltop, Hampstead Garden Suburb.)	21. 0. 0.
	New Hydrants (provisional)	30. 0. 0.
	<u>AMBULANCE.</u>	
	1 pair Blankets	1. 1. 0.
	6 pillow slips	-.15. 0.
	Repair 1 Tyre & inner tube	-.10. 6.
	Fees to Firemen for year	42. 0. 0.
		<u>23,157. 2. 3.</u>

These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1543 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February 1928.


Chairman.

List of Fires reported by the Chief Officer of the Fire
Brigade at a Meeting of the Highways & Fire & Water
Committee held on the 8th February, 1928.

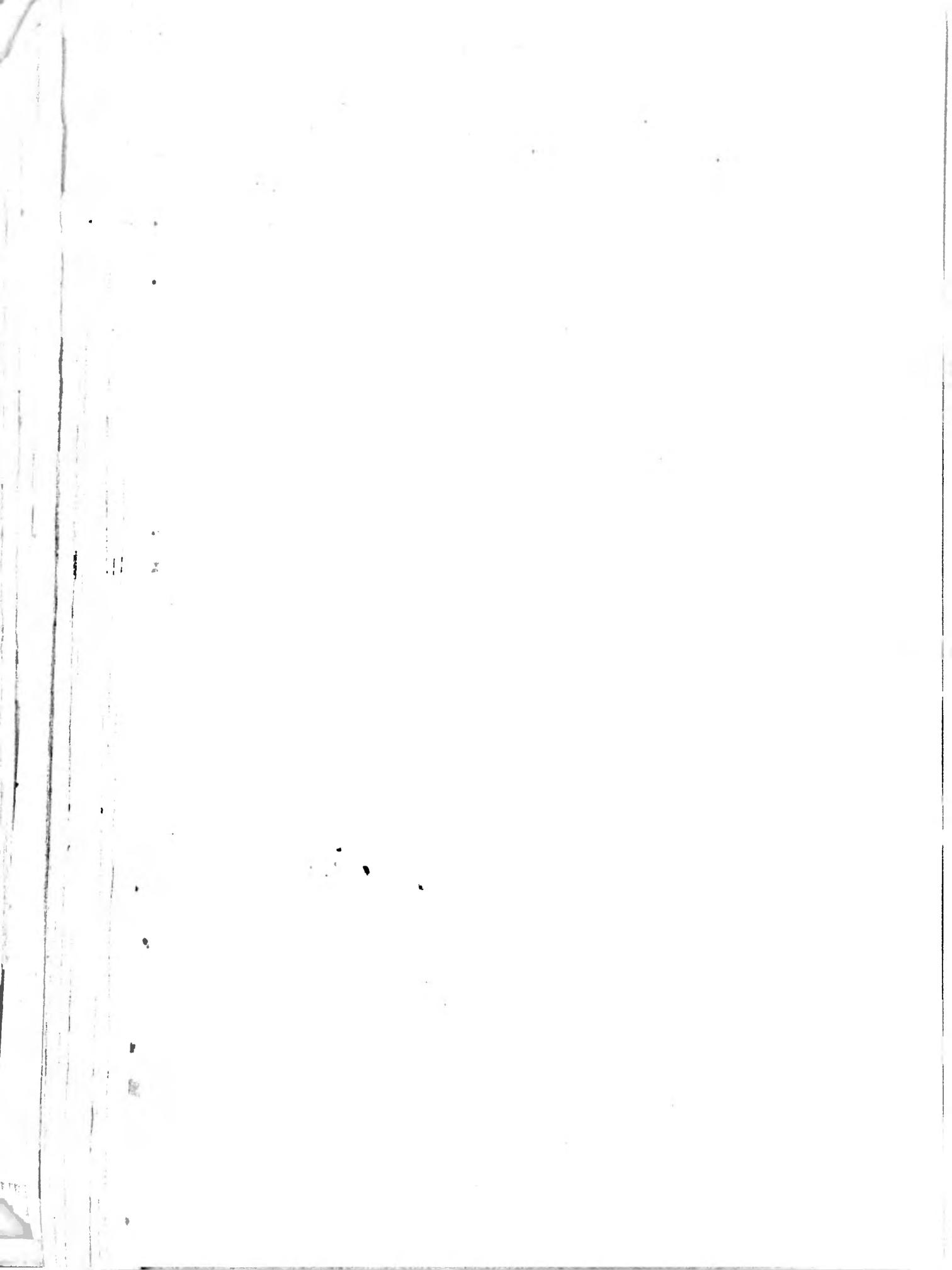
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Damage</u>
1.1.28	11. 43 a.m.	47, Mountfield Road, N. 3.	Chimney jams, over mantle and stove by cutting away and removal, also about 2 x 3 ft. of floor- skirting in dining- room on ground floor by fire; rest of contents in same slightly by smoke and dirt.
3.1.28	10. 7 p.m.	Boundary fire alarm, High Rd., Whetstone.	Electrical false alarm.
2.1.28	9. 6 p.m.	49 Lichfield Grove, N. 3.	Electric light fittings damaged by short circuit in passage on ground floor.
4.1.28	7.40 p.m.	69 Queen's Avenue, N. 3.	A fire-grate, by cutting away and removal, in sitting- room on first floor. Contents in same slightly damaged by smoke and dirt.
15.1.28	3.52 p.m.	32, Derby Avenue, N.12.	A stove in sitting- room on ground floor by cutting away and removal. Contents in same slightly damaged by smoke and dirt.
17.1.28	10.52 a.m.	Wentworth Billiard Hall, Ballards Lane, N.3.	This alarm was caused by workmen repairing the roof and using a blow-lamp, causing a vapour to rise, and the Police called your Brigade.
21.1.28	2.25 p.m.	The Firs, Nether Street, N. 3.	A stove in drawing- room on ground floor by cutting away and removal; contents in same slightly damaged by smoke and dirt.



<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Damage</u>
1. 28	9.15 p.m.	"Elagh," Ridgeview Road, N.12.	This alarm was given owing to smoke caused by down draught from a chimney adjoining.
1. 28	8.50 p.m.	39a, Stanhope Avenue, N. 3.	A stove and overmantle; by cutting away, in drawing-room on first floor. Contents in same slightly damaged by dirt.
1. 28	12.21 p.m.	55 Avondale Avenue, N.12.	A stove by cutting away and removal in drawing-room on ground floor. Contents in same slightly by smoke and dirt.

This (together with the preceding page) is the list of fires referred to in paragraph 1544 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February 1928.

H. C. Hill
Chairman.



TALLY NO: IMPROVEMENT SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

7th February, 1928.

PRESENT:- Cr. Knowlman (Chairman) Councillors Briant, H.O. Syrett and Wade and Crs. Pateman and Wells (non-members).

IMPROVEMENT - TALLY NO' CORNER.-

In accordance with the reference from the Council this matter was fully considered in conjunction with the annexed Joint Report of the Clerk and of the Surveyor to the Council.

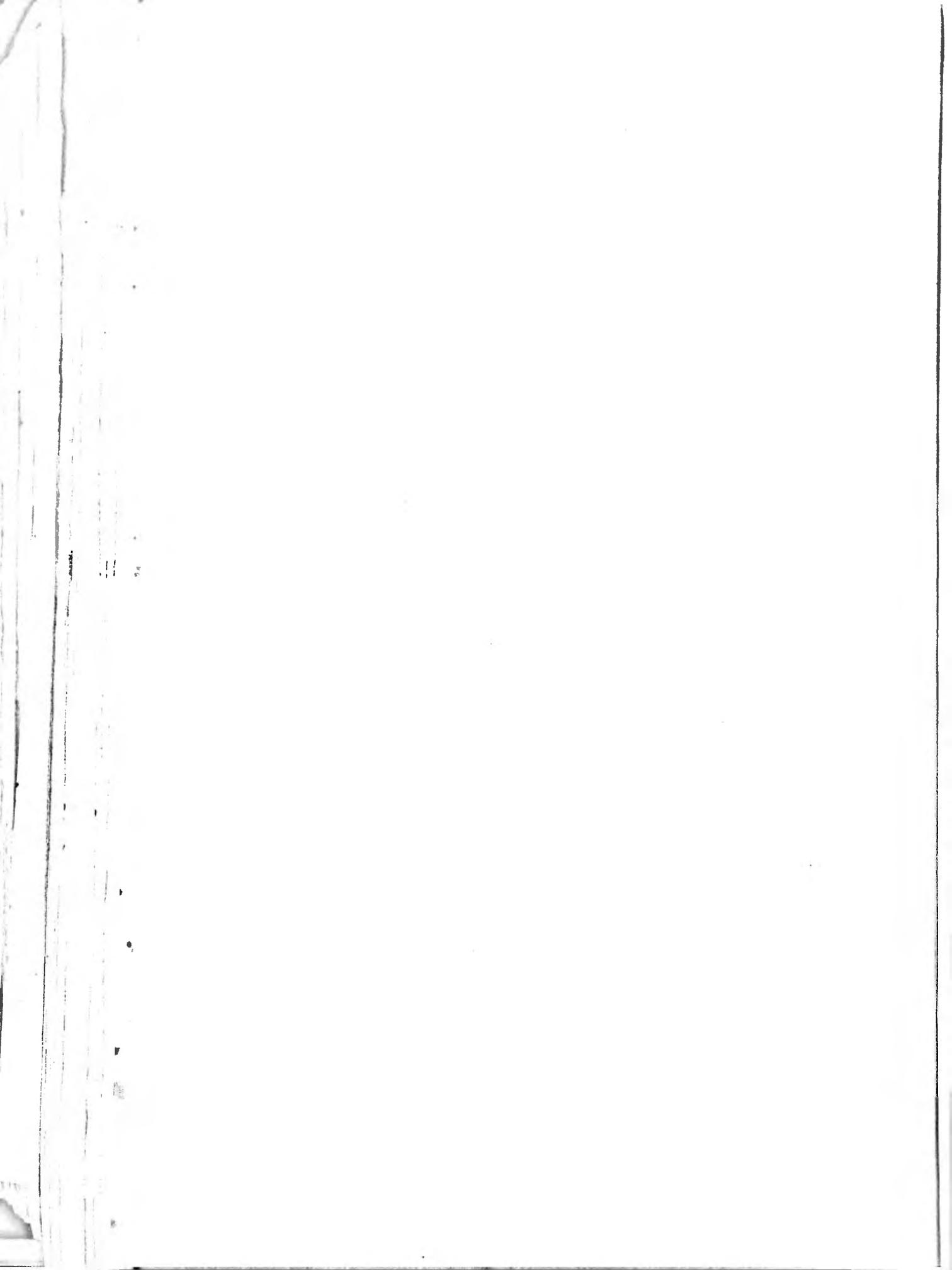
At the outset the Clerk submitted the deposited plans in connection with the Improvement, and explained the powers of the County Council as contained in their Act of 1925. It was observed from the resolution passed by the County Council on the 15th December, 1927, that the total cost of the Improvement was now estimated at £41,000, as against the original estimate of £16,000, and that this Council were asked by the County Council to bear the sum of £7,500, that being a moiety of the net estimated cost of the work, after allowing for recoupment, and the Ministry of Transport's Grant of £10,500.

It was pointed out to the Sub-Committee that no Agreement under Seal had been entered into between this Council and the County Council in relation to the matter, and that in any event there did not appear to be any obligation upon this Council to contribute more than one-fourth of the original estimated cost of the scheme, viz. £16,000, notwithstanding that the County Council were approached by this Council in November 1923 on the question of the widening.

The attention of the Sub-Committee was also drawn to two important factors; first that no indication was given by the County Council as to what increased revenue would be derived by them from the Tramways Co. in consequence of the construction of the new length of track along the proposed new road connecting Ballards Lane with Woodhouse Road, and secondly that insufficient information had been given as to how the present estimated cost of the Improvement (including the probable recoupment) had been arrived at. In these circumstances, and after full discussion, it was

RECOMMENDED

- (1) that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the County Council, stating that, before arriving at a definite decision on the question of contribution towards the cost of the Improvement, this Council desire to be furnished with further details as to:-
 - (a) what increased revenue will be derived from the Tramways Co. in consequence of the construction of the new length of track between Ballards Lane and Woodhouse Road, and to what extent this Council will benefit thereby; and

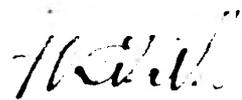


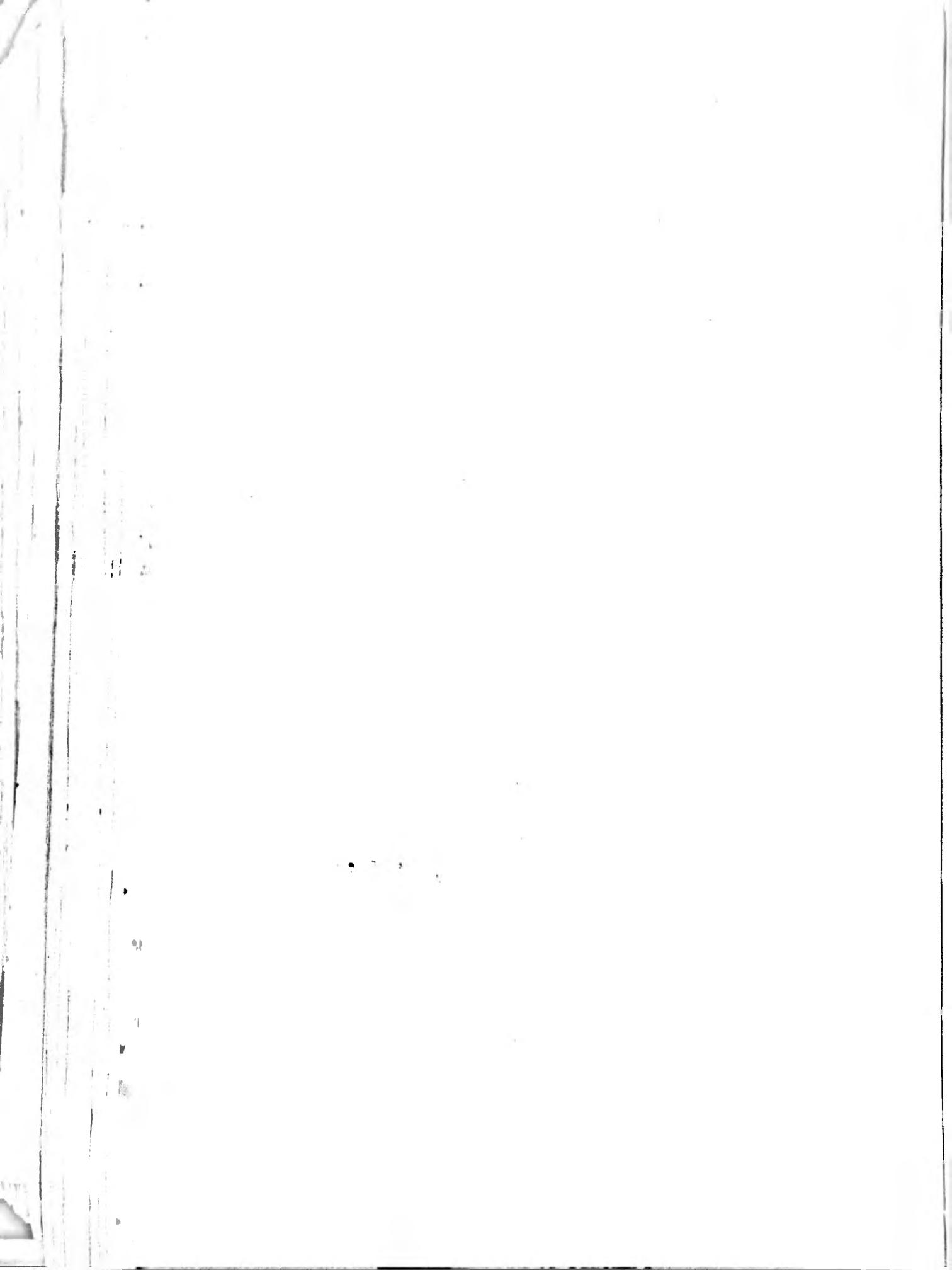
- (b) how the estimated cost of the Improvement, including the probable recoupment, is made up;
- (2) that at the same time it be pointed out to the County Council that the estimated cost of the Improvement has increased from £16,000 to £41,000; that this Council have not at any time acquiesced in any other than the original scheme of £16,000, and that, in the circumstances, unless ample justification can be shown by the County Council for the additional heavy cost involved, it is felt that this Council should not be called upon to bear a greater share than was originally anticipated, viz. one-fourth of the estimated cost of £16,000.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph 1552 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February 1928 and the five pages annexed hereto comprise the Joint report of the Clerk and of the Surveyor mentioned in the report of such Sub-Committee.


Chairman.



3rd February, 1928.

IMPROVEMENT - TALLY HO! CORNER.

JOINT REPORT OF THE CLERK & THE SURVEYOR TO THE COUNCIL.

Gentlemen,

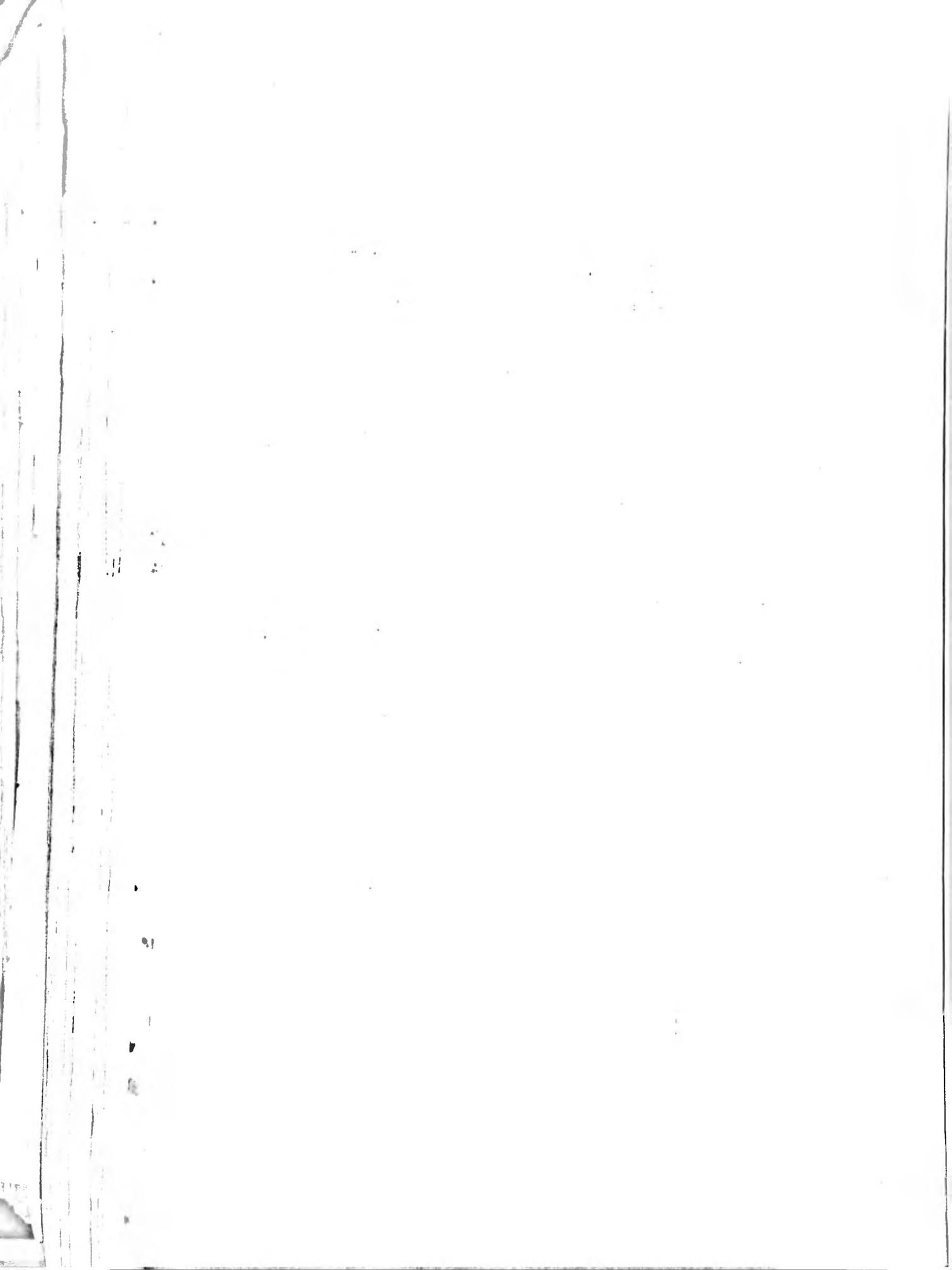
On the 10th November, 1923, a communication was addressed to the Ministry of Transport drawing attention to the fact that the premises, until recently occupied by Messrs. Brooks, Ltd. at Tally Ho! Corner were vacant; that for some years past the question of the necessity for a widening being effected at the point in question had been before the Council, but that the negotiations had not been proceeded with owing to the cost involved; that with the ever-increasing traffic in the two main roads the need for the widening was becoming daily more apparent, and that it was felt that, as the premises were vacant, it would be an opportune time for the matter to receive consideration, and asking for the views of the Ministry on the subject. On the same date a letter in similar terms was addressed to the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, asking for the views of the County Council.

The Ministry, in reply, pointed out that they could not give a decision in the matter until details of the works proposed to be carried out had been submitted and examined, and stated that it was their policy, in dealing with applications in respect of schemes which involved a large expenditure on the acquisition of land and property, to confine any assistance given to the cost of the actual road works.

In January, 1924, the Highways Improvement Sub-Committee of the Middlesex County Council visited the site, when representatives of this Council attended, and as a result the Surveyor was instructed to forward to the County Council the plans and particulars asked for by them, and to press for a prompt reply.

On the 29th May, 1924, the following resolutions were passed by the Middlesex County Council:-

1. That the County Council approves of the carrying out of the widening scheme at Tally Ho Corner, Finchley, including the widening of Great North Road, Ballards Lane and Nether Street, and the construction of a new 60-foot roadway in continuation of Woodhouse Road, connecting with Ballards Lane (as shown on the plan now submitted to the County Council) at a cost not exceeding £15,000, and agrees to contribute one-fourth of the cost of the scheme, subject:-
 - (a) To the Ministry of Transport contributing a moiety of the cost of the work;
 - (b) To the Finchley Urban District Council contributing one-fourth of the cost of the work;
 - (c) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with plan and specification approved by him;
 - (d) To the consent of the Ministry of Health to the County Council raising the necessary loan being obtained.
2. That it be referred to the Highways Committee to make the necessary arrangements for the above works to be effected after obtaining the necessary



authority from the Ministry of Transport under the Development and Road Improvement Funds Act, 1909, for the construction of the new section of road, and for the acquisition of the necessary land.

On enquiry being made of the County Council as to how the sum of £10,000 mentioned in the above resolution had been arrived at, the Clerk of the County Council forwarded the following extract from a report of his Highways Committee:-

According to the estimate of the District Valuer, the net cost of the whole of the properties, after recoupment, would be only £7,000, while the whole of the works of widening the two main roads and construction of a new road and widening of Nether Street are estimated to cost about £7,928, or a total cost of £14,928. This estimate, however, does not appear to include for the alteration of a shop front, nor does it appear to include for the cost of altering mains and cables in Old Ballards Lane, which it is proposed to stop up.

The whole of this improvement could be carried out for a figure of something between £10,000 and £16,000, and there is no doubt that a contribution would be obtained from the Ministry of Transport towards this scheme.

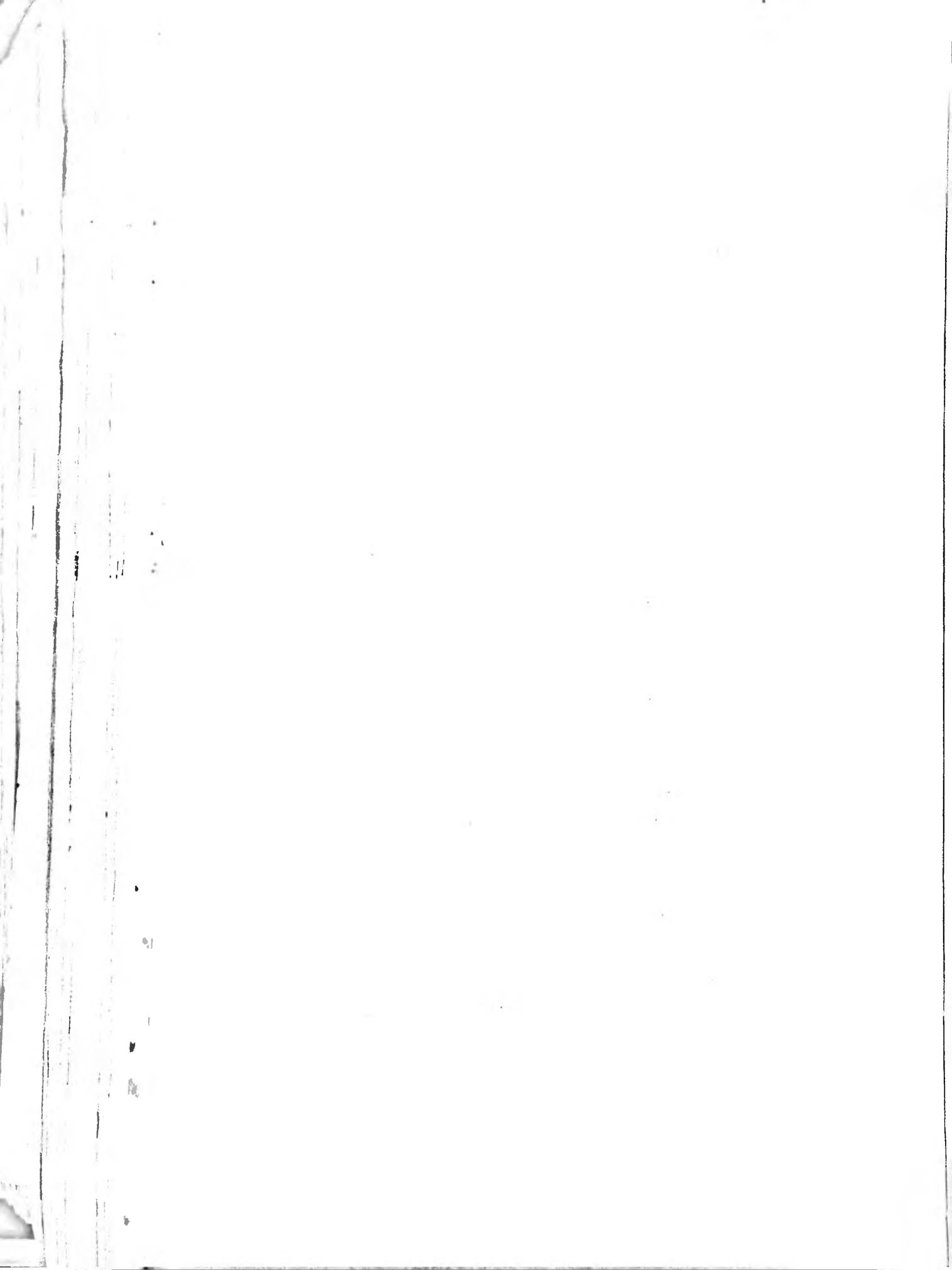
On the 30th July, 1924, the Clerk of the County Council was informed that this Council had directed application to be made to the Ministry of Transport for a contribution of 50% of the cost of the proposed improvement, and the County Council were asked on this occasion to be good enough to carry out the negotiations for the acquisition of the whole of the lands and buildings required to effect the improvement. On the same day the application to the Ministry of Transport was duly made.

On the 25th August, 1924, a letter was received from the County Council, stating that it was presumed that this Council would, as the Road Authority, obtain the Order from the Ministry of Transport for the compulsory acquisition of the necessary land and property, either under the Unemployment (Relief Works) Act 1920, or the Development & Road Improvement Funds Act 1909, and that in this event the County Solicitor would be prepared to carry out the legal work necessary to acquire the property, charging up to the cost of the acquisitions on the scale set out in the accompanying schedule. This scale would not apply to the closing of the Tally Ho! Public House, which was likely to be a matter of considerable difficulty, and for which a special fee should be fixed. In reply to this letter the County Council were informed on the 24th September, 1924, as follows:-

"(1) that in the opinion of this Council the whole of the negotiations, obtaining of orders, etc. should be carried out by the County Council;

(2) that any costs incurred should be charged against the scheme;

(3) that if your County Council desire this Council to carry out any particular part of the work mentioned or referred to in (1) above and will submit details thereof same shall receive consideration."



On the 7th November, 1924, the Clerk of the County Council wrote stating that the County Council proposed to obtain powers under a Bill which would be introduced in the next Session of Parliament to give effect to the improvement, and also to obtain the necessary power to construct the communicating tramway link between Ballard's Lane and Regents Park Road, continuing along the route of Woodhouse Road, and making application for the formal consent of this Council to the construction of a tramway along the new road mentioned above.

On the 5th December, 1924, a letter was addressed to the County Council, stating that this Council were pleased to give their formal consent, and asking for prints of the Bills so soon as they were available. The County Council by their Act of 1925, to which I will refer more particularly at your meeting, obtained certain Statutory powers in connection with the matter.

On the 30th December, 1925, the County Council were informed, in reply to a letter received from them, that this Council would be prepared to carry out the proposed work, subject to a satisfactory agreement being entered into between the two Bodies dealing with the financial aspect of the question.

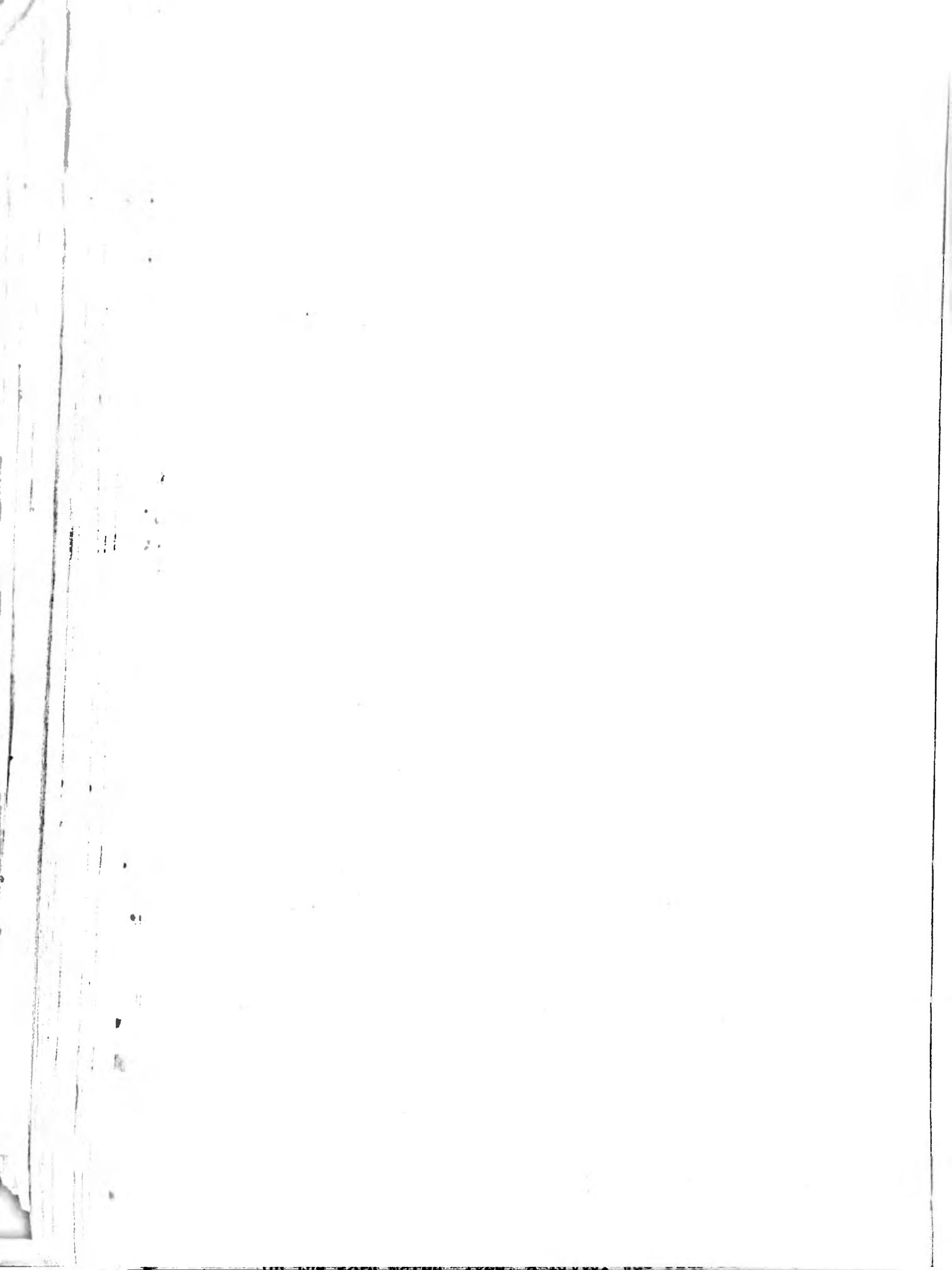
On the 28th January, 1926, the following resolution was passed by the County Council:-

That an agreement be entered into with the Finchley Urban District Council in pursuance of the resolution adopted by the County Council on the 29th May, 1924 (approving of the widening scheme at Tally Ho! Corner, Finchley, at a cost not exceeding £16,000, and agreeing to contribute one-quarter of the cost of the scheme), to provide that the land be acquired by the County Council, that the County Council be allowed certain charges in respect of Solicitor's costs and the cost of the preparation of the necessary plans, etc; that the work be carried out by the Finchley Urban District Council; and generally to deal with the necessary financial adjustment.

That the agreement in a form approved by the County Solicitor be sealed with the Common Seal of the County Council.

On the 23rd February, 1926, the County Council were informed that this Council were prepared to consider a draft Agreement on the lines indicated, subject to its being in a form to be approved by them, and asking for the draft of such Agreement. The letter added that, as arranged at an interview which had taken place between the Clerks of the two Councils on the 11th February, 1926, it was understood that, in accordance with the usual practice, application would be made by the County Council to the Ministry of Transport for their contribution towards the cost of the whole improvement.

On the 12th March, 1926, a letter was received from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, stating that an amended report had been submitted by the District Valuer upon the cost of acquiring the land for the improvement, and enclosing a copy of such amended report, from which it was observed that his estimate of the cost of acquisitions, after allowing for recupment, was £16,350, and that in consequence of this, the total estimated cost of the work would be £25,350.



the County Council, asking for information as to the difference between the original estimate of £16,000, and the amended one of £25,350. Enquiry was also made as to whether the District Valuer, in arriving at his final figure, had taken into account the sums which would be received in respect of the sale of frontages to the proposed new road linking up Ballards Lane with Woodhouse Road, and pointing out that it was understood between the two Councils that this improvement would be treated as a whole.

In reply, a letter was received from the County Council, pointing out that the increase in the revised estimate was solely due to the extra expenditure which the District Valuer had reported would be involved in respect of the acquisition of property, and enclosing copies of reports of the District Valuer, in which were set out the reasons for the amended estimate. It was added that in view of the fact that the District Valuer had reported that his estimate of £16,350 was arrived at after giving credit for recoupment, it would appear that he had taken into consideration the sums which would be received in respect of the sale of frontages to the proposed new road linking up Ballards Lane with Woodhouse Road.

At a meeting of this Council in July 1926 it was resolved that a Sub-Committee should wait upon representatives of the Highways Committee of the Middlesex County Council for the purpose of discussing the above matter. The meeting took place on the 22nd November, 1926, and at a meeting of this Council held on that date the Chairman of the Council reported that the meeting with the County Highways Committee had taken place, and that this Council's representatives had asked for full details of the position, pending receipt of which no useful purpose would be served by considering the matter further.

On the 4th December, 1926, the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarded the following general note of the interview above-mentioned:-

"The following representatives of the Finchley Urban District Council waited upon the Chairman of the Highways Committee on Monday the 22nd November, viz:-

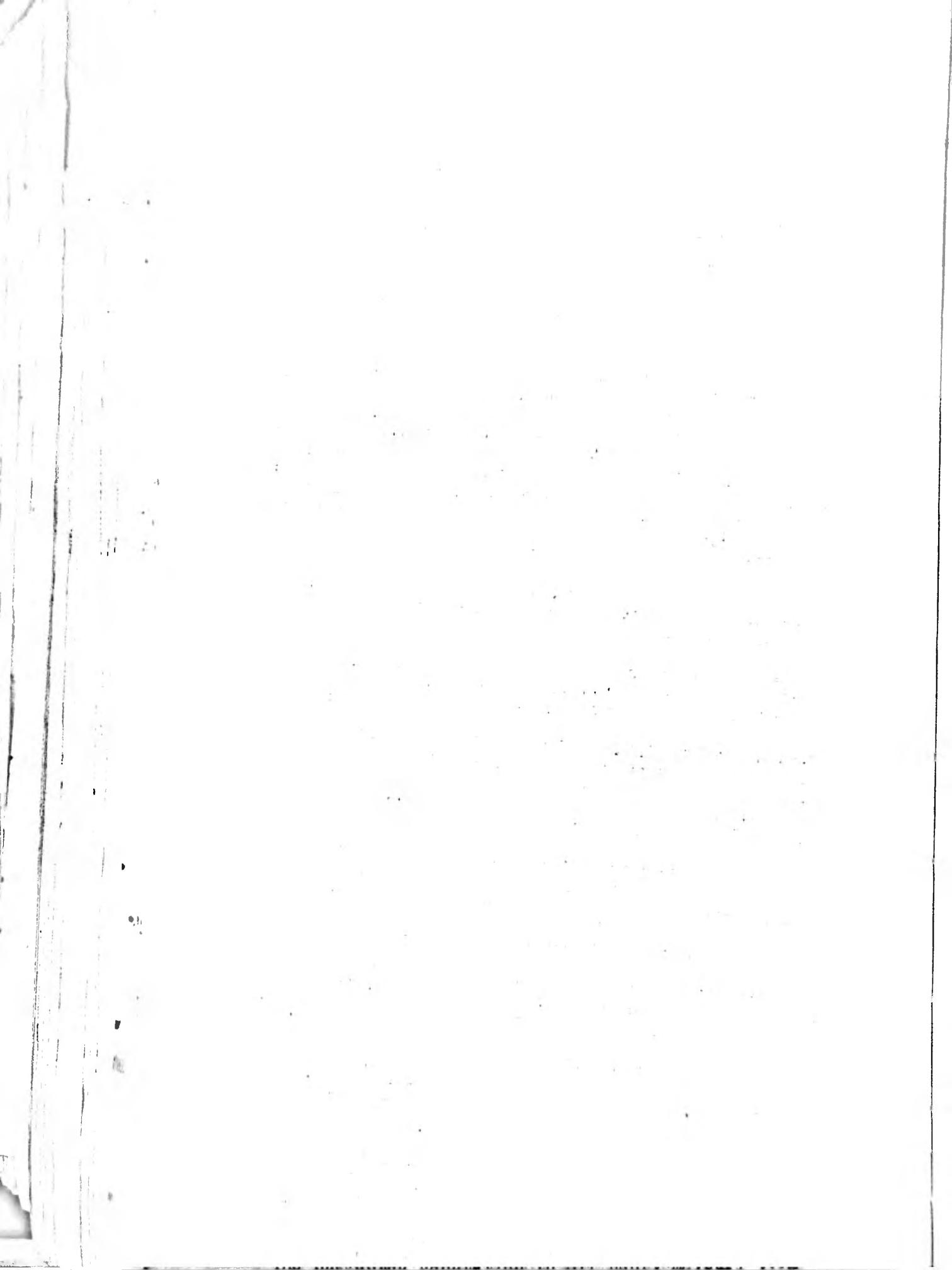
Mr. H. O. Syrett, J.P. (Chairman of the Council).
Mr. Agar (Chairman of the Finance Committee).
Mr. Wade (Member of the Highways Committee).
Mr. E. H. Lister (Clerk of the Council).
Mr. Harrison (Surveyor).

The Finchley representatives urged that they were not satisfied with the general arrangements which had been put in hand in connection with this improvement, particularly deploring the delay in coming to terms with the owners of land required for the improvement.

It was pointed out that compulsory powers were required before the land could be obtained, and the gaining of these powers were the main cause of the delay.

It was also pointed out to the Deputation, the decision of the Ministry of Transport, referred to above, and it was considered desirable that urgent representations should be made to the Ministry for a larger grant towards the cost of the work.

It was arranged that a Deputation consisting of the Chairman of the County Highways Committee, the County Engineer, and two representatives of the Finchley Urban District Council should seek an appointment with Sir Henry Maybury with the object of pressing for a grant of 50% of the cost of the works and acquisitions."



pleas on the 21st December, 1926. As a result of such deputa-
tion the Council decided that they were not in a position to
deal further with the matter until the decision of the Ministry
of Transport was known.

On the 16th December, 1927, the Clerk of the Middlesex
County Council wrote forwarding, for the information of this
Council, a print of the following resolution adopted by the
Council on the 15th December, 1927,

That the County Council approves of the carrying
out of the widening scheme at Tally Hall Corner,
Finchley, including the widening of the Great
North Road, Ballards Lane and Nether Street, and
the construction of a new 60-ft. roadway in
continuation of Woodhouse Road, connecting with
Ballards Lane, at a cost not exceeding £41,000.
subject:-

- (a) To the Ministry of Transport contributing
a moiety of the site value of so much of the
property as is actually required for the
road works, and a moiety of the cost of the
works;
- (b) To the Finchley Urban District Council con-
tributing one-half of the net cost to the
County Council of carrying out the improve-
ment, after taking into consideration the
Ministry of Transport's grant; and sharing
in the recoupment from sale of back land;
- (c) To the works being carried out to the satis-
faction of the County Engineer and Surveyor
and in accordance with plans and specifica-
tions approved by him;
- (d) To the consent of the Ministry of Health to
the raising of the necessary loan being
obtained.

Enquiry was made as to whether this Council were prepared
to share the nett estimated cost of the work, namely £15,000.
This letter added that the Ministry were only prepared to
contribute towards the cost of the works and the site value of
the land actually required for the improvement. The sum of
£15,000 before-mentioned is made up as follows:-

Estimated cost of land and buildings	£72,000.
Cost of works	<u>9,000.</u>
	£41,000.
<u>Less.-</u>	
Probable recoupment £15,500	
Amount of grant from Ministry of Transport <u>10,500</u>	<u>26,000.</u>
	<u>£15,000.</u>

We are, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servants,

E. H. LISTER,
Clerk of the Council.

P. T. HARRISON,
Surveyor to the Council.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (c) that at the same time it be pointed out to the County Council that the estimated cost of the Improvement has increased from £16,000 to £41,000; that this Council have not at any time acquiesced in any other than the original scheme of £16,000, and that, in the circumstances, unless ample justification can be shown by the County Council for the additional heavy cost involved, it is felt that this Council should not be called upon to bear a greater share than was originally anticipated, viz., one-fourth of the estimated cost of £16,000.

1553 ARGYLE ROAD—FOOTBRIDGE.—It was reported that the above bridge had recently been repaired by the owner and a communication was submitted from Mr. R. S. Cattell enquiring, on the owner's behalf, whether the Council would be prepared, in conjunction with the Hendon Council, to make a contribution towards the cost of such repairs amounting to £3 13s. 1d.;

RECOMMENDED that this Council contribute a sum equal to one-fourth of the said cost, subject to the Hendon Council's agreeing to make a similar contribution and on the distinct understanding that the payment is made entirely without prejudice and is an *ex-gratia* one.

1554 HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 4th instant. A report of the proceedings thereat was submitted and certain instructions were given to the Officers concerned.

Annexed

Arising out of the report it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) Street Widenings—Frederick's Place.—That the sheds at the Dépôt site in front of the building line be removed and that a fence be erected along the 40ft. line;
- (b) Highways—Summers Lane.—That an item for the improvement of this road be included in next year's estimates and that, in the meantime, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the ditch at the eastern end opposite to

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

the Mortuary be filled in and a footway formed between Ingleway and the existing culvert at an estimated cost of £50;

- (c) Squires Lane Bridge.—That the existing footpath on the west side of the above bridge be increased in width to 6ft. from Station Road to the Electricity Works approach at an estimated cost of £250, leaving over for the present the question of the widening of the bridge approaches;
- (d) Highways—Station Road.—That provision be made in next year's estimates for re-surfacing with tar-macadam and also for channelling the portion of the above road from the main road to Wootton Grove;
- (e) Improvement—Friern Barnet Lane.—That the surface of the portion of the above road originally intended to be of tar macadam be constructed in water-bound macadam, and extended to the site of the proposed new Police Station, the Ministry of Transport having intimated to the Surveyor that they would be prepared to approve this alteration.

1555 TREES ON HIGHWAYS.—A communication, dated 24th January, 1928, was submitted from the County Engineer and Surveyor stating that, in view of the fact that the Ministry of Transport approved as "grant-earning expenditure" the cost incurred in lopping trees (the property of the Road Authority) on classified roads, the County Council would admit such costs under the heading of "ordinary maintenance" to be charged in the Local Authorities' accounts for the maintenance of Main and Light Railway Roads; that, with regard to the provision of new trees to replace existing trees which had died or become damaged, the costs in this connexion would also be allowed under the heading of "ordinary maintenance" but that, where it was proposed to plant a row of new trees along a classified road, this would be treated as an "improvement" and the costs allowed subject to prior approval being obtained; further that, in the case of subsidised roads, as the County Council did not contribute to footpath maintenance, no expenditure in connexion with the lopping or provision of new trees could be admitted.

HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

4th February, 1928.

PRESENT.- Councillor Knowlman (Chairman) and
Councillor Wells.

1. METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS BOX - TALLY HO! CORNER.-

The temporary position of the above was inspected, and it was decided to defer the further consideration of the matter until the site had been cleared.

2. STREET WIDENINGS - FREDERICKS PLACE.-

The Sub-Committee inspected the wooden erections at the depot site in front of the building line, and suggest that same be removed and that a fence about 3' 6" high be erected along the frontage. They were of opinion that the question of the making up of Frederick's Place should be deferred for the time being.

3. HIGHWAYS - SUMMERS LANE.-

The Sub-Committee suggest that an item for the improvement of this road be included in next year's estimates, and that in the meantime the ditch at the eastern end opposite to the Mortuary be filled in and a footway formed between Ingleway and the existing culvert at an estimated cost of £50.

4. SEWAGE FARM LAND - SUMMERS LANE.-

The land east of the Mortuary was inspected by the Sub-Committee, and it was decided again to draw the attention of the Public Health Committee to the accumulation of litter thereon and to suggest to that Committee the desirability of erecting a chestnut pale fence 6' in height along the frontage.

5. IMPROVEMENT - FRIERN BARNET LANE.-

The Surveyor reported upon an interview with the Ministry of Transport and intimated that the surface of the portion of the road originally intended to be of tar macadam should be constructed in water bound macadam and be extended to the site of the proposed new Police Station.

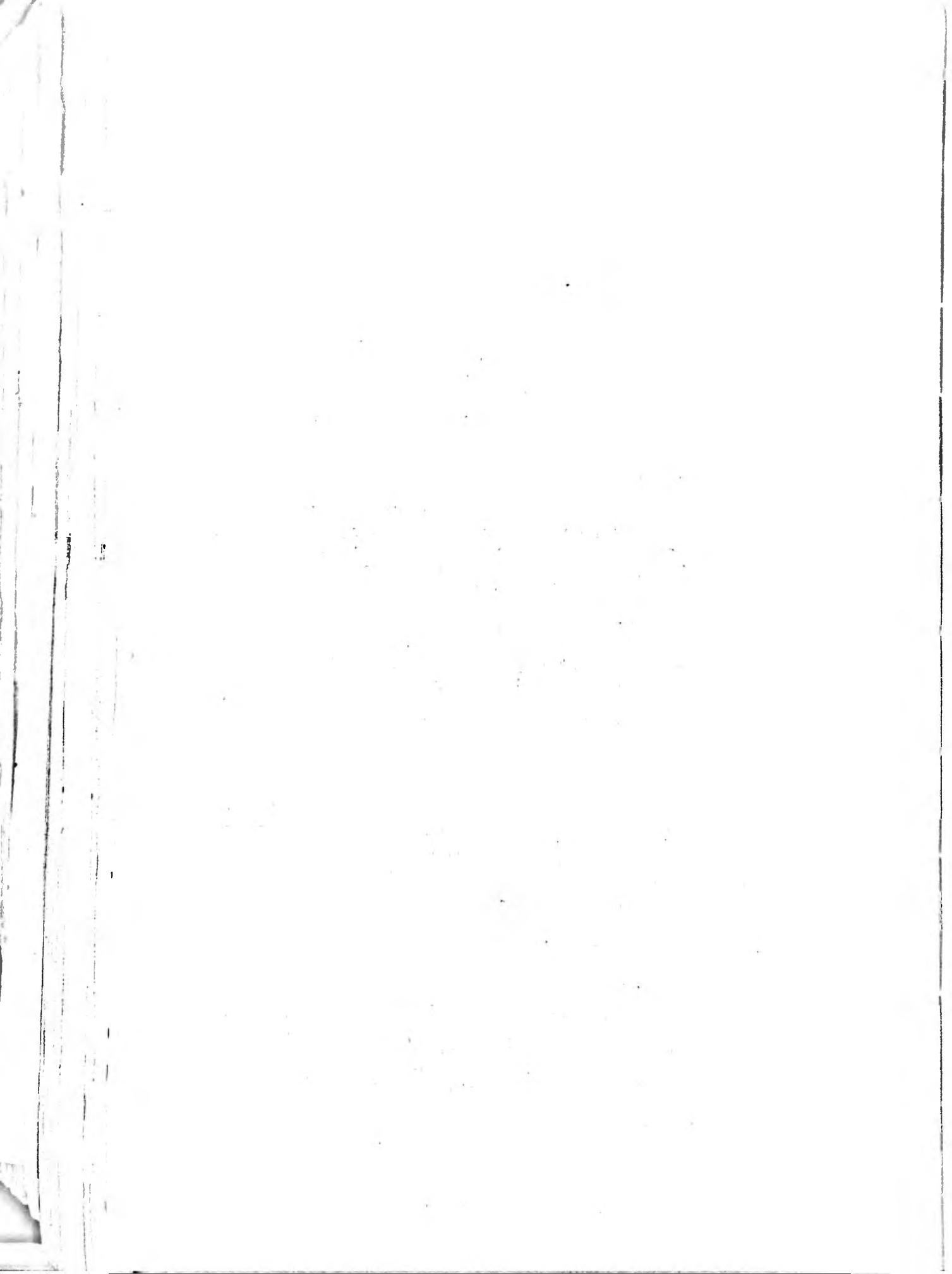
The Sub-Committee agreed.

6. SQUIRES LANE BRIDGE.-

The Sub-Committee inspected the footpath on the west side of the above bridge, and decided to suggest that the existing footpath should be increased in width to 6' from Station Road to the Electricity Works approach at an estimated cost of £250, leaving over for the present the question of the widening of the bridge approaches.

7. IMPROVEMENT - EAST END ROAD - SQUIRES LANE TO ARDEN PLAYING FIELD.-

The Sub-Committee suggest that provision be made for a 6' footpath at above on the northern side.



8. HIGHWAYS - STATION ROAD.-

The Sub-Committee suggest that provision be made in next year's estimate for re-surfacing with tar-macadam, and also for channelling, the portion of the above road from the main road to Wootton Grove.

9. HIGHWAYS - DOLLIS LANE BY VIADUCT.-

(1) Certain views were expressed by the Sub-Committee with regard to the proposed widening and improvement at above, and the Surveyor was instructed to consider same and report later thereon.

(2) The Sub-Committee further suggested that the road surface between the Viaduct and the bridge over the brook should be improved.

10. HIGHWAYS - WOODSIDE AVENUE - TREES.-

The Sub-Committee considered a letter received from Mr. A.M. Fort of Heathfield, Woodside Avenue, and suggest that the overhanging tree outside those premises, and also the tree at the north entrance to Kelvedon, be removed.

It was suggested that it would be desirable for a survey to be made by the Surveyor of the whole of the road, with a view to ascertaining whether any further trees on the south-west side were dangerous and should be removed.

11. HIGHWAYS - TREES - DUKES AVENUE.-

The Sub-Committee considered a letter from Mr. C.W. Young with regard to the trees in the above road, and instructions were given for him to be informed that now that the trees have been pruned, doubtless his objections will have been met.

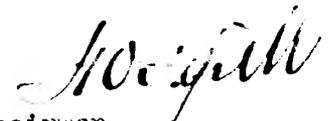
12. HIGHWAYS - TREES - FINCHLEY AVENUE.-

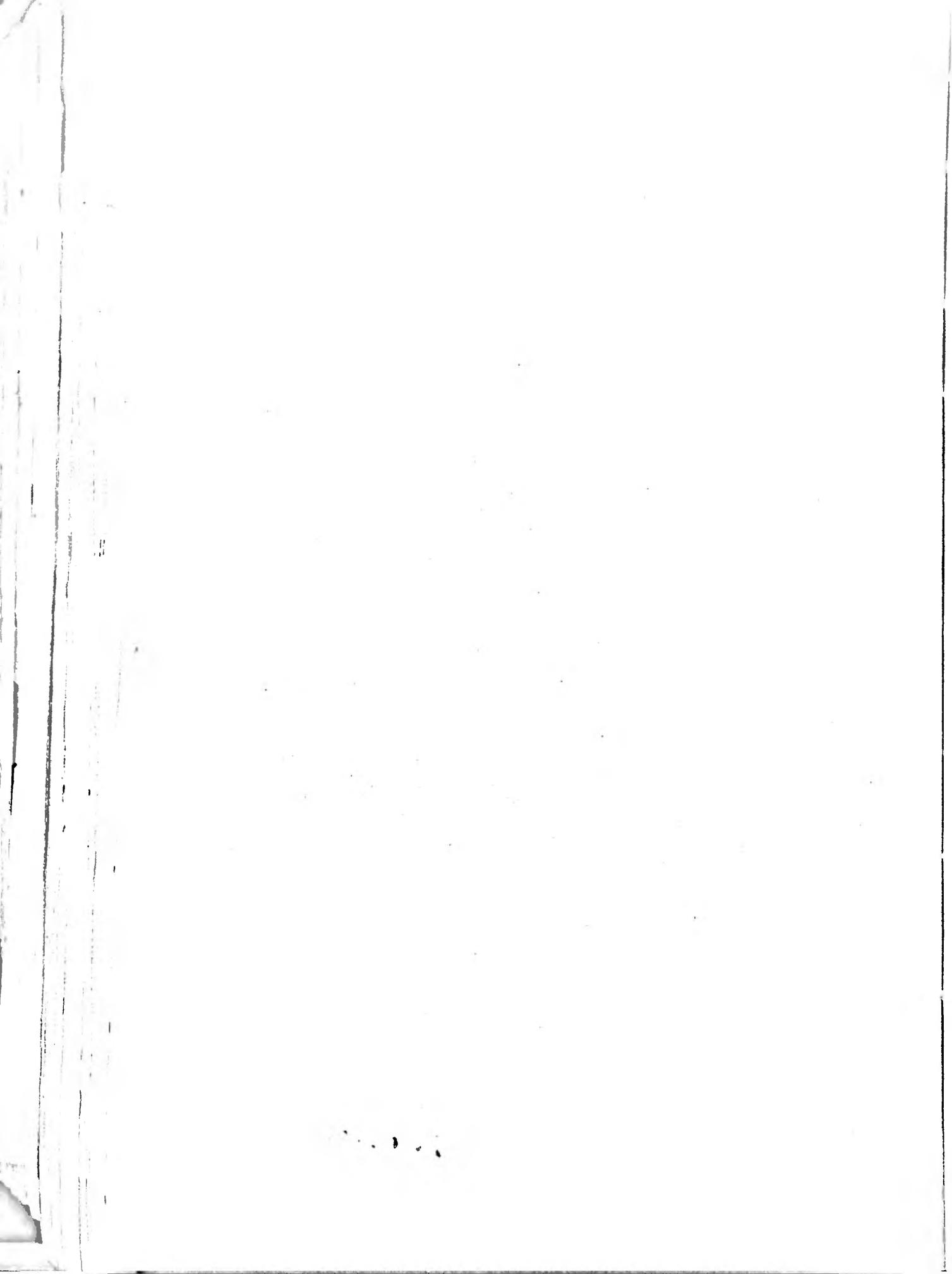
The Sub-Committee considered a complaint received from Mr. Elliott with regard to the planting of trees outside his premises known as Pearley, and in the circumstances it was decided to defer the matter until the question of the making up of Waverley Grove was under consideration.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

This (together with the preceding page) is the Highways (Outdoor) Sub-Committee's report of the 4th February 1928 referred to in paragraph 1554 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February 1928.


Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1556 HIGHWAYS—TELEPHONE POLES.—A letter, dated 25th January, 1928, was submitted from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association stating that this Council's letter of the 23rd September last on this subject had now received the careful consideration of the Executive Council but that, having regard to the existing statutory provisions dealing with the matter, they did not see any prospect of amending legislation.

1557 HIGHWAYS—STATION ROAD.—The Clerk submitted a petition received from the Finchley Chamber of Trade and signed by a large number of residents in the above road protesting against the manner in which it had recently been repaired and asking that the road might receive better attention. After hearing the Surveyor's report thereon it was

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor write the petitioners an explanatory letter on the subject.

1558 OMNIBUS FACILITIES.—A letter, dated 11th January, 1928, was submitted from the London General Omnibus Co., Ltd., referring to the proposed extension of route 43 to Whetstone (Griffin Inn) and stating that, after due consideration, it had been decided to make the terminus at the "Black Bull" Public House, where it was considered more suitable standing accommodation was available.

1559 DIRECTION SIGNS.—A letter was submitted from the Surveyor to the London & North Eastern Railway Company (Southern Area) asking leave to fix a number of direction signs to the Council's property indicating the nearest way to the Company's stations in this district;

RECOMMENDED that the request of the Company be acceded to, subject to the Surveyor's approval of the sites and to their entering into an agreement to be prepared by the Clerk of the Council.

1560 SUBSIDISED ROADS—CONTINUANCE OF SUBSIDY.—A communication, dated 1st February, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarding copy of the following resolution recently adopted by the County Council:—

"That the contributions of the County Council towards the upkeep of Subsidised Roads "A" and "B" be continued

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

for the year 1924-29 upon the same basis as heretofore, after taking into account the grants paid by the Ministry of Transport towards the maintenance of the carriageways of such of those roads as have been classified."

1561 IMPROVEMENT WORKS—WOODSIDE LANE.—The Surveyor reported that the final figures relating to this improvement were as follows :—

Estimate approved by Council	...	£1000	0	0
Actual cost	... ..	980	6	3

1562 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted :—

- (1) Underground line across and along the south-east side of Nether Street from Grosvenor Road, north-east side to outside "Oakwood."
- (2) Underground line in Nether Street (a) north-west side from outside "Enderby" to Nos. 96/94, and (b) south-east side from outside "Rostrevor" to Alexandra Grove, north-east side.
- (3) Underground line west side of Holdenhurst Avenue, from Nos. 22 to 26.

RECOMMENDED that such applications be approved, subject (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction.

1563 STREET WIDENINGS—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY ST. MARGARET'S AVENUE.—A reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee herein was submitted and considered;

RECOMMENDED that, so far as this Committee is concerned, the proposed arrangement as set out in the Report of that Committee be approved by the Council, subject to the Company agreeing to the postponement of the works mentioned in item (4) as regards the return frontage to St. Margaret's Avenue until that street is made up.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1564 WOOD PAVING AND IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for advertisements to be issued inviting tenders for the under-mentioned works :—

Wood Paving Works—Great North Road and Ballards Lane.

Improvement Works—Regents Park Road (portion not already included in Messrs. Manders' contract).

Improvement Works—East End Road (Windermere Avenue to Manor Lodge).

1565 STREET WIDENINGS—GREAT NORTH ROAD BY BROOK FARM.—Referring to Minute No. 1212 the Surveyor reported as follows :—

“ Further to my report at your December meeting, I have now obtained an estimate from the District Valuer of the value of the Council's land at Brook Farm to be thrown into the highway, on the assumption that the acquiring highway authority will not do any fencing on the new line. The District Valuer's valuation on this basis is £125.”

1566 STREET WIDENINGS—NETHER STREET BY ELM GRANGE ESTATE—MR. W. T. HAWARD.—The Surveyor reported hereon and intimated that Mr. W. T. Haward was prepared to convey to the Council the strip of land in front of Elm Grange coloured pink on drawing No. 6398 required for the widening of Nether Street to a width of 45ft. at that point on the following conditions, viz., that :—

- (1) The Council defray the cost of the necessary Conveyance.
- (2) The Council pay to him the sum of £50 in lieu of setting back the fence, he doing this work at his own expense within two years of date of Conveyance.
- (3) The Council (when the fence is set back) make up the land conveyed as part of the highway at an estimated cost of £59.

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- (4) The Council (at their own expense) extend the surface water sewer in Eversleigh Road, as shewn on Drawing No. 6398, and at their own expense lay, if and when required, the 6in. combined drain across Nether Street at its junction with Eversleigh and Grosvenor Roads respectively, and in the event of the latter combined drain not being required pay the owner the sum of £50;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the offer of Mr. Haward above-mentioned be accepted and that the carrying out of the works in question be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements;
- (c) that the Clerk prepare the necessary Conveyance in the matter.

1567 FENCING—LAND—LONG LANE—NORTH-WEST SIDE OF ALEXANDER VILLAS.—The Surveyor reported receipt of a letter from Mr. F. Brinn hereon and it was intimated that, under the terms of a deed of conveyance, dated 22nd October, 1908, the Council had covenanted to fence off the property in question and to form and make up same as part of the highway. The Surveyor reported that the cost of the fencing and road works was estimated at £54;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the erection of the fencing and the carrying out of the road works be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements.

1568 STREET WIDENINGS—SWAN LANE.—The Surveyor reported that he had been in communication with the owner of certain land in the above road who had recently sold a plot for the purpose of building a bungalow thereon and that he had agreed to set back the front fence 20ft. from the centre of the road and in addition to keep back the building a further distance

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

of 15ft. The Surveyor further intimated that the Council would be required to bear the cost of the surface water and soil drains across the strip to be thrown into the highway, which would amount to a sum of approximately £10;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the above be approved;
- (b) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee with a view to their making the necessary financial arrangements;
- (c) that the Clerk be directed to obtain a conveyance of the strip of land in question.

1569 NAME PLATES—LOVERS WALK.—The Surveyor reported that he had received an offer from a local resident to provide name plates for each end of the above, on the understanding that the Council would fix the same;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1570 ANNUAL SUPPLIES.—Tabulated statements (circulated) were submitted giving particulars of the tenders received in connexion with the above;

Annexed

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the tenders submitted by the under-mentioned be accepted for a period of one year from 1st April, 1928, in respect of the execution of the works or the supply of the commodities set opposite to their respective names:—

General Cartage—J. Walker.

Cartage of Materials—J. Walker.

Tar—Burt, Boulton & Haywood, Ltd.

Invicta Flux—Thos. Hill-Jones, Ltd.

Crushed Shingle—Herts Gravel & Brick Works.

Guernsey Granite Chippings—Wm. Griffiths and Co., Ltd.

- (b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contracts in the matter.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*)

1571 **SURFACE WATER SEWER—BOW LANE.**—The Surveyor reported that he had been in further communication with the London County Council in regard to this matter and that they had now agreed to accept from this Council a contribution of £41 13s. 4d., representing one-third of the cost of the sewer;

RECOMMENDED that same be approved.

1572 **INSTRUCTIONS.**—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

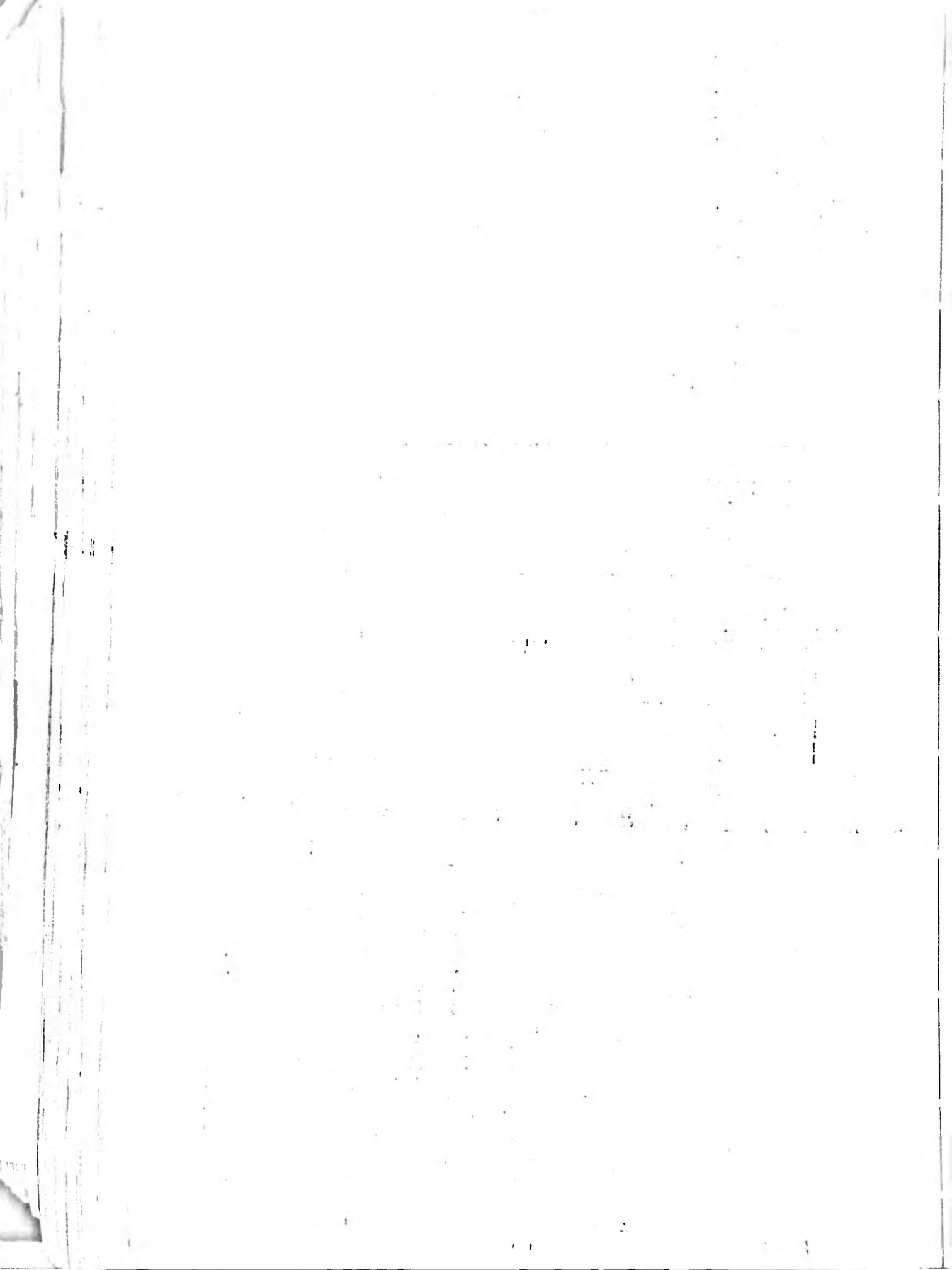
HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

TENDERS FOR GENERAL CARTAGE @ PER DAY UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.

Details.	Mr. J. Walker.	Mr. G. Haynes.	Mr. R. Deards.	Mr. W. W. Drinkwater.	Mr. N. Wise.	Mr. A. Pannell.	Present c Mr. J. Wa
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Horse and driver without cart.	17 9	17 11	18 0	18 3	18 3	18 0	17 10
Chain horse without driver.	8 9	8 10	9 0	9 0	9 6	9 6	9 6
Horse for Recreation Ground, Council) providing stabling and feed but taking no responsibility for illness, accidents, etc. @ per week)	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 6	1 0 3	1 1 0	1 5 0	1 0 0
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

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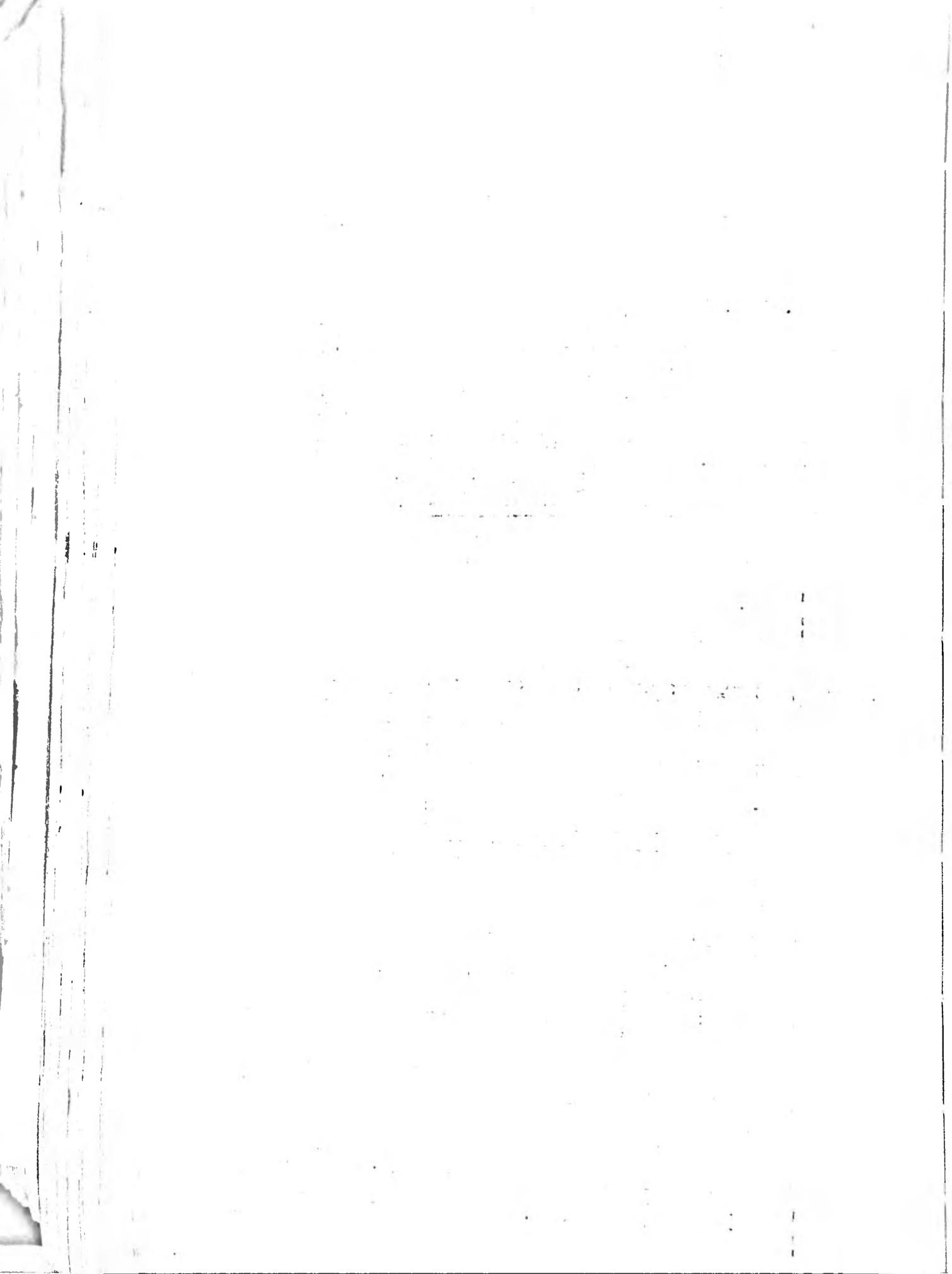
CARTAGE OF MATERIALS FROM STATIONS @ PER TON.

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Mr. J. Walker.	3/9	4/3	4/3	2/9	3/-	3/-.	2/9	3/-	3/3	2/9	3/-	3/3	2/9	3/-	3/3	3/6	3/9	3/9	1
Mr. G. Haynes.	3/11	4/7	4/5	2/11	3/2	3/2	2/11	3/2	3/2	2/11	3/2	3/2	2/11	3/2	3/2	3/6	4/-	4/-	1
Mr. R. Deards.	4/-	4/6	4/6	3/-	3/2	3/2	3/-	3/4	3/4	2/11	3/4	3/4	3/-	3/4	3/4	3/6	4/-	4/-	1
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Mr. N. Wise.	4/3	4/9	4/9	3/2	3/6	3/8	3/2	3/6	3/8	3/2	3/6	3/8	3/2	3/6	3/8	4/-	4/3	4/2	1
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Key to reference at head of columns:
 A = General Materials.
 B = Cast & Wrot Iron Goods.
 C = Stoneware Goods.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
 Engineer and Surveyor.

7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

TENDERS FOR TAR.

PRICES AT PER GALLON DELIVERED AT COUNCIL'S DEPOTS.

Firm	Price.
Messrs. Burt, Boulton & Haywood Ltd.	7 $\frac{5}{8}$ d.
South Metropolitan Gas Company.	7 $\frac{3}{4}$ d.
Gas, Light & Coke, Co.	7 $\frac{7}{8}$ d.
Salamon & Co, Ltd.	8d.
Messrs. Crow Catchpole & Co, Ltd.	8d.
Messrs. Lord, Trench & Co., Ltd.	8d.
Messrs. Grindley & Co, Ltd.	8d.
Smarts' Tar Distillery, Ltd.	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.

Invicta Flux.

Messrs. Thos. Hill-Jones, Ltd. £8. 3. 6d. per ton.

PRESENT CONTRACTS.

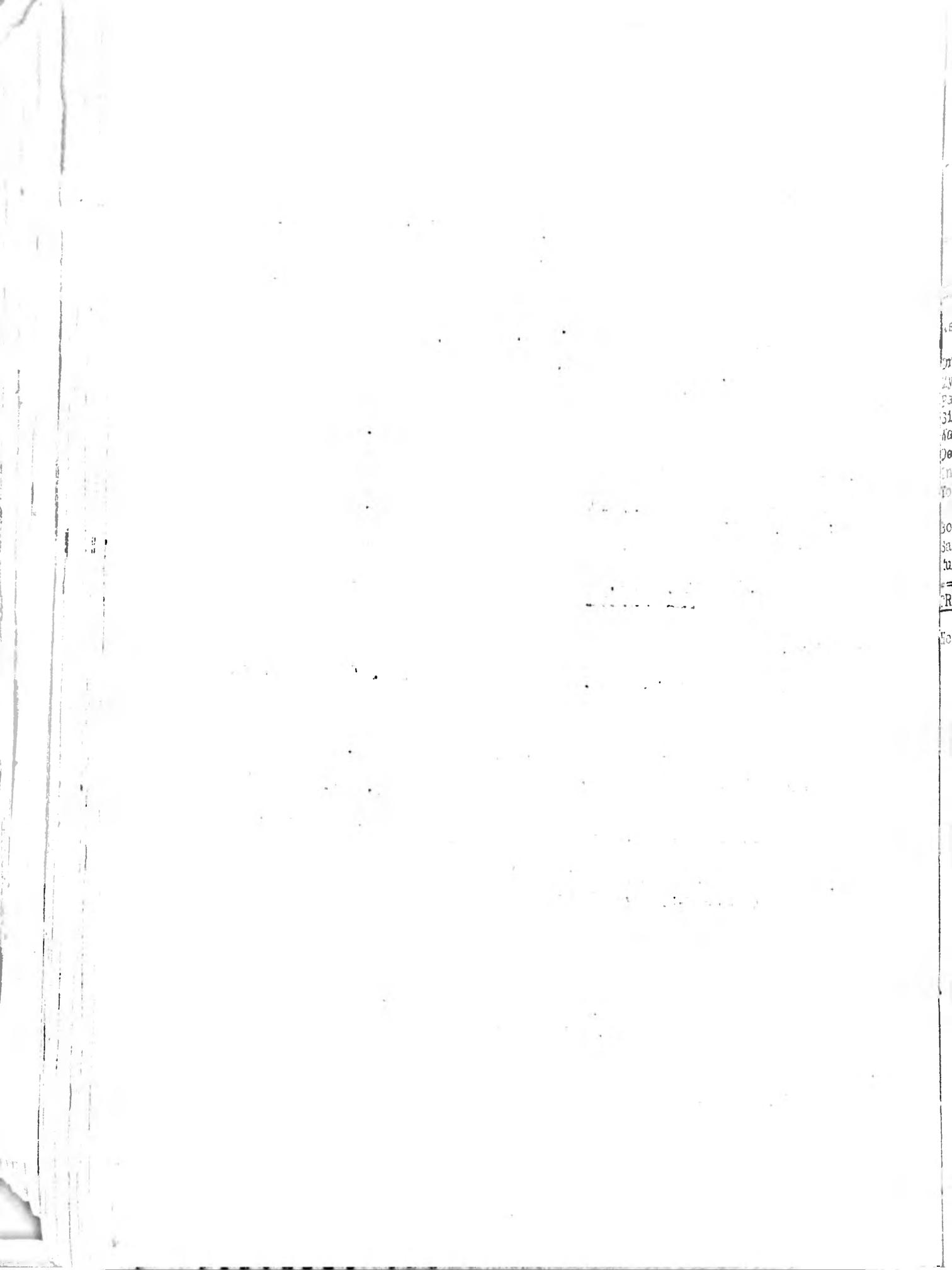
The Gas, Light & Coke Co.	(Tar)	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.
Messrs. Thos. Hill-Jones, Ltd.	(Invicta Flux)	£8. 5. 0d. " "

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N O T E. The other tenders received were for
proprietary articles.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

6TH FEBRUARY, 1928.



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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

TENDERS FOR CRUSHED SHINGLE.

Firm.	L.F.Stn. per ton.		C.E.Stn. per ton.		W.P.Stn. per ton.		Tgo Stn. per ton.		Depots or jobs per cube yard.		
	£. s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£. s.	d.	£. s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Herts Gravel & Brick Works.	10	6	10	6	10	5	10	5	10	3	
Associated Ballast Works Ltd.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10 9
Drinkwater W.W.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11 0
Mylon & Co.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11 0
Pannell A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11 6
Sivers T.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11 6
Walker J. W.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 0
Deards R.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 3
Inns & Co.	9	6	9	6	9	9	9	9	12	6	
Yerke Stoneham & Jones Ltd.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 9
Boyer & Sons, Ltd.	10	8	10	11	11	2	11	7	13	0	
Sabey & Co, Ltd.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13 0
Murrell's Wharf Ltd.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16 0

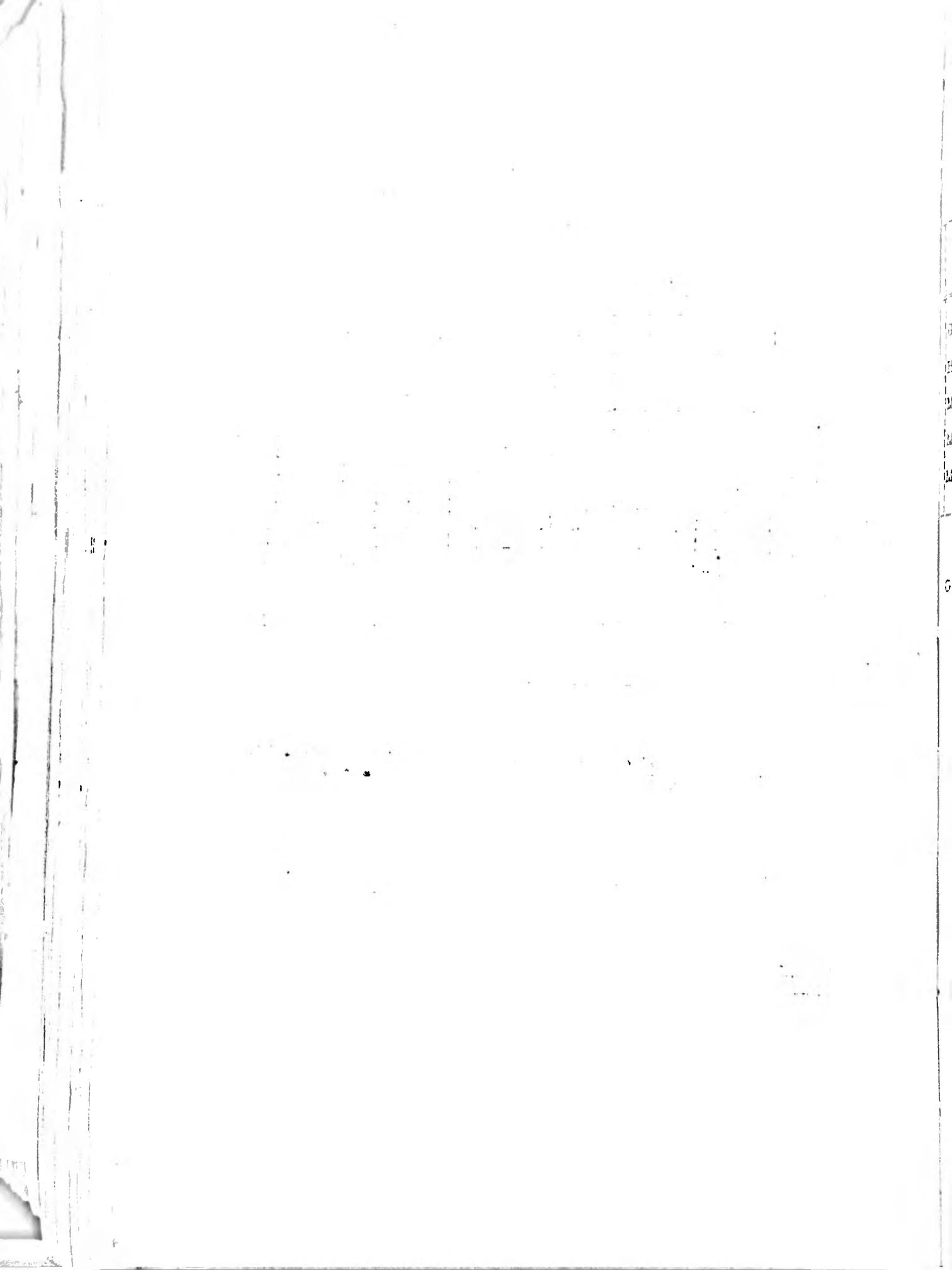
PRESENT CONTRACT.

Herts Gravel & Brick Works.	10	6	10	6	10	5	10	5	11	0
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NOTE: One other tender was received which did not comply with the specification.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

7TH FEBRUARY, 1928



HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 8TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

½" GUERNSEY GRANITE CHIPS FREE FROM DUST.

Firm.	E.F.Stn. per ton.	C.E.Stn. per ton.	W.F.Stn. per ton.	Tge Stn. per ton.	Depots or jobs per cube yard.
Griffiths & Co, Ltd.	23/9d.	24/1d.	24/3d.	24/6d.	27/1d.
Brookes Ltd.	24/6d.	24/9d.	24/11d.	25/4d.	28/-d.
Mowlom & Co, Ltd.	25/4d.	25/7d.	25/8d.	25/10d.	28/-d.
Murrell's Wharf Ltd.	-	-	-	-	28/-d.
Manuello Ltd.	24/8d.	24/11d.	25/3d.	25/8d.	28/4d.

PRESENT CONTRACT.

Griffiths & Co, Ltd. 24/10d. 24/11d. 25/1d. 25/4d. 28/-d.

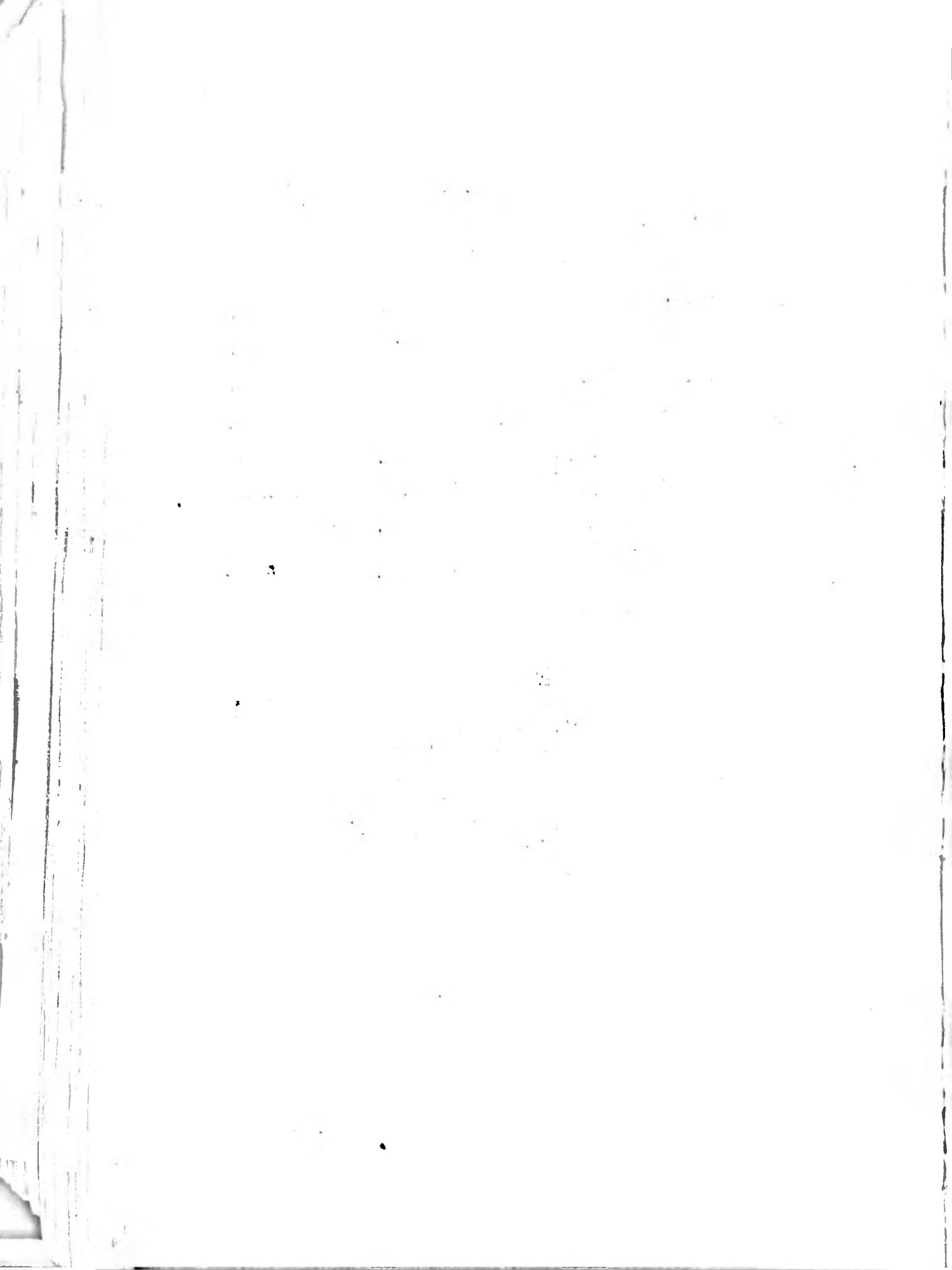
NOTE: 11 other tenders were received for chippings which did not comply with the specification.

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Engineer and Surveyor.

7TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the tabulated statements referred to in paragraph 1570 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February 1928.

J. H. H.
Chairman.



ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

9th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Broadbent and Wells, and Messrs. Rolfe, Stone and Tayler.

1573 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1574 ESTIMATES—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—The above were considered and referred to the Finance Committee.

1575 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) Summers Lane (Glebe Land).—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the North Finchley Allotment League stating that owing to the recent abnormal weather and the bad condition of the roads on the allotments, the members of the League could not see their way clear to vacate before the 25th March next the land which, according to the arrangement made, should have been surrendered to the Council on the 31st December, 1927;

RECOMMENDED that, in the circumstances, the period of grace for the clearance of the ground be extended to the 25th March, 1928, provided that the fencing and levelling operations are not in consequence thereof impeded.

(b) Woodhouse.—

(i) The recommendation of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee hereon was reported to, and with satisfaction noted by, the Committee.

(ii) The Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 27th January, 1928, from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, conveying the Minister's consent to the proposed letting of this land to the Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd.

(c) East Finchley.—The Committee had under consideration a letter, dated the 4th February, 1928, from the Secretary of the East Finchley Allotment Holders' Association,

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

Ltd., stating that at the Annual General Meeting of the Association held on that date, the members had decided, with only one dissentient, and subject to their being granted security of tenure, to accept the Council's offer to lease to them the above land on revised terms in the event of the contemplated purchase thereof by the Council being completed;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject to surrender of the existing Lease, the land be leased to the East Finchley Allotment Holders' Association, Ltd., at a rental of £110 per annum, for a period of 21 years as from the date of completion of the purchase from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, and with an option of renewal for a like period on the said terms;
- (2) that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee in order that the necessary financial arrangements may be made; and
- (3) that the Clerk be instructed (a) to prepare the draft Lease for approval by the Association, (b) to take the necessary steps in regard to the Conveyance of the land to the Council.

1576 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the Clerk and to the Surveyor of the Council, as entered in their respective instruction books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.

**REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION
COMMITTEE,**

held 13th February, 1928.

Present: Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, H. G. Sommerfield, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake and Mr. R. Williams.

1577 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £4,208 17s. 4d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

1578 ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended the 20th January, 1928, the school attendance returns were as follows:—

Schools	Official recognized accoun.	Accou. per Council's policy	N. on books	Average Attendo- ance	Percent- age
Council	4096	3369	2854	2572	90.1
Voluntary	1719	1484	1451	1318	90.8
Total	5815	4853	4305	3890	90.3

1579 REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL CHARGES.—The Home Office has approved a flat rate of 15/0 per head to be paid by Local Authorities for the year 1928/29 towards the cost of the maintenance of children and young persons in Reformatory and Industrial Schools in England and Wales. The Finchley Education Authority is contributing towards the education and maintenance of one boy in an industrial school at the rate of £39 per annum.

1580 PHYSICALLY DEFECTIVE CHILD.—A boy, whose name is set out in the Minute Book, aged 6 years, attending the Long Lane Council School, is certified as suffering from Chorea and Mitral Endocarditis; approval has been given to the recommendation that he shall be admitted to the Special (Heart) School at West Wickham at a cost of 29s. 0d. weekly to the Authority.

1581 REPAIRS.—

RECOMMENDED that sundry minor repairs as set out in the Minute Book be approved.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1582 TENDERS FOR SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the tenders submitted by the under-mentioned firms be accepted for the next financial year:—

Books, Stationery & Apparatus—Messrs. E. J. Arnold and Sons, Leeds.

Needlework materials—Messrs. Leighton Baldwin, Ltd., London.

Cleaning materials—Messrs. Keene's Stores, East Finchley.

1583 ESTIMATES, 1928/29.—The estimates in respect of Elementary and Higher Education for the financial year ending the 31st March, 1929, have been considered and forwarded to the Finance Committee.

Annexed

1584 CHILDREN'S CARE AND JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT SUB-COMMITTEES.—The reports of these Sub-Committees have been considered and adopted, as circulated to members.

1585 EXAMINATION FOR ENTRANCE TO CENTRAL CLASSES.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the entrance examination for secondary schools held in the Spring of each year shall be the examination to qualify for the admission of scholars, of scholarship age, to the special classes at the North Road School, as hitherto;
- (2) that with regard to the selection of candidates, other than those of scholarship age (if any), for admission to the special classes each year, the arrangements shall be similar to those operating in 1925 and approved by the Council in December, 1924.

1586 CHRIST CHURCH SCHOOL.—A letter has been considered from the Correspondent to the Managers asking that in view of the great expense (£145) incurred by the Managers last May in putting down the new playground, and the need for immediate top-dressing as a result of daily wear and tear, the Education Com-

Report of meeting of the Children's Care Sub-Committee held on the 2nd February 1928.

Present:- Mrs. A.S.Miall (Chairman), Mrs.E.V.Timberlake, Miss L. Davey, Mr.W.J.Gowling, Mr.J.T.Harveyson, Mr. R.Williams, M.A.

(a) Supply of surgical instruments.

The question of providing surgical instruments to growing crippled school children is one of anxiety to several parents. Where opportunity is afforded your Committee consider such cases and assist as far as practicable. Generally, they accept responsibility for the payment of the charges, the parent refunding the amount by weekly instalments.

In two cases considered recently grants of 10s. 6d. and £ 2 respectively, have been made to parents to assist them in the purchase of these surgical appliances.

(b) Supply of glasses.

£ 5.13. 6 has been spent in the supply of glasses to school children whose parents were not in a position to afford the money down at the time of order. In the majority of cases the parents have willingly refunded the cost in weekly instalments.

(c) Christmas party and gifts.

Mrs. Timberlake kindly brought under our notice that "The Star", with the kind co-operation of Mrs. Arthur Bourchier, was inviting a big party of poor children to a Christmas entertainment - a matinee performance of "Treasure Island", at the Golders Green Theatre. Arrangements were immediately made for a party of Finchley necessitous children to participate, and nineteen boys and girls were duly accompanied to this theatre on Friday, the 23rd December 1927, when the performance was enjoyed, and subsequently the children had refreshments provided to them. Mrs. Timberlake kindly defrayed the tram fares.

The Treloar Crippled Children's Christmas Hamper Fund allocated to this district a certain number of hampers to be distributed to local crippled children. Under the conditions imposed seventeen crippled children were recommended and duly received a Christmas Hamper at the hands of the Chairman of the Council on Saturday, the 31st December 1927.

(d) Middlesex Edward VII Memorial Fund - Holidays.

The Care Committee had two free places offered to them for a boy and a girl to spend two weeks' holiday each at Herne Bay Hostel. Although the holiday was due in the months of November and December, a necessitous boy and girl were duly selected and enjoyed the visit.

We are hoping that sufficient funds will be forthcoming to enable us to send to Herne Bay, during the summer months, as large a number of necessitous boys and girls as were accommodated last year. A provisional booking for 50 places has been made. Appeal is made to the public for subscriptions to this deserving object.

Our grateful thanks are due for an allocation of £ 27. 10. 0 from the Christmas Day Dinner-Table Collection.

A. S. MIALL,

Chairman.

REPORT OF A MEETING OF THE JUVENILE EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE held on Thursday, 2nd February 1928.

Present:- Mrs A.S.Miall (Chairman), Mrs E.V.Timberlake, Miss Davey, Miss Shoults, Messrs. H.Barker, S.Pulham and E.A.Price.

(a) Juvenile Employment Bureau:

The Juvenile Organisations Committee extended their usual invitation to the school leavers, who met at Squires Lane School on Thursday, 3rd November last.

Since the last meeting 179 applications for employment have been made at the Bureau. In respect of these 104 situations have been obtained through the Bureau. At the present moment there are 27 juveniles on the "live" register.

The Ministry of Labour have issued a preliminary grant of £27 in respect of administrative expenses incurred by the Authority under Section 6 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1923. The total number of insured juveniles in the area of the Authority as ascertained for the purpose of the scale of payment has been determined as 631. The total amount of payment for the year will therefore be £55. 4. 3 (631 @ 1/9d.)

The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1927, has now been passed and with a view to simplifying the work at Local Offices the Ministry of Labour intend to make radical changes in the procedure for dealing with claims to benefit as from 19th April next. On this date also many of the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1927, will come into operation.

There is little out of the ordinary to report.

The statistical return shows the number of applications made, placings, &c. for the period 20th September 1927 to 23rd January, 1928.

		<u>Boys</u>	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Total</u>
Applicants to Bureau:	Brought forward	10	19	29
	Fresh applications	85	67	152
	Re-registrations	16 111	11 97	27 208
	Placed by BUREAU	63	41	104
Vacancies at Bureau:	Cancelled	37	40	77
	Carried forward	11 111	16 97	27 208
	Brought forward	3	2	5
	Notified	80 83	53 55	133 138
Bureau:	Filled	63	41	104
	Cancelled	18	11	29
	Carried forward	2 83	3 55	5 138

Placings by Bureau

<u>Boys</u>		<u>Girls</u>	
Clerical	14	Art Worker (lamp shades)	1
Backhouse boy	1	Cashier	1
Coach painter	1	Clerical	7
Cycle repairer	1	Daily domestic	7
Errand boys	7	Dressmaking	4
Electrical:		Factory hand	2
Factory work	9	Laundry (receiving office)	1
Wiremen	6	Lift attendant	1
Grocer's assistant	1	Millinery	1
Letter cutter (store)	1	Shop assistant	15
Motor driver	1	Typist	1
Motor part mfg.	13		<u>41</u>
Motor part turner	2		
Optical workers	5		
Plumber	1		
	<u>63</u>		

During the same period 22 boys and 8 girls have lodged claims for Unemployment Insurance Benefit. Amount paid out in respect thereof, £10. 9. 6. At the time of writing we have 3 boys' claims in hand.

Unemployment Insurance Books issued, 170.

After-care work has proceeded normally. Visiting has been undertaken by Mrs Elbourne, Mrs Elkan, Mrs Isaacs, Mrs Syrett, Mrs Timberlake, Miss Child, Miss Syer, Miss Watts, and assistance has been rendered in the clerical work by Miss Gray.

From the reports received the undermentioned occupations have been taken up by the boys and girls who left school at the midsummer and autumn terms:-

<u>Boys</u>		<u>Girls</u>	
Errands:		Clerical	9
Milk boy	8	Cashier	1
Laundry delivery	2	Book-keeping	2
Dyers & Cleaners	4	Art work	1
Baker	3	Dressmaking	6
Draper	2	Daily domestic	27
Greengrocer	5	Daily nurse	2
Grocer	6	Shop assistant	22
Chemist	3	Factory work:	
Boot boy	1	Dental	2
Motor engineering	18	Motor	4
Electrical	15	Wireless	2
Tiling	1	Optical	6
Page boy	1	Other	4
Clerical	9	Telephonist	2
Factory work	3	Laundry worker	4
Optical worker	6	Packer	2
Shop Assistant	12	Photo process	2
Van boy	2	Further education	20
Draughtsman	1	At home	25
G.P.O. Messenger	2	Institution children	3
Barber's boy	1	Left district	5
Fitter's mate	2	Awaiting suitable	
Plumber's mate	2	employment	2
		No information	8
Carried forward:-	<u>109</u>		<u>161</u>

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Coach painter	1	Clerical	7
Cycle repairer	1	Daily domestic	7
Errand boys	7	Dressmaking	4
Electrical:		Factory hand	2
Factory work	9	Laundry (receiving office)	1
Wiremen	6	Lift attendant	1
Grocer's assistant	1	Millinery	1
Letter cutter (store)	1	Shop assistant	15
Motor driver	1	Typist	1
Motor part mfg.	13		<u>41</u>
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Optical workers	5		
Plumber	1		
	<u>68</u>		

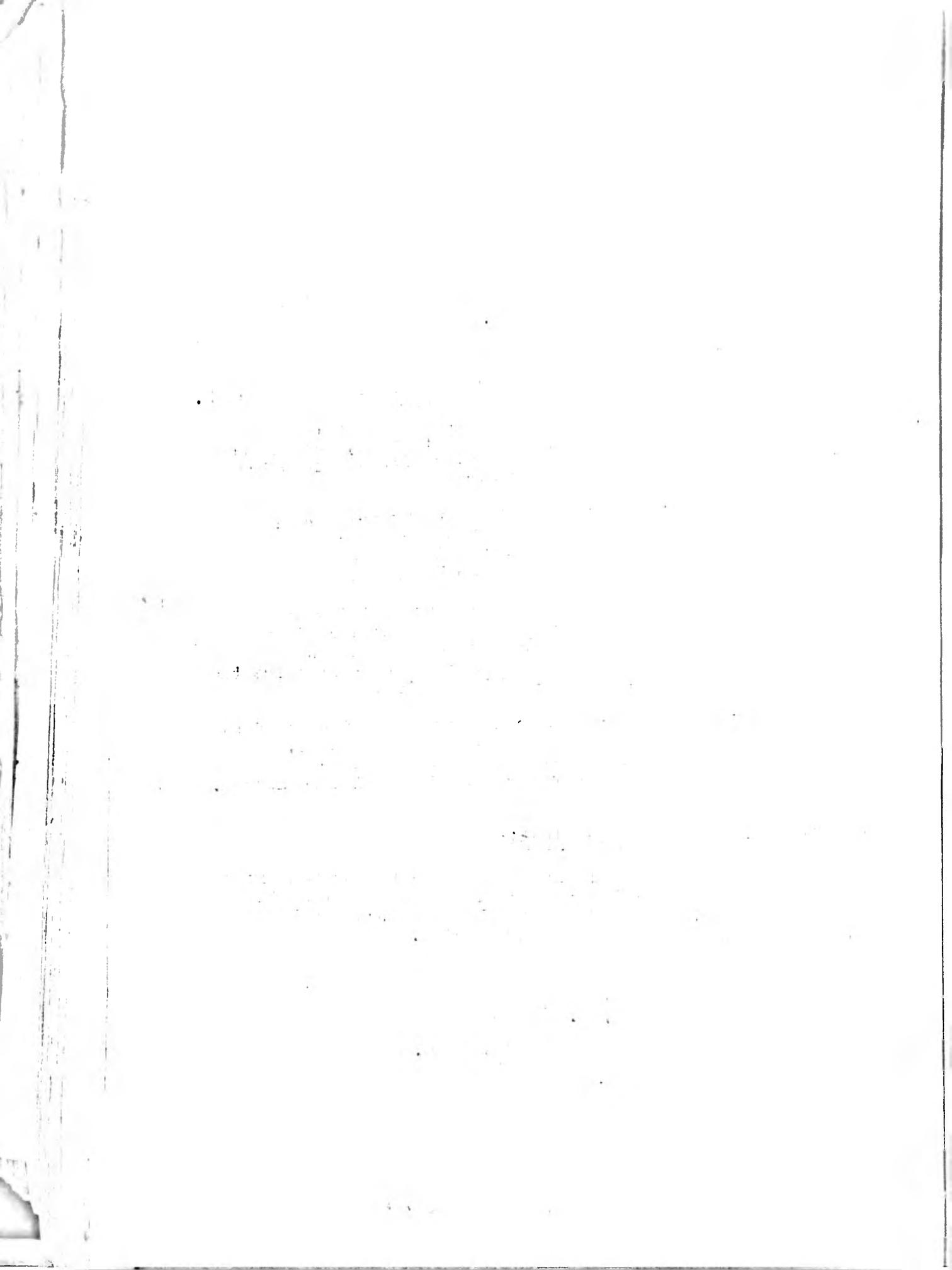
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EDUCATION (*continued*).

mittee be asked to meet the additional cost, estimated to be about £40, on the understanding that should such expense be surcharged by the Auditor the Managers then would defray the cost.

RECOMMENDED that the Managers be informed that, having regard to the terms of the Education Act, 1921, Section 29, the Education Authority regret they are unable to accede to the request.

1587 ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.—A letter has been received from the Board of Education forwarding copies of correspondence between them and the Church Warden of St. Mary's Church, with regard to the erection of a parochial institute on the land now used as a school garden.

1588 SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the appointment of the following as supply teachers in the place of members of the staff, absent ill, be approved :—

Name.	School.	From.
Mrs. O'Donnell	A.S.S.	23rd January.
Mrs. Collison	L.L.I.	17th January.
Miss Smyth	L.L.I.	6th February.
Miss Kent	N.R.J.	23rd January.
Miss Clothier	A.S.J.	13th February.

1589 SALARIES OF TEACHERS.—Particulars relating to the revision of salaries of teachers with the annual increments according to Scale have been considered, together with the reports upon staff submitted by the head teachers and managers ;

RECOMMENDED that the increments due to the teachers on the 1st April, 1928, calculated in accordance with the Burnham Award 1925, amounting to £539 7s. 0d., be approved.

1590 APPOINTMENT.—In connexion with the appointment of an assistant teacher for the Central Classes, North Road School, with special qualifications to teach French and English, as approved by the Council in December last, 66 applications have been received and 9 candidates interviewed ;

EDUCATION (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that Miss Elizabeth Westmacott, B.A., be appointed assistant mistress to serve at the Central Classes at the North Road School; salary in accordance with the Scale, and duties to commence on the 1st February, 1928. The appointment is subject to the terms and conditions approved by the Council in September, 1927, page 395 Council Minutes.

1591 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL.—

RECOMMENDED that the plans of the Roman Catholic School be forwarded to the Board of Education as requested by the Rev. J. C. Joyce.

1592 GLEBE LAND—PLAYING FIELD.—A letter has been received from the Board of Education, dated the 19th January, 1928, approving the Authority's proposed expenditure upon the maintenance, etc., of the Glebe land used by the scholars for the purpose of a school playing field.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillor Merry (Vice-Chairman), and Councillors Agar, Broadbent, Knowlman, and H. O. Syrett.

1593 MINUTES.—The Minutes of the last Ordinary and of a Special Meeting of the Committee held on the 25th January, 1928, were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1594 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

Amended

1595 ESTIMATES—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—The Committee's estimates for the above period, were considered and referred to the Finance Committee.

1596 STATUE—LA DÉLIVRANCE.—A communication, dated 4th February, 1928, was submitted from Mr. E. Outhwaite (Lord Rothermere's Agent) forwarding His Lordship's cheque for £719 2s. 10d. in settlement of the cost of the erection of the above Statue.

1597 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—GREAT NORTH ROAD TO COLNEY HATCH LANE.—The Clerk reported that he had informed the District Valuer of the action which had been taken by the Council in this matter, and that the latter had now written stating that he was afraid that the attitude assumed by the Council would necessitate his taking further instructions on the subject.

1598 RAILWAY (ROAD TRANSPORT) BILL, 1928.—A communication was submitted from the Divisional General Manager (Southern Area) London & North Eastern Railway, stating that the Railway Companies were promoting Bills in the next Session of Parliament, asking for sanction for powers to enable them to transport passengers and goods **by road** in the districts to which their respective Systems afforded access, and enclosing copy of a statement issued on behalf of the Railway Companies, explaining the purposes of the Bills which had been deposited. He added that he felt sure that there would be general acquiescence in the Railway Companies' claim that they should be granted the same

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

free and unfettered use of the public roads as was enjoyed by others, and that it was hoped that they might be able to rely upon the support of the Council in the matter;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken thereon.

1599 POST OFFICE TELEPHONE SYSTEM.—Print of a statement of telephone progress in the London Area during the year 1927, was submitted.

1600 AVENUE HOUSE.—

- (a) The Chairman of the Council reported that a meeting of the Avenue House Sub-Committee was held on site on the 28th January last, when certain instructions were given to the Surveyor, who would report further thereon at a later date.

The Chairman also reported that as there were several points needing attention a meeting of the Sub-Committee had been fixed for the 23rd instant.

- (b) The Surveyor reported that the Sub-Committee authorised to deal with the appointment of a Superintendent had appointed Mr. E. R. Westgate, of Long Eaton, to the position, and that he would commence his duties on the 1st March, 1928; the Surveyor also reported upon the arrangements which had been made with regard to the quarters which would be occupied by Mr. Westgate, and instructions were given for advertisements to be issued, inviting tenders for the necessary repairs thereto;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1601 LICENSING (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1910.—Notice of Application to the Justices for transfer of a Licence from Mr. A. E. Wiles, of The Manor Stores, Long Lane, East Finchley, to Harold Lewis Coates, of 144, Greyhound Road, Tottenham, was submitted.

1602 COUNCIL MINUTES AND REPORTS—PRINTING OF—1928/9.

RECOMMENDED that advertisements be issued inviting tenders for the above.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 14TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.	WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS 1st Scheme.	Assisted Scheme
		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
"O" = expended or on order.				
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209 5 0	404 5 0	1028 8 0
REQUISITIONS BROUGHT FORWARD.		350 8 5	580 19 10	572 4 4
Req. No.				
1128	O Wages and team labour.	48 12 1	18 4 7	19 9 10
1129	O Stores.	8 15 4	20 - 1	6 12 5
1130	O Supply and fix new $\frac{5}{8}$ " boss in supply to sink, refix) pipe and tap.			
1131	O 32 pieces wall paper. 13, Squires Lane; 6 & 36, Queens Rd.	9 -		
1132	O 6 " " " " 96, Woodhouse Rd.	1 9 3	3 9	
1133	O Repair burst pipe in roof. 106, " "		10 4	
1134	O " " " in W.C. 99, Squires Lane.	8 5		
1135	O Supply and fit one new 6 lbs. sink trap. 9, Ingleway.			12 3
1136	O Repair burst pipe in roof. 10, Castleway.		8 5	
1137	O Do. 212, Woodhouse Rd.		8 5	
1138	O Do. 153, Summers Lane		8 5	
1139	O Do. bath supply. 66, Ingleway.			8 5
1140	O Do. W.C. 1 ft. new pipe. 3, Schoolway.			15 9
1141	O Do. bath supply. Do. 2, Crossway.			15 9
1142	O Do. in roof. 4, Queens Road.	9 10		
Carried forward.		410 12 4	621 3 10	600 18 9

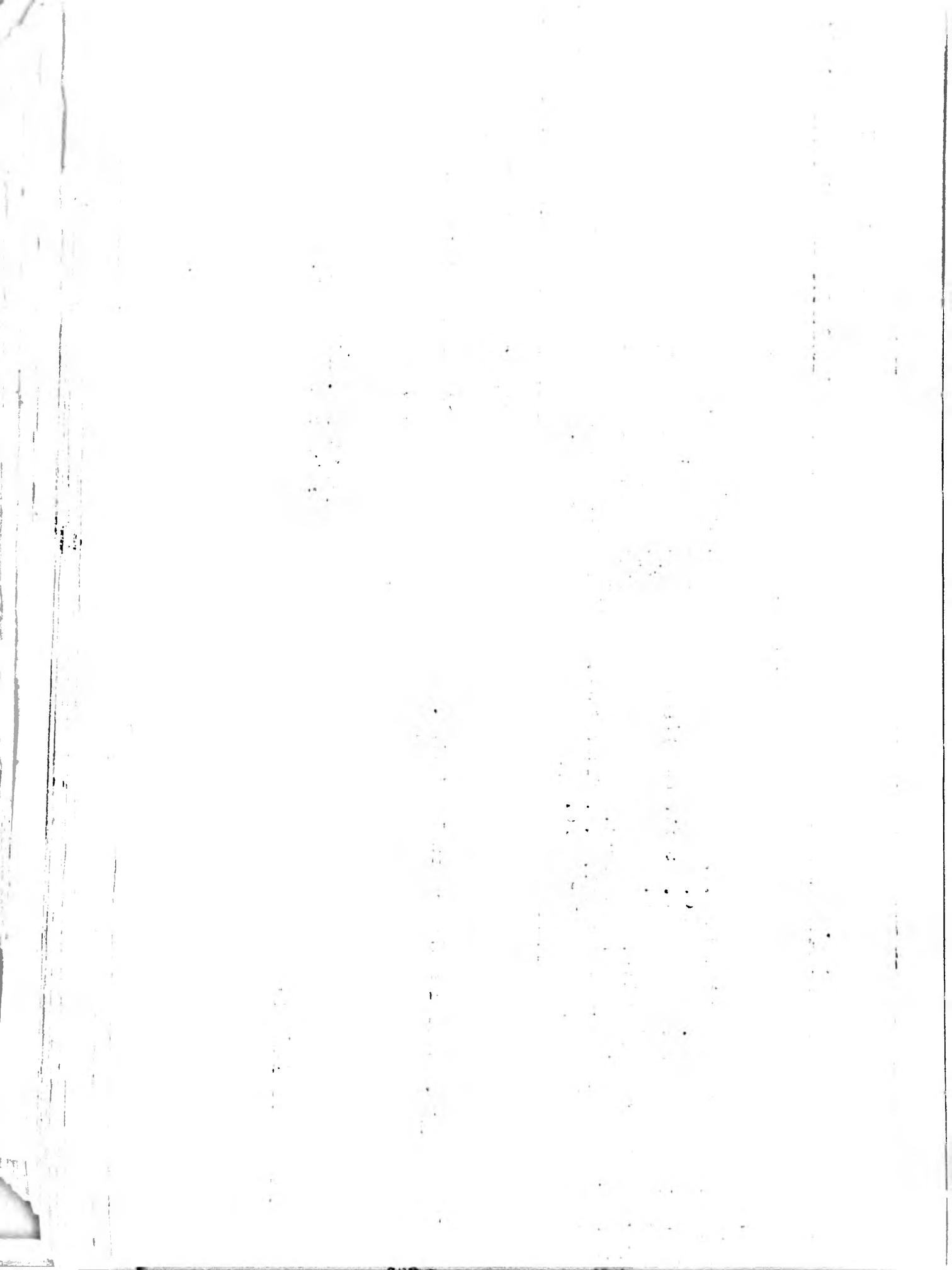
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		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.		WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.		1st Scheme.		Assisted Scheme.	
		£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.
		Brought forward.		410	12 4	621	3 10	600	18 9 163
Req. No.									
1143	0	Repair burst pipe in W.C.		113, Equires La.	8	5			
1144	0	Do. Do.		107, " "	8	5			
1145	0	Do. Do. 5 ft. new pipe.		119, " "	18	10			
1146	0	Do. Do.		97, " "	8	5			
1147	0	Repair ball valve.		97, " "	3	6			
1148	0	Repair overflow pipe on roof.		123, " "	7	10			
1149	0	Supply and fit new 2 gal. W.C. flush tank.		214, Woodhouse Rd.			1	13 9	
1150	0	Do. Do.		2, Crossway.				1	13 9
				413	7 9	622	17 7	602	12 6 163
				166	- -	247	- -		47

Note. Includes for external painting.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

10th FEBRUARY, 1928.



REQUISITIONS - FEBRUARY, 1928.

Estimate for year	22,893. 0. 0.
Amount previously requisitioned	8,412.14. 4.

Ordered since last meeting

Advertising - Annual supplies	5.10. 0.
do. House for Sale	2.16. 0.
do. Town Planning Scheme	6. 5. 0.
Framing Photo - La Delivrance	-.12. 0.
Printing Notices Private Street Works, 16th Batch	-.17. 6.
do. appartionments do. 17th do.	4. 0. 0.
Bding. Annual Report - Electricity Commissioners	-. 3. 6.
Royal Commission on Local Government	-.12. 6.
Repairs to Radiator & Lighting in Committee Room	-.10. 6.
12 bottles Developer	-.13. 6.
1,200 Summons Forms	2. 5. 0.
2 tons Anthracite	6.15. 0.
1 " House Coal	1.16. 6.
Uniform for Caretaker	4. 5. 0.
100 Dead Envelopes	1. 1. 0.

Clerk's Department. Now requisitioned

Repairs to table	-.12. 0.
Curtains - Deputy Clerk's Room	-.18. 0.
1,000 Forms L.L.C.1A	1.15. 0.
Printing Council Minutes & Reports - February	30. 0. 0.
The Landlord & Tenant Act, 1927	-. 6. 9.
Binding Local Government Chronicle 1927 } do, Municipal Journal 1927 }	1. 0. 0.

Surveyor's Department.

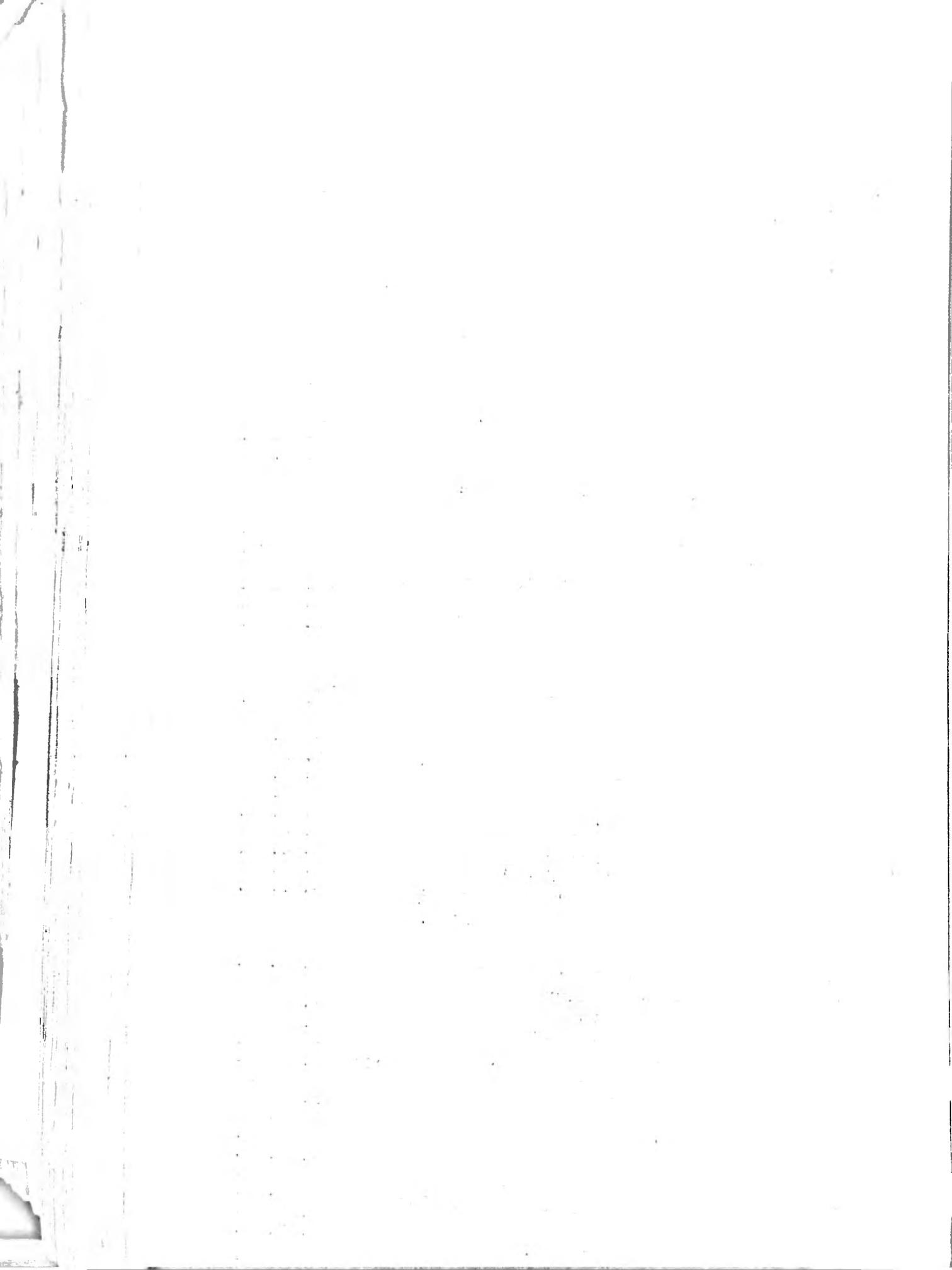
5,000 Carmen's Daily Time Sheets	2.13. 9.
5,000 Gauger's Daily Report Sheets	2.13. 9.
3 foolscap books ruled double cash	-.10. 6.
1 leather case	2. 5. 0.
1 centrix loose leaf binder & index	-.10. 0.
200 Centrix loose leaves Ref. 203LL.	-.15. 0.
6 silk sheets	-. 9. 0.
Sealing Wax	-. 2. 0.
3 linen sheets for Roneo Duplicator	-. 4. 6.
2000 Costing Sheets	2.16. 0.
Repair leak in waterpipe - J The Hawthorns	-. 9.10.

Drawing Office.

1 pair men's non-slip wellington boots	1.15. 0.
1 pair No. 1 Best quality canvas lined men's rubber wellington boots	1. 2. 6.
1 doz. "Makrothok" portable plan files	13.13. 0.
2 rolls ferro-gallic printing paper	-.14. 4.
2 No. 2561 Double Elephant Engineer's Drg. boards	4.10. 0.
2 No. 2552 Mahogany T Squares	1.10. 0.
1 No. 2022 Steel wire measuring chain	1.15. 6.
1 set No. 2040 Steel Arrows	-. 4. 9.
1 No. 2203 12" Boxwood scale 1/2500	-. 2. 9.
1 No. 2177 Boxwood Scale	-. 3. 6.
2-6 oz. bottles Higgins Photo-mounter	-. 3. 0.
2-8 oz. bottles Higgins Waterproof black india ink	1. 4. 0.
1 - 8 oz. bottle Carmine Ink	-.14. 0.
2 doz. Royal Sovereign Pencils H.	-. 7. 6.

3. Carried Forward

28,527. 6. 3.



Brought forward 8,527. 6. 3.

Drawing Office (contd)

1 doz. No.3087 "Cleanall" small size	-. 5. 6.
2 rolls No. 5413 Printing linen	2.13. 0.
2 rolls No. 5406 Printing Paper	-.14. 4.
1 roll No. 4137 Tracing detail paper	-. 7. 6.
1 - 2 qr.foolscap book-ruled	-. 5. 0.
1 letter punch	-. 1. 6.
4 dust sheets 6 ft. x 3 ft.	-.10. 0.

Public Health Department

2 Walkers Loose Leaf T. Cases	-. 6. 0.
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Valuation Department.

Stand for safe and cost of fixing	4. 0. 0.
Binding Minutes of Valuation Committee	-.15. 0.
Binding Old Supplemental Valuation Lists	3. 0. 0.

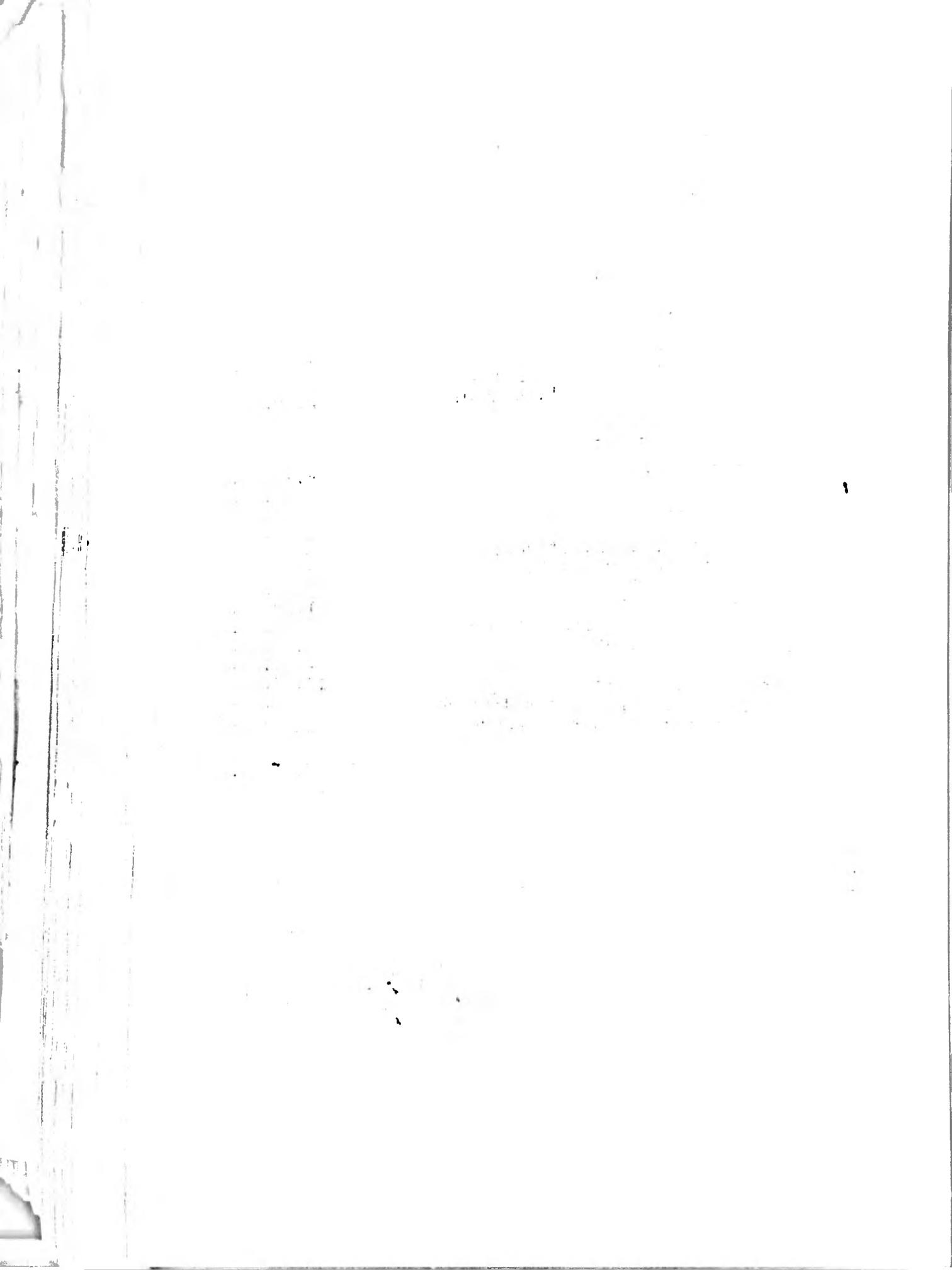
Finance Department & Stores

3 doz.box files & covers	6.15. 0.
1 carbonum stamp pad	-. 4. 0.
2 reams cabro stencils	7. 0. 0.
1 day book 1928/9	1. 7. 6.
1 rubber stamp (re S.D.A.A.Notices)	-. 3. 0.
10 Interdepartmental books 1 - 2000	2.15. 0.
6 bottles typewriter oil	-. 9. 0.
500 sheets Income Analysis Paper	1.19. 6.
250 Sheets plain ruling Analysis Paper	1. 2. 0.
2 doz.Royal Sovereign Pencils	-. 7. 6.
1 box Ivankhoe Pen Nibs	-. 4. 6.
40,000 Commercial Envelopes	14. 0. 0.
6 L.C. Smith Typewriter ribbons red/black	-.12. 0.
6 Royal Typewriter ribbons red /black	-.12. 0.

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These (together with the three preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1594 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 14th February 1928.

J. G. H.
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1603 YEAR BOOK 1928/9.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the Clerk to arrange for the printing of the above.

1604 CIVIC VISIT TO EAST FINCHLEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The Chairman of the Council reported that he had received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Middleton, the Minister of the above, inviting the Members of the Council and the Staff to pay a Civic Visit to the Church on Sunday, 11th March, 1928 at the morning service, on the occasion of the Jubilee Celebration of the Church. The Chairman intimated that it was his intention to accept the invitation, and he expressed the hope that the Members of the Council and the Staff would accompany him.

1605 STAFF.—

- (a) Valuation Department—Temporary Clerk.— It was reported that Mr. E. Garrett had resigned his position as a temporary clerk in the above Department, and that Mr. R. Jones had been appointed in his stead; further that the latter commenced his duties on the 6th February, 1928.
- (b) Absence through illness.—The name of one member of the Staff who had, since last meeting, been absent through illness was submitted;
- (c) Surveyor's Department— Temporary Typing Assistance.—The Surveyor reported that, owing to pressure of work in connection with the annual estimates, he had found it necessary to engage temporary typing assistance at a cost of £4 7s. 6d.;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Surveyor and the above expenditure be approved.

- (d) Surveyor's Department— Temporary Town Planning Assistant.—The Surveyor reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council passed on the 28th November last, the appointment of Mr. R. T. Marsh was ordered to be reviewed at the end of three months;

RECOMMENDED that the services of Mr. Marsh be retained until next meeting, when the Surveyor report further on the matter.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1606 ELECTION OF URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILLORS AND GUARDIANS 1928.—A circular letter, dated 8th February, 1928, from the Home Office, with regard to the above was submitted.

1607 PLAYING FIELD OPPOSITE TO NORTH ROAD COUNCIL SCHOOL.—A communication, dated 14th February, 1928, was submitted from the Secretary of the Education Committee, forwarding a letter dated 7th February, 1928, from the Board of Education, which was considered by the Education Committee at their last meeting, and indicating the terms of a resolution passed by that Committee arising thereout;

RECOMMENDED that the consideration of the purchase by the Council of the land in question be deferred until the purchase of the land occupied by the East Finchley Allotment Holders' Association has been completed.

1608 LAND—CORNER OF CHANDOS AVENUE AND THE GREAT NORTH ROAD.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk take up the matter further with Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd., pointing out that the Council claim certain rights over the above land so far as the frontage to the Great North Road is concerned, and enquiring on what grounds it is considered that there is a right to accept rent from a Bill-Posting Company in respect of a hoarding erected thereon.

1609 PRIVATE STREET WORKS.—17th BATCH.—The Surveyor reported upon certain correspondence which he had had with Messrs. Tarslag (1923), Ltd., hereon, and the Clerk read a letter, dated 14th February, 1928, addressed by him to that Firm on the subject. The Surveyor indicated the position of the matter as between the Council and the Company, and the Clerk drew attention to the legal aspect. After discussion, and at the request of the Surveyor, the Committee intimated to him their views as to the line of action to be adopted, it being understood that a further report would be made to the Committee at an early date.

1610 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—ACCIDENTS.—

(a) W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported further hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

(b) J. Culver.—The Surveyor reported that the above employee resumed his duties on Monday, the 23rd January, 1928, and it was intimated that the total amount advanced to him by the Council had been repaid.

(c) Compassionate Grants—W. Wildman, deceased.—The Surveyor reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that a gratuity of 5/- a week be granted to the widow from the date of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council in March, 1928, until the date of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council in December, 1928.

1611 LAND—JUNCTION OF HENDON LANE AND WAVERLEY GROVE.—The Surveyor reported upon an interview which he had had with Mr. H. Taylor hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

(a) that Mr. Taylor be granted a lease for 99 years of the land in question at a ground rent of £42 per annum, with an option to purchase within three years from the date thereof at a sum of £720, subject to the conditions already approved by the Council;

(b) that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary document.

1612 REFUSE DESTROYER—FOREMAN.—

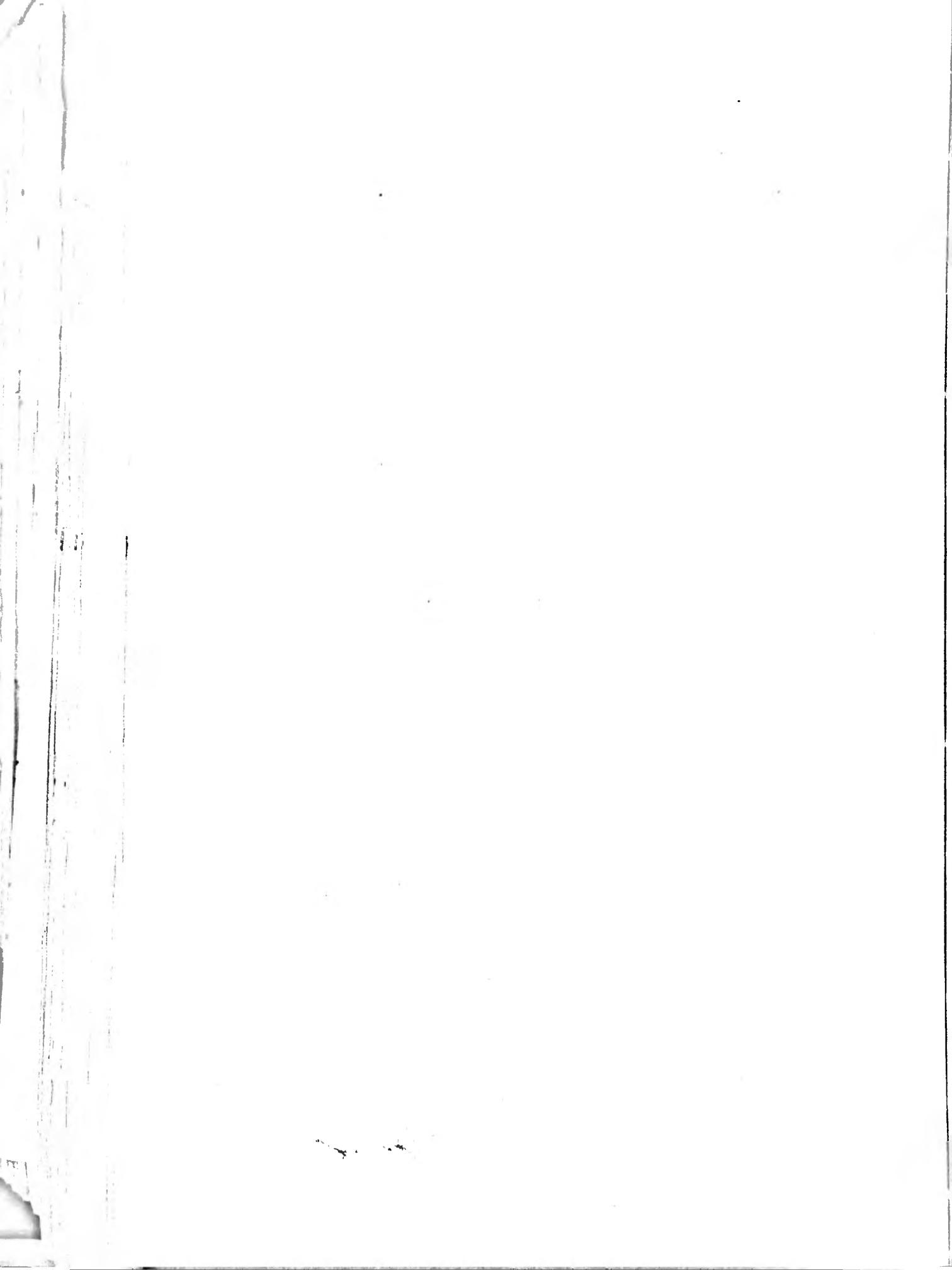
RECOMMENDED that the Council agree to bear a moiety (not exceeding £4) of the cost of the removal expenses of the above employee.

1613 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective instruction Books, be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman.



ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

15th February, 1928.

Present: Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Ryan and H. O. Syrett and Mr. R. A. Marples.

1614 CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED that, in the absence of the Chairman, Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

1615 MINUTES.—The Minutes of the last Ordinary, and of a Special Meeting of the Committee held on the 6th January, 1928, were taken as read, confirmed, and signed.

1616.—REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Amended*

1617 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

1618 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 900 tons, as compared with 500 tons at last meeting, and that the stock of Bohemia Brown Coal remained at 270 tons;

RECOMMENDED that the purchase of the following "spot" lots at the prices mentioned in the report of the Chief Electrical Engineer, be approved:— *See below*

275 tons Baddesley Beans.
33 tons Yard Slack.
25 tons Yard Slack.

1619 LAND—SQUIRES LANE.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that the fence along the agreed boundary between the Council's property and that lately belonging to Messrs. P. E. Kay, Ltd., had now been completed in accordance with instructions.

The following are the prices of the coal referred to in paragraph 1618 above:—

275 tons Baddesley Beans	@	25/3d. per ton.
33 " Yard Slack	@	18/6d. " "
25 " Yard Slack	@	18/- " "

H. O. Syrett
Chairman.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1620 STAFF.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that Mr. E. J. Scruton would become entitled to superannuation on the 31st March next, in accordance with a resolution of the Council passed on the 28th December, 1927; further that Mr. Scruton entered the service of the Department on the 8th October, 1914;

RECOMMENDED that in addition to his superannuation allowance Mr. Scruton be granted a gratuity under the provisions of Section 70 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908, of a sum equivalent to half a year's pay, and that the amount be paid to him in weekly instalments of 11/-.

1621 SUB-STATIONS.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that under the terms of the Council's lease of the Sub-Station site at Hill Rise, Hampstead Garden Suburb, it was necessary to plant a privet hedge now that the work on this Sub-Station had been completed; that he was proposing to proceed with the planting forthwith, and that while dealing with this matter he was of the opinion that the planting of a few shrubs in front of the various Sub-Stations would improve their appearance;

RECOMMENDED that an expenditure of a sum not exceeding £10 be approved for this purpose.

1622 INCORPORATED MUNICIPAL ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION.—It was reported that the Annual Convention of the above Association would be held at Bath in June next;

RECOMMENDED that the Chief Electrical Engineer be appointed to represent this Council thereat.

1623 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report:—

Applications for Supply	8391	=	399525	lamps of 33 watts
Last meeting	8372	=	396200	” ” ”
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Increase	19	=	3325	” ” ”
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REQUISITIONS.

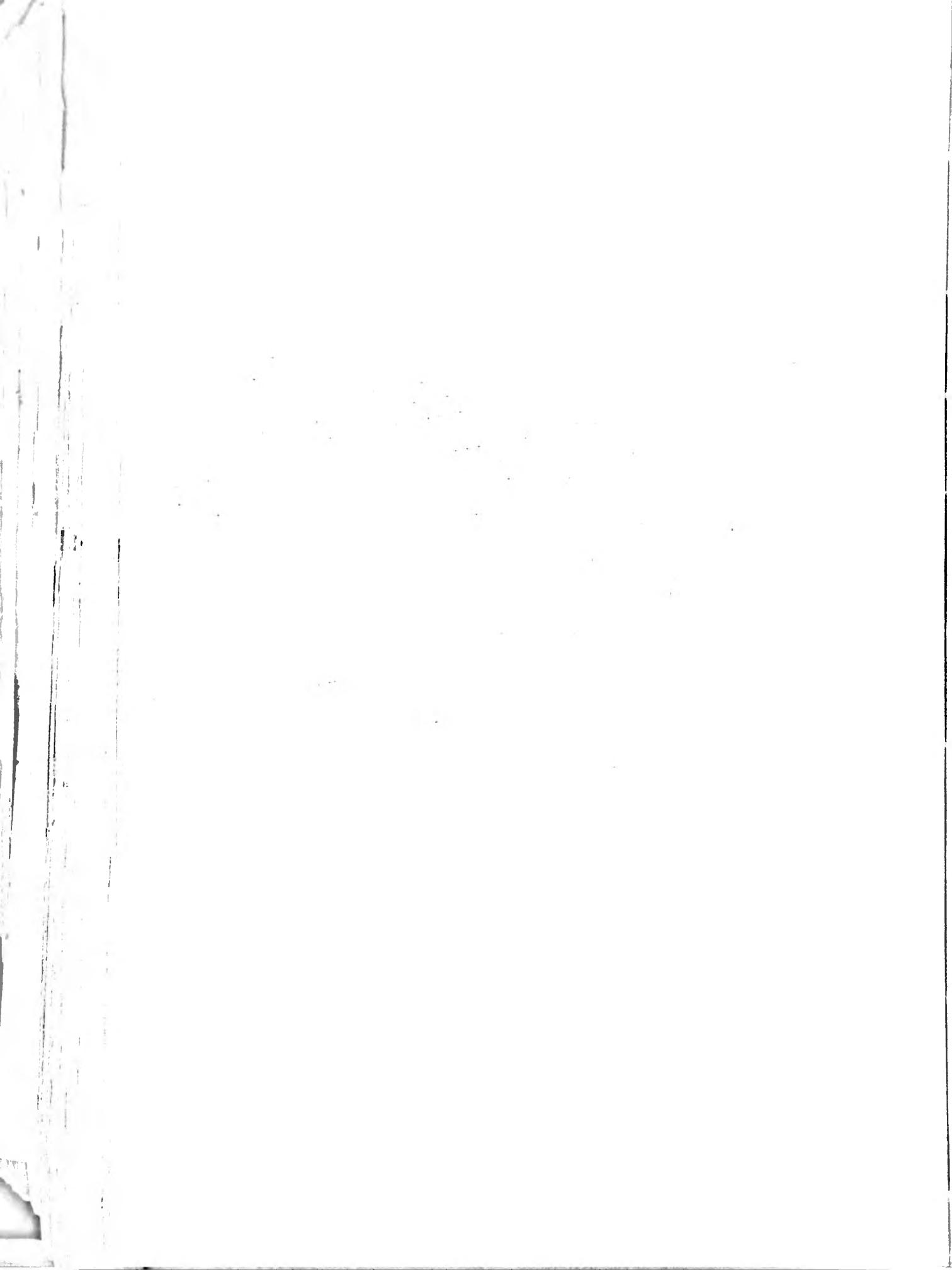
REVENUE.

Emergency requisition.....	200. 0. 0.	
Repairs to oil engine.....	25. 0. 0.	
Repairs to turbine.....	300. 0. 0.	
Account books 1928/29.....	24.11. 0.	
2 Log Books.....	13. 5. 0.	
12 swan-neck fittings.....	26.16. 0.	
12 plain lamp columns.....	39.18. 0.	
2 tons cement.....	5. 8. 0.	
12 dozen meter boards.....	23.11. 0.	
2 coal barrows.....	4. 0. 0.	
7 dozen aluminium fuses.....	3. 9. 6.	
56 lbs. block tin.....	7.11.10.	
Motor vehicle parts and repairs.....	15. 0. 0.	
Cleaning 12 gross sponge cloths.....	6. 1. 0.	
48 gross wood screws.....	4.17. 0.	
200 gallons paraffin.....	6. 5. 0.	
250 gallons petrol.....	13.10.10.	
10 gallons paint.....	7.15. 0.	
Water - March quarter.....	5. 0. 0.	
1,000 tons coal.....	1200. 0. 0.	
Carting 1,000 tons coal.....	112.10. 0.	
12 order books.		
100 "Perfection" files.		
200 yards 3/.036 V.I.R. wire.		
Motor car tyres.		
10 reams mimeograph paper.		
8 white forril books.		
12 meter card covers.		
12 manifold books.		
2,000 time sheets.		
At an estimated cost of....	<u>34. 0. 9.</u>	<u>£2078. 9.11.</u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1616 of the Electricity Committee's Report of the 15th February 1928.

A. J. G. G. G.
Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (continued).

Lamps connected	340008 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1468)	4684 „ „ „
High c.p. lamps (46)	805 „ „ „
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Total	345497 „ „ „
Last meeting	343746 „ „ „
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Increase	1751 „ „ „
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Applications in hand but not yet connected	*32 = 1351 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 32 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

1624 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (1) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had, since last meeting, been laid in Midholm, Hampstead Garden Suburb.
- (2) Sub-Station Extensions, 1926/7.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported as follows:—

(a) Cherry Tree Wood—that the various completion work was now receiving the attention of the Contractors, as and when such work was possible, without interfering with the running of the Sub-Station;

RECOMMENDED that the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee be asked to consider the question of the provision of portable seats to be placed in the verandah.

(b) Percy Road—that this Sub-Station was now working on full load satisfactorily, and that he was at present considering the desirability of extensions at this Sub-Station, as it appeared to have been well placed having regard to the load in that part of the district.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1625 CABLES LAID IN BITUMEN, ETC.—A circular letter, dated 18th January, 1928, from the Electricity Commissioners hereon was submitted and considered.

1626 BULK SUPPLIES.—A circular letter, dated 31st January, 1928, from the Incorporated Municipal Electrical Association on the above subject was read.

1627 SOUTH-EAST ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME, 1927.—A letter, dated 24th January, 1928, was submitted from the Acting Honorary Secretary of the Conference of Local Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings in the South-East England Electricity District, forwarding copy of the following resolutions adopted by the Conference :—

- (a) That, in the event of a Public Inquiry being held by the Central Electricity Board into the South-East England Electricity Scheme, 1927, the Special Committee be authorised to take all such steps in relation thereto as may be deemed necessary or expedient for the representation of the Local Authority authorised undertakers of the Conference at such Inquiry, including the engagement of Counsel, expert witnesses, etc., without, however, in any way prejudicing any Local Authority from taking independent action in the event of such Authority considering it expedient so to do having regard to particular local circumstances.
- (b) That the constituent Local Authority Members of the Conference be recommended to pass a resolution to give financial assistance to the Conference, on a basis to be mutually agreed, to cover expenditure incurred in giving effect to recommendation (a) above.

The letter added that the Conference would be glad to hear in due course that this Council could see their way to fall in with the proposal indicated in Resolution " B " above ;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed, and that the Acting Honorary Secretary be notified accordingly.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman, *pro tem*.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

15th February, 1928.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillors Sommerfield, H. O. Syrett and Wells, and Councillor Bowen (non-member).

1628 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1629 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

1630 ESTIMATES—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the estimates be considered in the first instance by the Finance (Accounts) Sub-Committee at their meeting to be held on the 12th March, 1928, at 7.0 p.m.;
- (b) that the estimates be then considered by the Finance Committee at a special meeting to be held on the 14th March, 1928, at 8 p.m. (at the conclusion of the ordinary meeting of the Committee which be called for 7.30 p.m.);
- (c) that the estimates be submitted to the Council for consideration at the ordinary meeting to be held on the 26th March, 1928;
- (d) that a special meeting of the Council be held for the purpose of sealing the Rate on a date to be fixed at the said ordinary meeting of the Council.

1631 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Advances—£3,770.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of $5\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith, subject to satisfactory references being received;

Amended

FINANCE (continued).

- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board, the sum of £3,770, being the amount of such advances;
- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to sign the Order for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipt therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.
- (6) that the granting of an advance of £580 (in addition to the said sum of £3,770) to the person opposite to whose name in such list that sum is indicated be approved, and that the advance be made when required by the applicant.

In accordance with the authority deputed to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £3,770.

(b) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting (but excluding the said sum of £580) the Council would have approved advances amounting to £345,795.

(c) Borrowing of further £50,000.—

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of a further sum of £50,000 for the purposes of the Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

(d) Arrears of Instalments.—

Advance No. 203; 41, Summerlee Avenue.

Advance No. 246; 53, Hervey Close.

Advance No. 324; 8, Limes Avenue.

Advance No. 386; 63, Summerlee Avenue.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATION FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

FEBRUARY, 1928.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re-payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation.	Percentage to valuation.
				£.	Years.	£.	£.	
500	Lewis, R. T.	41, Wentworth Avenue.	F	880	20	1,150	1,100	80
501	Clinton, H.	112, Fallow Court Avenue.	F	750	20	925	910	80.3
502	Lucraft, F. H.	7, Hillcourt Avenue.	F	840	20	1,060	1,050	80
503	Kingbourn, G. R.	7, Oakwood Road.	L 91 years.	520	20	660	650	80
504	Powell, F. G. S.	31, Fursby Avenue.	F	800	20	1,080	1,060	75.5
				<u>£ 3,770</u>				

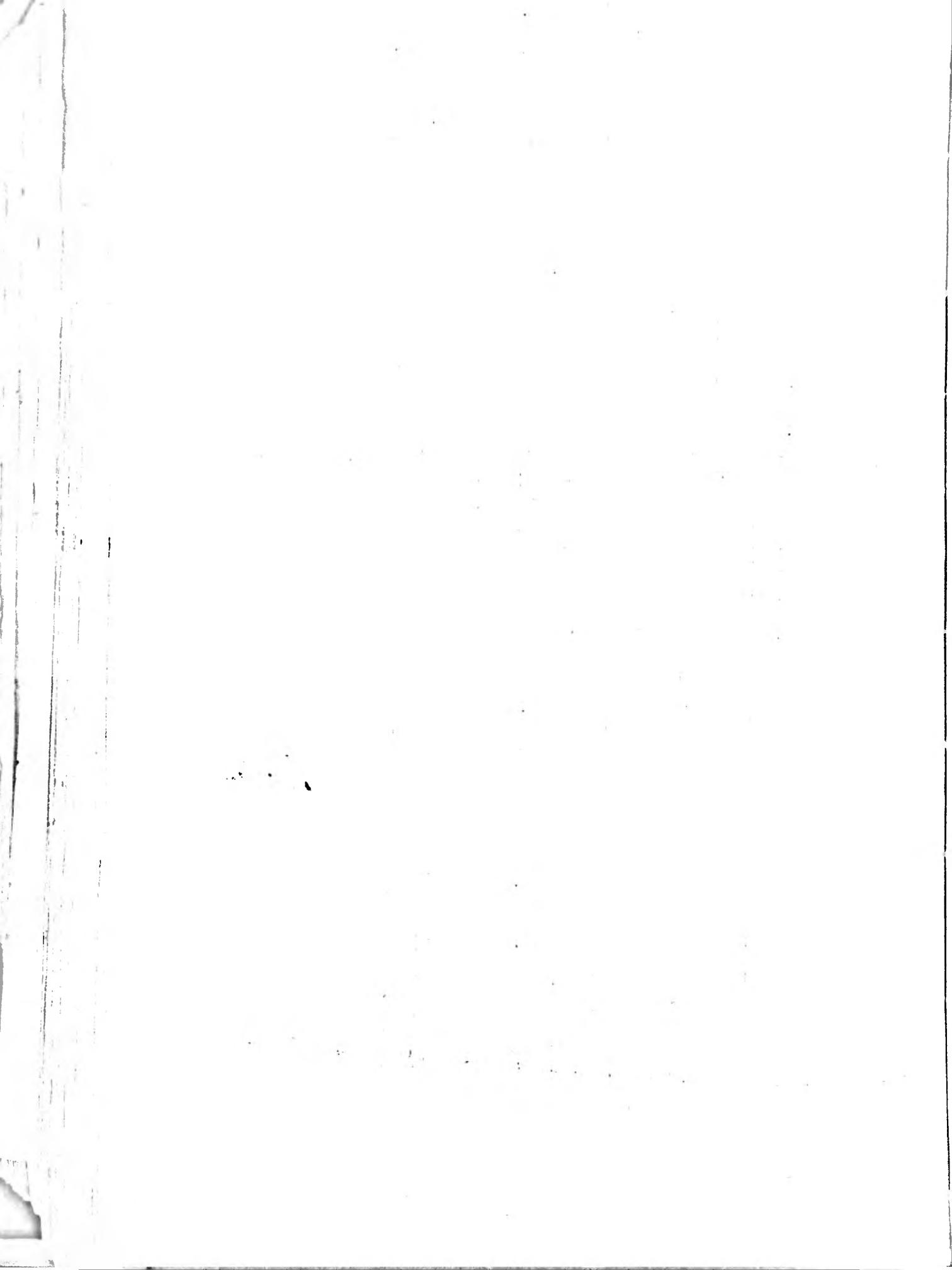
To be advanced later :-

	Eyre, H. A.	2, Oakwood Road.	L 92 years.	580	20	750	725	80
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H. S. W.
Chairman.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 1631 (a) of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February 1928.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that failing payment by the 27th February, 1928, of the amounts of principal and interest due to the Council as on the 31st December, 1927, the several properties above-mentioned be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts.

(e) No. 52, Summerlee Avenue—Sale of, by Private Treaty.—

RECOMMENDED that the offer contained in Mr. H. W. Johnson's letter of the 2nd February, 1928, to the Clerk of the Council, be accepted.

(f) Advance No. 125—No. 27, Mayfield Avenue.—Letter, dated 28th January, 1928, from Messrs. Chambers and Garnett, stating that the Second Charge on the above premises, executed in favour of Mr. F. W. Walker, had been paid off, was submitted.

1632 LOANS.—

(a) Sewer—Beechwood Avenue—Loan £786.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had sanctioned the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £786 for works of sewerage in Beechwood Avenue; that sanction was given in accordance with the Council's application.

(b) Proposed re-borrowings.—Referring to paragraph 1288 (b) of the Committee's report of the 14th December, 1927, the Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 28th January, 1928, from the Ministry of Health, stating that as regards the following sums :—

Loan No.	Purpose.	Years.	Amount.
189.	Allotments—Brook Farm	47	£1267
188.	Public Convenience, North Finchley	17	622

the Minister would offer no objection to the proposed re-borrowing, provided that the fresh borrowing was in each case limited to the actual amount of principal owing and to a term within the period sanctioned for the repayment of the original loan.

FINANCE (*continued*).

Arising out of a report by the Clerk, it was

RECOMMENDED that separate application be made to the Electricity Commissioners for consent to the re-borrowing of £1,192, as follows:—

Loan No.	Purpose.	Years.	Amount.
187.	Electricity :		
	Mains	7	£415
	Deep Well	17	£280
	Deep Well	9	£203
	Extensions	8	£294

- (c) Unexercised Sanctions.—The Clerk reported that the Ministry of Health had cancelled, in accordance with the Council's application, the several sanctions set out in the statement contained in the Committee's report of the 12th October, 1927, to the extent indicated in the third column thereof, except as under-mentioned:—

Sanctions dated 30th November, 1914—Education— with reference to which the Ministry were awaiting the decision of the Board of Education ;

Sanctions dated 13th February, 1920, and 9th April, 1923—Electric Lighting—for partial cancellation of which application had been made to the Electricity Commissioners.

- (d) Allotments—East Finchley.—The reference from the Allotments Committee hereon was considered in conjunction with a letter from the Secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commission stating that the Commissioners would be willing to advance a sum of £3,850 to cover the purchase money and costs at 5 per cent. subject to the Council's obtaining the sanction of the Ministry of Health ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Clerk make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £3,850 for the purchase of the above land for allotment purposes ;

FINANCE (continued).

- (2) that, subject to the issue of such sanction, the above-mentioned offer be accepted, and that the Ecclesiastical Commissioners be accorded the thanks of the Council in the matter.
- (e) Private Street Works—18th Batch—Proposed Loan—£15,103.—The Clerk reported that an Inspector of the Ministry of Health conducted an Inquiry at the Council Offices on the 10th instant into the Council's application for sanction to the borrowing of the above-mentioned sum for the purpose indicated.
- (f) Housing—Additional 54 Cottages.—The Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 14th February, 1928, from the Ministry of Health forwarding formal sanctions to the borrowing by the Council of the sums of £20,272 for the erection of 54 houses and £2,010 and £570 for street works and sewer works respectively in connexion therewith under Part 3 of the Housing Act, 1925.
- (g) Avenue House.—The Clerk submitted a letter, dated the 8th February, 1928, forwarding formal consent to the borrowing by the Council by way of temporary loan or overdraft of the sum of £697 to enable them to meet part of the costs incurred by the Executors of the late H. C. Stephens. It was added that the Minister saw no objection to the sum of £138 15s. 0d., part of the sum of £1,154 sanctioned on the 1st November, 1927, being applied to the payment of the Executors' Expenses Account.

1633 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE (GLEBE LAND).—Referring to paragraph 1466 (a) of the Committee's report of the 19th January, 1928, the Clerk submitted a letter, dated 14th February, 1928, from the Ministry of Health, stating that the Minister did not consider that a loan could properly be sanctioned in respect of the compensation to be paid to Allotment Holders;

RECOMMENDED that the expenditure involved (£881 5s.) be defrayed out of revenue.

1634 HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE.—

Highways—Summers Lane.—

FINANCE (*continued*).

Street widenings—Nether Street by Elm Grange Estate.—

Fencing—Land—Long Lane—North-west of Alexander Villas.—

Street widenings—Swan Lane.—

The several references from the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that no objection be raised to the various proposals on financial grounds;
- (2) that the question of making provision to meet the expenditure involved be left in the hands of the Accountant.

1635 LAND BY ST. MARGARET'S AVENUE.—The recommendations of the two Committees concerned in this matter were reported, but the Committee decided to defer the consideration thereof, pending submission of full details as to the Council's probable liability in the event of their being adopted.

1636 AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The Finance Accounts Sub-Committee intimated that they had considered the Auditor's report hereon (circulated) and arising thereout certain instructions were given to the Accountant;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to communicate with the District Auditor stating that the several suggestions contained in his report will be dealt with by the Council.

1637 COUNTY RATE BASIS.—A circular letter was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, forwarding, in accordance with the instructions of the Committee appointed by that Authority to prepare a basis or standard for fair and equal County Rates, a copy of the basis or standard proposed by that Committee.

1638 GAS REGULATION ACT, 1925.—THE GAS LIGHT & COKE COMPANY.—Report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1927, was submitted.

Annexed

9th January, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members
of the Urban District Council
of Finchley.

Gentlemen,

I have to report the completion of the audit of your accounts and of those of your Officers for the year ended on the 31st March last.

For particulars of the Council's expenditure allowed by me and of their income I would refer you to the certified copy of the Statutory Financial Statement. Details of income and expenditure on Housing (Assisted Scheme) Revenue Account and on the purposes of Elementary and Higher Education will be found on the certified copies of Form A.G.21 and of the Education Account respectively.

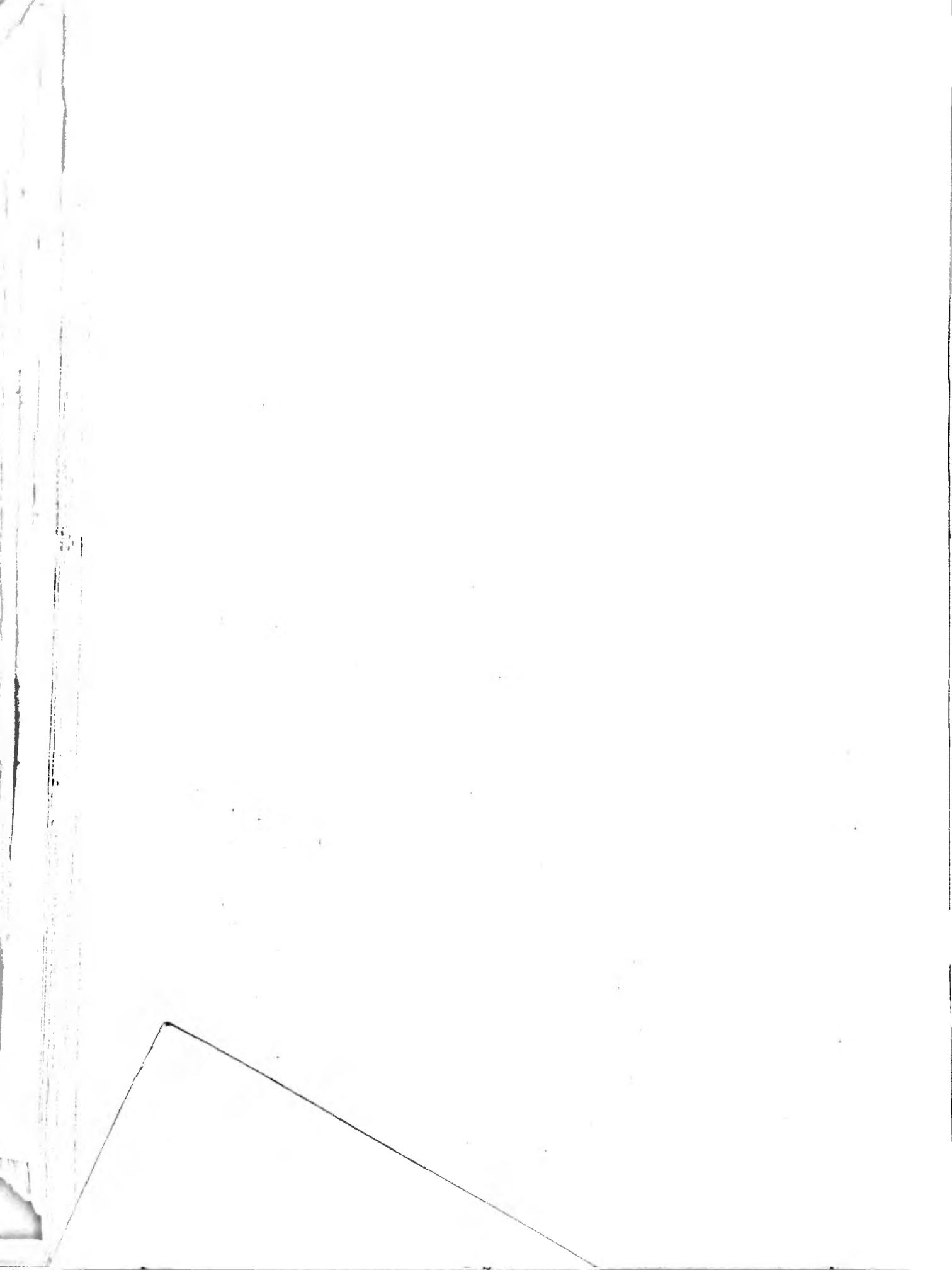
ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING.

Gross Profits on the year's working amounted to £18,494. 5. 10. After providing for debt charges, Capital Expenditure from Revenue etc., and receiving due credit for interest earned, nett revenue account showed a deficit of £1,730. 13. 1. The accumulated surplus carried forward at the close of the period under review totalled £13,839. 1. 10. as against £16,099. 14. 11. at the 31st March previous, the reduction being occasioned by the deficit referred to and to the writing off of a sum of £480 in respect of the depreciated value of foreign coal.

CONTROL OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

The desirability of divorcing completely financial from technical control has been the subject of previous audit reports. I do not therefore propose to refer anew to this matter. There are however in my opinion means by which, within the limits of the system in vogue, the collection of income due to the Local Authority and the disbursement of funds under their control can be safeguarded. I have explained fully my views to your responsible Officers, and, inasmuch as they offered no opposition thereto, but on the contrary for the most part expressed themselves as not only willing but anxious to put my suggestions into operation, it is sufficient I think to bring directly to your notice one or two practices which obtain and are unsound in principle.

(a) It was observed that the Accountant's Imprest Account with the Bank was sometimes overdrawn and that this Officer as Bond Registrar draws at will on the Council's funds. In both cases it would appear that cash is being irregularly released. I suggest that in no case should an Official be given what amounts to a blank cheque on public funds but that his disbursements should be limited to a sum of money specifically voted to him for the purpose in question.



(b) I have formed the opinion that far too much income finds its way into the Council's account via the Technical Departments. The public should be urged to pay their accounts to the cashier. Apart from the obvious objection to a Department responsible for the creation of debits having any share in the collection of the relative cash, the delay which may be occasioned in diverting income into the Treasurer's hands is clearly uneconomical.

(c) It sometimes transpires that it is more convenient for cash income of an exceptional nature - such for example as sundry sales or deposits - to be received by the technical departments concerned in the transaction. In such cases the officer responsible for the collection should be required to record promptly his receipts and payments to the cashier in a suitable cash account. The holding up of deposits pending the completion of work should be prohibited.

(d) The Council would be well advised to demur from authorising payments to Contractors in anticipation of the receipt of a Technical Officer's certificate. Instances were brought to my notice of cheques being drawn some time before your Electrical Engineer gave his relative certificate.

CONCLUSION.

Your Officers rendered me ready and courteous assistance during the Audit. As a result of discussion with your Accountant I anticipate that certain changes in the method of compiling the accounting records - making for greater lucidity - will be effected. I shall be glad to co-operate with him at any time should he deem it desirable to requisition my services.

I am Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

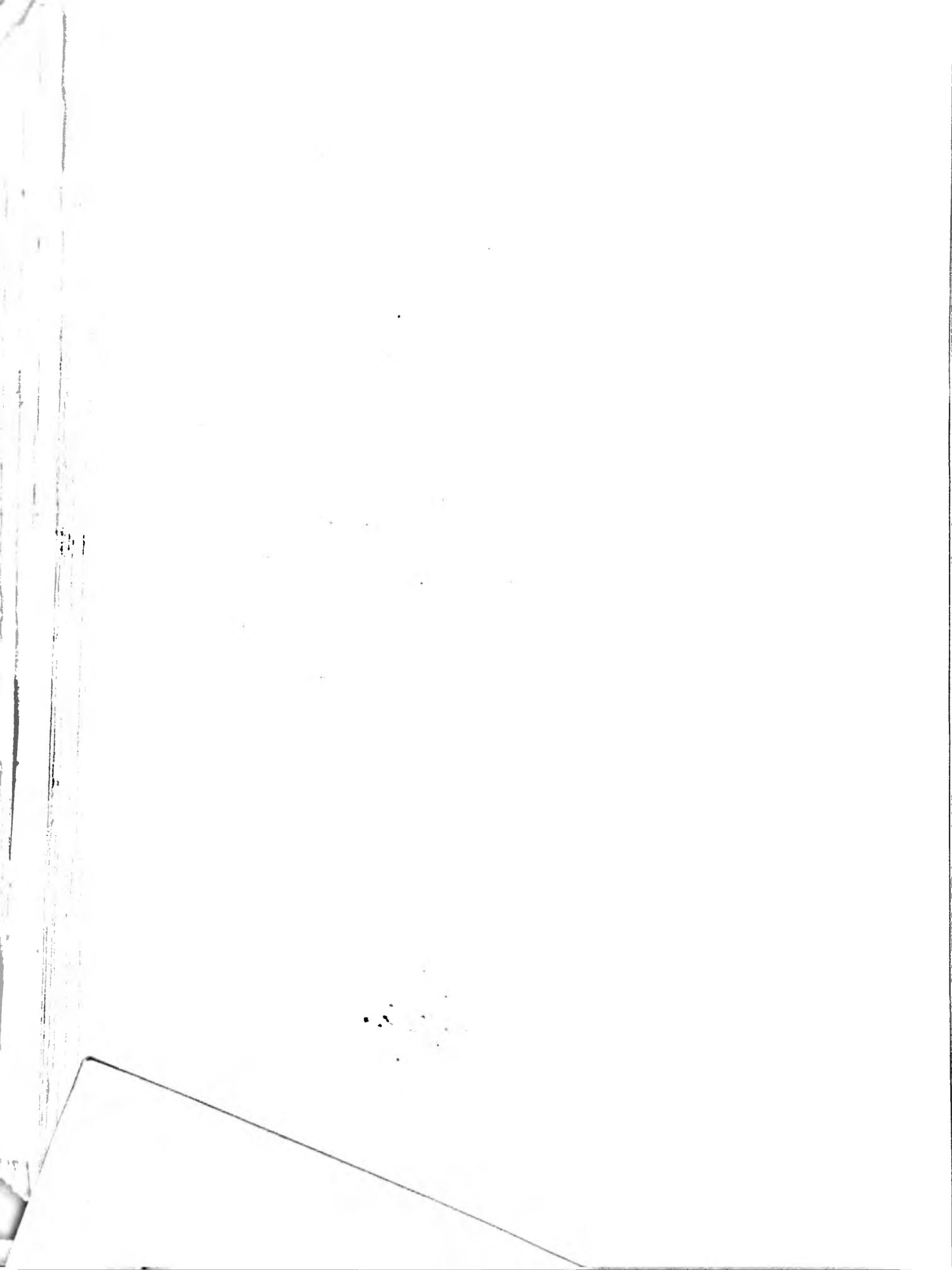
(SGD) J. W. KIME.

Assistant District Auditor.

This (together with the preceding page) is the Auditor's report referred to in paragraph 1636 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February 1928.

Chairman.





FINANCE (continued).

1639 PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS — SEWERAGE.—The Surveyor reported that in the making up of Lyndhurst Gardens and Brent Way, which crossed the Council's main sewer, it had been necessary to protect the sewer with concrete in the former case and with hard filling in the latter, and that this had necessitated an expenditure of £612 13s. 9d. ;

RECOMMENDED that such expenditure be borne by the General District Fund.

1639a IRRECOVERABLE AMOUNTS.—The Accountant submitted a list of irrecoverable accounts covering a number of years ;

RECOMMENDED that such amounts (enumerated in the list now submitted and signed by the Chairman of the Committee) be written off.

Annexed

1640 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS.—It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Mr. R. J. Thorndike (26, Queens Avenue, N. 3).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 0s. 2d.
Poor Rate	...	£1 13s. 2d.

Mr. W. A. Lewis (7, Clifton Avenue, N. 3).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 14s. 9d.
Poor Rate	...	£2 17s. 0d.

Mr. C. Severn (58, Denman Drive, N.W. 11).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	16s. 3d.
Poor Rate	...	£1 6s. 9d.

Mr. T. Simmons (Belswains, Nether Street, N. 3).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1 17s. 4d.
Poor Rate	...	£3 1s. 4d.

1641 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

FINANCE (continued).

1642 POOR RATE ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £13623 4 1

Cr. (Jan. 2nd—Feb. 1st) on account of—

	Rates.			Summonses.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, North ...	708	13	6			
Collector, South ...	733	19	11			
Cashier ...	19627	7	5	1	4	0
	<u>£21070</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>
				21071	4	10
Leaving balance in hand ...				7448	0	9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Middlesex County Council, balance of precept ...	6699	10	4
Finchley Urban District Council (Education A/c) balance of precept ...	3462	10	0
General District Fund, transfer—			
Proportion salaries, etc., February ...	208	16	9
Invoices and petty cash	86	11	1
	<u>295</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>
			10457 8 2
Leaving balance overdrawn ...			<u>£3009 7 5</u>

1643 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £25,911 9s. 4d., made up as follows:—

Balance in hand per last report	£6821	1	3
Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions ...	91	6	2
Council's contributions ...	179	7	10
	<u>270</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>
Less Superannuation payments ...	45	2	5
	<u>225</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7</u>
	6595	9	8

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Outstanding Accounts submitted to be considered
for writing off as irrecoverable.

Workmen's Dwellings Account No. 2.

Collins - Rent - 120, Woodhouse Road. 1.11. 4.

Housing (Assisted Scheme).

Millest,	19, Ingleway.	17. 4.	
Hubbard,	84, "	12. 2.	
Gray,	14, Crescentway.	6.	
Cornell,	36, Ingleway.	14.12. 6.	16. 8. 8.

General Account.

1922/23.	Howard,	Balance of Crossing.	5. 1.	
	Marquis,	" " Reinstatement.	5. 5.	
	Turner,	" " "	7. 8.	
	Wells, H.,	Paving.	7. 9.	1. 5.11.
1923/24.	Hendon Waste-paper Co.,	waste-paper.	4.11. 3.	
	Rawlins,	Balance of Reinstatement.	12. 2.	5. 6. 5.
1924/25.	Bailey,	damage to side pole.	13. 0.	
	Baker,	repairs - 161, Summers Lane	4. 0.	
	Beardmore,	" to lamp column.	2.13. 5.	
	Belcher,	" to signpost.	4. 2.10.	
	Finchley Cottage	carting chairs.	1. 6.10.	
	Hospital,			
	Honnor & Son,	Reinstatement.	16. 4.	
	Hubbard,	Keys.	3. 3.	
	Kent,	Repairs to sink.	13. 3.	
	Moore & Crewe,	" " lamp.	10.11.	
	McCormick,		3. 9.	
	Pirie, A. M.,	Reinstatement.	15. 2.	
	Tare, A.,	Repairs.	6. 8.	
	Whitehall Asphalt	Charge in error.	1. 5. 0.	13.14. 5.
	Co.			
1925/26.	Hales, A.,	Reinstatement.	13. 9.	
	Judd, W.,	Disinfecting charge	14. 0.	1. 7. 9.
		in error.		
1926/27.	Hailey,	Bal. cost of reprs.	4.10.	
	Regent Fruit Stores)	Trade Refuse.	1. 0. 0.	
	Stratton, T.	) Charge in error.	1. 0. 0.	
	Walters, W.	Rent of Fields.	45. 0. 0.	47. 4.10.

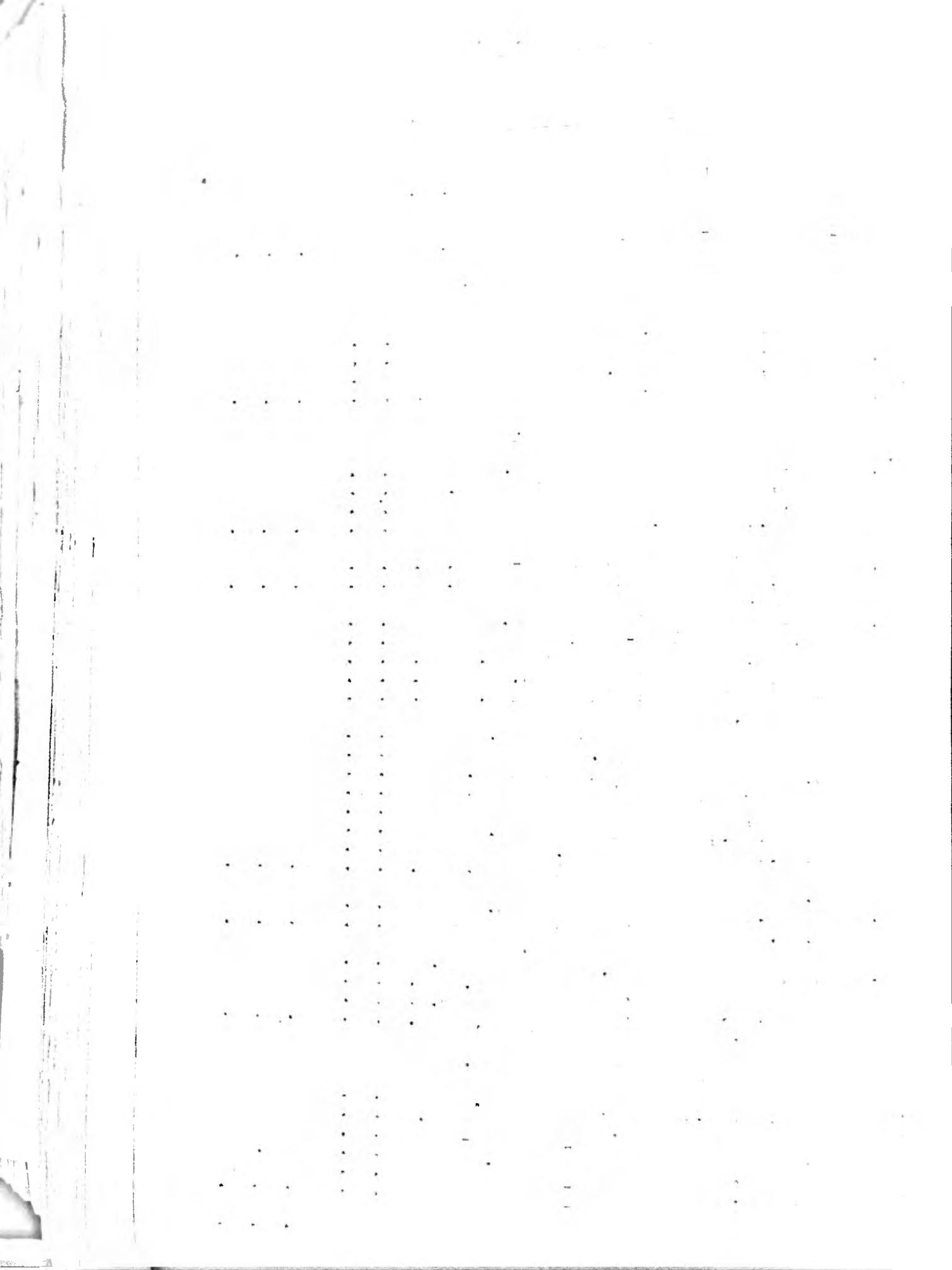
Disinfection Accounts.

1924.	Gardner, S. J.,	363, Long Lane.	5. 0.	
1925.	Nelson,	51, Rosemary Avenue.	5. 0.	
	Watt,	-	5. 0.	
	Frier, Mrs.	Long Lane.	3. 6.	
1926.	Lewis, Mrs.	-	16.10.	
	Orr,	-	8. 5.	2. 3. 9.

£ 99. 5. 1.

Signature of C. F. Carpenter
15 Feb 1928

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cr. (Jan. 2nd—Feb. 1st) on account of—						
Rates.						
Summonses.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Collector, Nth.	431	16	9			
Collector, Sth.	471	7	4			
Cashier	11942	1	5	1	15	6
	<u>£12845</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>
				12847	1	0
By Cashier (Jan. 2nd—31st) general receipts				5737	5	8
„ Farm Clerk (Jan. 12th)				2	0	0
„ Bath Supt. (Jan. 2nd—30th)				12	18	2
„ Collector (Jan. 4th—Feb. 1st) general rents				10	14	8
„ Treasurer, from Air Ministry, further award of costs re Avenue House				15	0	0
Transfer from Poor Rate Account—proportion salaries and office expenses				208	16	9
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages and petty cash from:—						
Poor Rate Account	86	11	1			
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	260	0	9			
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	45	2	6			
Genl. Loan Accounts	236	19	0			
				<u>628</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>4</u>
					19462	9
					<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>
Leaving in hand					26057	19
					<u>3</u>	
Deduct cheques drawn February 15th, to—						
Pellow & Wright, certificates		132	2	4		
Bank of England, interest on loans		14	7	7		
					<u>146</u>	<u>9</u>
					<u>11</u>	
Leaving balance in hand					£25911	9
					<u>4</u>	

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Adams, T., excavating trench	263	15	1
Amory, G. F., binding, etc.	6	3	6
Andrews & Co., duplicating paper	14	0	2
Associated Asphalt Co., Ltd., reinstatement	6	12	6
Associated Newspapers, Ltd., advertisement	1	8	0
Automatic Light Controlling Co., Ltd., controllers	4	17	6
Bacon, G. W. & Co., Ltd., maps	6	5	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., fees	2	0	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., gas	42	13	8
Blaker Motor & Welding Co., repairs	2	15	11
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., petroleum	4	16	3
Brown Bros., Ltd., sponge cloths	2	19	0
Bryant, C., chimney sweeping	2	4	0
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	27	7	6
Carter, C., tarmacadam	25	4	9
Carter, J. H., lino.	22	18	2
Cockerell, G. J. & Co., anthracite	3	9	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., macadam	43	15	10
Cowing, E. & Son, advertisement	2	10	0
Crisp, A. E. & Co., Ltd., ceilingite, etc.	11	14	2
Deards, R., refuse removal	488	6	8
Dodd, J., fish	2	8	9
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., lithography	13	13	0
Economic Fencing Co., Ltd., fencing	5	8	0
Endersby, W. A., timber	22	17	11
Evershed, J. & Co., envelopes	5	0	9
Evreday Hard Tennis Court Co., materials	7	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council, electricity charges	729	4	2
Gibb, J. & Co., Ltd., taps	1	4	9
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., petroleum	1	4	10
Gratrix & Sons, certificates	16	7	0
Gray Bros. (E.F.), Ltd., coal	5	9	6
Griffiths, W. & Co., Ltd., erecting statue	617	9	6
Hailey, A., printing enlargements	6	17	9
Halden, J. & Co., Ltd., drawing materials	21	0	3
Hallett, Fox and White, fees	65	2	0
Heenan & Froude, Ltd., pipes, etc.	39	11	9
Hill-Jones, T., Ltd., flux	41	13	3
Hobson & Sons, Ltd., uniform	3	9	0
Hornsey Corporation, public lighting	2	3	2
Inland Revenue Commissioners, interest on estate duty, etc., Avenue House	300	13	7
Jelks, W. & Sons, chair, etc.	2	19	5
Joslin, J. & Co., Ltd., slab	4	12	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Joyce & Co., timber	6	12	9
Judd, W., Ltd., advertisement	10	3	6
Kalamazoo, Ltd., books	14	17	5
Keene's Stores, cleaning materials	1	12	2
Kingham, H. & Sons, Ltd., cleaning materials	3	19	10
Knight, C. & Co., Ltd., subscription	4	14	3
Law Society, subscription	3	3	0
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., asphalt	69	2	4
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., printing	26	5	0
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves	4	19	11
Manger, J. & Son, Ltd., salt	53	0	0
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk	7	10	6
Middlesex District Councils' Association, subscrip- tion	1	1	0
Mudd, W. R. & Son, meat	6	6	6
McGarry & Cole, files	1	17	7
National Boiler & General Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	7	17	3
North, E. H., vegetables	3	4	0
North Middlesex Gas Co., public lighting	96	9	11
Orchard, C. & Co., receipt books, etc.	16	4	0
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	17	2	7
Pearson, T. E. & Co., Ltd., wallpaper	3	7	9
Pope, H. & Sons, Ltd., car hire	8	13	10
Postmaster-General, telephone rentals	70	0	8
Rating and Income Tax, subscription	1	1	8
Reliance Lubricating Oil Co., Ltd.,	5	10	6
Roads & Public Works, Ltd., blocks	7	9	3
Roneo, Ltd., stencil	3	10	0
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery, etc.	12	0	7
Skinner, P. R. & Co., hire of lorry	4	13	6
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	61	3	7
Smith, K., fees	2	3	4
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	40	18	3
Tarmac, Ltd., tarmac -	258	12	4
Urban District Councils' Association, subscription	4	4	0
Vulite Co., Ltd., boiler fluid	5	15	6
Walker, J., team labour	398	13	9
Watson, R., blankets	2	4	6
Williams Bros., Ltd., groceries	9	19	3
York Engineering & Foundry Co., Ltd., stove cheeks	7	8	6
Total Invoices	4165	1	3

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Refund of Deposits <i>re</i> Resurfacing Green Lane, Surface Water Sewer—Clifford Road and Footpath Improvement Nether Street :—			
Jackson, E. H.	2	0	0
Hartley, R. H. & Co.	3	0	0
Waller, D. J.	1	0	0
Roads & Public Works, Ltd.	3	0	0
Tomlins, Dunlop & Flett	3	0	0
Walter Jones & Co.	3	0	0
Edwards, J. B. & Co.	2	0	0
Bridgewater Brothers	3	0	0
French, W. & C.	3	0	0
Carter, C.	3	0	0
Mowlem, J. & Co.,	3	0	0
Adams, T.	3	0	0
Howard Farrow, Ltd.,	1	0	0
Silvester, E.	3	0	0
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd.	1	0	0
Ball, C.	1	0	0
	38	0	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer wages		26	18 10
Private Street Works Loans Account, transfer expenditure not chargeable to frontagers	612	13	9
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces Loans Ac- count, transfer, recreation ground pavilion expenditure	348	15	9
Education Account, transfer, cleaning materials		1	14 3
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalments of loans	159	0	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and in- terest on Loan 28		14	19 4
Salaries—February.—			
Clerk	100	3	10
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	18	0
Dentist	3	12	0
Accountant to pay Staff	1121	19	8
Ditto Firemen	114	9	8
Accountant's Wages Account	1300	0	0
Ditto ditto	1200	0	0
Ditto Imprest Account	604	17	3
	£9984	6	6

FINANCE (continued).

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	25911	9	4
Cheques recommended for payment ...	9984	6	6
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£15927</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>10</u>

1644 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £7243 7 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

E.L. Revenue Account, invoices, stores, etc. ...	565	10	3
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	<u>£7808</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>

1645 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2118 1 0
Cr. by Cashier (Jan. 5th—31st), amount received from Consumers' Services 105 3 1

Leaving balance in hand	<u>£2223</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>
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1646 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £2395 7 4
Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—

Employees' contributions ...	42	7	4
Council's contributions ...	65	0	8
		<u>107</u>	<u>8</u> 0
			2287 19 4

Cr. (Jan. 2nd—Feb. 1st) by—

Cashier ...	7247	6	8
Collector ...	606	0	6
	<u>7853</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>

Transfers for invoices, stores, wages, and petty cash from:—

General District Fund (gas lamps) ...	26	18	10
E.L. Loans Account ...	565	10	3
	<u>592</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>
		<u>8445</u>	<u>16</u> 3

Leaving in hand	<u>10733</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>7</u>
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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Deduct cheques drawn Feb. 15th to—			
Biram & Co., coal	357	5	11
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	856	7	0
Haynes, J. H., slack	8	18	4
Industrial Rubber Products, Ltd., tyres	9	13	4
Milner, Thomas & Co., Ltd., coal	287	18	0
Spencer, Abbott & Co., Ltd., coal	121	13	0
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	1641	15	7
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	9092	0	0

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Barnet District Gas & Water Co., water and gas	6	10	5
Braby, F. & Co., Ltd., ingot tin	7	11	10
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., wire	6	17	4
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, etc.	321	10	11
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., station- ery	5	12	6
Ecclesiastical Commissioners, fees	7	7	0
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, lamps, etc.	46	13	3
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., fittings	60	17	10
Ferranti, Ltd., meters	101	18	0
General Electric Co., Ltd., switches...	4	0	0
Gray Bros., Ltd., slack, etc.	22	16	9
Griffiths Bros. & Co., Ltd., paint	1	14	1
Haynes, G., cartage	137	12	0
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., clean- ing cloths	2	17	2
Hobdell, Way & Co., Ltd., screws	2	16	9
Hornby, R. & Co., Ltd., meter parts	1	10	0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast	15	7	
London County Council, testing fees...	4	15	0
Pearson, Dollin & Co., brush gear	5	12	0
Postmaster-General, telephone charges	12	13	9
Reason Manufacturing Co., Ltd., repairs	1	11	5
Reyrolle, A. & Co., Ltd., alterations	6	1	6
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., cylinder end	160	0	0
Shell-Mex, Ltd., gas oil	17	13	8

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Siemens Bros. & Co., Ltd., cells ...	3	14	0
Straker, W., Ltd., books ...	3	10	3
Venner Time Switches, Ltd., time switches ...	39	0	0
West Ham Testing Laboratory, testing fees ...	1	10	0
Wootton & Co., Ltd., meter boards ...	11	15	6
Total Invoices ...	1006	18	6
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance ...	122	3	0
Ditto wages account ...	650	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	650	0	0
Ditto petty cash ...	40	0	0
Accountant, refund of deposits ...	10	7	1
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loans 71 and 72	844	1	4
	3323	9	11
Leaving balance in hand ...	£5768	10	1

1647 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £11270 18 1
Cr. by Cashier (Jan. 2nd—31st), amount received from frontagers ... 274 14 0

11545 12 1

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

Private Street Works Loans Account, on account of expenditure, Account No. 27 ... 11500 0 0

Leaving balance in hand ... £45 12 1

1648 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 1.—

FINANCE (continued).

The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £1160 11 8
Cr. by Collector (Jan. 4th—Feb. 1st)—

Rents	...	...	...	176	18	1
Allotments	...	...	...	15	0	
Ground rent—8-20, Manor Cottages, less tax	...	...	...	6	0	0
						<u>183 13 1</u>
						1344 4 9

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loan 45	...	...	...	70	5	0
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc.	...	...	...	222	8	6
						<u>292 13 6</u>
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...			<u>£1051 11 3</u>

1649 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT, No. 2.—
The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £2630 3 10
Cr. by Collector (Jan. 4th—Feb. 1st), rents

	...	...	...	338	13	1
						<u>2968 16 11</u>

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	...	...	37	12	3
Leaving balance in hand	...	...	...			<u>£2931 4 8</u>

1650 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £6735 14 2
Cr. by Collector (Jan. 3rd—Feb. 1st)—

Rents	...	...	...	906	0	3
Transfer fee, bond	...	...	...	2	6	
						<u>906 2 9</u>
						5829 11 5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	...	...	...	45	2	6
Leaving balance overdrawn	...	...	...			<u>£5874 13 11</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1651 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report
was £854 1 3

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash	18 0 0
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£872 1 3</u>

1652 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this account per last report was £5964 15 1

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts:—

Carter, C., certificate	496 1 10
Manders, W. & Co., certificate (final)	44 15 2
Ditto certificates	109 6 0
Pyke, A. & Co., purchase money, land Regents Park Road	450 0 0
Pyke, A. & Co., costs re purchase of land Regents Park Road	11 11 0
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, wages, etc.	79 4 7
	<u>1190 18 7</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£7155 13 8</u>

1653 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT. — The
balance overdrawn upon this account per last report
was £11916 6 7

Deduct transfers—

From Private Street Works Fund Account on account of ex- penditure, Account No. 27	11500 0 0
From General District Fund, ex- penditure not chargeable to frontagers	612 13 9
	<u>12112 13 9</u>
Leaving in hand	196 7 2

FINANCE (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED** that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, petty cash	30 0 0
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£166 7 2</u>

1654 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.

—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account, less amounts advanced by the Public Works Loan Board as last reported was £5300 0 0

Deduct amount received (January 11th) from Public Works Loan Board on Mortgage	3640 0 0
	<u>1660 0 0</u>

RECOMMENDED that further cheques be drawn for advances to property mortgagors as under :—

Chambers & Garnett—

re Lewis, R. T. ...	880 0 0
Ditto re Clinton, H. ...	730 0 0
Ditto re Lucraft, F. H. ...	840 0 0
Ditto re Kingbourn, G. R. ...	520 0 0
Ditto re Powell, F. G. S. ...	800 0 0
	<u>3770 0 0</u>

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £5430 0 0

1655 RECREATION GROUNDS & OPEN SPACES LOANS ACCOUNT.

The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £454 15 9

Deduct transfer from General District Fund, expenditure re pavilion, Recreation Ground ...	348 15 9
	<u>106 0 0</u>

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Gratrix & Sons, certificate (final)	16 13 8
Leaving balance overdrawn	<u>£122 13 8</u>

FINANCE (continued).

1656 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £6 14 4

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, invoices, wages, etc.	...	106 18 1
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Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£113 12 5
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1657 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £48 1 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to—

General District Fund, stores, wages	...	2 16 4
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Leaving balance overdrawn	...	£50 17 11
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1658 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £848 14 6

Cr. transfers received (Jan. 31st) from—

General District Fund	...	225 11 7
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	...	107 8 0
Education Account	...	39 3 8
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		372 3 3
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		1220 17 9

RECOMMENDED that a cheque be drawn to—

Accountant for investment	...	1000 0 0
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Leaving balance in hand	...	£220 17 9
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FINANCE (continued).

1660 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement:—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320	0	0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	73737	19	2
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928 ...	88200	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	12845	5	6
Supplemental Assessments ...	1353	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	3289	15	4
	<u>£89873</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£89873</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350	0	0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	121196	18	8
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928	145814	0	0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	21070	0	10
Supplemental Assessments ...	2257	0	0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	6154	6	6
	<u>£148421</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£148421</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

1661 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £3,996 13s. 8d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report		£1604 15 8
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—		
Employees' contributions	... 14 14 4	
Council's contributions	... 24 9 4	
		<u>39 3 8</u>
		1643 19 4
Cr. by Cashier (Jan. 3rd—31st)—		
Contributions to Special		
School fees	... 17 5 10	
Medical treatment	... 8 15 0	
Cookery sales	... 4 6 1	
Needlework sales	... 1 9 5	
Use of rooms, etc.	... 34 9 1	
Managers' proportion cost		
of fuel, etc.	... 3 4	
Middlesex County Council, rent of Summers Lane School Site	... 10 0 0	
		<u>76 8 9</u>
By Board of Education, instalment of Substantive Grant	... 2100 0 0	
By Poor Rate, 7th instalment of precept	... 3462 10 0	
Transfer from General District Fund for cleaning materials	... 1 14 3	
		<u>5640 13 0</u>
Leaving balance in hand	... ..	<u>£3996 13 8</u>

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., books, etc.	... ..	3 0 2
Bennet Furnishing Co., Ltd., table	... ..	2 5 0
Bryson, J. G., printing	... ..	3 15 0
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses, etc.	... ..	4 14 9
Cooper Southam, piano	... ..	42 10 0
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., anæsthetic	... ..	2 4 8
Finchley Urban District Council, electricity charges	... ..	122 3 1
Gaines, J. W., lenses	... ..	1 4 0

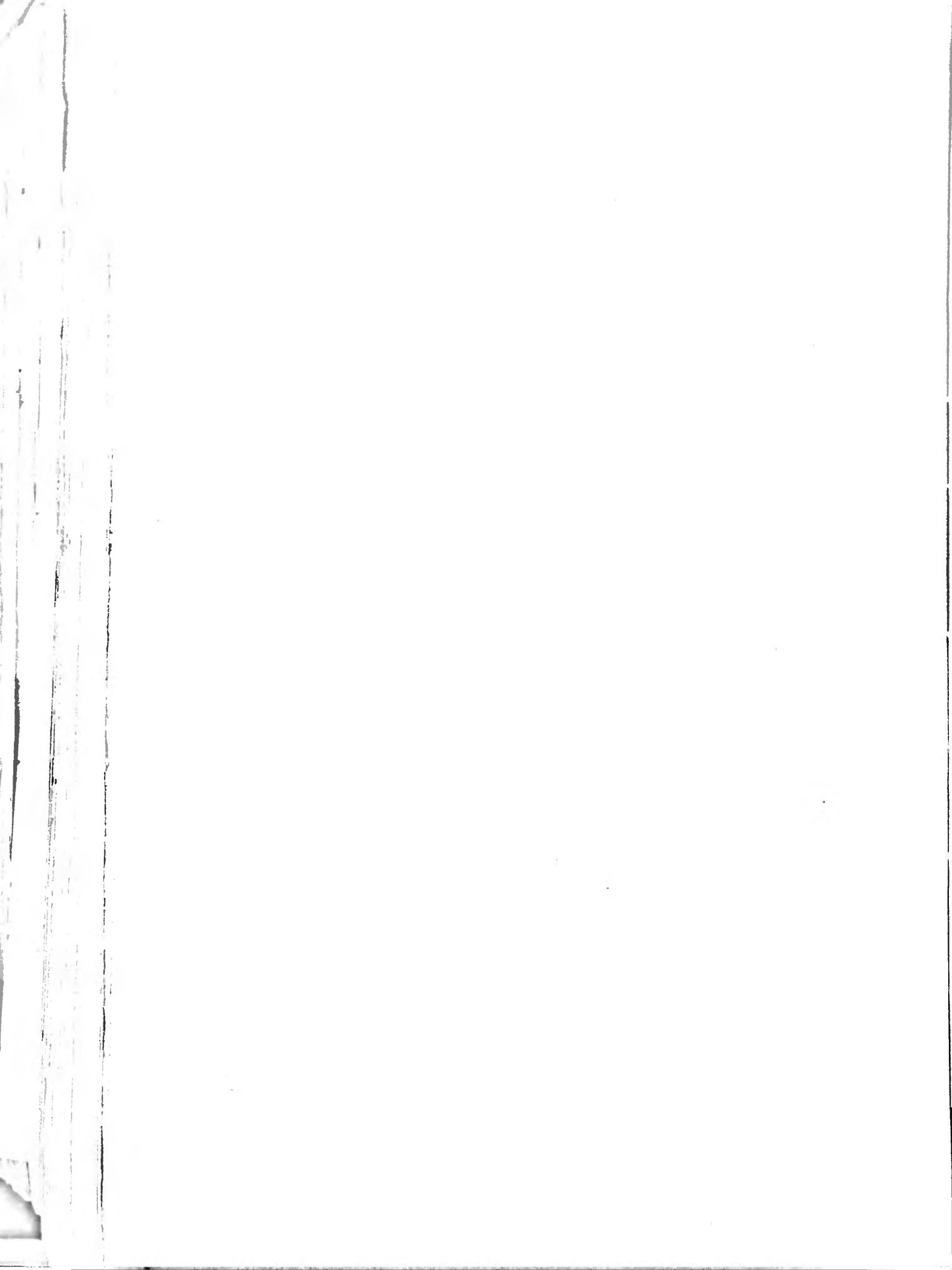
FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Gallenkamp, A. & Co., Ltd., apparatus	1	9	0
Hall, Bros., repairs	91	13	2
Jelks, W. & Sons, curtain, etc.	18	2	9
Joyce & Co., timber	22	8	4
Leighton, Baldwin & Co., needlework materials	1	13	3
Libraco, Ltd., cards	1	10	0
London & North-Eastern Railway Co., wayleaves	1	0	0
Morgan Webb, C. C., advertisement	2	13	6
Newton, Chambers & Co., Ltd., lzal	14	0	0
North Middlesex Gas Company, gas	47	19	8
Postmaster-General, telephone rentals	16	8	11
Shaftesbury Society & R.S.U., maintenance fees	33	16	0
Smith, W. H. & Son, subscription	14	1	0
Southgate & District Gas Co., gas	13	18	4
Steele, A. & Son, repairs	38	10	1
Wight, E. & Co., repairs	2	18	6
Total Invoices	£477	6	3
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on Loan 16	158	7	2
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on Loan 18	89	4	5
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalments of Loans 34 and 35	166	0	0
Salaries—February.—			
Turner, A. A.	43	17	1
Cogdale, J.	52	18	1
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	9
	132	14	11
Accountant to pay petty cash	50	0	0
Education Salaries Account	3135	4	7
	£4208	17	4

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand	3996	13	8
Cheques recommended for payment	4208	17	4
	£212	3	8
Leaving balance overdrawn			

F. H. AGAR,
Chairman.



VALUATION COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Mr. Percy H. Chambers (Chairman).

Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P. Mr. J. H. Fry.

Councillor E. Toyne. Mr. Arthur Gray.

1662 SUPPLEMENTAL VALUATION LIST.—Supplemental Valuation List No. 58 was placed on deposit on the 18th February, 1928.

1663 APPEALS.—We have pleasure in reporting that since the date of our last report no Appeals have been lodged with the North Middlesex Assessment Committee affecting Finchley properties.

1664 RAILWAY ASSESSMENTS—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1928.—The North Middlesex Assessment Committee have given notice that the percentage deductions in regard to Railway Properties are as follows :—

London & North Eastern Railway	12.5%
London Midland & Scottish	11.00%
London Midland & Scottish (late L. & N.E. and L.M.S. Joint)	11.75%

1665 RATING AND VALUATION ACT, 1925.—

(a) Conferences.—Conferences have been held with the Middlesex County Valuation Committee and with the North Middlesex Assessment Committee in regard to the compilation of the new Valuation Lists.

(b) Valuation of Special Properties.—The Committee has been advised by the Middlesex County Valuation Committee that with regard to properties other than Statutory Properties and extensive undertakings, they have issued instructions to Mr. Philip G. Sneath, of No. 32, Great St. Helen's, London, E.C., to act on their behalf.

The Committee has also been advised that arrangements have been made by the County Committee that the Statutory Undertakings within the Finchley district shall be valued by Messrs. Thurgood, Martin & Eve, and Messrs. J. R. Eve & Son.

VALUATION (*continued*).

(c) New Valuation Lists.—The preliminary work in connection with the new Draft List is proceeding and the Committee will submit a report to the Council on the matter at a later date.

PERCY H. CHAMBERS,

Chairman.

21st February, 1928.

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
21st March, 1928.

SIR,

SUMMONS.

MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL will be held in the Council Chamber, at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on **MONDAY NEXT**, the 26th day of March, 1928, as follows:—

SPECIAL MEETING at 7.25 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider the following resolution:—

“ That the Council do oppose a Bill which has been deposited in Parliament intituled ‘ An Act to consolidate the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Acts, 1900 to 1927, ’ and that the expense be defrayed out of the district fund and general district rate.”

ORDINARY MEETING at 7.30 p.m.

To consider:—

1. Minutes of Meeting held on the 27th February, 1928.
2. Appointment of Charity Trustees.
3. Date of Annual Meeting of the Council.
4. Date of next Ordinary and of Special Meetings (if any) of the Council.

5. Reports of Committees :—

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 5th March, 1928;
- (b) **Public Health** of the 6th March, 1928;
- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 7th March, 1928;
- (d) **Allotments** of the 8th March, 1928;
- (e) **Education** of the 12th March, 1928;
- (f) **General Purposes** of the 13th March, 1928;
- (g) **Electricity** of the 14th March, 1928;
- (h) **Finance** of the 14th March, 1928.

6. Correspondence.

7. Reports of Officers.

8. Questions of urgency not relating to matters included in the Committees reports.

9. Payment of Accounts—Motion :—

“ That Orders in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee’s report of the 14th March, 1928, and also in the list to be circulated at the Council Meeting.”

10. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.

11. Tenders for the printing of Minutes and Reports for year 1928/29.

12. Other business (if any).

Council in Committee.—

13. Reports of Committees :—

Electricity of the 14th March, 1929.

14. Reports of Officers.

15. General business.

I am, Sir,

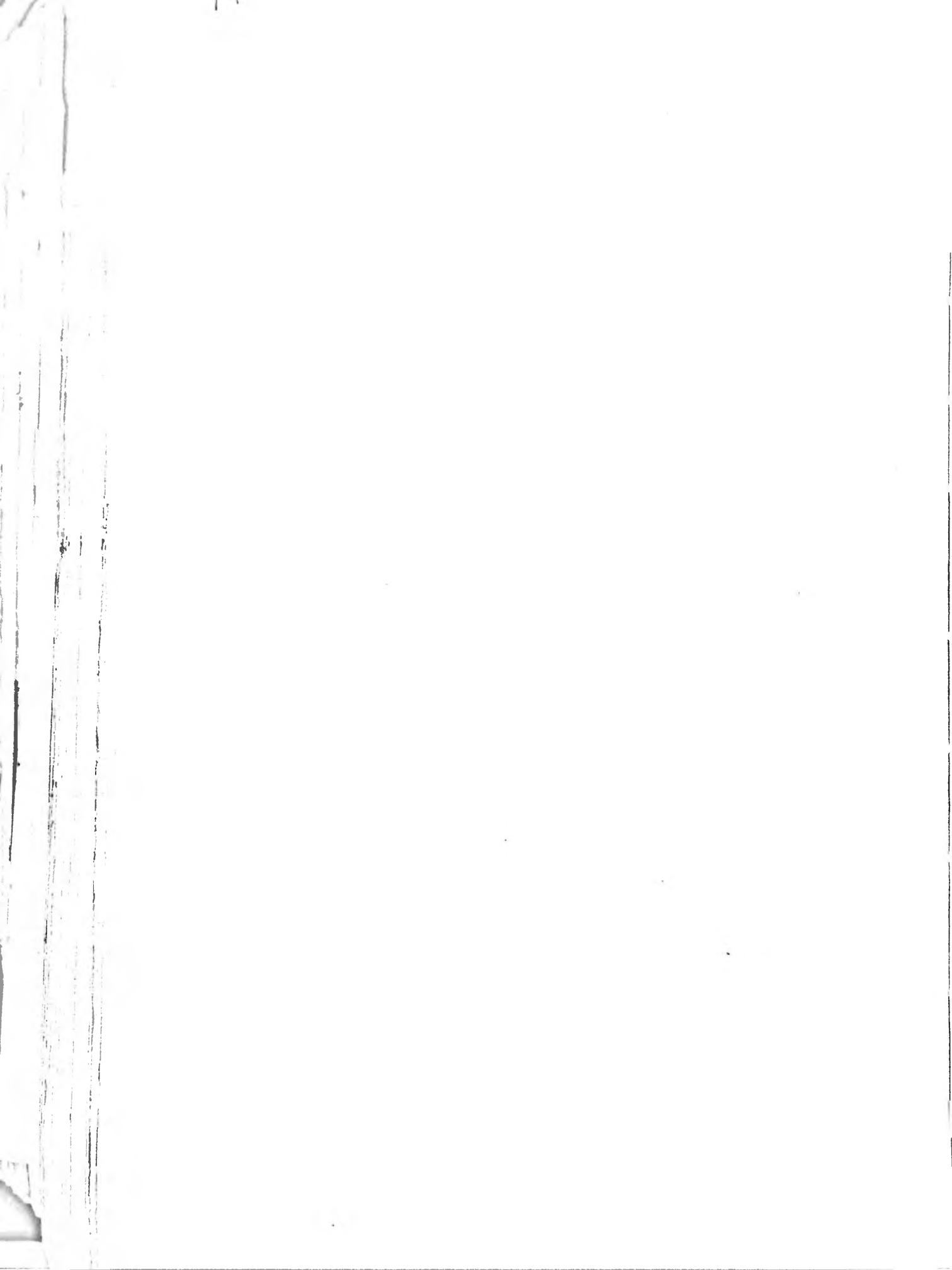
Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the Council.

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.



Urban District At an ORDINARY MEETING
of
Finchley. of the Council held at the
 Council Offices, Church End,
 Finchley, on MONDAY, the
MONDAY, 27th day of February, 1928.
27th February, 1928.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pateman, G. H.
Bowen, E. S.	Pike, A. T.
Briant, A. J.	Pocock, S. J.
Broadbent, J.	Ryan, C. G.
England, J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Wade, N. C.
Knowlman, A.	Wells, H. V.
Merry, D. A. A.	

1666 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last Meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed, subject to the words " and Councillors " Agar, Briant, Broadbent, Pocock, Sommerfield, Wade and " Wells voting against Minute No. 1505 so far as regards the " question of the replacement of certain plant out of reserve " being added at the end of Minute No. 1515.

1667 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

- (a) **Town Planning and Open Spaces** of the 6th February, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1519 (b) (ii) (Town Planning—Land by St. Margaret's Avenue), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- (b) **Public Health** of the 7th February, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1534 (c) (Petroleum Acts, 1871-1926—Applications for Licences—Messrs. Lindsay Bros., Highwood Garage, High Road, N. 12), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

1668 TENDERS.—

- (a) Motor Fire Engine,
 (b) Motor Ambulance,
 (c) Private Street Works—18th Batch,
 (d) Erection of Pumping Station, etc.—Broughton Avenue.—

RESOLVED that the tenders received in respect of the above be opened, checked and considered by the Council in Committee.

1669 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES (continued).—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted:—

- (c) **Highways and Fire and Water** of the 8th February, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1563 (Street Widenings—Great North Road by St. Margaret's Avenue), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1554 (Highways (Outdoor Sub-Committee) it was

RESOLVED that recommendation (a) relating to Street Widenings—Frederick's Place—be referred to the Committee for further consideration.

- (d) **Allotments** of the 9th February, 1928.

Arising out of paragraph 1575 (c) (Allotments—East Finchley) an amendment was proposed by Councillor Briant and seconded by Councillor Pocock "that all the words after 'Commissioners' in the sixth line of recommendation (1) be deleted."

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

On being put the amendment was lost, six voting in favour (Councillors Agar, Merry, Knowlman, Pocock, Briant and Wade), and seven against (Councillors Broadbent, Wells, Bowen, Pateman, Ryan, Grocott and Pike).

(e) Education of the 13th February, 1928.

Arising out paragraph 1580 (Physically Defective Child) it was

RESOLVED that the words " for a period of three months " be added at the end thereof.

(f) General Purposes of the 14th February, 1928, with the exception of paragraphs 1607 (Playing Field opposite to North Road Council School), 1609 (Private Street Works—17th Batch) and 1611 (Land—Junction of Hendon Lane and Waverley Grove), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1598 (Railway (Road Transport) Bill, 1928), an amendment was proposed by Councillor Briant and seconded by Councillor Pateman " that the matter be referred to the Highway and Fire and Water Committee for consideration."

On being put the amendment was carried.

(g) Electricity of the 15th February, 1928.

At this juncture it was moved by Councillor Agar and seconded by Councillor Sommerfield " that a further report of the Electricity Committee of the 15th February, 1928, proposed to be considered by the Council in Committee be dealt with in open Council."

On being put, eleven voted in favour of the proposition and the Chairman declared the motion " carried."

The report in question was as follows :—

Present: Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Ryan and H. O. Syrett, and Mr. R. A. Marples.

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—It was reported that, at the last meeting of the Council, this matter had been deferred for one month and referred to the Committee for

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

further consideration and report. It was also reported that the question of the replacement of certain plant out of reserve had been approved by the Council in principle.

In accordance with instructions that the Clerk should continue the efforts made to secure sanction to the loan of £24,000, for which application was made in June, 1926, he read a letter which he had addressed to the Electricity Commissioners on the 9th February, 1928, the terms of which were endorsed by the Committee. The Clerk also intimated that he had not heard anything further from the Central Electricity Board since their letter of 23rd January, 1928 (which was placed before the Council at last meeting) wherein they stated that they were in communication with the Electricity Commissioners, and that it was anticipated that a proposal would be made to the Council very shortly.

It was further reported that, at a Conference which had taken place on the 14th instant with Counsel, he had expressed the opinion that, in connection with the question of the replacement of certain plant out of **reserve**, it was not absolutely essential that the **whole** of the amount required should now be in the reserve fund, provided that the fund would be sufficient to meet any payments which might be necessary to be made to the Contractors when due.

After full discussion it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that a sum of £10,000 be transferred forthwith from Revenue to the Reserve Fund;
- (2) that application be made to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to the borrowing of the sum of £10,580 for the replacement of old boilers by a new boiler unit of equivalent capacity, made up as follows:—

Estimated cost of boiler	...	£10,500
Loan charges, say	... ..	80
		£10,580

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (3) that the Chief Electrical Engineer be instructed to place forthwith the order for the said boiler, on the understanding that, in the event of the sanction of the Electricity Commissioners not being received to the requisite loan, the cost involved will be defrayed out of Reserve Fund;
- (4) that, as regards the question of the provision of a turbo-alternator and accessories, to replace the present inefficient plant, and of an equivalent capacity, arrangements be made, when dealing with the next annual statement of accounts, to transfer from Revenue to the Reserve Fund, at such time as it may be required, a sufficient sum to enable the cost of such replacement to be defrayed out of Reserve;
- (5) that the action of the Committee, in instructing the Clerk to communicate:—
- (a) with the Central Electricity Board, enquiring whether they are now able to give any further information on the subject mentioned in their letter of the 23rd January, 1928; and
 - (b) with the Electricity Commissioners asking for an appointment to discuss further the whole position with representatives of this Council on a date convenient to the Commissioners;

be approved.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro tempore*).

After discussion an amendment was proposed by Councillor Briant and seconded by Councillor Agar "that as regards recommendations (1), (3) and (4), the further consideration thereof be adjourned for three months."

On being put the amendment was lost, five voting in favour (Councillors Agar, Wells, Briant, Sommerfield and Wade) and ten against.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

The Chairman of the Council then decided to put to the vote each recommendation separately, with the following result :—

Recommendation (1) was adopted, eleven voting in favour ;

Recommendation (2) was adopted unanimously, subject to " £10,450 " being substituted for " £10,500," and to " contingencies £130 " being substituted for " Loan charges, say £80 " therein ;

Recommendation (3) was adopted, thirteen voting in favour and two against (Councillors Briant and Sommerfield) ;

Recommendation (4) was adopted ;

Recommendation (5) was adopted unanimously :

It was then

RESOLVED, eleven voting in favour and five against (Councillors Agar, Wells, Briant, Sommerfield and Wade), that the following recommendation be interpolated between recommendations (3) and (4) contained in the report :

" that the Chief Electrical Engineer be instructed to place forthwith an order with the Brush Electrical Engineering Co. for the turbo-alternator and accessories, at an estimated cost of £13,500."

Arising out of recommendation (5) the Chairman of the Council intimated that an appointment with the Electricity Commissioners had been fixed for Thursday, the 1st March, 1928, at 3 p.m., and he extended to Councillor Agar an invitation to be present at the meeting, which invitation was accepted.

- (h) **Finance** of the 15th February, 1928, with the exception of paragraphs 1631 (d) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Arrears of Instalments) and 1635 (Land by St. Margaret's Avenue), which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration, the latter paragraph to be considered in

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

conjunction with paragraph 1519 (b) (ii) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 6th February, 1928 and paragraph 1563 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February, 1928.

(i) **Valuation** of the 21st February, 1928.1670 **PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—**

RESOLVED that an Order in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February, 1928, amounting to £46,550 7s. 1d.

1671 **DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—**

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents :—

- (1) Certificate *re* Appointment of Mr. J. Gray as an Assistant Sanitary Inspector;
- (2) Lease to Mr. H. Taylor of land at junction of Waverley Grove and Hendon Lane;
- (3) Agreement with the London and North Eastern Railway Company with regard to erection of Direction Signs;
- (4) Conveyance from Mr. W. T. Haward of strip of land for widening Nether Street along the frontage of Elm Grange;
- (5) Conveyance from Mr. N. C. Wade of strip of land for widening Swan Lane;
- (6) Licences to Messrs. J. W. Halliwell and F. Greenwood to store carbide of calcium;
- (7) Licence to Mr. E. D. G. Harries to store petroleum spirit;
- (8) Contracts with the under-mentioned for the execution of the works or supply of commodities, etc. set opposite to their respective names :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (a) General Cartage—Mr. J. Walker;
 - (b) Cartage of Materials—Mr. J. Walker;
 - (c) Tar—Messrs. Burt Boulton & Haywood, Ltd.;
 - (d) Invicta Flux—Messrs. Thos. Hill-Jones Ltd.;
 - (e) Crushed Shingle — Herts. Gravel and Brick Works;
 - (f) Guernsey Granite Chippings—Messrs. Wm. Griffiths & Co., Ltd.;
- (9) Order on the Treasurer to pay the several amounts mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February, 1928;
- (10) Order for Certificate and Receipt therefor in connexion with loan of £3,770 from Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (11) Lease to East Finchley Allotment Holders Association, Ltd. of land already occupied by them at East Finchley;
- (12) Conveyance from Ecclesiastical Commissioners of land known as East Finchley Allotments;
- (13) Conveyance of No. 52, Summerlee Avenue to Mr. H. W. Johnson;
- (14) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mrs. Leslie to the Council *re* 11, Elmhurst Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (15) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. T. Webb to the Council *re* 23, Summerlee Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (16) Mortgages to Barclays Bank Ltd., to secure repayment of the under-mentioned sums, viz :—
- £4,651 — Street Improvements—Surface Water Drainage, etc.;

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

£3,081 made up as follows :—

£1,192—Electricity ;
 £1,267—Allotments ;
 £ 622—Public Convenience ;

- *(17) Contract with Mr. H. Potter (Mr. W. Sharp, proprietor) in regard to the erection of Pumping Station, etc.—Broughton Avenue ;
- *(18) Licence to Messrs. Lindsay Bros. *re* storage of petroleum mixture.
- *(19) Conditional Contracts with the owners for sale and purchase of Nether Court and Frith Grange Estates and land adjoining.

* See report of Council in Committee.

1672 COBLEY'S FARM—SITE OF—DICKENS' MEMORIAL.—Referring to Minute No. 1499, the Chairman of the Council reported that he had, on behalf of the Council, presented to Mr. Robin, the occupier of the premises in Queen's Avenue to which the tablet had been affixed, a sketch of Cobley's Farm, and that he had received from him a letter expressing appreciation of the gift.

1673 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1674 TOWN PLANNING—LAND BY ST. MARGARET'S AVENUE.—Paragraphs 1519 (b) (ii) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 6th February, 1928; 1563 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 8th February, 1928, and 1635 of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February, 1928, were considered ;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the said paragraphs of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report and of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report be received and adopted, except as regards item No. (4) of the former report which matter be referred to the Clerk of the Council and to the Surveyor for consideration with a view to arriving at a satisfactory solution with the owners ;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

(b) that the said paragraph of the Finance Committee's report be not adopted.

It was thereupon reported by the Surveyor that it was unlikely that the cost to the Council for road work would exceed £20;

RECOMMENDED that, in these circumstances, the Standing Orders be suspended and that no objection be raised by this Council to the expenditure on financial grounds.

1675 PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871/1926 — APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES—MESSRS. LINDSAY BROS., HIGHWOOD GARAGE, HIGH ROAD, N. 12.—Paragraph 1534 (c) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 7th February, 1928, was considered and, arising thereout, the Clerk submitted a communication, dated 14th February, 1928, from H.M. Deputy Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, as follows :—

“ I beg to refer to your letters of the 3rd and 8th instant with reference to the above, and to inform you that the duties of Local Authorities under the above Acts are confined to the giving or refusing of licences for the storage of petroleum spirit on the premises. They have no jurisdiction except as regards storage over that part of the works in which the spirit is used in a manufacturing process, the conditions there being dealt with under the Factory Acts and Regulations made under them. It is, of course, possible that a proposal may be made to use a site for storage purposes which would be unsuitable by reason of its proximity to part of the factory premises in which petroleum spirit is being used, and under those circumstances the Local Authority would appear to be within their right in refusing a licence, if they thought fit. It does not appear that they have powers to deal with the use of petroleum in manufacturing processes in the factory itself.

Major Crozier, H.M. Chief Inspector of Explosives, has seen this letter and he concurs.

In your letter of the 8th instant, you say that the view has been expressed that the use of cellulose paint spraying might create a nuisance to the occupants of adjoining residential property. This is a matter in regard to which the Factory Department have no powers.”

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that a licence in the form submitted to and now approved by the Council be granted to Messrs. Lindsay Bros. to store twelve gallons of petroleum mixture for the period ending 30th June, 1928, subject:—

- (a) to the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of the Petroleum Inspector; and
- (b) to the conditions annexed to the licence being strictly observed.

1676 PLAYING FIELD OPPOSITE TO NORTH ROAD SCHOOL.—Paragraph 1607 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 14th February, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be received and adopted.

1677 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—17th BATCH.—Paragraph 1609 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 14th February, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be received and adopted.

1678 LAND—JUNCTION OF HENDON LANE AND WAVERLEY GROVE.—Paragraph 1611 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 14th February, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be received and adopted.

1679 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ARREARS OF INSTALMENTS.—Paragraph 1631 (d) of the Finance Committee's report of the 15th February, 1928, was considered. Arising thereout the Clerk reported that as regards advance No. 324, the amount due had now been paid.

As regards advances Nos. 246 and 386 letters received from the mortgagors respectively were read;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that so far as advance No. 203 is concerned the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that as regards advance No. 246, the paragraph be not adopted but that the mortgagor be informed that the December instalment must be paid by the

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

end of March, 1928, and that on the June Quarter-day the balance of the arrears then owing must be discharged;

- (c) that as regards advance No. 386, the paragraph be not adopted but that the mortgagor be informed that the Council will accept his offer to pay the arrears in three equal monthly instalments in April, May and June, 1928.

1680 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY (CONSOLIDATION) BILL.—The Clerk reported that the petition against the above Bill, as settled by Counsel, had been lodged. He also reported as to the Council's taking the necessary steps in order to comply with the provisions of the Borough Funds Act, 1872;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to take all necessary steps in the matter.

1681 ROYAL COMMISSION ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.—A circular letter, dated 24th February, 1928, was submitted from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association hereon;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration with power to act, subject to report.

1682 FINCHLEY PLAYING FIELDS APPEAL COMMITTEE.—

- (a) The Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee reported on behalf of the above Committee, that the Finchley Rugby Football Club had arranged to play an Exhibition Match with the Barnet Rugby Football Club on Saturday, the 14th April, 1928, and that the proceeds of the Match were to be devoted to the Appeal Fund which that Committee were making for the purpose of providing additional playing fields to meet the needs of the growing population in this District. Bearing in mind the gracious support which His Royal Highness, the Duke of York, had given to the National Playing Fields Association, it was at the request of the said Committee

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that the Clerk be directed, on behalf of the Council, to invite His Royal Highness and Her Royal Highness, the Duchess, to be present at this Match and that the hope be expressed that His Royal Highness will graciously consent to "kick off" at 3 p.m. on that day;
- (2) that the drafting of the necessary invitation be left to the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and the Clerk to deal with.
- (b) It was reported that the following resolution was passed at a recent meeting of the Finchley Playing Fields Appeal Committee:—

"That the Finchley Playing Fields Appeal Committee begs to draw the attention of the Finchley Urban District Council to the demand for playing fields in the district, and to the several areas owned by the Council but temporarily allocated for allotments, and in view of the large number of vacant spots on several of these sites, begs to ask the Council to consider taking immediate action to convert them into playing fields."

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee and to the Allotments Committee respectively for consideration and report.

1683 LIGHTING—PRIVATE STREETS—COURTHOUSE ROAD.—
The Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left to him to deal with.

1684 NETHER COURT ESTATE—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—
A letter, dated 25th February, 1928, from Mr. Percy H. Chambers hereon was submitted and considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that a copy of such letter be entered on the Minutes of the Council;
- (b) that the Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to proceed on the lines suggested therein.

Annexed

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1685 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ADVANCE No. 151.—Referring to Minute No. 1512, the Clerk reported that this mortgage had now been discharged.

1686 NORTH ROAD SCHOOL—PLAYING FIELD ADJOINING.—A report of the Education Committee, dated 13th February, 1928, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

NORTH ROAD SCHOOL—PLAYING FIELD ADJOINING.—A letter has been received from the Board of Education referring to an application made by the Council to the Ministry of Health for cancellation of the unexercised sanctions of the 30th November, 1914, to loans for the purchase and the fencing of land adjoining the North Road School, and suggesting further consideration of the question of purchasing the land. It has been resolved :—

That the letter dated the 7th February, 1928, received from the Board of Education, be referred to the General Purposes Committee, with a recommendation that, provided terms satisfactory to the Council be arranged, the land in question adjoining the North Road School be purchased for use as a playing field for the children attending the Finchley public elementary schools.

D. A. A. MERRY,

Chairman.

The Chairman of the Council intimated that, in view of the recommendation of the General Purposes Committee, which had already been adopted by the Council at this Meeting, no further action was necessary at the moment ;

RECOMMENDED that the report be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration at the appropriate time.

1687 BUILDINGS—FRIERN PARK—SPECIALLOID, LTD.—PLAN No. 6370.—The Surveyor reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the plan in question be disapproved.

1688 HOUSING SCHEME, No. 4.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

15 Paternoster Row,
Cheapside,
London, E.C.4.

25th February 1928.

Dear Sir,

Nether Court - Frith Grange and
adjoining Land.

I am now in a position to inform you that after somewhat prolonged negotiations with the owners of the adjoining land consisting of 35½ acres, for which they were endeavouring to obtain £11,000.0.0. - or over £300 an acre - I have succeeded in getting them to agree to accept £7,500.0.0. or about £211 an acre.

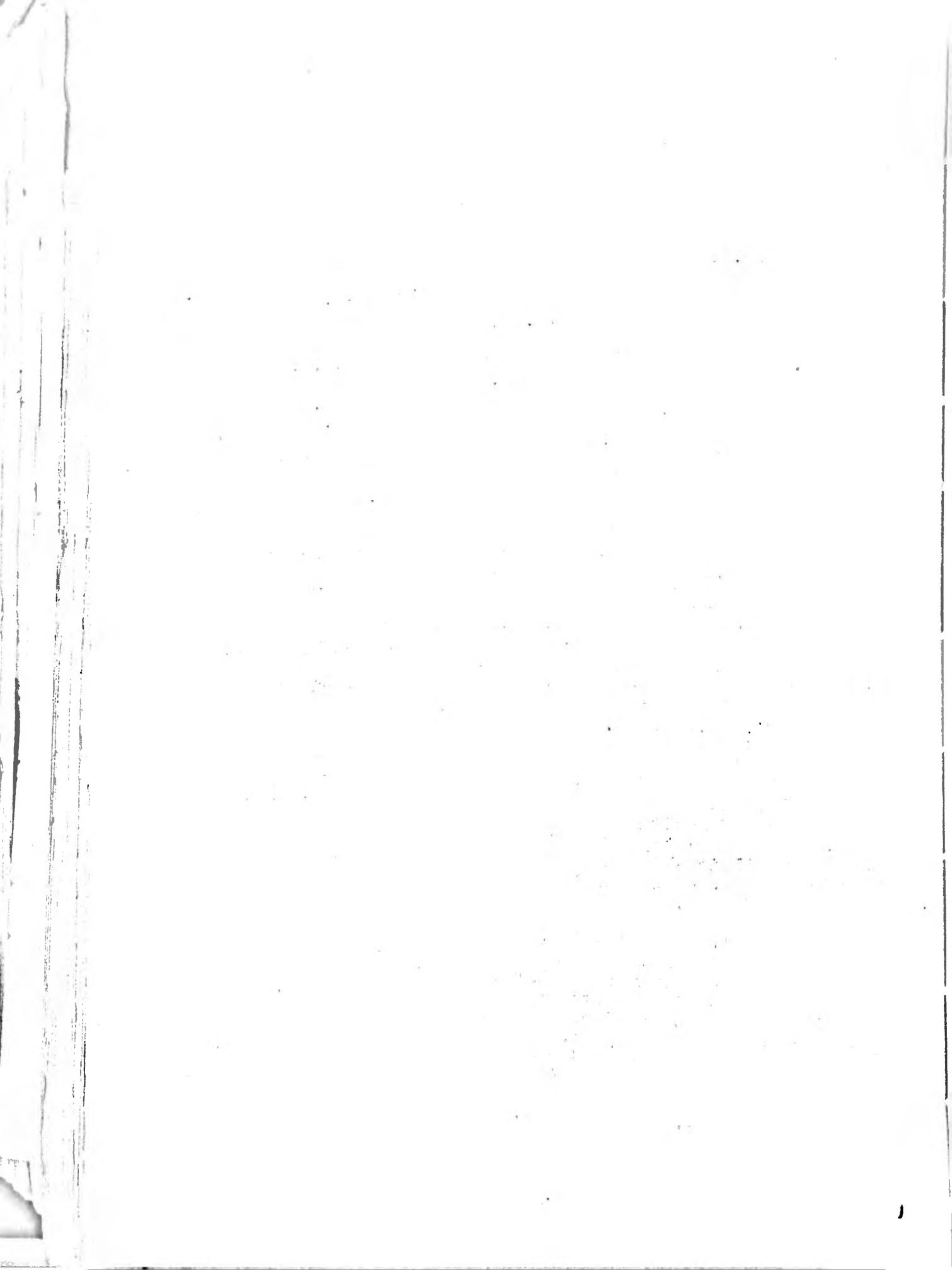
This figure of £7,500.0.0., together with the £31,000 for the purchase of the Nether Court and Frith Grange Estates, will bring the purchase money payable up to £38,500.0.0., or £1,500 within the figure of £40,000.0.0. mentioned in the Report of the Sub-Committee of the 24th November 1927, adopted by the Council at their Meeting on the 28th November.

As the Council is aware, it is only by the acquisition of these additional 35½ acres that it is possible to form a Championship Course, upon which so much depends the success of the proposed Golf Company, which is to take the Lease from the Council.

As it has been very difficult to get the owners of this additional land to agree to sell at all at the present time, and then only at the figure mentioned, as in their view by waiting they would get a greatly enhanced price, the Golf Committee consider that it is advisable that the purchase should be clinched by the Council entering into the usual conditional Contract before the Golf Committee take steps to hold their contemplated Public Meeting and circularise the District to complete the under-writing and subsequent subscription of the minimum Capital of the proposed Golf Company of £10,000.0.0.

I would submit that the Council will be fully protected by the condition in the Contract, to which the Vendors are agreeable, viz, that the Contract is conditional on the sanction of the Ministry of Health being obtained to the loan for the purchase, as the Ministry of Health would not give their sanction until the Council is able to assure the Ministry that the Council is satisfied with the responsibility of the Company which by then will have been formed.

The Golf Committee have no doubt of their ability to carry through the formation of the Company and the raising of the necessary Capital - (towards which a few members of the Committee have already under-written between £3,500 and £4,000) - as soon as they are in a position to place the matter before the general public. - especially if they are able to state that the ground has been secured by conditional contracts being entered into, - and they therefore ask that the Council will see its way to assist them for the reasons given by entering into the conditional contracts to purchase, both with Mr. Walker as well as with the



owners of the additional land, without requiring first of all, the under-writing or subscription of the Capital of the proposed Company.

While the settlement of the formal Contracts to purchase is being proceeded with, the Golf Committee will be completing their arrangements, so that when the agreements are exchanged, they can immediately thereafter put the whole scheme before the District.

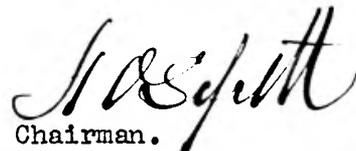
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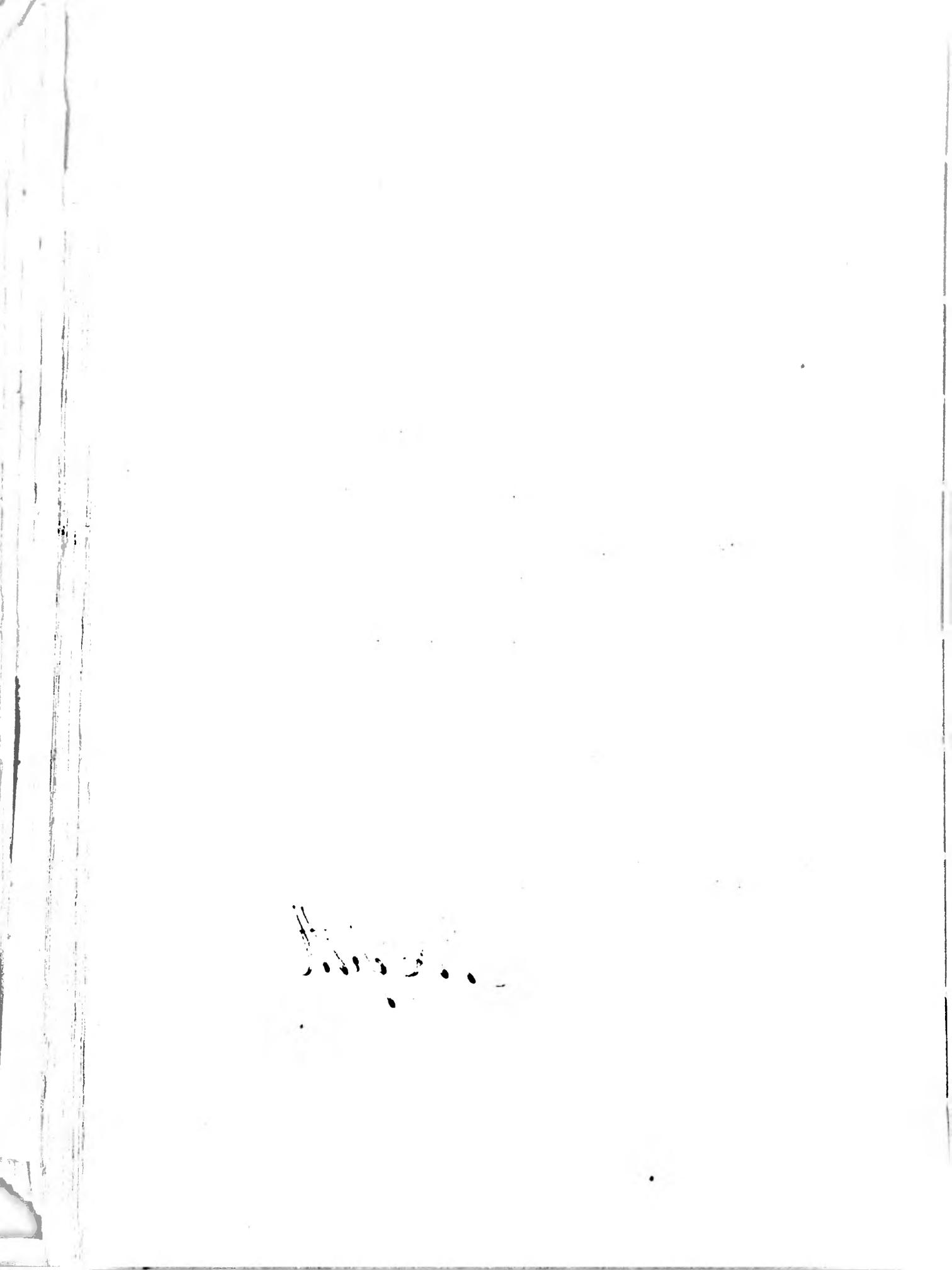
Yours faithfully,

(Signed) PERCY H. CHAMBERS.

E. H. Lister Esq.,
The Clerk to the Council,
Finchley Urban District Council,
Council Offices,
Church End,
Finchley, N.3.

This (together with the preceding page) is a copy of the letter from Mr. Percy Chambers referred to in paragraph 1684 of the Council Minutes of the 27th February 1928.


Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (a) Roof Tiles.—In accordance with the instructions of the Council, the specification embodied every possible economy with regard to the construction, for which purpose a foreign tile, which has been used widely in Housing Schemes, was specified.

My attention has been drawn to an English tile which has proved satisfactory elsewhere, but which would entail an additional cost of £6 10s. per house. Against the higher cost can be placed the advantages of slightly superior construction, greater ease in future repairs and also the employment of a British article.

I shall be glad of your instructions.

- (b) Stoves.—The scheme provides for a portable stove in the living room and a mantel register in the bedroom above. Hot water for the bath (which is on the ground floor) will be supplied from a gas copper.

I am directed to obtain instructions from the Council as to whether they would consider favourably the installation of a hot water system which provides a boiler in connection with the cooker in the living room, a radiator in the bedroom above and hot water supplies to the bath, sink and copper. The additional cost would be £19 per house, representing approximately an extra 4½d. per week in rent.

If the Council are not prepared to incur this extra expenditure with regard to all the houses, it is suggested that they might be willing to instal the system as an experiment in a small number.

I regret that it is necessary to bring these matters before the Council direct, but it is done to prevent delay in carrying out the work.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a) the purchase of English tiles be approved at the additional cost indicated and that the necessary application be made to the Ministry of Health in the matter;
- (2) that as regards (b) no action be taken in connexion with the installation of the stoves in question.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1689 TENDERS.—

- (a) Motor Fire Engine,
- (b) Motor Ambulance,
- (c) Private Street Works—18th Batch,
- (d) Erection of Pumping Station, etc.—Broughton Avenue.—

The tenders received in respect of the above were considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that as regards (a), (b) and (c) the tenders be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration;
- (2) that as regards (d) the tender of Mr. H. Potter (Mr. W. Sharp, proprietor) at the sum of £5,492 10s. 3d. be accepted, subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health being received to the necessary loan, and that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract, which be added to the list of documents for sealing.

1690 PRIVATE STREETS—STANLEY ROAD.—Reference was made to the condition of the above;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration and report.

1691 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted (Councillor Sommerfield voting against paragraph No. 1674 (Town Planning—Land by St. Margaret's Avenue) so far as regards item (5) in the report of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee of the 6th February, 1928, and Councillor Pateman against paragraph No. 1684 (Nether Court Estate—Proposed Golf Course).

H. O. Smith
Chairman.

26th March 1928.

**TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

5th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Pike (Chairman), Councillor Knowlman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wade, and Councillors Pateman and Wells (non-members).

1692 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1693 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the Committee's estimates for the ensuing year being agreed by the Council.

Annexed

1694 TOWN PLANNING.—

(a) Scheme No. 1.—

The Clerk reported that objections to the draft of the above Scheme had been received from:—

- Hampstead Garden Suburb Sports Council;
- Finchley Billposting Co., Ltd.;
- Middlesex County Council;
- Co-Partnership Tenants, Ltd.;
- Superior General, Nazareth House, East End Road;
- Messrs. Clutton, on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners. (*Re* Hampstead Garden Suburb);
- Messrs. Clutton, on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners. (Generally);
- Express Dairy Co., Ltd.;

that in accordance with the authority delegated to them by the Council, the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Committee had arranged to meet in conference representatives of the above named with a view to removing or meeting the several objections, and that in pursuance of such arrangement, interviews with three of the objectors had already taken place.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*)

(b) Scheme No. 2.—

- (i) Preliminary Statement.—The Town Planning Sub-Committee reported that they had had under consideration a second memorandum of points arising on the above received from the Ministry of Health and suggested replies thereto which had been drafted as a basis for discussion, after an interview on the subject which the Chairman of the Committee, the Clerk of the Council, and the Surveyor and the Deputy Surveyor of the Council had had with an Official of the Town Planning Department of the Ministry of Health;

Annexed . . . **RECOMMENDED** that the Council reply to the further observations as indicated in the copy memorandum circulated herewith.

(ii) Schools.—

RECOMMENDED that at the draft stage of the Scheme the sites of the under-mentioned Schools which under the Preliminary Statement are included in the areas earmarked for residential purposes, be severally scheduled for "educational or residential" purposes, viz :—

Squires Lane Elementary School;

Higher Elementary School, Great North Road;

Elementary School, Great North Road.

- (iii) Suggested Inclusion of Built-up Area.—A letter was submitted from the Clerk of the Friern Barnet Urban District Council pointing out that the exclusion from the above Scheme of the built-up area to the south and north of Friern Lane and the south of Oakleigh Road (bounded on the west by the Great North Road, on the north and east by the Friern Barnet Urban District boundary, and on the south partly by Green Road) would preclude dealing with the very narrow entrances of Friern Lane and Oakleigh Road under the Town Planning Act, and asking that this Council would re-consider the question of the inclusion of this area in the Scheme, with a view to dealing with

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,
6TH MARCH, 1928.

REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE. (Not yet approved.)

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"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.	Item No.	RECREATION GROUND.			
1	1	Wages.	54	0	0
2	2	20" motor mower.	60	0	0
3	4	Maintenance of mowers.	5	0	0
4	8	50 lockers - Bowling Green Pavilion.	25	10	0
5		Coat hooks and seats Do.	12	0	0
6		Lighting. Do.	33	0	0
7	9	2 tennis nets.	5	0	0
8		4 bushels. lime; 36/7fts 1½" x 2" batten.		12	0
9	12	Fencing.	50	0	0
10	14	Uniform for Superintendent.	5	0	0
11	17	6 seats.	26	0	0
12		12 folding chairs.	6	0	0
13		Repairs to chairs.	2	0	0

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		<u>CHERRY TREE WOOD.</u>			
14	21	Wages.	24	0	0
15	22	6 seats.	26	0	0
16	24	Surface water drainage.	345	0	0
17	27	Uniform.	5	0	0
18	27a.	Putting Green .	400	0	0
		<u>Arden Playing Field</u>	10	0	0
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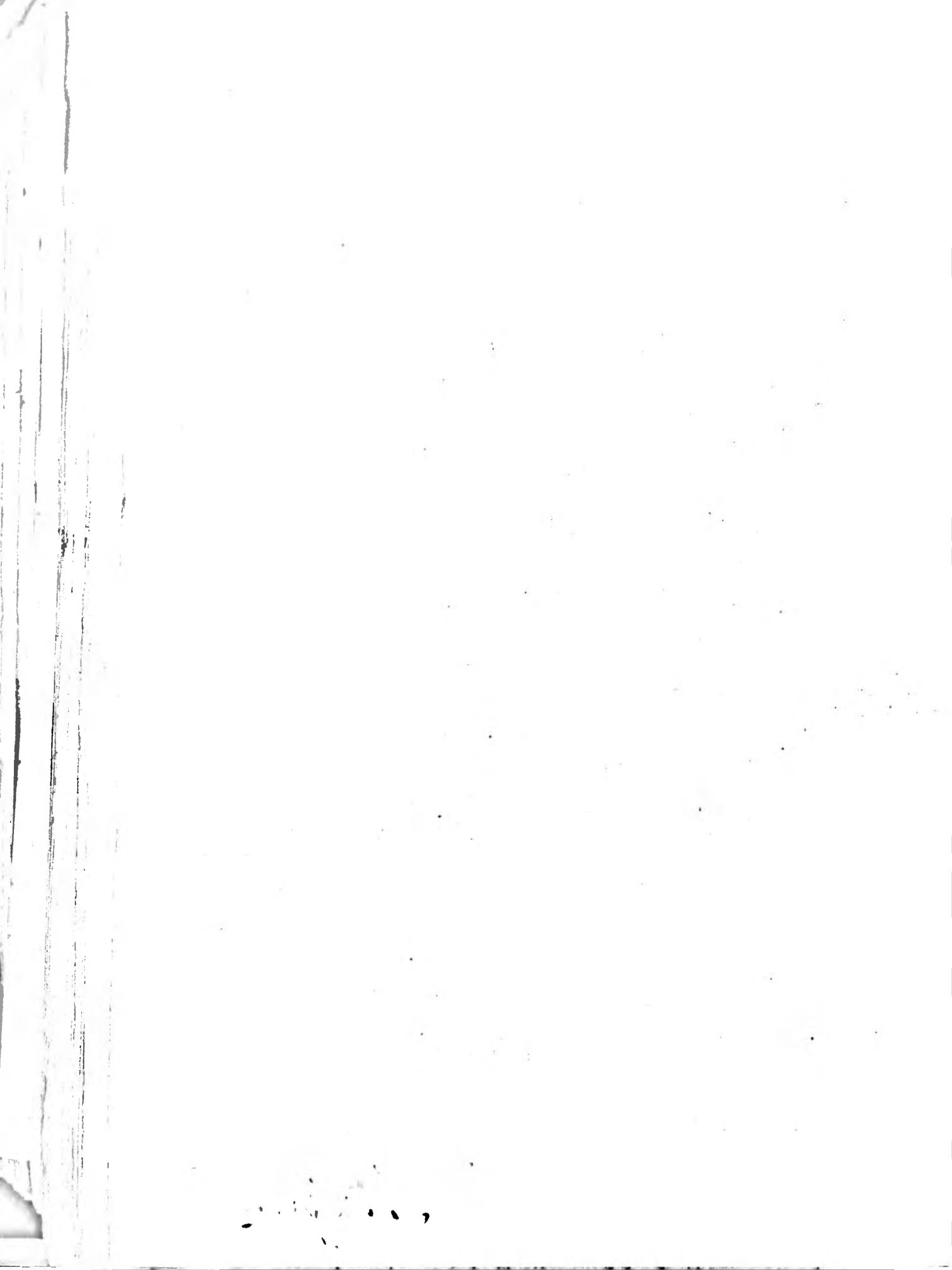
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1693 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 5th March 1928.

A. S. Pitt
Chairman.



FINCHLEY TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 3.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT.

Second Memorandum of Points Arising on the Preliminary Statement
of Proposals for Development.

(The numbers of the paragraphs correspond with the numbers in the first Memorandum.)

Ministry's Observations.

Council's Reply.

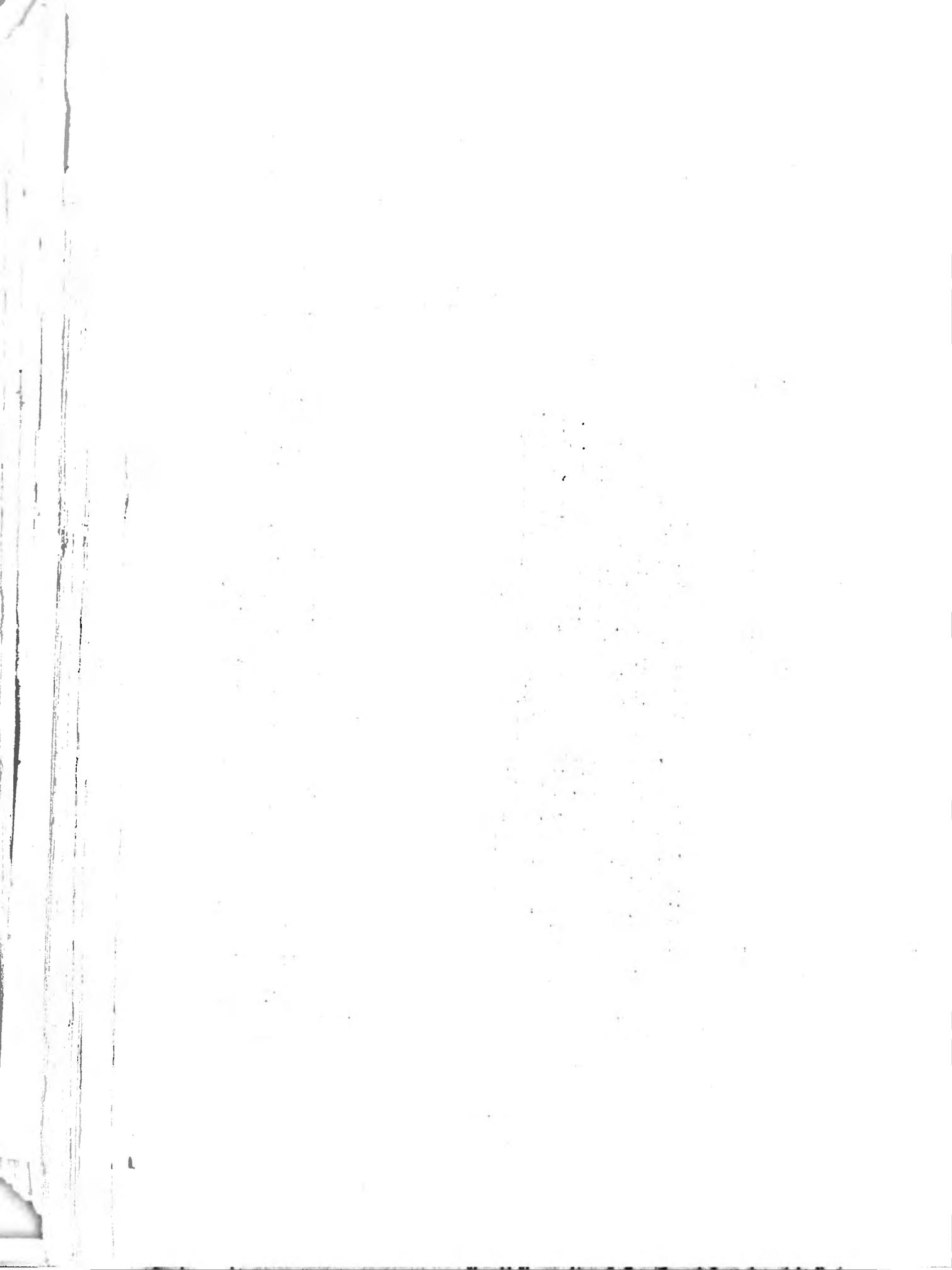
1. Area of Scheme.

The Minister is not at present satisfied that he can properly include the land in the South-west of the area and possibly other land in the west of the area in the Scheme in view of the Council's reply to the first memorandum. He would be glad to be supplied with a plan showing roughly the buildings erected in the south-western portion of the area (i.e. south of the Great Northern Railway Line, Edgware Branch and West of Regents Park Road) since the date of the Council's resolution to prepare the Scheme and also the buildings similarly erected on the land coloured yellow and grey (hatched blue) in the western portion of the area.

As regards the Cottage Hospital land it appeared to the Minister that this land was so situated with regard to undeveloped land that it might fairly be included in the Scheme. He appreciates the Council's wish to govern similar large curtilages in the south-western portion of the area but he does not think that they can properly be included unless they can be shown to be so

A rough sketch plan is forwarded herewith. The question was fully discussed with the Ministry's representative at the interview on the 1st March, 1933 when the Council's views were placed before him. The Council regret the Minister's apparent lack of sympathy towards those views. It will be observed however, that the Council propose to make provision for extending Cyprus Gardens through into Hend Avenue as shown on the said plan. It is hoped that the Minister will approve of the proposal as a natural development of the area question.

The Council note the Minister's observations and await his final decision arising out of the plan previously referred to.



Ministry's Observations.

Council's Reply.

situated with reference to an undeveloped area that they ought to be included (or that the land is in fact in course of re-development,) and it was in order to enable him to judge as to this that he wished to know the development that has taken place in that locality subsequent to the inception of the scheme, as such land would of course for the purposes of the scheme be treated as undeveloped land.

2. Streets.

Street No. 5. (Dollis Lane.) The Minister would be glad to be supplied with a plan showing the widening of this street and the building line on it.

Street No. 5. (New street from Woodhouse Rd, to Ballards Lane.) It appears to the Minister that the land bordering this street is essentially part and parcel of the developed portion of Finchley and that it cannot be fairly included in the scheme for the undeveloped area.

Street No. 7. (New street between Wentworth Avenue and Essex Park.) The Minister would be glad to be informed of the result of the Council's negotiations as regards this street. The Minister notes the Council's observations as regards this street and streets 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 20. The Council no doubt realise that the inclusion of these streets in a scheme for which the Council are responsible will render them liable for any claims for compensation on the making of the scheme and that it is for them, if they so wish, to safe-guard themselves in this respect by collateral agreements on the subject with the County Council.

Plan herewith.

The Council note the Minister's offer with regret. In their view the property on either side of the proposed road should be included in the scheme.

Street No. 7. As regards this street negotiations have taken place and as a result thereof the street will be swung a little to the east to give building depth between the street and the railway, as suggested by the Minister.

Streets 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14. The Council will negotiate and endeavor to obtain collateral agreements with the County Council. The Council do not however, approve the widening of No. 20 (Gravel Hall) to the extent proposed by the Minister and adhere to their previous suggestion of 40 ft. These matters can no doubt be dealt with in the future.

Ministry's Observations.

Council's Reply.

Street No. 8. (Wickliffe Avenue.) The Minister would be glad to be supplied with a plan showing the exact site of this street and the proposed building lines on it.

Streets Nos. 10, 11, 12, 14, 20 and Woodhouse Road. The Minister notes the Council's observations as regards the possible additional widening of these roads. He hopes that the Council will give their careful consideration to the possibility of increasing the width of street No. 20 during the preparation of the scheme.

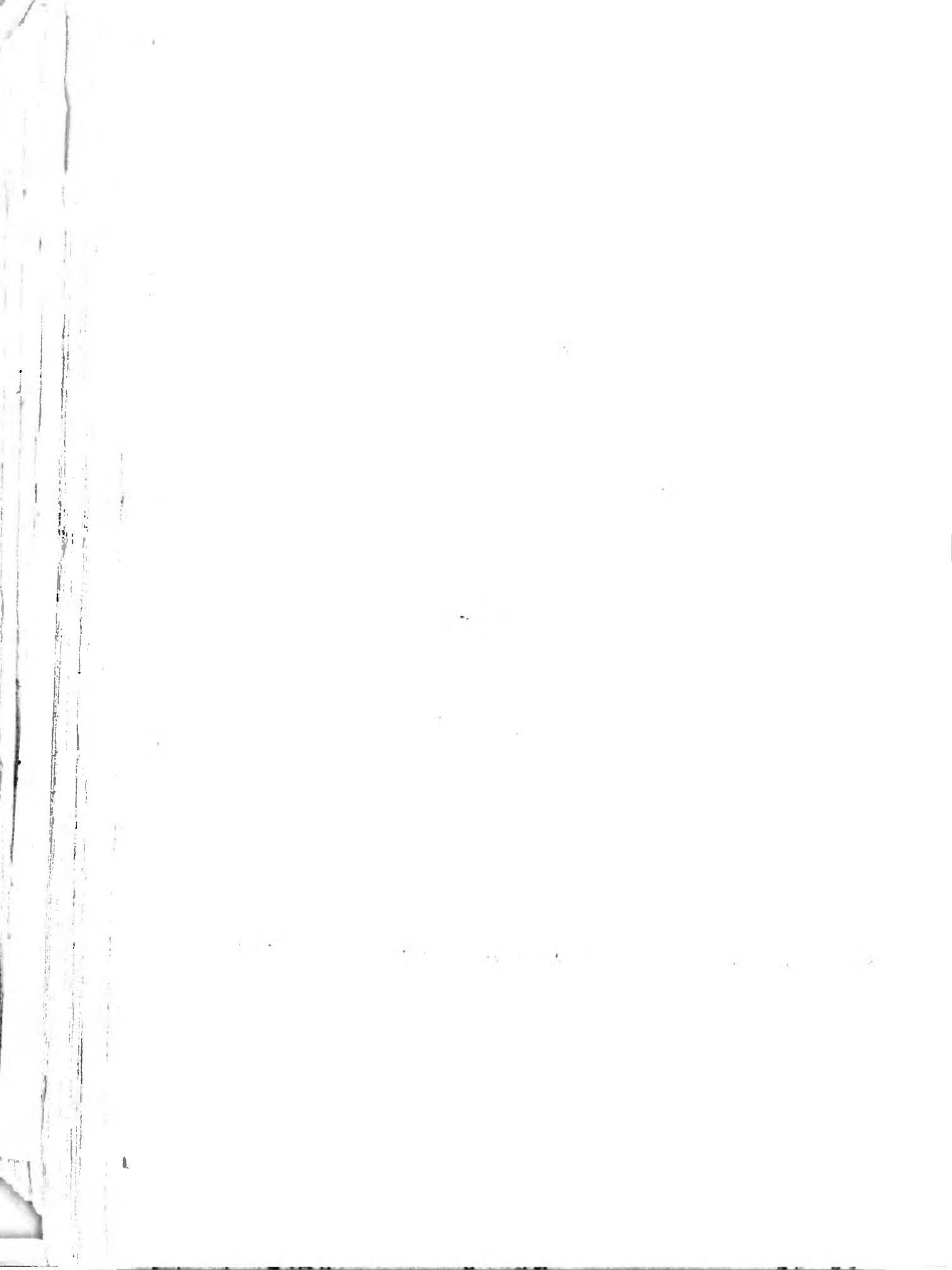
89 Street No. 13. (Totteridge Lane.) The Minister will be glad to be informed of the result of the consultation with the Barnet Urban District Council and the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee. He has since received the Preliminary ^{Statement} of the Barnet Urban District Council, which includes provision for a road starting southwards from Totteridge Lane just outside Finchley boundary which may possibly be intended as the recommended by-pass. This would involve the widening of Totteridge Lane in the Scheme.

at the draft Scheme stage, by which it is hoped the negotiations will have concluded.

Plan herewith showing existing boundaries. As pointed out at the interview, it is intended that the footpath on this street should be in substitution for the footpath running along the northern boundary of Kensit College which it is proposed to

See Council's reply above.

The Minister's suggestion has been placed before the Barnet Urban District Council and the North Middlesex Joint Town Planning Committee. The former has made provision for a by-pass road between the village of Totteridge and the Great North Road in outside this Council's boundary. At the interview with the Ministry's representative above mentioned it was pointed out that the Barnet Council is also proposing another road alongside the Dollis Brook on the western side of the Finchley boundary running into the district of Hendon. This would not involve the widening of any of Totteridge Lane in the Finchley area. The Council will, however, endeavour to widen Totteridge Lane to the width originally proposed.



Ministry's observations.

Council's reply.

Street 18. (Church Lane.) In view of the Council's remarks the Minister would propose to retain this street but would not if it be possible to reduce the width somewhat and so limit the interference with existing buildings near the junction with the Great North Road to the appropriation of curtilages, except for the building on the corner.

The Council adhere to their original proposal but will bear the Minister's suggestion in mind as regards widening at the junction of Church Lane with the Great North Road.

Street 22. (Wether Street.) It is noted that the Council will supply a plan of the proposed widening of this street.

Plan herewith.

3. Character of Buildings.

Messrs. Pope and Sons Land.

As regards the land of Messrs. H. Pope and Sons, the Minister does not see how control can be retained if the land cannot be kept in the residential area. As already pointed out the Minister does not think that the land can be fairly be zoned otherwise as industrial, if the Council cannot obtain an agreement with Messrs. Pope and Sons on the lines indicated by him in his first memorandum. He gathers, however, from the communication from Messrs. Emden, Egan and Company to the Council of the 11th January (a copy of which has been sent to the Minister) that an agreement has not been reached between the Council and Messrs. Pope and Sons in the matter and that the latter press for the land being zoned as industrial. In the circumstances the Minister feels that he cannot refuse to accede and to include it in an industrial zone corresponding to the similar zone in the approved Preliminary Statement for Scheme No. 1.

The Council ask that this area be retained for the time being and are arranging an interview with the owners immediately to discuss the matter on the lines suggested to the Ministry.

Frontages to the Great North Road and Regents Park Road, including

~~Donkey Lane~~ Bellairs Lane

The Minister appreciates the Council's wish to treat the frontages to these roads on the same lines as those suggested in regard to shopping centres in Addison Way in Town Planning Scheme No. 1. He wishes to point out, however, that the frontages concerned are not comparable from this point of view and that in endeavouring to provide

The Council submit that their proposals would appear to meet the position. Undoubtedly some of the frontages are residential in character and in several instances are of

Minister's Observations

Council's reply.

for the concentration of shopping areas regard must be had to the value of the land for shopping purposes and the possible detriment in preventing the realisation of that value. The Minister would have been glad had it been possible to support the Council in their endeavour to limit shopping to particular sections of these roads had not the evidence indicated that the effect must be to involve injurious affection of existing shopping values. The Minister would not be justified in approving zoning proposals which would involve material injury to the owners of the land concerned and in view of the evidence as to value he feels that he must press for the frontages being included in the shopping zone.

6. Space about Buildings.

The Minister notes that the Council agree with his suggestion. The Minister, however, suggested two alternatives and he would be glad to know which the Council prefer.

7. Open Spaces - Squires Lane. The Minister notes that the Council communicate with him further as regards the suggested re-arrangement of this open space.

Glebe Land. The Minister notes the Council's remarks as regards the allocation of this land. He would be glad to know whether he correctly understands that the Council desire that the whole of the land not so allocated should be reserved as a public open space and playing fields with the exception of the land coloured purple on plan No. 3877 dated 16.1.47. (the Minister does not appear to have plan No. 3302) and the surplus land at Summers Lane. If it is desired to preserve a short length of frontage to Summers Lane for purposes of access, the Minister would be glad to have a plan showing where the access is desired.

by covenant. The Council's proposal is to schedule them as residential shops by consent. This consent will not be withheld where it was clearly shown that the frontage should be allowed to be developed for shop purposes. There would also be an appeal to the Minister of Health. The Council therefore submit that they reasonably ask that their original proposal should stand.

The Council desire to adopt the first of the two alternatives referred to in the Minister's observations.

The Council will negotiate with the Council to the strips of land referred to and it is suggested that the matter be left over to the draft scheme stage.

The Council's desire is in accordance with the statement contained in the Minister's observation.

A duplicate copy of plan No. 6302 is forwarded herewith.

Ministry's observation.

Council's reply.

Doris Brock.

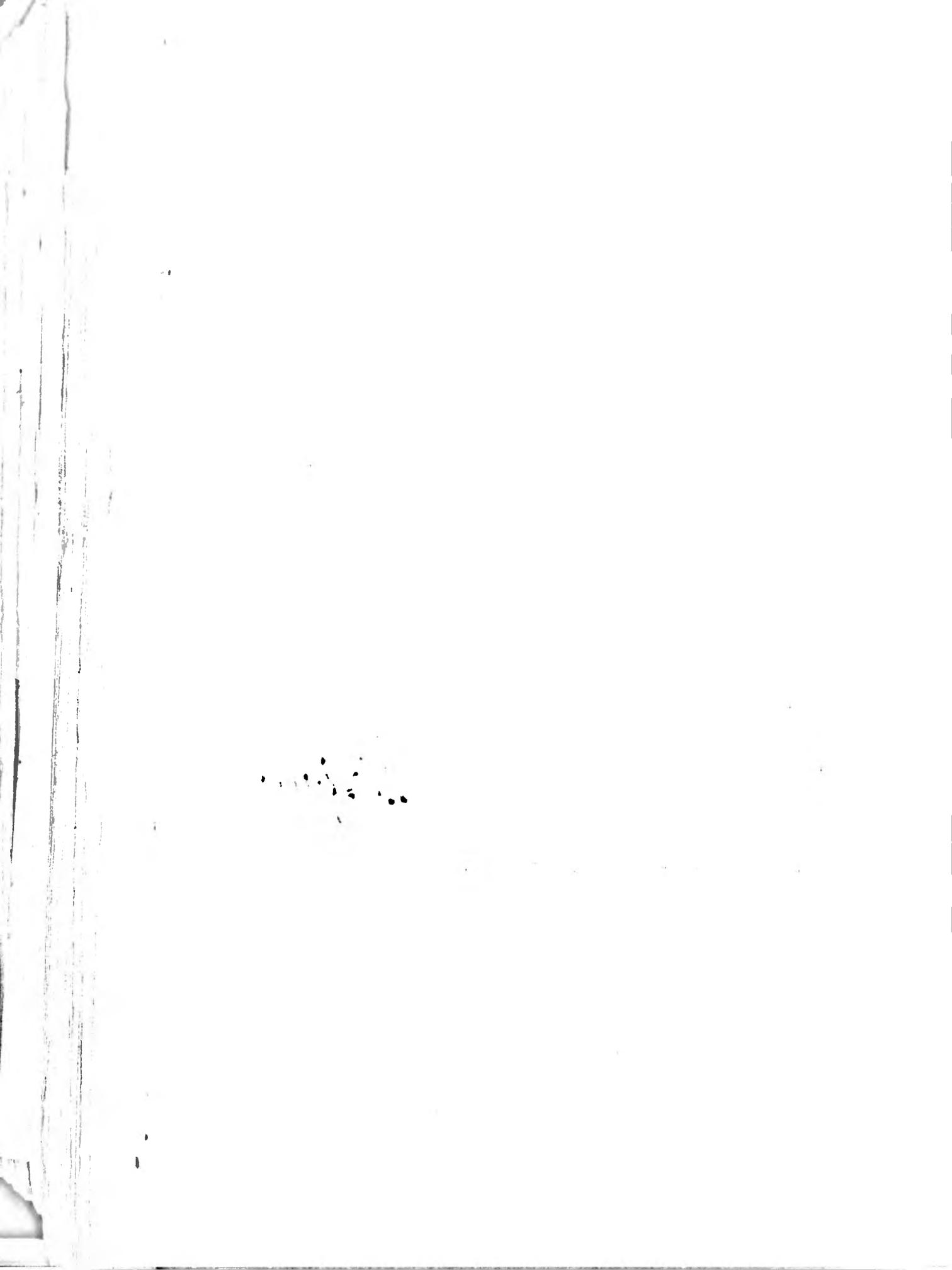
The Minister notes that the matter has been taken up with the Hendon Urban District Council and presumes that any additional proposals will be included in the draft scheme if they have not been settled in time for inclusion in the approved Preliminary Statement.

This matter has been taken up with the Hendon Urban District Council and with the Barnet Urban District Council. Any additional proposals will be included in the draft scheme.

Ministry of Health,
8th February, 1928.

This (together with the five preceding pages) is the copy memorandum referred to in paragraph 1694 (b) (1) of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's report of the 5th March 1928.

W. A. Gifford
Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

the widening of Friern Lane on the lines suggested by the Regional Town Planning Committee;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that the Council regret they cannot see their way to accede to such request, as it is their intention to deal with the entrances to the streets in question at the opportune time under Street Improvement Schemes.

- (c) Barnet Urban District Council's Town Planning Scheme.—Referring to paragraph 1519 (c) of the Committee's last report, the Clerk intimated that in company with the Surveyor and the Deputy Surveyor he had attended the Public Inquiry at Barnet on the 23rd February, 1928; that the several points which they had been instructed to raise were duly laid before the Inspector, and assurances given that provision would be made in the Scheme for (a) Brookside Walk; (b) Bye-Pass Road as an alternative to the widening of Totteridge Lane; and (c) the scheduling, as open space, of such portion of the Brook Farm Estate as is within the District of Barnet;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1695 FINCHLEY PLAYING FIELDS APPEAL COMMITTEE.—A resolution passed at a recent meeting of the above which had been referred to this Committee by the Council was considered, but it was decided to await the observations of the Allotments Committee before making any recommendation with regard thereto.

1696 OPEN SPACES.—

(1) Victoria Recreation Ground.—

- (a) Proposed Public Convenience.—It was arranged that a meeting of the Committee should be held in the Victoria Recreation Ground on Saturday, the 10th March, 1928, to consider the site for the proposed public convenience.

(b) Tennis Courts.—

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement made last year whereby six of the eighteen courts in the

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

Recreation Ground were set aside for letting to local private Clubs be adopted for the forthcoming season, on similar terms.

(c) Superintendent—Extra payment.—

RECOMMENDED that the Superintendent of the Recreation Ground be paid £1 a week extra during the bowls, putting and tennis season under the same arrangements as were in force last year.

(2) Cherry Tree Wood.—

(a) Attendant—Extra payment.—

RECOMMENDED that E. Phillips, attendant at Cherry Tree Wood, be paid an extra 15/- a week during the forthcoming summer season, under the same arrangements as were in force last year.

(b) Sub-Station.—The reference from the Council hereon was considered;

RECOMMENDED that arrangements be made to place portable seats in the verandah of the Sub-Station.

(c) Pavilion.—The Surveyor reported that the actual cost of erecting the above was £244 as against his estimate of £250.

1697 ALLOTMENTS—KAY'S LAND.—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the Pointalls and District Allotments Society, Ltd., expressing the hope that the Council did not intend to deprive the allotment holders of the above land, which they had cultivated for some years past;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be instructed to state in reply that the Council regret that they cannot give any such assurance and to explain the Council's position in the matter.

1698 TEMPORARY BUILDINGS.—

(a) Plan No. 4351.—Refreshment Stall—High Road, Whetstone—formerly W. R. Collins, now R. Payne.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

- (b) Plan No. 4538.—Green-grocer's Store—Corner of Fortis Green—S. H. Wits.
- (c) Plan No. 4590.—Refreshment Stall—Great North Road opposite to Squires Lane—A. T. Uffindell.
- (d) Refreshment Stall—Corner of Great North Road and Summers Lane—A. Beadle.

It was reported that the licences in respect of the above-mentioned temporary buildings would expire on the 1st April, 1928;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that such licences be renewed for the period ending 1st October, 1928, and that the matter be then reviewed by this Committee;
- (b) that as regards (d), the Licensee be granted for the aforesaid period the tenancy of the site of the refreshment stall at a rental at the rate of £13 per annum exclusive of all rates, taxes and other outgoings.

1699 PLAN NO. 173T—SPORTS PAVILION—CHURCH PATH, WHETSTONE—H. E. HYDE.—The Surveyor reported that the above temporary building, which the Council had approved as a sports pavilion, was being used for domestic purposes, but that (with the exception of ventilation of bedrooms) the structure complied with the requirements of the Council's Bye-Laws relating to new streets and buildings;

RECOMMENDED that in these circumstances no objection be raised to the building being used for domestic purposes, subject

- (i) to vents being fixed in each of the two bedrooms;
- (ii) to the owner entering into an agreement to be prepared by the Clerk preserving the existing conditions whilst the present use of the building continues.

1700 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective instruction Books, be approved.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (*continued*).

1701 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

(i) General.—

Annexed . **RECOMMENDED** that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6142	Conservatory	25, Summerlee Avenue	Mr. W. F. Hauser.
6373	One house	High Road, Whetstone	Mr. C. Elgar.
6377	W.C.	Onley Lodge, Prospect Place	Mrs. Pritchard.
6378	Garage	Fursby House, Nether Street	Mr. C. J. Walker.
6379	Alterations and additions	3, High St., N. 12.	Messrs. J. Bright (Outfitters), Ltd.
6380	Garage	63, Birley Road	Messrs. A. J. Harris and Sons.
6381	Garage	Ilfra Lodge, Great North Road, East Finchley	Mr. W. A. Foyle.
6382	*Three shops	Ballards Lane near Tally Ho!	Mr. A. Dowdall.
6383	Garage	81, Lyndhurst Gardens	Mr. F. J. Fletcher.
6385	Extension of existing garage	The Firs, 25, Manor View, Squires Lane	Mr. L. Edwards.
6387	Garage with room over	Clairville, Great North Road, East Finchley	Mr. D. A. Thomson.
6388	One house	The Bishop's Avenue	Mr. C. Spencer.
6389	†Shed	14, New Oak Road	Mr. R. E. Pavey.

* Subject to the approval of the Highways Committee.

† Subject to the owner's covenanting to pull down and remove the building if and when called upon so to do by the Council.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

5TH MARCH, 1928.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 14 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	2
GARAGES	13
MISCELLANEOUS.	6
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	1

6370
2. 2. 28. Foundry, Pattern and Wheelwright's Shops and Open Shed.
Specialloid, Limited.
Friern Park.
The Committee will remember that this plan was disapproved at the last Council meeting and I will report further thereon at your meeting.

6373
3. 2. 28. One house.
High Road, Whetstone.
Mr. C. Elgar.
This plan, which was disapproved at your last meeting has been re-submitted with an amended block plan shewing the house set back in line with the adjoining house, ("White Gables",) namely, 43 feet back from the main road, and I recommend that it BE APPROVED.

6377
7. 2. 28. W.C.
Only Lodge, Prospect Place.
Mrs. Pritchard.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

6378
10. 2. 28. Garage.
Fursby House, Nether Street.
Mr. C. J. Walker.
This plan shows a proposal to erect a garage in the front garden of Fursby House. The plan is in accordance with the byelaws and the building will be set back 2 feet behind the adjacent new houses in Nether Street.

6380.
11. 2 28. Garage.
63, Birley Road.
Messrs. A. J. Harris & Sons.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6381. Garage.
16. 2. 28. Ilira Lodge, Great North Road, East Finchley.
Mr. W. A. Boyle.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6383 Garage.
21. 2. 28. 81, Lyndhurst Gardens,
Mr. F. J. Fletcher. ✓
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6384. Motor lorry shed and lean-to shed.
21. 2. 28. Park Farm, East Finchley.
Mr. T. A. Vivers.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.

- 6385 Extension of existing garage.
28. 2. 28. "The Pirs", 25, Manor View, Squires Lane. ✓
Mr. L. Edwards.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6386. 9 garages.
22. 2. 28. Adjoining 112, Grove Road.
Mr. H. Rawles.
This plan is in accordance with the byelaws,
but the site is scheduled under Town
Planning Scheme No.2, for dwelling houses
at 12 to the acre.

- 6388 One house.
25. 2. 28. The Bishops Avenue.
Mr. C. Spencer.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

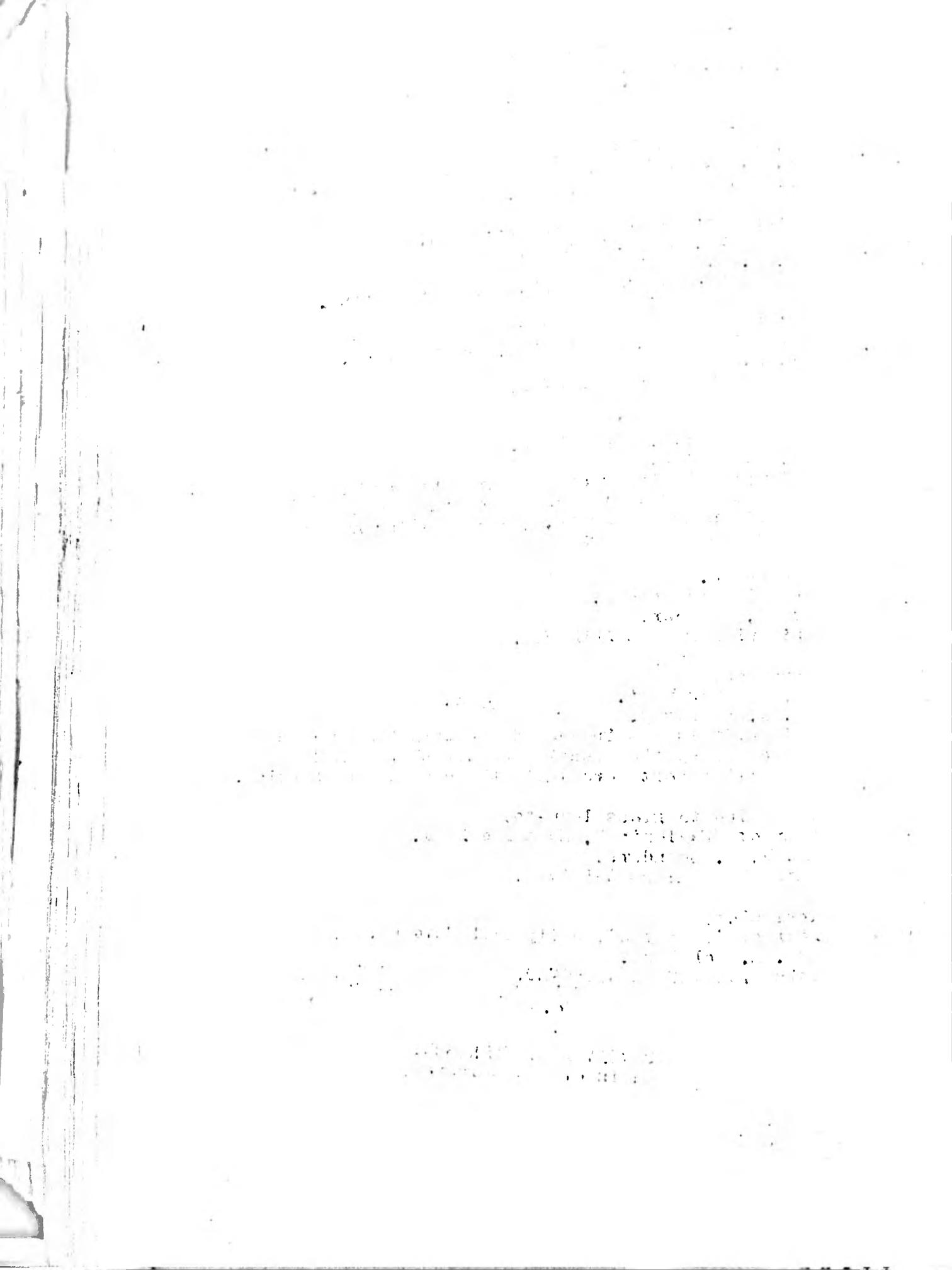
- 6389 Workshop.
25. 2. 28. 14, New Oak Road.
Mr. R. E. Pavey.
This plan is not in accordance with the byelaws
covering the erection of workshops and I
will report more fully thereon at your meeting.

- 6390 Extension to glass lean-to.
25. 2. 28. Rear of "Wayfaring", East End Road.
Mr. R. A. Saunders.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6391 Tool shed.
25. 2. 28. Rear of "Tremayne", Holly Park Gardens.
Mrs. L. Folglase.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

29TH FEBRUARY, 1928.



TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE,

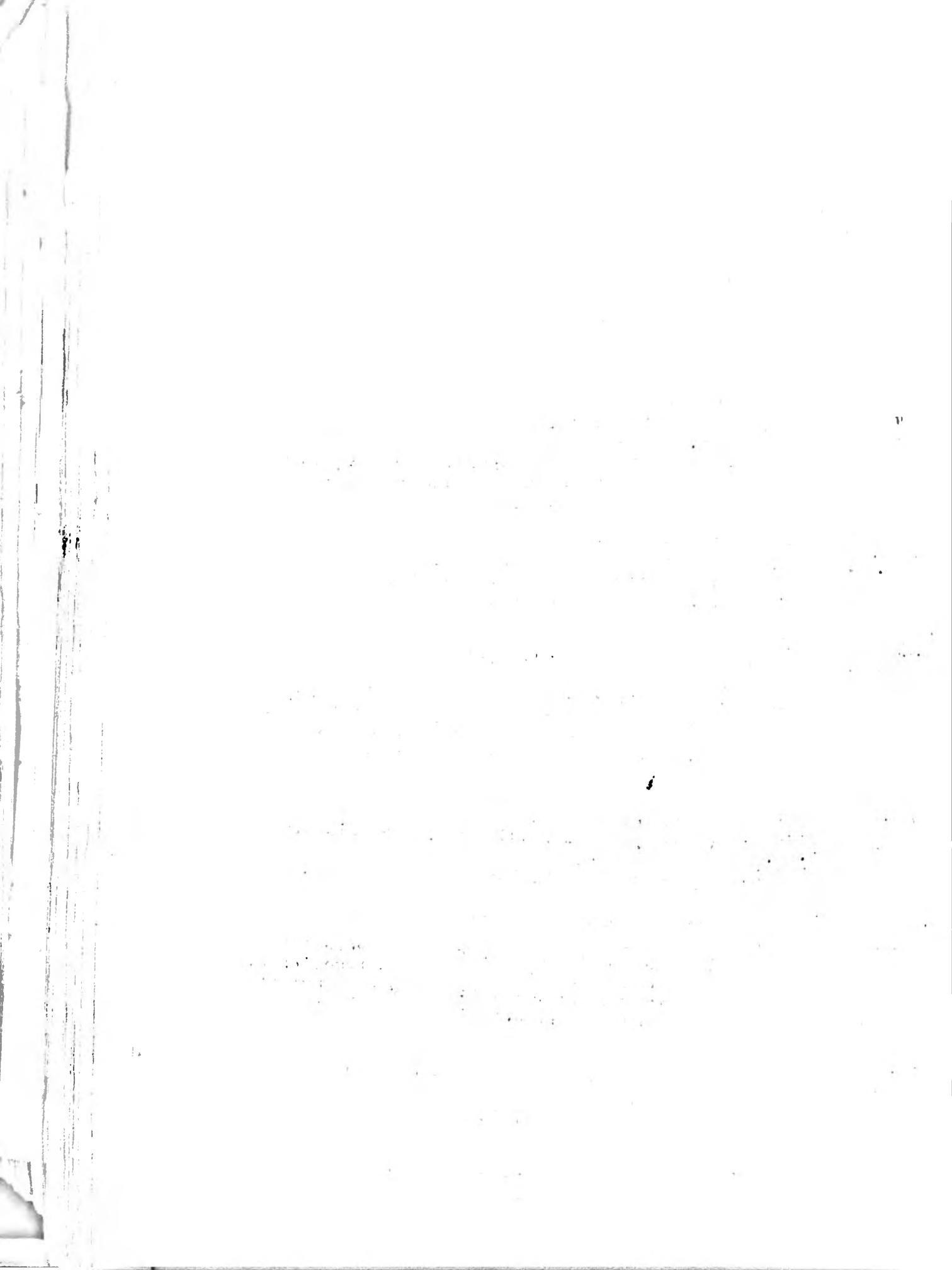
5TH MARCH, 1928.

SURVEYOR'S ADDENDUM PLANS REPORT.

Since my last report 13 sets of plans have been received representing:-

HOUSES	5
GARAGES	4
SHOPS	3
MISCELLANEOUS	3
NEW ROADS	2

- 6142
29.2.28. Conservatory.
25, Summerlee Avenue.
Mr. W. F. Hauser.
This plan, which was disapproved in May, 1927, has now been amended in accordance with the byelaws and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6379
15.2.28. Alterations and additions.
3, High Street North Finchley.
Messrs. J. Bright (Outfitters) Ltd.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6382
21.2.28. 3 shops.
Ballards Lane near Tally Ho!
Mr. A. Dowdall.
This plan is in accordance with the byelaws, but the sanction of the Highways Committee will have to be obtained for the placing of an inspection chamber cover on the public highway.
- 6387
24.2.28. Garage with room over.
"Clairville", Great North Road, East Finchley.
Mr. D. A. Thomson.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6392
28.2.28. Extension of Westbury Road.
Lord Westbury.
This plan is in order as far as the sewers are concerned, but the proposed construction of the carriageway and footway is not such as the Council could approve.
- 6393
29.2.28. House and studio.
North Square, Hampstead Garden Suburb.
Mr. F. Taylor.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6394
1. 3.28. One house.
South Crescent. (Kimbolton Estate)
Messrs. Rainbird & Scarfe.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



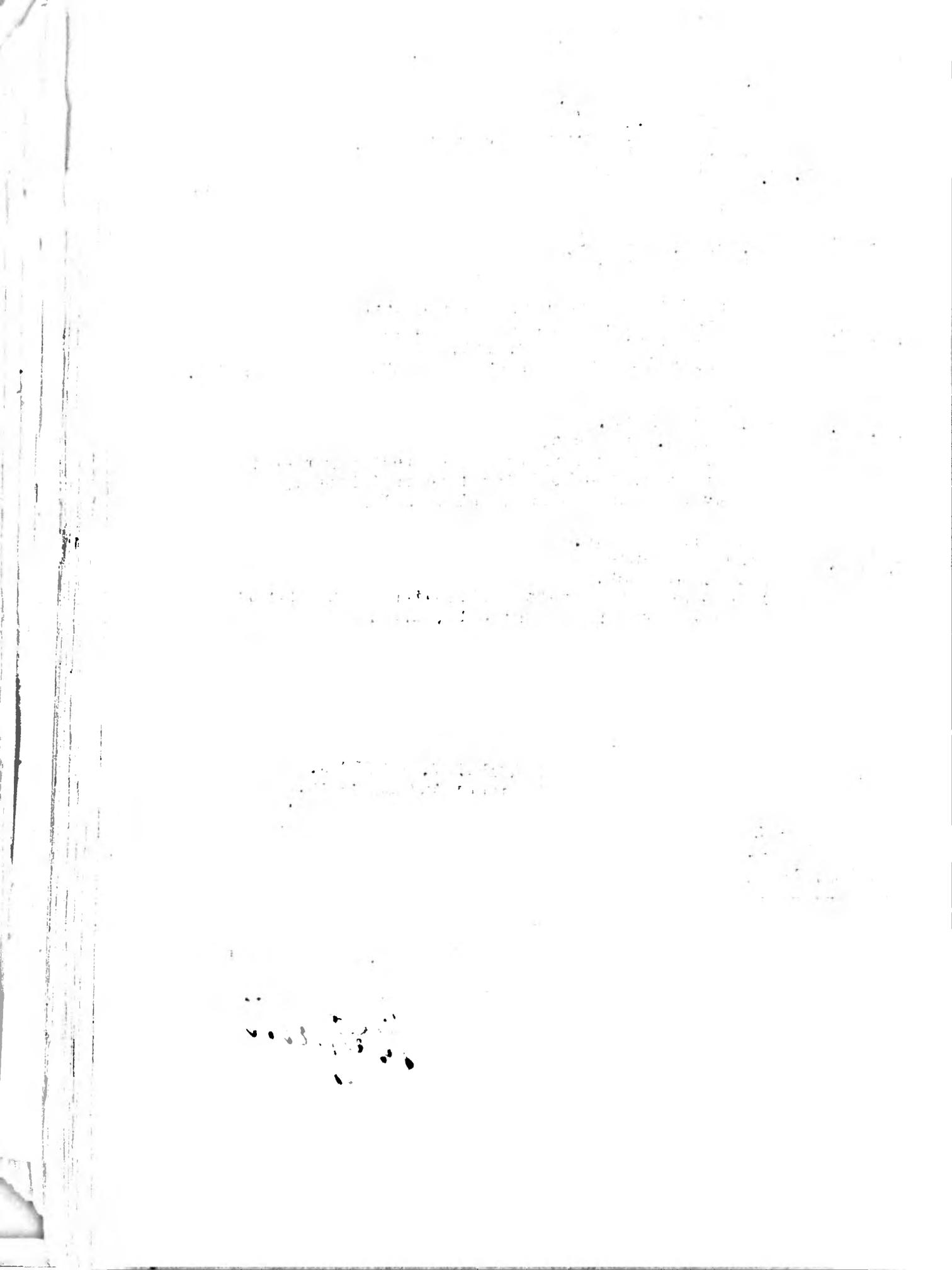
- 6395
2. 3. 28. Garage.
The Bishops Avenue.
Mrs. Birtwistle. ✓
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6397
1. 3. 28. Garage.
Rear of shops Nos. 3 & 5, Lodge Lane. ✓
Mr. A. Fowler.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6398
2. 3. 28. 3 houses.
Woodlands Avenue. ✓
Mr. B. J. Herbert.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6399
2. 3. 28. New road to be known as Station Hill.
Hampstead Garden Suburb, near Deans Way. ✓
Co-Partnership Tenants, Ltd.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6400
5. 3. 28. Garage.
44, Arden Road.
Miss E. S. Hatchett.
This plan shews a proposal to erect a garage in
front of the building line in Salisbury
Avenue and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 864T.
17. 2. 28. Builders' Office.
Arcadia Avenue. ✓
Mr. D. W. Beck.
I recommend that this application be granted for
a period ending 2nd July, 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

5TH MARCH, 1928.

This (together with the three preceding pages)
is the report of the Surveyor referred to in paragraph
1701 of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee's
report of the 5th March 1928.


Chairman.



TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6390	Extension of glass lean-to	Rear of Wayfaring, East End Road	Mr. R. A. Saunders.
✓ 6391	Tool shed	Rear of Tremayne, Holly Park Gardens	Mrs. L. Polglase.
✓ 6392	*Extension of Westbury Road		Lord Westbury.
✓ 6393	House and studio	North Square, Hampstead Garden Suburb	Mr. F. Taylor.
✓ 6394	One house	South Crescent (Kimbolton Estate)	Messrs. Rainbird and Scarfe.
✓ 6395	Garage	The Bishop's Avenue	Mrs. Birtwistle.
✓ 6398	Three houses	Woodlands Avenue	Mr. B. J. Herbert.
6401	†Garage	Corner of Nether Street and Hillcourt Avenue	Messrs. Barrett and Co.

* Approved so far only as the storm water sewers are concerned, and referred to Highways Committee.

† Subject to owners' entering into Agreement to pull down and remove the building when called upon so to do by the Council.

(ii) Temporary Building.—

No. of Plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Licence to expire on.	Applicant.
864r	Builder's office	Arcadia Avenue	*2/7/28	Mr. D. W. Beck.

* And such further period (if any) as the Council may subsequently approve.

TOWN PLANNING & OPEN SPACES (continued).

(b) Disapproved.—

RESOLVED that, in accordance with the authority delegated to us by the Council, the under-mentioned plans be **DISAPPROVED** for the reasons stated by the Surveyor in his report :—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
6370	Foundry, Pattern and Wheelwright's Shops and Open Shed	Friern Park	Specialloid, Ltd.
6384	Motor lorry shed and lean-to shed	Park Farm, East Finchley	Mr. T. A. Vivers.
6386	Nine garages	Adjoining 112, Grove Road	Mr. H. Rawles.
6397	Garage	Rear of shops Nos. 3 and 5, Lodge Lane	Mr. A. Fowler.
6399	New road to be known as Station Hill	Hampstead Garden Suburb, near Deans Way	Co-Partnership Tenants, Ltd.
6400	Garage	44, Arden Road	Miss E. S. Hatchett.

A. T. PIKE,

Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

6th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillor Briant (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Bowen, Ryan, Pike, and H. O. Syrett.

1702 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1703 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the Committee's estimates for the ensuing year being agreed by the Council.

Annexed.

1704 MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the four weeks ended 25th February, 1928, was submitted and approved.—Arising thereout it was

*Annexed***RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that the tender of the London Incorporated Press, Ltd. (the lowest) at 6s. 2d. a page for printing and supplying 150 copies of the Medical Officer's Report for 1927 be accepted;
- (b) that the cost of the printing be allocated *pro rata* between the Committees concerned.

1705 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—This Officer's report was submitted. Arising thereout:—

Annexed . .

- (a) Milk (Special Designations) Order, 1923.—The Inspector reported upon a sample of designated milk which had been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination.
- (b) Unsound Food.—The Inspector submitted details of diseased or unsound meat which had been destroyed since last meeting.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

(c) Petroleum Acts, 1871 to 1926—Applications for Licences.
—The Inspector reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED that licences for the period ending 30th June, 1928, be granted to the under-mentioned applicants to store such quantities of petroleum spirit and/or carbide of calcium as are respectively set opposite to their names in the schedule hereunder printed, subject to the conditions mentioned in the report of the Inspector and also to the conditions contained in the Council's licences respectively being strictly observed :—

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH. MARCH. 1928.

REQUISITIONS - 1ST. APRIL TO 30TH. MAY. 1928. UNCONSUMED.

No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated amt. of		Amt. of Req.			
		cost.	Est.	already passed.			
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>							
<u>PREVENTION OF</u>							
<u>Disinfecting Station.</u>							
1.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.				
2.	$\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. bran.	5.	6.	53.			
3.	14 lbs. linseed.	4.	0.				
4.	2 gallons methylated spirit.	9.	4.	80.			
5.	$\frac{1}{2}$ dozen globes.	3.	3.				
		<u>1.12. 1.</u>					

ESTIMATE 1927/28.

PREVENTION OF DISEASE.

Disinfecting Station.

83.	4 shoes for mare.	10.	0.				
84.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ton oats.	5.	10.	0.	52.		55. 6. 0.
85.	$\frac{1}{2}$ load hay.	2.	10.	0.			
86.	6 boxes Sunlight soap.	7.	6.				
87.	1 dozen mantles.	2.	0.		80.		56.17. 0.
		<u>9. 0. 3.</u>					

General.

88.	$\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. dog biscuits.	14.	6.	20.			4.19. 1.
89.	1 gallon liquid formalin.	10.	6.	35.			24. 0. 6.
		<u>1. 5. 0.</u>					

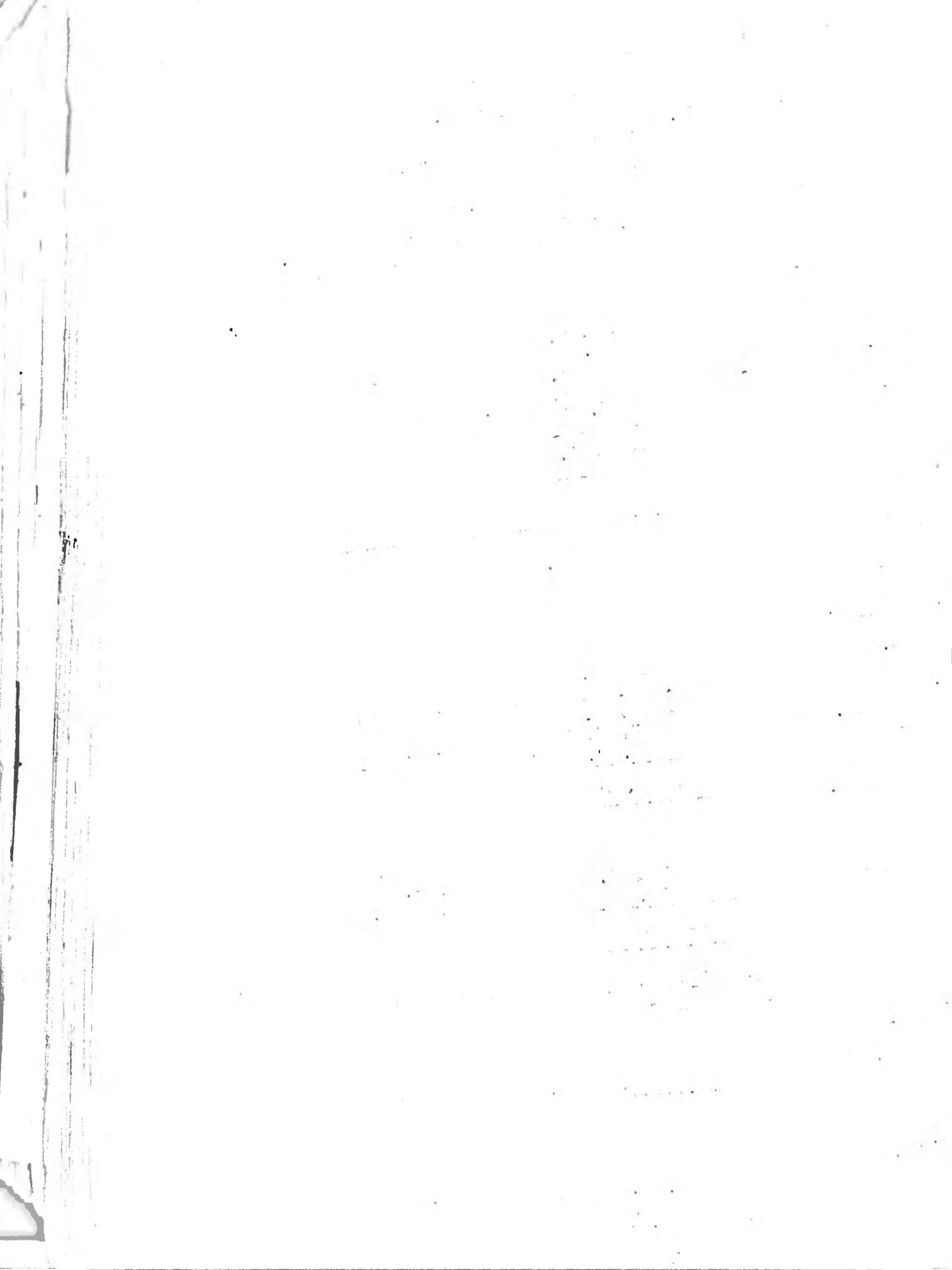
THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

Disinfecting Station.

90.	Now cone for boiler.	8.	6.	25.			38.17. 6.
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General.

91.	Examination of 2 samples of pasteurised milk.	10.	0.	15.			5. 0. 10.
92.	Bacteriological reports.	10.	6.				
		<u>1. 0. 6.</u>					



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH MEETING, 1928.

JANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

RESOLUTION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE (Not yet approved)

3743 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

Seq. No.	Item No.				
20	1	1 ton carbolic powder.	6	17	6
21	2	FLUSHING - team labour.	30	0	0
22	4	Do. - wages.	25	0	0
23	5	TESTING AND SANITARY WORKS - wages.	50	0	0
24	6	Repairs to sewers.	50	0	0
	9	<u>SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS.</u>			
25		Wages.	54	0	0
26		260 gals. petroleum.	8	2	6
27		5 gals. engine oil.		16	3
28		$\frac{1}{2}$ ton anthracite.	1	14	6
	10	<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>			
29		Wages.	95	0	0

£ 321 10 9

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND MARCH, 1928.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH MARCH, 1928.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

REVISION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE (Not yet approved)

5205 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.	Item No.				
30	1	Wages.	360	0	0
31	2	3 tons coke.	4	17	6
32		2 " house coal.	3	13	0
33	3	Horse hire.	10	0	0
34	7	1 set guide balls for sprinkler centre) column.	1	12	6
35		9 wire strainers.	7	10	0
36		4 - 31'4" lengths 3½" W.I. tubing.	3	4	0
37		16 lengths flat bar iron ½" to 2½" x ½".	1	18	0
38		60 ft. each ¾" and ½", and 40 ft. ⅝" gas barrel.	17	6	0
39		1 cwt. ceilingite, 3 lbs. size powder.	180	0	0
40	17	Compressed air main.			

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
 Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND MARCH, 1928.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH MARCH, 1928.

PUBLIC BATHS.

REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE (Not yet approved)

1244 0 0

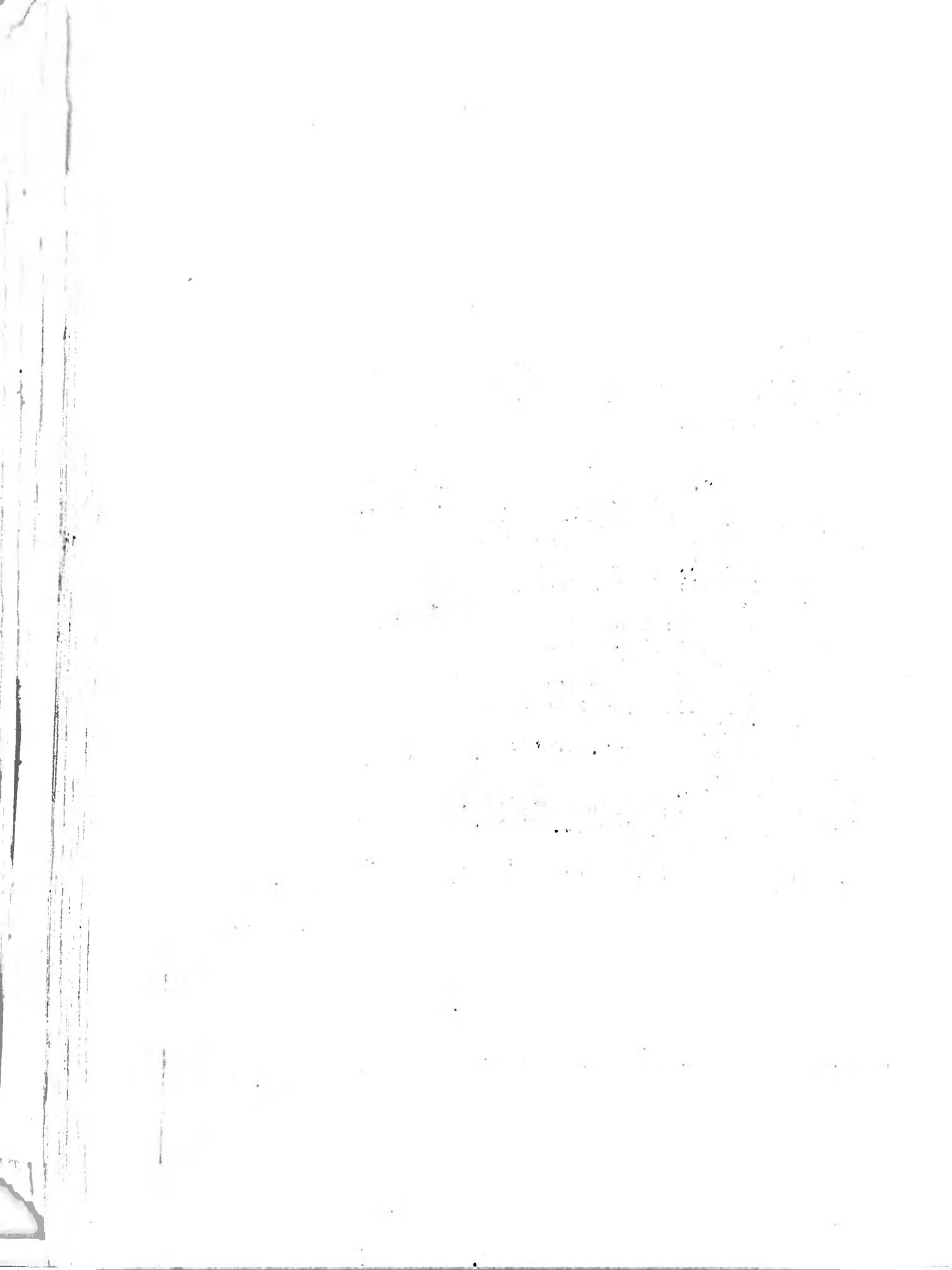
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Req. No.	Item No.				
41	1	Wages.	100	0	0
42	2	10 tons coke.	16	5	0
43	5	26 doz. Turkish towels (interwoven)	41	0	0
44		6 doz. boys' bathing slips	2	13	6
45		5 " men's, ladies' and children's bathing costumes.	8	0	0
46		2 cwt. chloride of lime	1	14	0
47		3 " soda ash.	1	10	0
48		2 " soap tablets.	5	5	6
49		1 " each Yellow and Carbolic soap.	3	6	0
50		1 " soda; 6 mop heads; 2 hair brooms;			
51		3 hard deck scrubbers; 6 hand scrubbers)			
52		2 gals. disinfectant; 2 gals. engine oil			
53		2 gals. paraffin oil; 3 prs. men's golcshes.)	6	15	2
54		1 doz. electric lamps; 2 small pails;)			
55		1 pr. hand bellows; hack saw & 12 blades			
56		3 double ended spanners; 2 box spanners)			
57		1-10" screw driver; 1 pair pliers;)			
58		2 - 10" and 2 - 6" files; 6 file handles			
59		1 plane and chisel.)			
60	6	5 sets motor brushes; 4 doz. rubber and fibre washers,)	2	15	9
61		2 doz. brass springs.)			
62		1 doz. belt fasteners; 6 fuse carriers.	8	0	0
63		3 lengths coco matting; 200 ft. 1/2" rope.	2	9	0
64		6' x 3' rubber sheeting.)			
65		10 yds. cab tyre flex; 10 yds. cotton flex.)	11	10	0

£ 192 13 9

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



P I N C H L E Y U R B A N D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L .

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH MARCH, 1928.

REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.

REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESCALATE (Not yet approved).

7731 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

Req. Item
No. No.

REFUSE COLLECTION.

66	1	Contract - April.	483	16	8
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REFUSE DISPOSAL.

67	2	Wages.	156	0	0
68	5	60 ft. 1" rubber hose.	2	11	3
69		40 gals. lubricating oil.	7	10	0
70		42 " boiler fluid.	5	15	6
71		4 boiler suits with hoods.	2	6	0
72		12 - 60 watt electric lamps.	1	4	0
73		12 - 40 " Do.	1	4	0
74		2 - ½ pint Kayes oil feeders.	6	0	0
75		4 sheets asbestos jointing material	6	6	0
76		7 lbs. graphite jointing.	14	0	0
77		10 lbs. flaked graphite	1	5	0
78		1 oil filter.	7	8	6
79	6	Tin baler (½ cost)	250	0	0

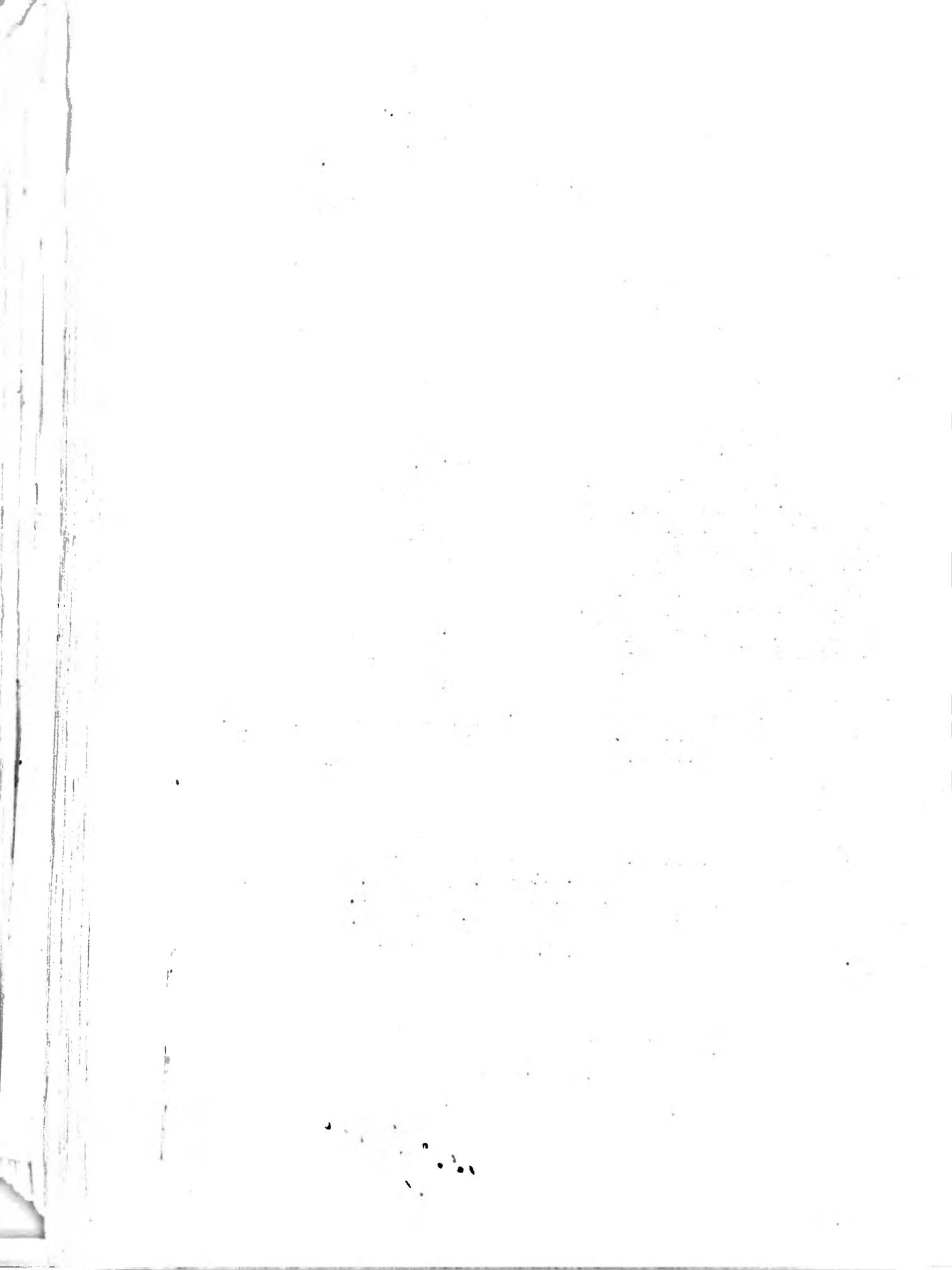
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND MARCH, 1928.

These (together with the four preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1703 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

M. J. J. J.
Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - GEN. MARCH, 1928.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the four weeks
ended the 25th. February, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the Public Health Committee. 3, The Hawthorns,
Finchley, N.6.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen, 2nd. March, 1928.
I beg to report as follows:-

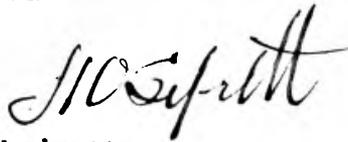
	Population census - 1921 - 46,716.			1922.	1927.
	N.	E.	W.		
<u>1. DEATHS.</u>					
Number	9	9	9	27	36
Infants under one yr.....	-	-	-	-	1
Infectious Disease	-	-	-	-	1
<u>2. BIRTHS.</u>					
Number notified under the Notification Births Act...	15	24	11	50	43
<u>3. INFECTIOUS DISEASE.</u>					
Number of cases notified ...	8	14	3	25	28
Scarlet Fever	2	3	1	6	12
Diphtheria	2	4	2	3	5
Erysipelas	1	-	-	1	3
Influenzal Pneumonia ...	-	1	-	1	2
Pneumonia (Other forms).	2	6	-	3	5
Puerperal Pyrexia	1	-	-	1	2
Ophthalmia Neonatorum...	-	-	-	-	1
Encephalitis Lethargica.	-	-	-	-	1
<u>4. TUBERCULOSIS.</u>					
Pulmonary cases	-	-	-	-	4
Non-Pulmonary cases	-	-	1	1	-
<u>5. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL.</u>					
Number in hospital on the 3rd. February				15	18
Number admitted				16	9
Number discharged				12	12
Number of deaths				1	-
Number in hospital on the 2nd. March				16	15
<u>6. PRINTING OF ANNUAL REPORT.</u>					

I shall submit estimates at your meeting.

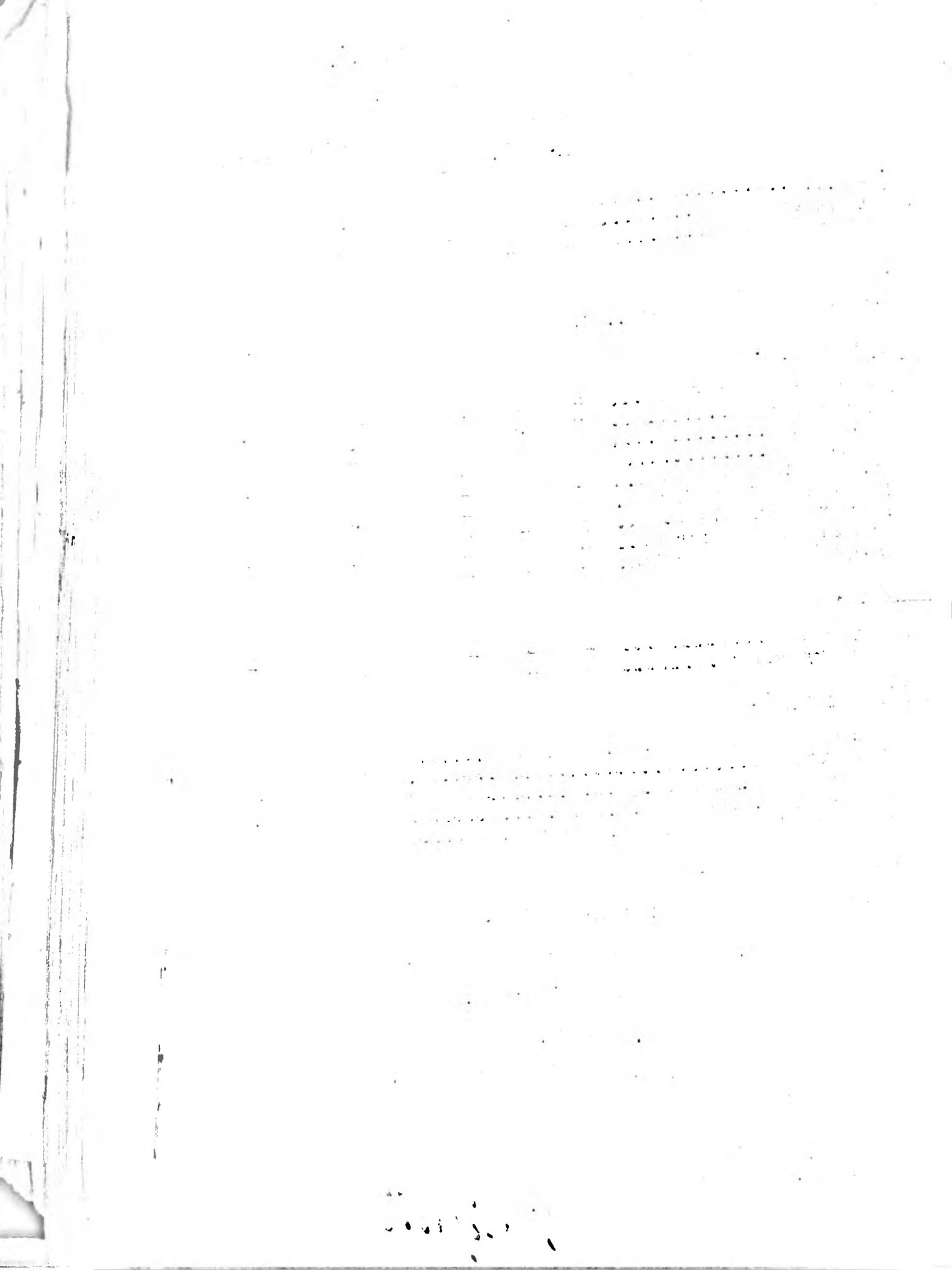
I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

This is the report of the Medical Officer referred to in paragraph 1704 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

Your obedient servant,
A. TURNER.
Medical Officer of Health.



Chairman.



PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE - 6TH MARCH, 1928.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Offices,
3, The Mansions,
N.3.

2nd March, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Public Health Committee.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) RENT & MORTGAGE INTEREST RESTRICTIONS ACTS 1920 & 1923.

11a, Woodhouse Parade, High Road, N.12.

An application for a certificate to the effect that the above house is not in good and tenantable repair has been received from the tenant, Mr. E.W. Holland. The premises have been inspected and a schedule of the repairs which should be carried out has been sent to the owner.

(2) MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) ORDER, 1923.

The following sample of designated milk has been taken and submitted to the Counties Public Health Laboratories for bacteriological examination:-

Date. 1st February, 1928.

Sample. 1 pint of Certified Milk taken from the A.I & Dollis Dairies, Ltd., 5, Cornwall Parade, N.3.

Bacteriologists' Report.

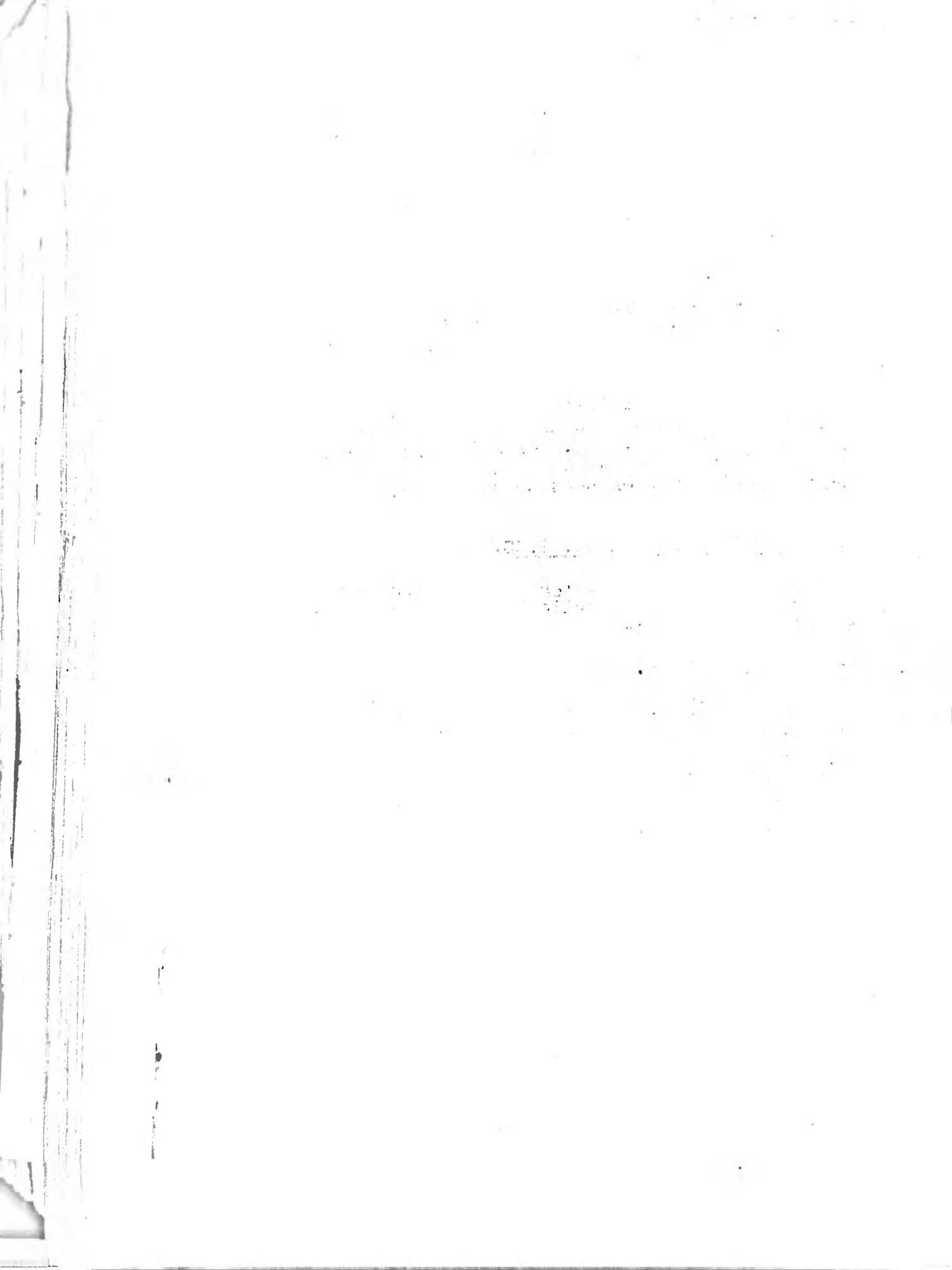
This sample conforms to the bacterial standards required of Certified Milk.

(3) UNSOOUND FOOD.

The following diseased or unsound meat has been destroyed since your last meeting:-

Bovines.

2 Heads and Tongues.	(Tuberculosis)
5 Sets of Lungs.	"
3 Livers.	"
1 Mesentery.	"
2 Skirts.	"
9 Livers.	(Other Diseases)
1 Set of Lungs.	"
16 lbs. Trimmings.	"



Swine.

14 Carcases and offal.	(Tuberculosis)
1 Side of Pork.	"
20 Heads.	"
10 Plucks.	"
4 Sets of Lungs.	"
1 Liver.	"
39 Mesenterios.	"
11 Spleens.	"
3 Plucks.	(Other Diseases)
48 Sets of Lungs.	"
26 Livers.	"
14 Hearts.	"
1 Mesentery.	"
3 Kidneys.	"
1 Leg of Pork.	"

Sheep.

16 lbs. Mutton.	(Other diseases)
3 Plucks.	"

(4) PETROLEUM ACTS, 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.

- (a) Benjamin Branford Jillings and Charles William Brown
t.a. Jillings and Co., Brookside, Great North Road, N.12.

2000 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

The applicants desire to keep 2000 gallons of petroleum spirit in four underground storage tanks connected to four petroleum supply pumps.

The whole of the installation is on the applicants' private premises and is shown on plan No.1182 submitted.

This application may be granted subject to the following conditions, namely:-

- (1) that the proposed bulk installation be constructed in the manner shown on the plan No.1182 submitted by the applicants and that the installation including the pumps, fittings, pipe lines, etc. and all works incidental thereto be subject to the approval of your petroleum inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit.
 - (2) that the conditions annexed to the Council's licence be strictly observed.
- (b) Charles Vincent Betts, Breakspere Service Garages,
west side of High Road, N.20, immediately north of
the house known as St. Margarets.

3500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.
50 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins

These premises have been previously licensed by the Council for the keeping of 2500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk and 50 gallons of petroleum spirit in

two gallon tins. The applicant desires, however, to increase the amount of petroleum spirit kept in bulk by 1000 gallons and for that purpose to install an additional underground storage tank and a petrol supply pump. The whole of the bulk installation which is on the applicant's private premises is shown on the plans Nos. 62A and 65 submitted.

This application may be granted subject to the following conditions, namely:-

- (1) that the proposed bulk installation be constructed in the manner shown on the plans Nos. 62A and 65 submitted by the applicant and that the installation including the pumps, fittings, pipe lines, etc. and all works incidental thereto be subject to the approval of your petroleum inspector before being covered up or hidden from view or used to store petroleum spirit.
 - (2) that the conditions annexed to your Council's licence be strictly observed.
- (c) William Charles Durant, New Garage, north side of Totteridge Lane, Whetstone, N.20.

80 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins.

The applicant desires to keep 80 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins placed in metal storage tanks situated in a small enclosed open space at the west side of the garage.

This application may be granted subject to the following conditions, namely:-

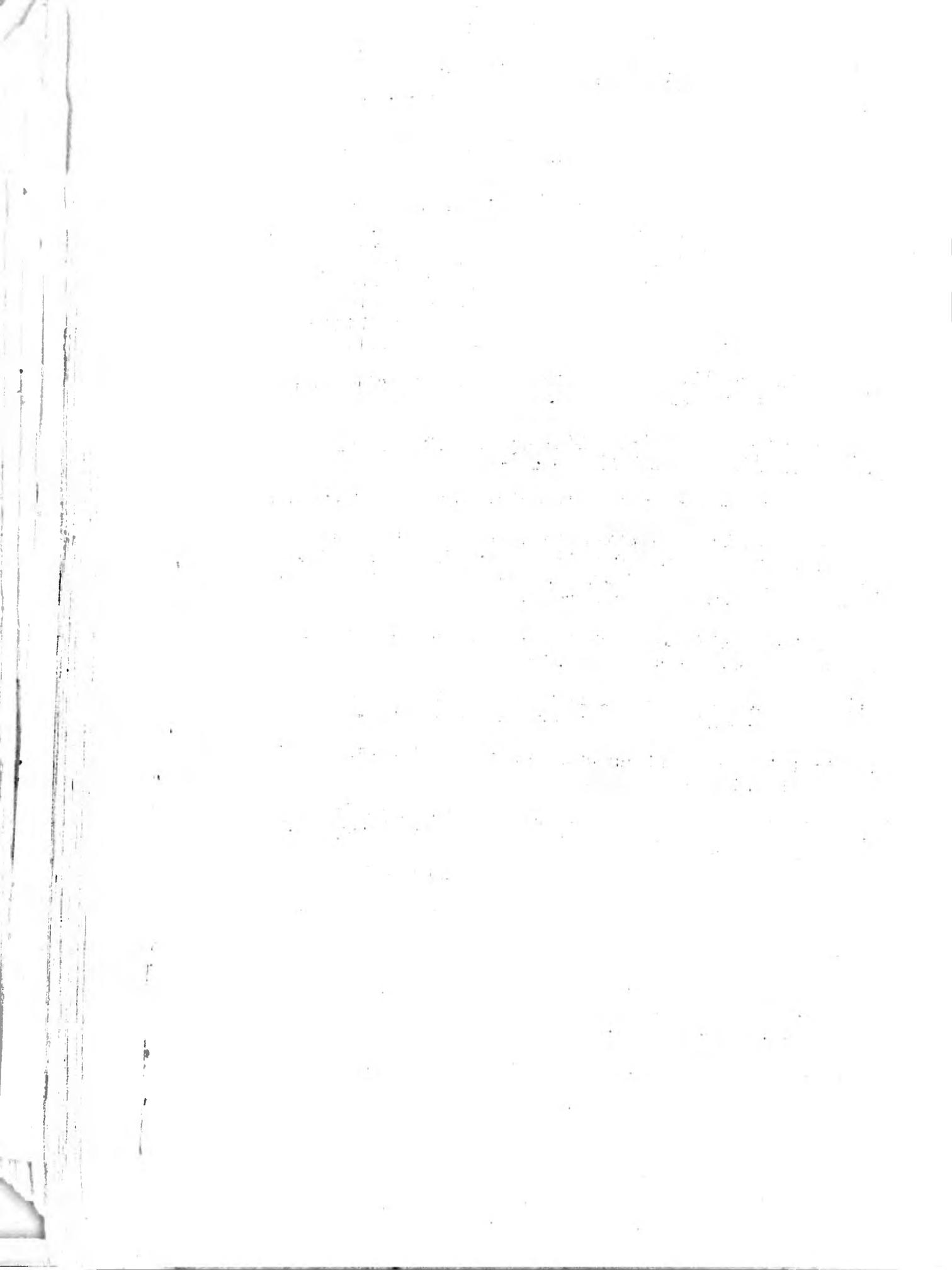
- (1) that the storage arrangements be completed to the approval of your petroleum inspector.
 - (2) that the conditions annexed to the Council's licence be strictly observed.
- (d) Harry Leslie Sampson and Leslie Gibson, t.a. The Pneu Process Company, 5, College Villas, Nether Street, N.5.

7 gallons of petroleum spirit.

The applicants desire to keep 7 gallons of petroleum spirit for use in connection with motor tyre rebuilding.

It is proposed to keep the petroleum spirit in suitable metal vessels of a capacity not exceeding 5 gallons, such vessels to be kept in a suitable storage receptacle placed in the open space at the rear of the premises. Not exceeding one gallon of petroleum spirit and/or petroleum mixture may be allowed to be taken into the premises for use during working hours.

- This application may be granted subject to
- (1) the storage arrangements being completed to the satisfaction of your petroleum inspector.
 - (2) that the conditions annexed to your Council's licence be strictly observed.



(e) John R. Freeman & Company, Ltd., Depot, north-west side of Manor Park Road, N.E.

500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.

The applicant is already licensed to keep 500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk at the above premises.

I suggest that a new licence be granted for a period of three months ending the 30th June, 1928, and that a pro rata fee of 2/6d be charged.

(f) James Kirkwood and Lancelot Edward Smith, t.a. Lyndon Garage, Ltd., 141a, High Road, East Finchley, N.E.

2500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.
2 cwts. of carbide of calcium.

These premises have been previously licensed by the Council for the keeping of the above-mentioned quantities of petroleum spirit and carbide of calcium.

This application may be granted subject to the conditions annexed to the Council's licences being strictly observed.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

E. J. FRANKLIN.

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the three preceding pages) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1705 of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

M. S. Smith
Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

Applicant.	Premises where petroleum spirit and/or carbide of calcium is to be kept.	Quantity of petroleum spirit and/or carbide of calcium to be kept.
Benjamin Branford Jillings and Charles William Brown (trading as Jillings & Co.)	Brookside, Great North Road, N.12.	2,000 gallons petroleum spirit in bulk.
Charles Vincent Betts	Brakespeare Service Garages, west side of High Road, N. 20, immediately north of the house known as St. Margarets.	3,500 gallons petroleum spirit in bulk and 50 gallons in two-gallon tins.
William Charles Durant	New garage, north side of Totteridge Lane, Whetstone, N. 20.	80 gallons petroleum spirit in two-gallon tins.
Harry Leslie Sampson and Leslie Gibson (trading as the Pneu Process Company).	3, College Villas, Nether St., N. 3.	7 gallons petroleum spirit.
John R. Freeman and Co., Ltd.	Depôt, North-east side of Manor Park Rd., N. 2.	500 gallons petroleum spirit in bulk.
James Kirkwood and Lancelot Edward Smith (trading as Lyndon Garage, Ltd.)	141a, High Road, East Finchley, N. 2.	2,500 gallons petroleum spirit in bulk. 2 cwt. carbide of calcium.

1706 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A meeting of this Sub-Committee was held on the 6th March, 1928, and the following report was submitted:—

Present: Councillor Broadbent (Chairman), Councillors Briant, Bowen and Ryan and Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Healing and Mrs. Reeves.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).*Annexed*
Annexed
(a) REQUISITIONS.—**RECOMMENDED** that the list of requisitions (circulated) be approved.

(b) MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The Medical Officer of Health's Report (circulated) for the eight weeks ended 25th February, 1928, was submitted.

(c) NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE.—

RECOMMENDED that Mrs. Reeves be appointed this Council's delegate to attend the above-mentioned Conference to be held in London on the 4th, 5th and 6th July, 1928, subject to the Ministry of Health's approving payment of the Conference fee (15s.) and reasonable expenses of the delegate.

(d) MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE—GRANT—YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1927.—The Clerk submitted letter, dated 16th February, 1928, from the Ministry of Health in regard to the payment of the balance of the grant for the period above-mentioned.

J. BROADBENT,
Chairman.**RECOMMENDED** that the report be received and adopted.

1707 REFUSE DESTROYER—OPENING OF.—It was reported that the Minister of Health had sanctioned, subject to the production of a proper voucher to the District Auditor, reasonable expenditure not exceeding £10 by the Council in connexion with the above.

1708 DRAINAGE WORKS—BERRIEDALE, WOODLEA & BEULAH VILLA, BALLARDS LANE.—It was reported that these works had now been completed and the Clerk referred to a number of communications received by him from Mrs. Dixon, the occupier of "Woodlea."

1709 FLOODING OF THE BRENT VALLEY.—The Committee considered a letter, dated 4th January, 1928, from the Town Clerk of Ealing forwarding copy of the following communication addressed by him to the Middlesex County Council and asking that this Council would make a similar representation to the County Council in support thereof:—

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 6TH. MARCH, 1928.

REQUISITIONS - 1ST. APRIL TO 28TH. MAY, 1928, INCLUSIVE.

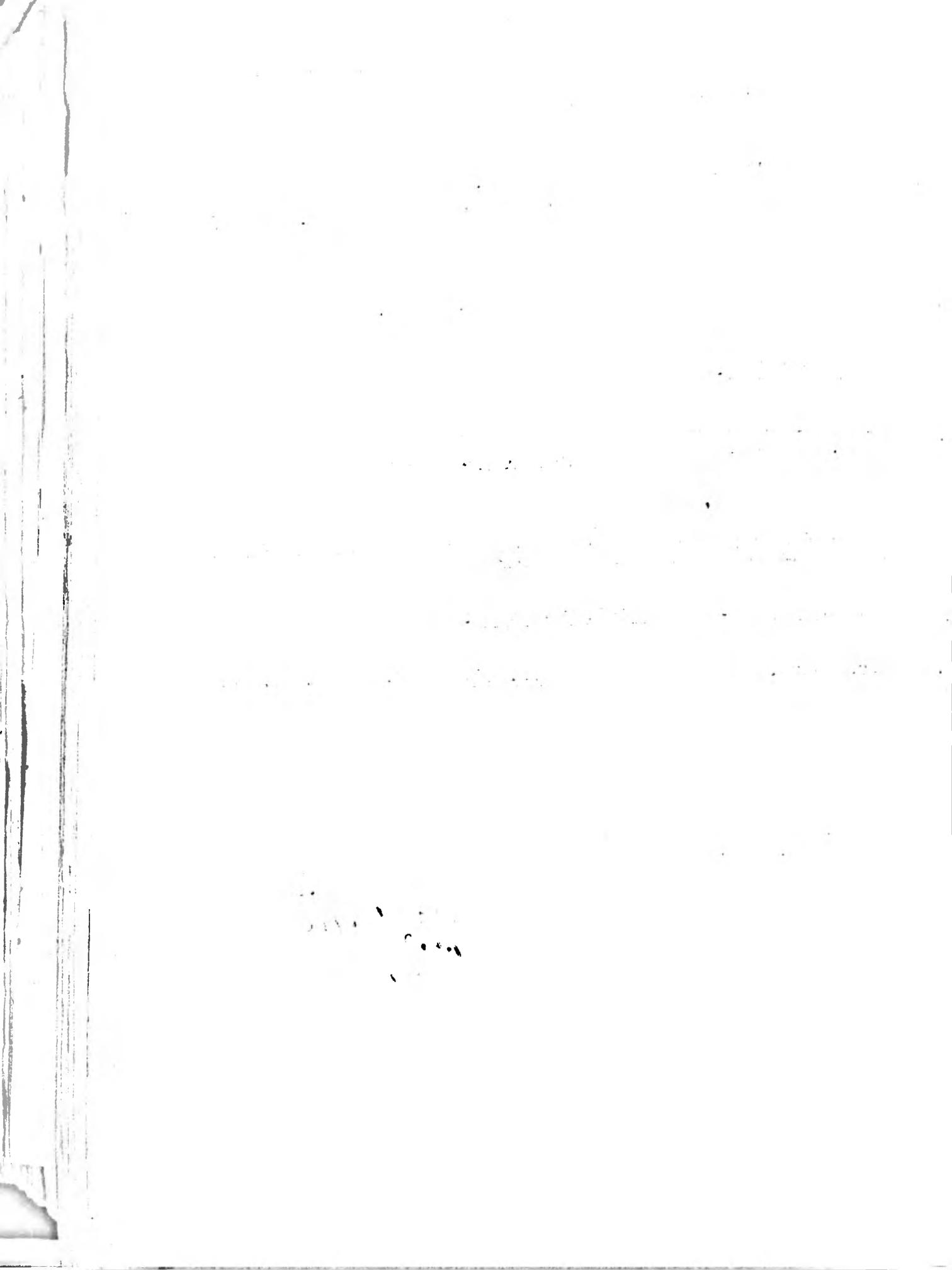
No. of Req.	Item.	Estimated cost.			Amt. of Amt. of Req. Est. already passed.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>CRECHE.</u>							
1.	Food - April and May.	60.	0.	0.	340.	-	-
<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE GENERAL.</u>							
2.	Cleaning materials - April and May.	2.	0.	0.	250.	-	-

THE FOLLOWING ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR WHICH THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMITTEE IS NOW REQUIRED.

<u>BOURCHIER HOUSE GENERAL.</u>		<u>ESTIMATE 1927/28.</u>					
51.	14 lbs. Ronuk.	19.	10.	140.	99.	19.	0.

This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1706 (a) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

M. S. Smith
Chairman.



MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE SUB-COMMITTEE - 6TH MARCH 1928.

Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the eight weeks ended
the 25th February, 1928.

Public Health Dept.,
3, The Mansions,
Wobley, N.E.

2nd. March, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Maternity and Child Welfare Sub-Committee.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
I beg to report as follows:-

	<u>1926.</u>			<u>1927.</u>		
	<u>North Finch</u>	<u>East Finch</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>North Finch</u>	<u>East Finch</u>	<u>Church</u>
1. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CENTRES.</u>						
Children under 2 years.	429	561	250	-	-	-
Children over 2 years.	157	32	76	-	-	-
Total attendances.	586	623	426	502	622	-
No. seen by doctor.	245	246	219	-	-	-
New babies.	13	42	27	19	35	-
2. <u>ATTENDANCES AT CRECHU.</u>						
Total attendances.		1377			795	
Average attendance per day.		34			19	
Receipts from mothers.		£49.12.10.			£29. 4.10.	
3. <u>ATTENDANCES AT ANTENATAL CLINIC.</u>						
(4 sessions)		94			56	

I am, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant.

A. TURLER.

Medical Officer of Health.

This is the report of the Medical Officer of Health
referred to in paragraph 1706 (b) of the Public Health
Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

M. S. G. H.
Chairman.

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

"I am directed by the Ealing Town Council to call the attention of the Middlesex County Council to the very serious flooding to which the area of the Brent Valley is subject even when circumstances are not abnormal, and to request the County Council to have a comprehensive Survey made of the said area with a view to straightening and enlarging the waterway of the River Brent, in order to ameliorate the intolerable conditions caused by the flooding."

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1710 HORNSEY, FINCHLEY AND WOOD GREEN JOINT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE—EMERGENCY CASES FROM THE FRIERN BARNET AREA.—A communication, dated 30th January, 1928, from the Clerk and Accountant of the above Joint Committee, forwarding copy of a resolution passed by such Committee and copy of correspondence which had taken place with the Friern Barnet Urban District Council, was submitted and considered.

1711 INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—The following resolution was submitted from the Kettering Urban District Council, who expressed the hope that this Council would see their way to pass one in similar terms and to forward a copy thereof to the Minister of Health and to the Member of Parliament for this Division asking for their support :—

"That in the opinion of this Council it is desirable that the Law should be amended, so as to provide that where persons who have been in contact with, or who are suspected of suffering from Smallpox or other infectious disease in Casual Wards of Poor Law Institutions, the Medical Officer of Health should be empowered to have them detained and isolated for such period as he may deem necessary."

RECOMMENDED that the above resolution be supported by this Council in principle subject (a) to the word "Casuals" being substituted for the word "persons" and (b) to the word "notifiable" being inserted before the word "infectious" therein.

1712 SMALLPOX HOSPITAL ACCOMMODATION.—A letter, dated 24th February, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarding, for the information of the Council, an extract from a report of the Public Health, Housing

PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

and General Purposes Committee of the County recently adopted by the County Council upon the question of that Council becoming the authority for the provision of Smallpox Hospital accommodation for the whole of the County.

1713 SANITARY INSPECTORS' ASSOCIATION—41st ANNUAL CONFERENCE—LEICESTER—3rd to 8th SEPTEMBER, 1928.—

RECOMMENDED that the Chief Sanitary Inspector be appointed as a Delegate to the above Conference.

1714 No. 1 MOTOR COMBINATION—PUMPING—SEWER—LYNDHURST GARDENS—2nd JANUARY, 1928.—It was reported that, at the last meeting of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee, the Chief Officer of the Brigade had submitted the following statement of charges, as per scale, for the above work and that the matter had been referred to this Committee :—

	£	s.	d.
Motor pumping, 4 hours at £2 2s. per hour ...	8	8	0
Station Officer Page—1 hr. at 5s., 3 hrs. at 1s. 6d.		9	6
Fireman Francis, 1 hr. at 5s., 3 hrs. at 1s. 6d.		9	6
Chief Officer in Charge, 4 hrs. at 10s. per hour ...	2	0	0
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	£11	7	0

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised to the expenditure in question being allocated to this Committee.

1715 PUBLIC BATHS.—

(a) Swimming Bath.—A communication was submitted from the Honorary Secretary to the Finchley Swimming Club stating that, if favourable terms could be arranged with the Council, his Committee were considering the starting of regular early morning meetings of the Club; he added that it had been suggested that the Club should purchase 2,000 tickets at 2d. each for use before 8 o'clock in the morning, making their regular time 7.15 or 7.30, and that he would be glad to know whether the Council would accept such an offer;

PUBLIC HEALTH (continued).

RECOMMENDED that the offer in question be accepted, subject to the Club agreeing to undertake definitely to purchase 2,000 tickets and on the understanding that such tickets would not be available for use on Sundays and Bank Holidays.

(b) Statement.—Statement (circulated) shewing the number of bathers and receipts for the four weeks ended 26th February, 1928, was submitted.

Unmoved

(c) Wages—Superintendent.—

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the approval of the General Purposes Committee, the wages of the Superintendent be increased from the 1st April, 1928, by 5s. a week.

1716 WATER SUPPLY—11, EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, FORTIS GREEN.—Referring to Minute No. 1531 the Clerk reported receipt of a communication from the owners' agents stating that they had received the Water Company's assurance that the water supply would be re-connected on the 6th instant.

1717 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—CREEK.—It was reported that the above employee had met with an accident since last meeting and that the matter had been dealt with.

1718 RE-CONSTRUCTION OF SOIL SEWER BETWEEN REGENTS PARK ROAD AND BEECHWOOD AVENUE.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

" I would suggest that a variation order under their contract be placed with Messrs. W. & C. French for this work. It will be remembered that Messrs. W. & C. French are at present carrying out the Cyprus Gardens section of the same sewer."

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1719 BROUGHTON AVENUE PUMPING STATION.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given to the Surveyor to obtain a Clerk of Works for the above at a wage not exceeding six guineas a week.

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PUBLIC HEALTH (*continued*).

1720 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

J. BROADBENT,

Chairman.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SWIMMING AND SLIPPER BATHS. STATEMENT SHewing NUMBER OF BATHERS
AND RECEIPTS FOR THE FOUR WEEKS ENDING 26TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

Week Ending.	<u>SWIMMING BATH.</u> Men.	<u>SLIPPER BATH.</u> Women.	<u>Mixed</u> Men.	<u>Council</u> Women.	<u>Total</u> Bathers.	<u>Total</u> Schools.	<u>Total</u> Numbers.	Club Receipts.			Total Receipts.			Crspeg Receipts.			Inc. in Receipts.			Dec. Receipts.		
								£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.		
BRT FWD.	10434	6097	5962	2637	1736	24532	51398	472	-	8	982	-	3	1050	1	1	56	13	11	124	1	
Feb. 5.			88	43			131	2	6		2	17	1	2	19	1						
" 12			77	38			115				2	6	9	1	12	3	-	14	6			
" 19			93	35			128	-	2	6	2	18	5	2	18	3	-	-	2			
" 26			96	43			139				3	6	9	2	3	8	1	2	1			
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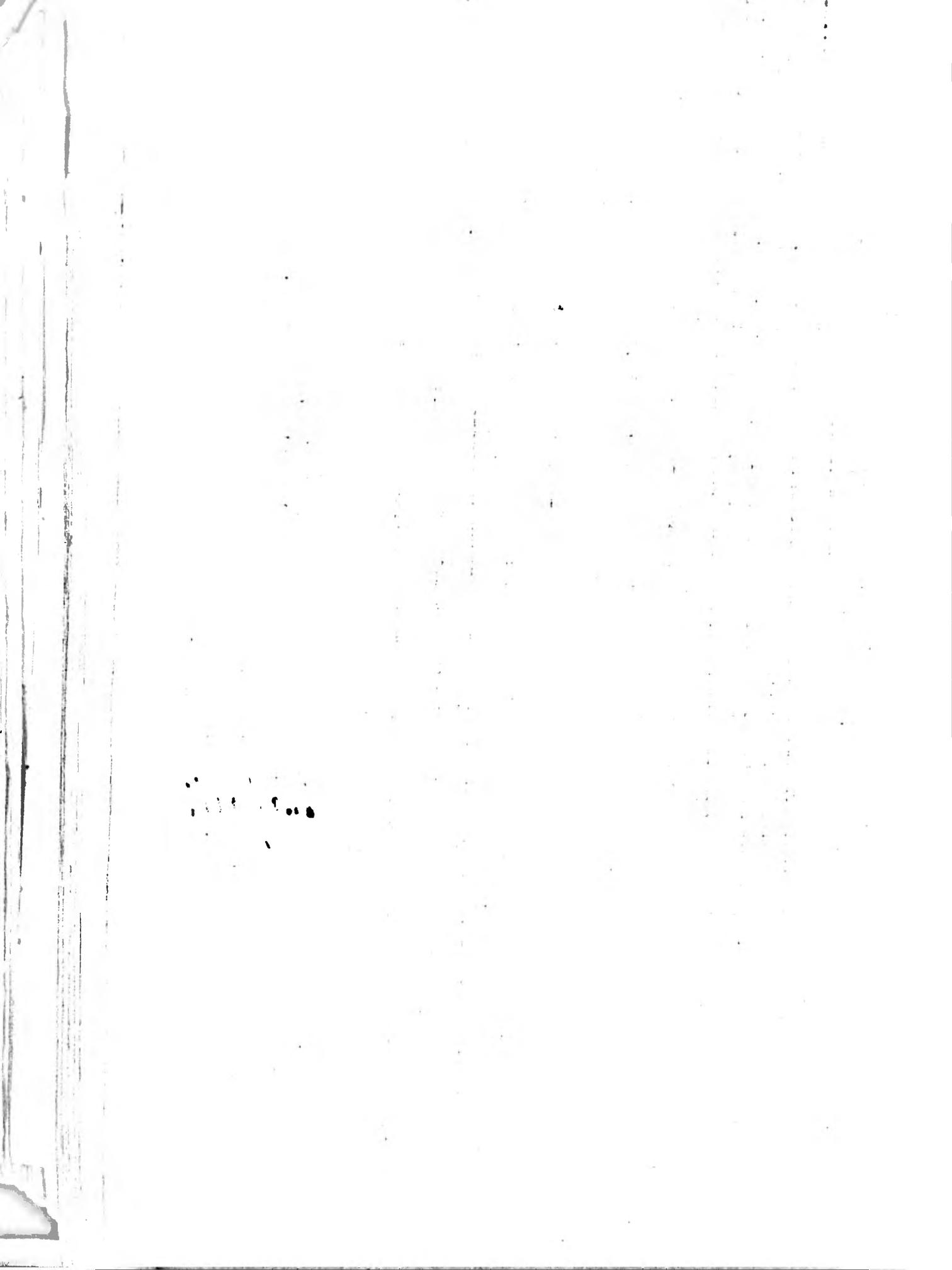
NETT DECREASE. £ 66

28TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

M. Giff
Chairman.

This is the Statement referred to in paragraph 1715(b) of the Public Health Committee's report of the 6th March 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



**HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.**

7th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Knowlman (Chairman), Councillor Wade (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Briant, Grocott, Merry, Toyne, and Wells, and Councillors Pateman and Sommerfield (non-members).

1721 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1722 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject to the Committee's estimates for the ensuing year being agreed by the Council. *Annexed.*

1723 FIRES.—A list (circulated) of the fires which had occurred since last meeting was submitted. *Annexed.*

1724 FIRE HYDRANT SERVICE—HIGH ROAD, EAST FINCHLEY.—The Chief Officer reported as follows:—

“Owing to a breakdown of the Fire Hydrant Service, due to the age of the Service, and heavy traffic at High Road, East Finchley, opposite Vale Farm, the Barnet Water Company found it necessary to cut out and plug off the defective Service, and attach the Hydrant to another Main. During this work the existing Hydrant was found to be very old. Therefore the Company's Inspector advised a new Hydrant, to make a sound job;”

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Committee in giving instructions for the necessary work to be carried out be approved.

1725 FIRE HYDRANT, SOUTH CRESCENT, N. 3.—It was reported that the Barnet Water Company had laid a new main in the above mentioned road and that a hydrant had been attached thereto.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1726 TENDERS.—

- (a) Ambulance.—The tenders referred to the Committee by the Council were submitted, and the consideration thereof was adjourned for further investigation and report to the next meeting of the Council.
- (b) Motor Combination.—The tenders received for the above were referred to a Sub-Committee for consideration and report.

1727 FIRE BRIGADE—TELEPHONE SERVICE, WHETSTONE.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the offer received from the Receiver for the Metropolitan Police to allow the Council to stretch a wire across the Police property from the cottage on the south side to the Fire Station on the north side, subject to a rental of 5/- per annum and to the Council paying the costs of the stamps on the licence and duplicate be accepted;
- (2) that the matter be referred to the Clerk of the Council to deal with.

1728 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—It was reported that one claim had been received since last meeting and dealt with.

1729 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENTS—J. G. NORRIS AND F. P. RIDLEY.—It was reported that the above employees had since last meeting met with accidents and that the matters had been dealt with.

1730 DAMAGE TO COUNCIL'S PROPERTY.—It was reported that the under-mentioned properties of the Council had been damaged since last meeting and that the matters had been dealt with :—

Side Pole No. 229—High Road.

Electric Column—Friern Barnet Lane.

Paving—Ballards Lane by Clark's College.

Lamp Column—Bow Lane.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

HIGHWAYS & FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE - 7th MARCH, 1928.

FIRE BRIGADE REQUISITIONS

		Amount of Estimate	<u>£3,474. 0. 0</u>
Req. Item No.	Ord.	Amount previously requisitioned	£3,157. 2. 3
1		Acct. . . to pay Firemen to 31st March.	54.14. 5
10		6 Phomene Charges	1.10. 0
12		Repair Pyrene Fire Extinguisher, say	-.10. 0
14		Repair Hydrant service and fix new) Fire Hydrant, High Road, East) Finchley, opposite Vale Farm,)	Cost included last meeting.
"		Fix New Fire Hydrant at South Crescent, N. 3.)	
		<u>AMBULANCE, -</u>	
		1 outer cover and inner tube 32 x 4½	6.12. 0
		1 outer cover and inner tube 30 x 3½	<u>3. 5. 0</u>
			<u>£3,223.13. 8</u>

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7TH MARCH, 1928.

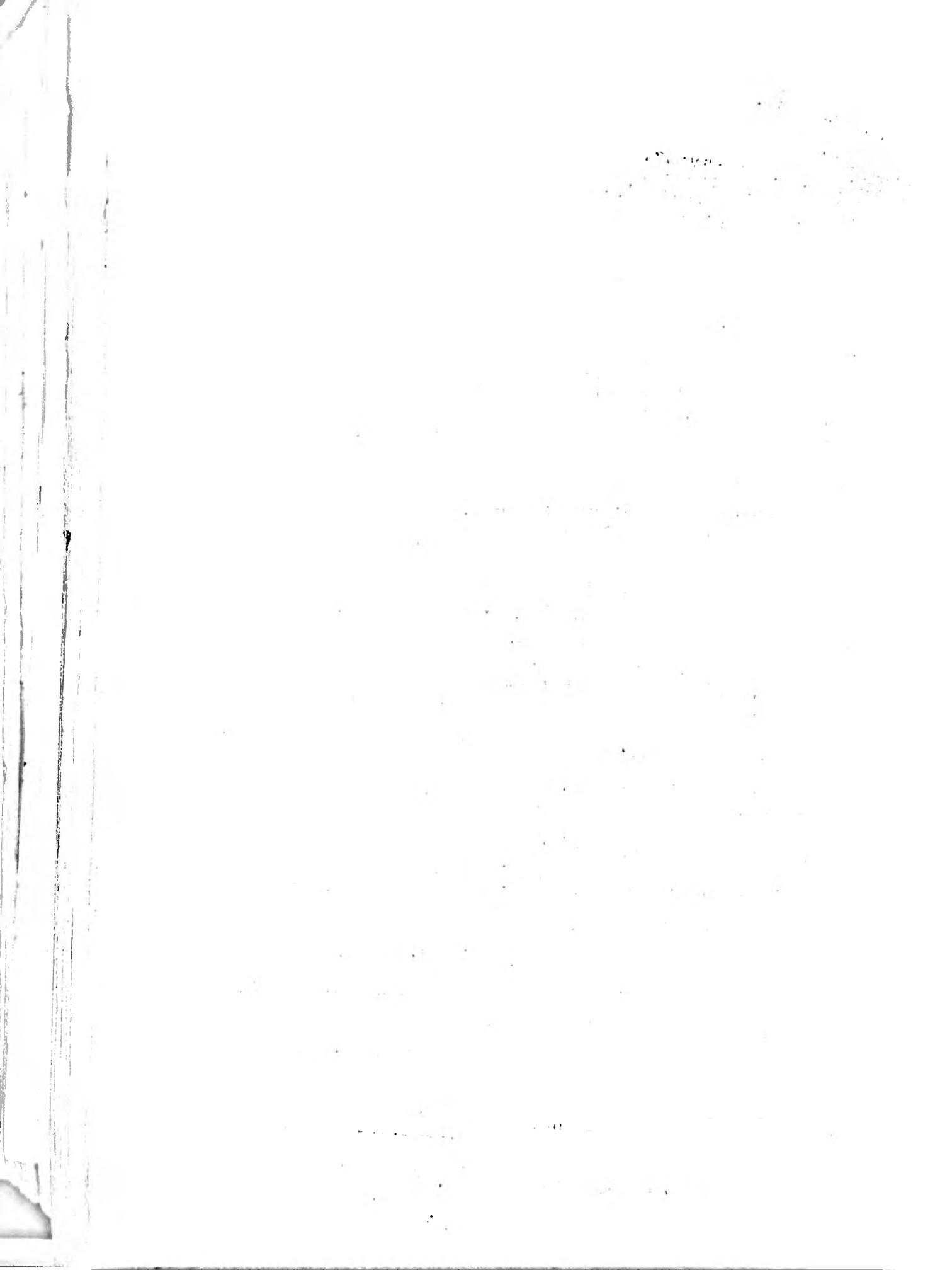
REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE (Not yet approved)

44721 0 0

"0" = expended or on order.

Req. Item No. No.				44721 0 0	
<u>RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
80		<u>GREAT NORTH ROAD.</u>			
		<u>East Finchley.</u>			
80	1	540 yds. sup. relay wood paving. Hornsey Boundary to Leslie Rd, Churchfield Avenue to Barnet Bdy.	850	0 0	
81	6	22,000 yds sup. tar dressing wood paving.	469	0 0	
<u>RECENTS PARK ROAD.</u>					
82	8	Hendon Boundary to Granville Road. 12,800 yds sup. tar dressing wood paving.	267	0 0	
<u>GREAT NORTH ROAD - west side.</u>					
<u>Hornsey Boundary to East End Rd.</u>					
83	11	Relay kerb and quadrants, recoat margins, relay slab paving, relay and retop tar-paving.	345	0 0	
<u>DITTO - east side.</u>					
84	12	Relay kerb and quadrants, recoat margins, relay slab paving.	249	0 0	
25		<u>WOODHOUSE ROAD - north side.</u>			
85		Hilton Avenue to Ashurst Road. 1424 yds sup. new slab paving.	676	0 0	
26		<u>SCAVENGING AND GULLYING.</u>			
86		Manual Labour.	216	0 0	
87		Team labour.	50	0 0	
			-----	3122 0 0	
<u>PARTLY RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>					
88	30	East End Road - tarpainting	196	0 0	
89	34	Hendon Lane Do.	191	0 0	
90	37	Gravel Hill. Do.	25	0 0	
91	46	East End Road - scavenging.	20	0 0	
			-----	-----	
Carried forward.			£ 432	0 0	
				3122 0 0	



Req. No.	Item No.		Brought forward. £			
			432	0	0	3122 0 0
92	49	Totteridge Lane - tarpainting.	75	0	0	
93	53	Friern Barnet lane Do.	38	0	0	
94	56	Totteridge Lane - scavenging.	3	10	0	
			-----			548 10 0
		<u>NON-RECOVERABLE EXPENDITURE.</u>				
95	59	70 tons tarmacadam.	206	10	0	
		Bibsworth Road and Cyprus Road.				
96	60	1778 yds sup. recondition				
		tarmacadam - Christchurch Avenue.	496	0	0	
97	66	7285 yds sup. tarpaint and dust				
		footways - Dollis and Hendon				
		Avenues, path by Offices.	152	0	0	
98	68	24 tons fine old mac.	20	0	0	
		New Trinity Road by public path.				
		Path by Offices.				
99	70	Tarpainting.	2636	0	0	
100	75	Tar boiler.	200	0	0	
101		Asphalt cauldron.	18	0	0	
102	81	582 ft. new kerb on concrete.	172	3	6	
		New Trinity Road by public path.				
		Squires Lane, Briarfield Avenue to				
		East End Road.				
103	84	1140 ft. new channel on concrete.	314	0	0	
		Squires Lane, Briarfield Avenue to				
		East End Road.				
104	84a.	Nether Street by Elm Grange -				
		improvement.	329	0	0	
105	85	SCAVENGING - Manual Labour.	500	0	0	
		Do - Team Labour.	54	0	0	
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		<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>				
106	89	Electric lamps.	463	6	8	
107	90	Gas lamps - wages.	33	6	8	
108	92	6 gross gas mantles.	14	18	0	
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

2ND MARCH, 1928.



HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7 TH MARCH, 1928.

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Req. No.	REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.	5253	7	11
109	0 60 pieces lining paper.	1	5	0
110	0 6 W.C. pedestals; 3-4" double collars.	5	15	4
111	0 32 ft. super York stone.	8	16	0
112	0 12 - 3ft. chimney pots.	6	2	9
113	0 37 ft. 1" x 9". 2 - 4'6". 4" x 2" girders.	9	8	
114	0 50 - 12fts. 3" x 2".	3	0	0
115	0 200 .5fts. 6" featheredge board.	3	12	6
116	0 15 - 9fts 1 1/4" x 6"; 15 - 10fts 1 1/4" x 6" oak.	4	2	6
117	0 15 - 9fts 1 1/4" x 3"; 15 - 10fts 1 1/4" x 3" oak capping.	3	11	3
118	0 250 - 3ft. oak pales.	3	17	6
119	0 3 - 10fts. 2" x 1"; 3 - 6fts 6" x 3" oak.	12	6	

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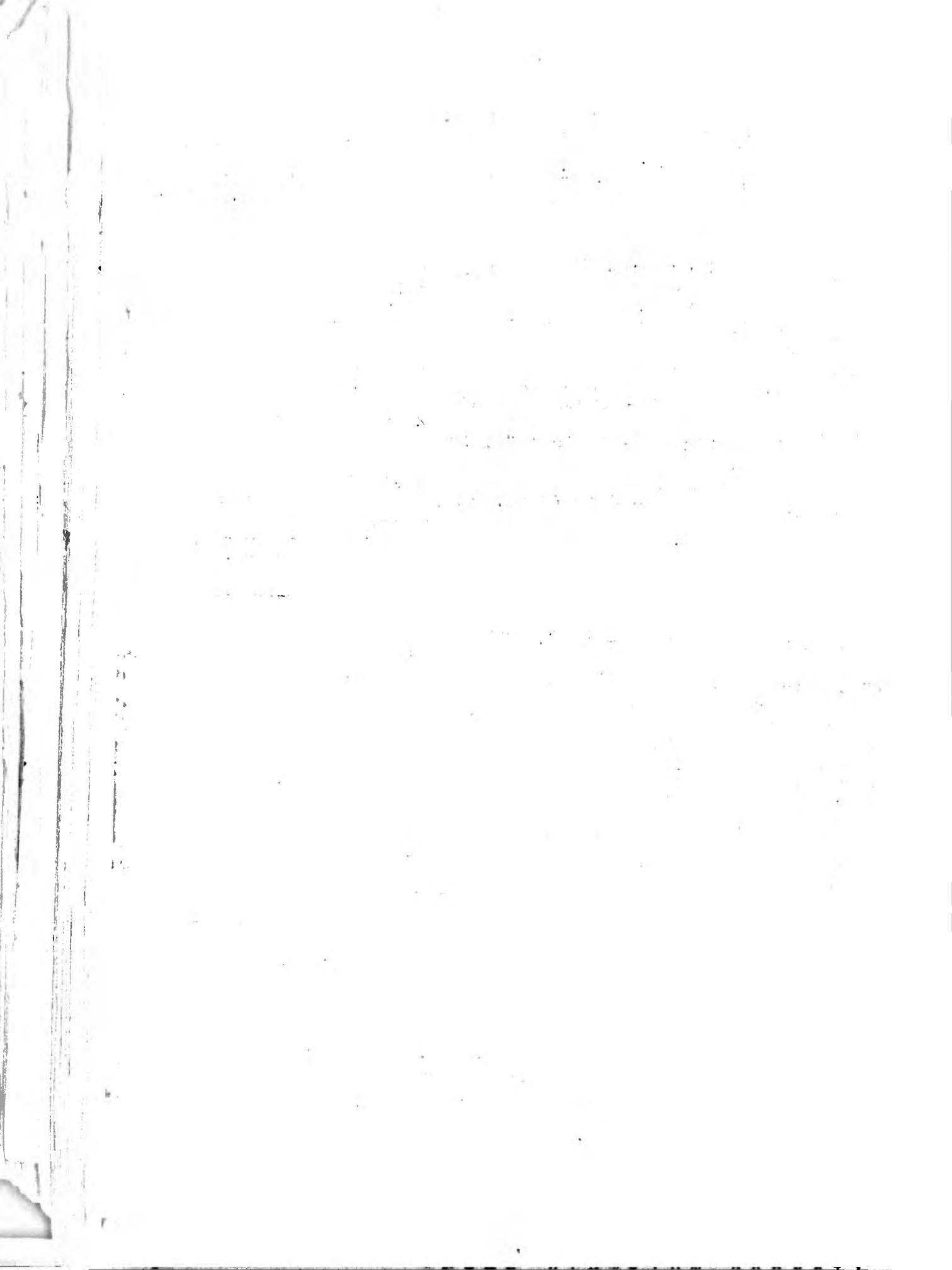
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120	100 - 12fts 3" x 2"; 30 - 6'6". 5" x 4" deals.	9	5	0
121	133 1/3 yds sup. paving slabs.	41	2	3
122	160 gals. paraffin oil.	5	0	0
123	120 " petrol.	6	0	0
124	10 " Mobiloil B.B.	3	2	6
125	60 tons 1 1/2" Tarmac.	98	5	0
126	50 " 3/8" Do.	84	7	6
127	6 " Blue lias lime.	12	11	0
128	10 " cement.	27	7	6
129	5 gals. black bitumenous paint.	17	6	
130	6 - 4" x 4" junctions.	1	1	0
131	12 stove pipes.	12	0	

£ 289 11 3

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COUNCIL

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE - 7TH MARCH, 1928.

DEPOT ACCOUNT.

REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE (Not yet approved)

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"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.			
132	1 pair leather knee boots.	1	17 6
133	1 9 lb. sledge hammer; 9 handles.)		
134	4 twist drills 5/16" - 11/16".)	1	19 6
135	12 scrapers for hand brooms.		
136	36 suits overalls.	17	2 0
137	36 pairs clogs.	8	17 0
138	24 tar brooms.	10	4 0
139	Refill 1 set horse sweeper brooms.	2	2 0
140	6 doz. red flags.	1	19 0
141	Repairs to rolling stock.	25	0 0
142	Yardman. - wages.	20	0 0
143	Salaries.	36	3 4

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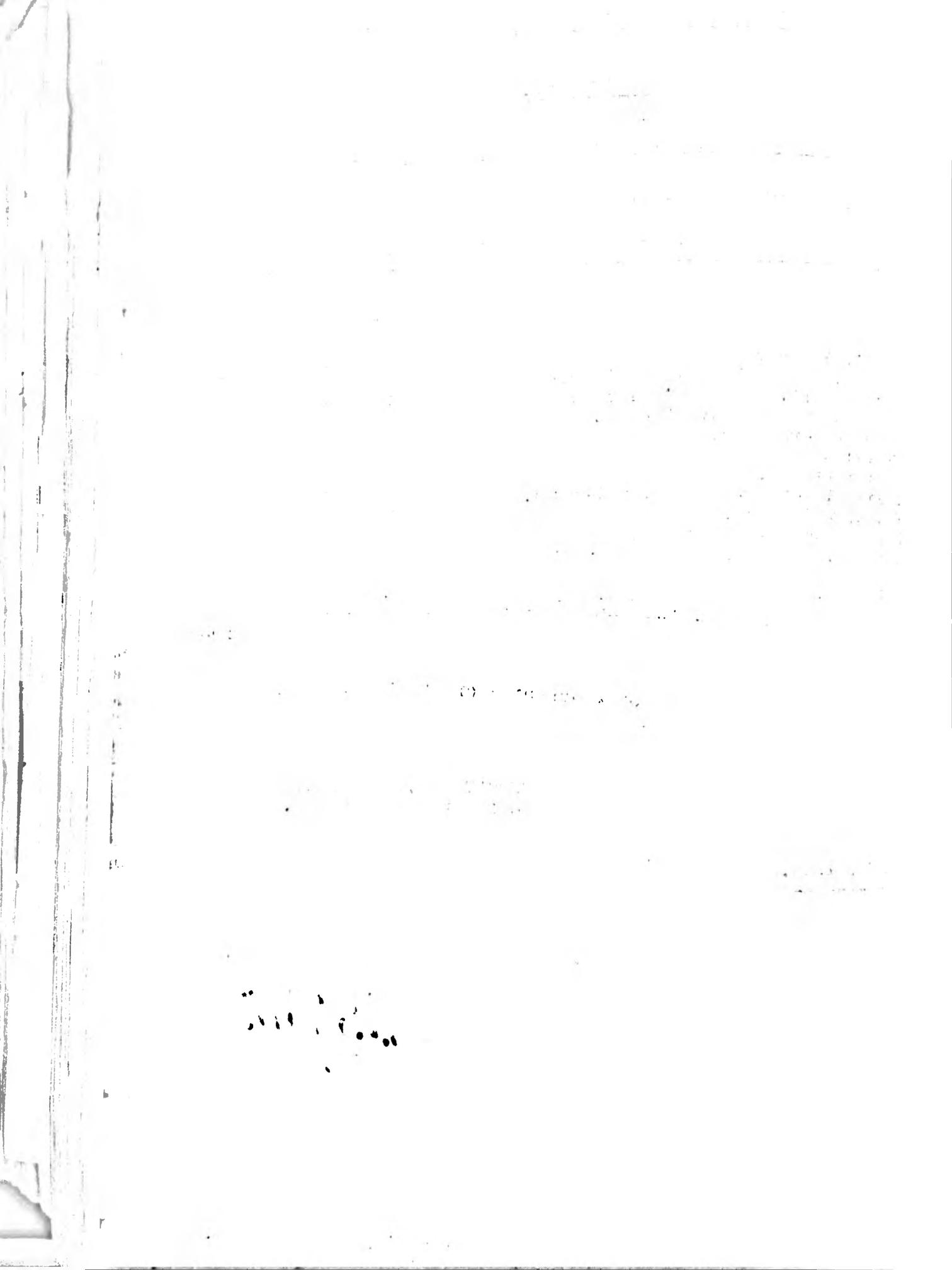
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2ND MARCH, 1928.

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Chairman.



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

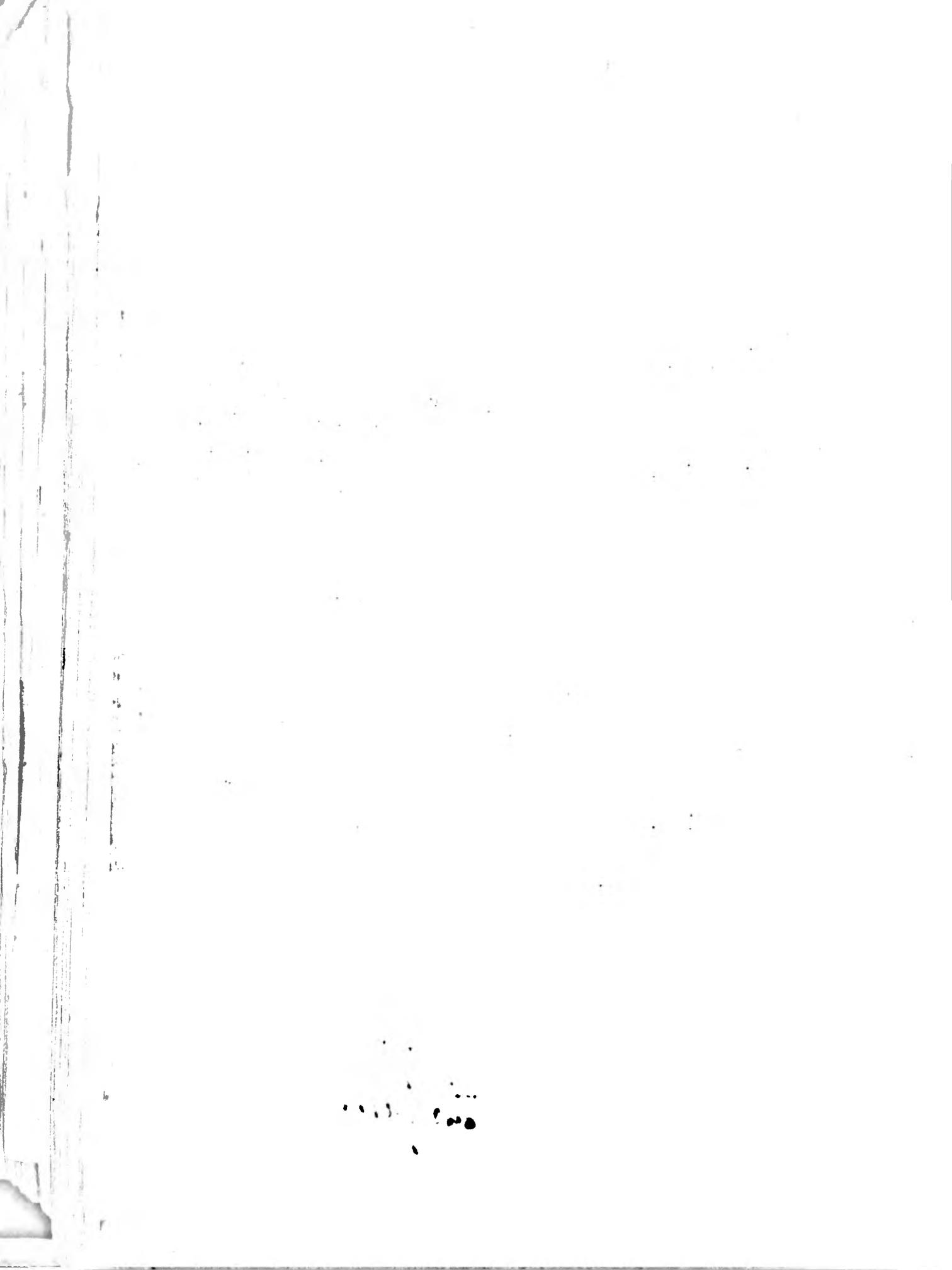
COUNCIL MEETING - 26th March, 1928.

List of Fires reported by the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade at a Meeting of the Highways & Fire & Water Committee held on the 7th March, 1928.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Damage</u>
4. 2. 28	10.46 p.m.	The Homestead, Hendon Lane, N. 3.	A chimney on fire in drawing-room on ground floor; contents in same slightly damaged by smoke, water and dirt.
6. 2. 28	11.40 p.m.	No.1 Oakleigh Road, Whetstone, N. 20.	About 2 x 3 ft. of joisting in ceiling damaged by fire in basement used as store-room; rest of contents in same slightly damaged by smoke.
11.2. 28	2.28 p.m.	Kimbolton, North Crescent, N. 3.	A 20 h.p. Austin Motor-car slightly damaged by fire.
15.2. 28	12.24 p.m.	14 Finchley Avenue, Finchley, N. 3.	A 12 h.p. Austin Motor-car slightly damaged by fire.
15.2. 28	2.15 p.m.	Regents Park Road, N.3.	A quantity of tar destroyed by fire.
18.2. 28	4.50 a.m.	High Road, Finchley, N. 2.	A 2 ton Ford Motor lorry & contents severely damaged by fire on public highway.

This is the list referred to in paragraph 1723 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th March 1928.


Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*)

1731 STREET ACCIDENTS.—Returns received from the Police Authorities for the weeks ended 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th February, were submitted, from which it appeared that the total number of accidents during those weeks was as follows:—

Fatal	...	...	...	None.
Non-fatal	...	...	...	43.

1732 STREET WIDENINGS—FREDERICK'S PLACE.—It was reported that the Committee's recommendation hereon had been referred by the Council to the Committee for further consideration;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter pending a definite decision being arrived at with regard to the use to which the Depot Site shall be put.

1733 HIGHWAYS (OUTDOOR) SUB-COMMITTEE.—It was reported that a meeting of the above Sub-Committee was held on the 3rd instant.

A report of the proceedings thereat was submitted and certain instructions were given to the Officers concerned.

Annexed

Arising out of the report it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) Lighting—Regents Park Road—that the question of improving the lighting in the above road between Holly Park and the Hendon Boundary be considered when the widening works are carried out and that in the meantime arrangements be made to increase the power of the existing lamps;
- (b) Highways—Hendon Lane—The Homestead—that notice be served upon the owner of the above premises under Section 4 of the Roads Improvement Act, 1925, calling upon him to remove a certain portion of the hedge erected by him, and that in connexion therewith the Surveyor be directed to prepare the necessary plan and submit same to the Clerk of the Council;

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (c) Private Streets—Stanley Road—that in the event of a request being received from the owners for the making up of this street, the matter then receive further consideration;
- (d) Trees—Park Lodge Villas—Market Place, East Finchley—that of the five trees in front of the above premises two be removed and the remainder lopped;
- (e) East End Road Widening—Cemetery Frontage—that the Clerk be directed to reply to the letters dated 18th January and 1st February, 1928, from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone hereon to the effect that the representatives of this Council who met representatives of the Borough Council's Cemetery Committee on the 23rd November last have stated definitely that they did not agree that this Council would continue the paving in front of the green sward; further, that in carrying out the work the Council has fully complied with the terms of the arrangement come to with the Borough Council;

1734 HEAVY TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL ROADS.—The Clerk reported that this matter had now been considered by the Urban District Councils' Association, and he submitted a letter dated 25th January, 1928, from the Secretary indicating the action taken by the Association arising out of the resolutions passed at the Conference of Local Authorities in Middlesex held some time ago;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left to the Association to deal with.

1735 RAILWAY (ROAD TRANSPORT) BILL, 1928.—The Committee considered the communication dated 31st January, 1928 (referred to them by the Council) from the Divisional General Manager (Southern Area) of the London and North-Eastern Railway in regard to the above and also a communication dated 28th February, 1928, from the Horwich Urban District Council;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1736 TALLY HO! CORNER, FINCHLEY—PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF LAY-BY FOR OMNIBUSES.—A communication dated 23rd February, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarding, for the information of the Council,

COUNCIL DEPARTMENT OF FINCHLEY
HIGHWAYS (OVERLOOK) SUB-COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

3rd March, 1928.

Present.- Cr. Knowlman (Chairman) and Crs. H.O. Syrett and Walls.

1.- TREE - ROBERTS PARK ROAD OPPOSITE TO QUEEN'S HEAD.-

The Sub-Committee considered a request received from the London General Omnibus Company that the above tree might be lopped;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

2.- LIGHTING - ROBERTS PARK ROAD.-

The Sub-Committee considered a request from Mrs. Saviourin that the lighting in the above road in the vicinity of her premises might be improved;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be considered when the widening works are carried out, and that, in the meantime, the Electrical Engineer be asked to submit a proposal for increasing the power of the existing lamps.

3.- HIGHWAYS - TREES - FINCHLEY AVENUE.-

(a) Referring to the suggestion made some time ago as to arranging with Mr. Wood, the owner of the premises at the junction of the above road with Crooked Usage, for the planting of a few silver birch trees on his land between the dwarf wall and the close boarded fence, the Sub-Committee considered a letter received from him on the subject, and in view of the possibility of damage which might arise to the dwarf wall, the Sub-Committee were of the opinion that no further action should be taken in the matter.

(b) The Sub-Committee also considered a suggestion by Mr. Wood that the two pieces of land owned by the Council at the junction of Finchley Avenue and Crooked Usage and Waverley Grove and Hendon Lane might be improved in appearance;

RECOMMENDED that the consideration of this matter be deferred until such time as Waverley Grove is made up.

4.- HIGHWAYS - HENDON LANE - THE HOMESTEAD.-

The Sub-Committee viewed the above premises situate at the corner of Allandale Avenue, and were of opinion that notice should be served upon the owner under Section 4 of the Roads Improvement Act 1925, calling upon him to remove a certain portion of the hedge erected by him, and that, with that object in view, the Surveyor be directed to prepare and submit the necessary plan.

5 - TREES OPPOSITE TO "HOLDENHURST," HENDON AVENUE.-

The Sub-Committee considered a request from the owner of the above premises for the lopping of the trees in front thereof, and suggest that the lower branches be cut, which it is understood will meet the views of the owner.

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6.- EAST END ROAD WIDENING - PARK FARM TO STANLEY ROAD.-

This matter was considered by the Sub-Committee, and the view was expressed that it would be desirable for a scheme to be prepared whereby the footpath on the opposite side of the road to Church Lane might be retained, and the Surveyor was directed to prepare a scheme on these lines, and to submit same for consideration at a later date.

7.- PRIVATE STREETS - STANLEY ROAD.-

This road was inspected by the Sub-Committee, and it was suggested that, in the event of a request being received from the owners for the making-up thereof, the matter might then receive further consideration.

8.- HIGHWAYS - TREES - MARKET PLACE - EAST FINCHLEY.-

The trees at above were inspected by the Sub-Committee, and it was decided to suggest that same be lopped.

9.- TREES - PARK LODGE VILLAS - MARKET PLACE - EAST FINCHLEY.-

The Sub-Committee considered a Petition received in respect of the lopping of the above trees, and it was decided to suggest, that, of the five trees in question, two should be removed and the remainder lopped.

10.- PRIVATE STREETS - BROMPTON GROVE.-

This road was inspected by the Sub-Committee, and it was considered desirable that, if possible, arrangements should be made with the owners for the carrying out by agreement of certain temporary repairs. Attention was drawn to the fact that the Council were owners of a considerable length of frontage in this road, and that consequently a proportionate cost of any such works would fall upon them.

11.- TREES - WOODSIDE AVENUE.-

The Sub-Committee had before them a request for the lopping of certain trees in the above road, but it was decided to defer the consideration of the matter, pending the receipt of the Surveyor's report, as required at the previous meeting of the Sub-Committee.

12.- HIGHWAYS - TREES - BALLARDS LANE.-

The Sub-Committee considered a request for the lopping of a tree outside No. 12 Moss Hall Villas, and were of opinion that this should be acceded to.

13.- HIGHWAYS - TREES - NETHER STREET.-

The Sub-Committee considered a request for the lopping of a tree outside No. 114 Nether Street, and were of opinion that the position would be met by removing the branch leaning towards the house.

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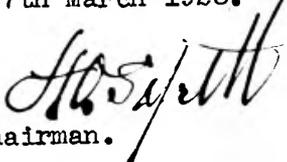
14.- EAST END ROAD WIDENING - CEMETERY FRONTAGE.-

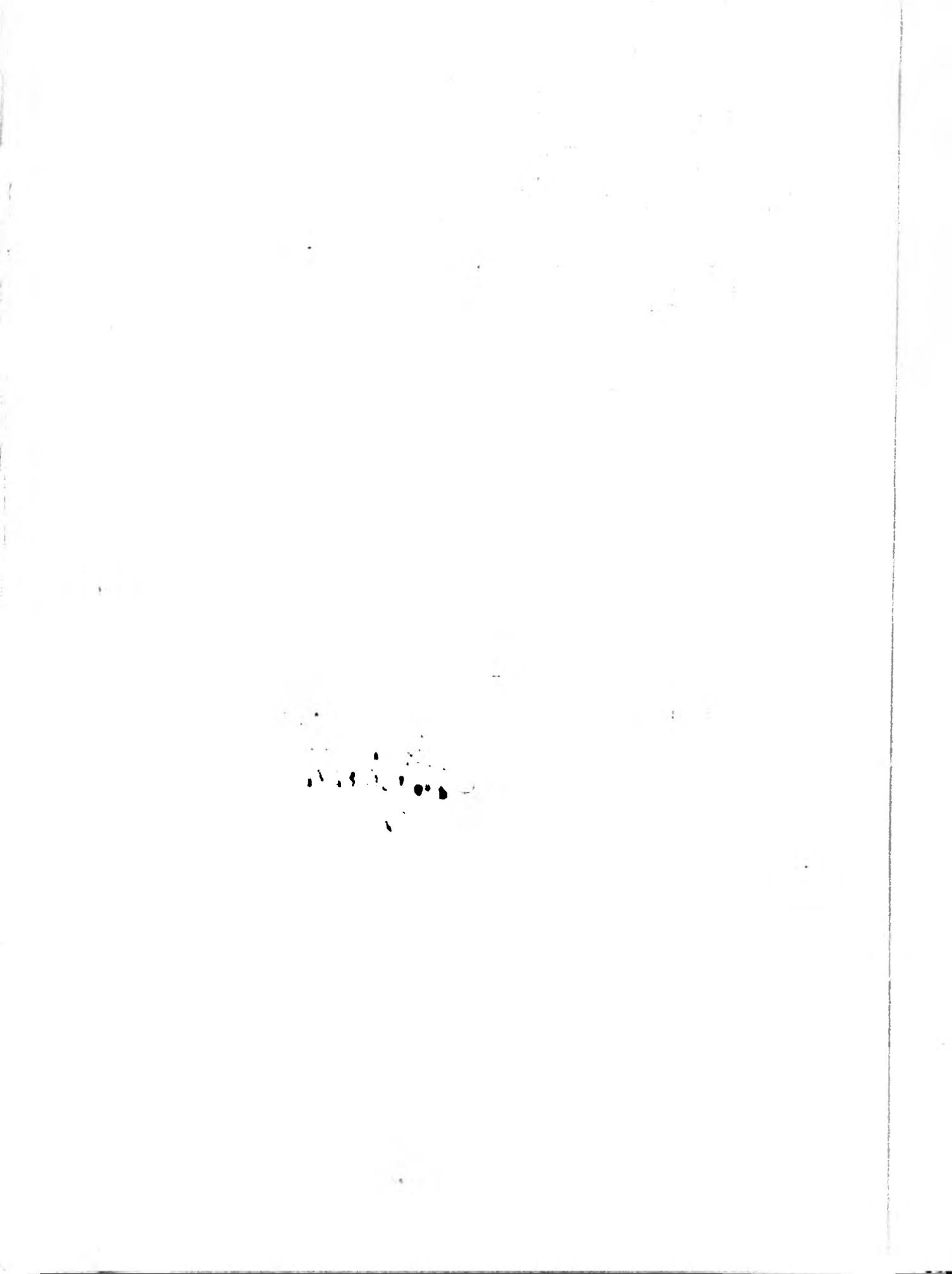
The Sub-Committee inspected the above site, and also considered the letters dated 18th January and 1st February, 1928, received from the Town Clerk of St. Marylebone. The Chairman of the Council and Councillor Knowlman, who were present at the meeting with representatives of the Borough Council's Cemetery Committee on the 23rd November last, stated definitely that they had not agreed that this Council would continue the paving in front of the green sward. Moreover, the view of the Sub-Committee was that the Council, in carrying out the work, had fully complied with the terms of the arrangement come to with the Borough Council;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to forward a reply to the Borough Council on the lines indicated above.

A. KNOWLMAN,
Chairman.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the report of the Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph 1733 of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee's report of the 7th March 1928.


Chairman.



HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

copy of a communication received by the County Council from the Ministry of Transport upon this proposal. The letter added that the matter would be duly considered by the County Highways Committee at their next meeting;

RECOMMENDED that, in these circumstances, the further consideration of the question be adjourned pending receipt of the decision of the County Highways Committee.

1737 TRAVELLING FACILITIES AT FINSBURY PARK.—A communication dated 21st February, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council on the question of a proposed lay-by for trams by the construction of a tram-track alongside the kerb just north of the junction of Seven Sisters Road and Stroud Green Road to enable passengers to load direct from the kerb. A plan illustrating the suggestion was enclosed with the letter, and if this Council were in accord with the proposal, it was suggested that they make representations to the Ministry of Transport on the subject, the latter not having taken a favourable view of the scheme;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1738 GREAT NORTH ROAD WIDENING BY GRANVILLE ROAD.—A letter dated 8th February, 1928, was submitted from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners stating in reply to this Council's enquiry that they would not be disposed to allow the carrying out of the works in connexion with the above to be postponed indefinitely, but that they would consent to the portion between Christ Church Vicarage and Summers Lane standing over for one year and the remainder for a period not exceeding three years.

1739 STREET LIGHTING—GREAT NORTH ROAD.—Referring to Minute No. 1397, the Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Finchley Ratepayers' Defence League asking them to indicate the particular portion of the Great North Road referred to, and that he had now received a reply stating that they considered that the whole of the Great North Road was badly lighted, and particularly the portion from Hertford Road to Woodhouse Road;

RECOMMENDED that arrangements be made to increase the power of the existing lamps in the whole of the Great North Road.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

1740 SEWERS UNDER LAND BELONGING TO A RAILWAY COMPANY.—A circular letter dated 1st March, 1928, from the Ministry of Health hereon was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that same be referred to the Officers concerned for attention.

1741 THE INSTITUTION OF MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY ENGINEERS—ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & CONFERENCE—LONDON—20th-23rd JUNE, 1928.—

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council and the Surveyor be appointed this Council's delegates to the above Conference.

1742 CHERRY TREE WOOD—ENTRANCE TO.—The Committee considered a reference from the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee in regard to the putting down of a strip of paving between the main road and the entrance to the above open space.

After hearing a report from the Clerk upon the legal aspect, it was

RECOMMENDED that subject to the approval of the Finance Committee the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the carrying out of such work, at an estimated cost of £31.

1743 ESSEX HOUSE ESTATE—IMPROVEMENT WORKS.—The Surveyor reported as follows:—

“ The estimate for the above works was £295. The accepted tender amounted to £315 1s. 2d. and the actual cost was £299 5s. 6d.”

1744 WAYLEAVES.—The under-mentioned applications from the Post Office were submitted:—

- (1) Underground line south-west side of Hervey Close, from No. 37 to outside No. 43.
- (2) Underground line north-east side of Elm Gardens, from Church Lane to “ Littlehurst.”
- (3) Underground line north-west side of Bibsworth Road, from Gravel Hill to outside Bibsworth Garage, thence across to a point opposite.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

- (4) Underground line south-west side of Elm Gardens, from outside " Hazeldene " to outside " Littlehurst."
- (5) Underground line south side of Cyprus Road, from Salisbury Avenue to Nos. 40/42.

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that such applications be approved, subject (a) to the actual positions of the cables being agreed by the Council's Surveyor; and (b) to the works being carried out to his satisfaction;
- (2) that as regards No. (5), the cost of reinstatement be borne by the Council.

1745 PROPOSED 6in. GAS MAIN—NETHER STREET.—The Surveyor reported receipt of an application, with plan, dated 27th February, 1928, from the North Middlesex Gas Company showing a proposal to lay a 6in. main on the east side of Nether Street to serve 12 new houses opposite to Eversleigh Road.

RECOMMENDED that such application be granted.

1746 PRIVATE STREETS—HAMPSTEAD GARDEN SUBURB.—The Surveyor submitted a communication dated 16th February, 1928, from Mr. E. J. Cooper, on behalf of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Authorities, relative to the making up by this Council of certain streets on the portion of the Suburb situate within this district;

RECOMMENDED that a reply be forwarded to the effect that the Council will include the streets in question in a batch to be made up at as early a date as possible.

1747 MAINTENANCE OF ASPHALT—GREAT NORTH ROAD AND BALLARDS LANE.—The Surveyor reported as follows :—

" Owing to the expiration of the contractors' maintenance of their asphalt in the Great North Road and Ballards Lane, I have made arrangements for the contractors concerned to repair the defects in their material at the following prices, pending re-surfacing with wood block paving :—

The Limmer Asphalt Co.—Great North Road—

7s. 0d. per sup. yard.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

Constable, Hart & Co.—Ballards Lane—

7s. 10d. per sup. yard.

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Surveyor be approved.

1748 HIGHWAYS—REFUGES.—

- (a) The Surveyor submitted a communication dated 7th February, 1928, from the Commissioner of Police with regard to the proposal to place a refuge in the High Road, North Finchley, indicating that such proposal was not viewed with favour by the Authorities.
- (b) He also submitted plan and estimate of refuge proposed to be placed in Ballards Lane at its junction with Long Lane, and indicated that the position of the refuge shown on the plan was such as the Authorities would not be likely to approve;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor obtain the views of the Authorities as to placing the refuge immediately at the junction of the roads in question.

1749 FLOODING IN THE RIVER BRENT—CATCHMENT AREA.—

The Surveyor reported upon a Conference which had been held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on the 22nd February, 1928, in regard to the above.

1750 IMPROVEMENT OF CORNERS—JUNCTION OF SANDRINGHAM GARDENS AND SUMMERS LANE.—The Surveyor reported that he had been in communication with Messrs. Harper & Smith in regard to this matter, and that he had provisionally agreed the following terms with them, viz. :—that the Council's charge (amounting to £18) for reinstatement of paving alleged to have been damaged through the building operations of Messrs. Harper & Smith be withdrawn, if the latter firm make all arrangements for rounding off the two corners at the junction of Sandringham Gardens and Summers Lane and erect a suitable dwarf wall and post and chain fence on the new line;

RECOMMENDED that the above arrangement be approved by the Council.

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (continued).

1751 PRIVATE STREET WORKS—18th BATCH.—The Committee considered the tenders received in respect of the above;

RECOMMENDED that, subject to the sanction of the Minister of Health being received to the necessary loan, the tenders of the under-mentioned firms be accepted for the making up of the streets set opposite to their respective names at the prices stated :—

Name.	Street.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
J. Mowlem & Co. ...	Cyprus Gardens	1533	5	2
J. Mowlem & Co. ...	Hendon Avenue (2nd portion)	1062	12	10
J. Mowlem & Co. ...	Ridgeview Road	4222	6	5
Fitzpatrick & Sons	Lansdowne Road (2nd portion)	878	10	0
Fitzpatrick & Sons	Wentworth Park (1st portion)	2826	6	11
Fitzpatrick & Sons	Cromwell Road	1130	17	2
Fitzpatrick & Sons	Abingdon Road (2nd portion).	657	18	4

1752 FOOTPATH FROM HOLDEN ROAD TO DOLLIS BROOK.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be directed to carry out temporary repairs to the above footpath at a cost not exceeding £12.

1753 PLANS.—

(a) No. 6392—Surface Water—Westbury Road Extension.—

(b) No. 6382—Three shops, Ballards Lane near Tally Ho!—
Mr. A. Dowdall.—

HIGHWAYS and FIRE & WATER (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the above plans be approved so far as this Committee is concerned, subject as regards the latter to the owner's entering into the usual agreement with the Council relative to the inspection chamber cover being placed on the highway.

1754 KERBING—BALLARDS LANE BY ENTRANCE TO VICTORIA RECREATION GROUND.—

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be authorised to proceed with the carrying out of the above work at a cost not exceeding £12.

1755 CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE—VOTE OF THANKS TO.—

RECOMMENDED that an expression of appreciation of the services rendered by Councillor Knowlman not only during the past year as Chairman of this Committee but also during the whole of the period of his association with the work of the Committee be recorded on the Minutes.

1756 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

A. KNOWLMAN,

Chairman.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

8th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Bowen (Chairman), Councillor Pateman (Vice-Chairman), Councillors Grocott and Wells, and Messrs. Robin, Stone and Tayler.

1757 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken and read, confirmed and signed.

1758 ALLOTMENTS.—

(a) Summers Lane—(Glebe Land).—A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the North Finchley Allotment League containing (i) an assurance that the allottees would be clear by the 25th March, 1928, of the land agreed to be surrendered; (ii) an intimation that the League were desirous of becoming a Registered Society under the Industrial and Provident Societies' Act, 1893, and of taking a 10 years' lease of the land which they at present held on an annual licence

Arising out of (i) it was

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, the agreed sums of compensation be now handed over to the members of the League in the manner prescribed by Minute No. 880 (1);
- (2) that, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health and of the Finance Committee, the various works referred to in paragraph No. 1460 (a) of that Committee's report of the 19th January, 1928, be put in hand notwithstanding the fact that the sanction of the Ministry of Health has not yet been issued to the Council.

As regards (ii) it was

RECOMMENDED (3) that, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee and of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, the League, as a Registered Society, be granted a 10 years' Lease of the land, which they at present hold on an annual tenancy, at a rental of £75 per annum.

It was further

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (4) that the League be permitted to use temporarily for allotment gardens (if necessary) the portion of Site " M " co-extensive with that portion of Site " P " situated on the western side of the hedge shown on Drawing No. 6302 ;
- (5) that the proposed roadway (K) on the Eastern side of the Northern portion of field " D " shown on Drawing No. 6302 as being of a width of 40ft., be constructed of a width of 20ft. only and that the land thereby conserved be thrown into fields " D " and " E " respectively.
- (b) Woodhouse.—Arising out of the consideration of a letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd., asking for permission to remove the crowns of a number of trees and wholly to remove one tree from the allotments, arrangements were made for a meeting of the Committee to be held on site on Saturday, the 17th. March, 1928.
- (c) Pointalls.—The recommendation of the Town Planning and Open Spaces Committee in regard to a letter dated the 2nd March, 1928, from the Pointalls and District Allotments Society, Ltd., was reported to and noted by the Committee.
- (d) Old Nursery Site.—A letter was submitted from the District Valuer stating that in connexion with the widening of Regents Park Road at its junction with the North Circular Road the Middlesex County Council were proposing to acquire the additional land tinted pink and green on the plan accompanying the communication and asking that if any allotment holders were affected the Council would undertake to deal with them in the same way as they had done on previous occasions on the understanding that the County would reimburse them the cost involved.

The Surveyor reported that the County Council's proposal would affect only plots Nod. 4 and 13 ; that the area to be taken from plot No. 4 was one pole and that the area to be taken from plot No. 13 was about 2 poles, but that the latter allotment was not under cultivation.

ALLOTMENTS (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that the matter be left in the hands of the Clerk to deal with.

1759 **FINCHLEY PLAYING FIELDS APPEAL COMMITTEE.**—The resolution passed at a recent meeting of the Finchley Playing Fields Appeal Committee, which had been referred to this Committee for consideration by the Council, was submitted.

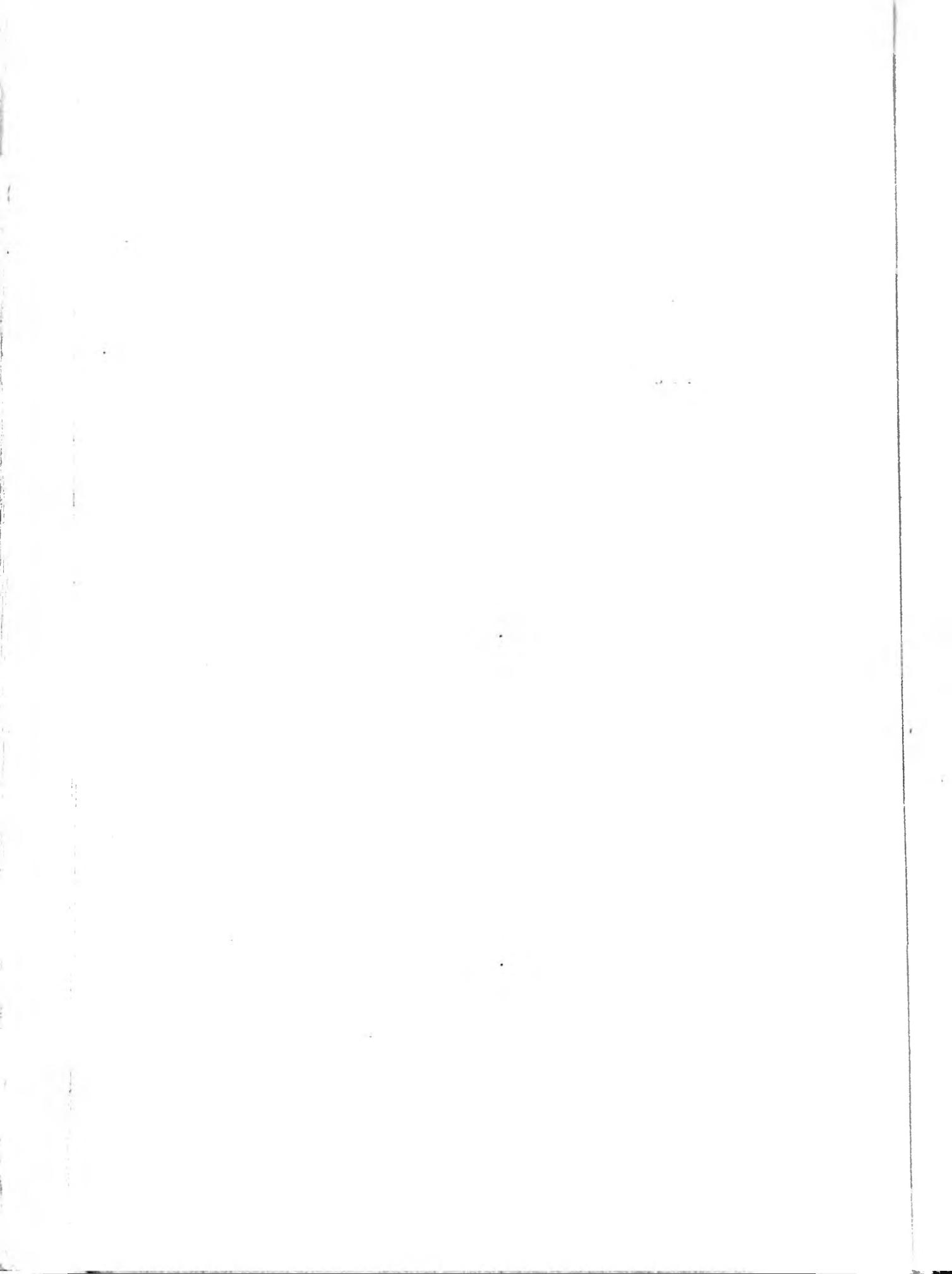
RECOMMENDED that consideration of the matter be deferred and that in the meanwhile the Whetstone Stray Allottees Association be asked to depute representatives to attend the next meeting of this Committee.

1760 **INSTRUCTIONS.**—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the Clerk and Surveyor of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

E. S. BOWEN,

Chairman.



EDUCATION COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

12th March, 1928.

Present: Councillors D. A. A. Merry (Chairman), S. J. Pocock (Vice-Chairman), F. J. Grocott, G. H. Pateman, H. G. Sommerfield, E. Toyne; County Alderman F. Goodyear; Mrs. A. S. Miall, Mrs. E. V. Timberlake and Mr. R. Williams.

1761 ACCOUNTS.—Accounts amounting to £5,926 14s. 10d. have been examined and passed to the Finance Committee for payment.

1762 ATTENDANCE RETURNS.—For the week ended the 10th February, 1928, the attendance returns were as follows:—

Schools	Official recognized accoun.	Accoun. per Council's policy	No. on books	Average Attend- ance	Percent- age
Council	4096	3369	2862	2562	89.5
Voluntary	1719	1484	1470	1332	90.5
Totals	5815	4853	4332	3894	89.8
Last year	5815	4853	4306	3648	84.7

1763 ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.—The Managers are considering the question of substituting electric light for gas in the Infants' Department of this school at an estimated expenditure of £117 10s. 0d., and ask that the Committee will contribute towards the cost.

RECOMMENDED that the Managers of the St. Mary's School be informed that in the opinion of the Authority the existing system of lighting in the Infants' Department is modern, and efficient for school purposes, and that in these circumstances they cannot see their way to contribute towards the cost of installing electric light in lieu of gas.

1764 LOCAL HIGHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE.—A letter has been received from Sir Benjamin Gott, Secretary to the Middlesex Education Committee, dated the 22nd February, 1928, as under:—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

" My Committee have had under review the scheme for the establishing of local higher education committees, under which, as you know, representatives are appointed, as to two-thirds from the Part 3 authorities district, and as to one-third by the County education committee.

The Scheme provides that the representatives from the Part 3 authority shall be appointed from amongst their members.

My Committee are of opinion that it would be an advantage to Part 3 authorities, should they so desire, to be able to appoint representatives on Local Higher Education Committees who were not necessarily members of the authority.

They have, therefore, modified the Scheme by omitting the words 'from among their members' from Clause A, which now reads as follows:—

' Local Higher Education Committees shall be appointed as to one-third by the County Education Committee, one of their nominees to be a woman, and as to two-thirds by the Part 3 authority, a due proportion to be from among their co-opted members, and to include one woman at least.' "

1765 TRADE SCHOLARSHIPS.—The Secretary to the Middlesex Education Committee has forwarded the lists of successes at the recent Trade Scholarship examination for 1928; the under-mentioned Finchley children have been successful:—

Scholar.	School now attending.	Trade School at which scholarship is tenable.	Course of instruction.
BOYS.—			
White, Cecil	North Road	Enfield	Engineering.
White, Wm.	North Road	Enfield	Engineering.
Bugden, Bert.	Long Lane	Tottenham	Building.
Truscott, R.	Long Lane	Tottenham	Building.
GIRLS.—			
Coulson, Gwen.	Long Lane	Tottenham	Dressmaking.
Lines, Daisy	Squires Lane	Tottenham	Dressmaking.
Venables, F.	Long Lane	Tottenham	Dressmaking.

EDUCATION (*continued*).

1766 ERECTION OF A NEW SCHOOL.—The Secretary to the Middlesex Education Committee has forwarded a notice of the erection of a new public elementary school at Friern Barnet for the accommodation of about 300 scholars.

1767 RESIGNATION.—Miss G. Cundy, assistant mistress Squires Lane Girls' School, has submitted her resignation to take effect on the 31st March, 1928, as she had obtained a post in a central school at Nottingham.

(At a previous meeting it was decided, in view of the number of children in attendance and the re-organization at this school to take effect on the 1st April next, not to appoint a successor to Miss Cundy at present).

1768 PIANO TUNING CONTRACT.—

RECOMMENDED that the present contract with Mr. D. Griffith, of Finchley, be renewed, to the 31st March, 1929, to tune the school pianos at a cost of 13s. 0d. each piano per annum (four tunings each).

1769 REQUISITIONS.—**RECOMMENDED—**

- (1) that requisitions as set out on the list circulated to members be approved;
- (2) that the requisitions for the first of the three terms of the financial year 1928/29, as set out in the Requisition Books, be approved.

(It has been resolved that the head teachers be required to confine their requisitions for the next financial year within specified amounts).

Annexed

1770 SCHOOL SPORTS.—

RECOMMENDED that half holidays be granted as under on the occasion of school sports, and that application be made to the Council for the use of the Recreation Ground:—

EDUCATION (*continued*).

School, etc.	Date.	Ground.
Schools' Athletic Assn.	7th June.	Glebe.
Long Lane	19th May.	Recreation.
North Road	May.	Recreation.
Christ Church	May.	Glebe.

1771 WAGES OF CARETAKERS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- Annexed*
- (1) that in lieu of the existing method of payment by wages and bonus, the remuneration of the caretakers be stabilized as and from the 1st April, 1928;
 - (2) that from the 1st April, 1928, the wages of the caretakers be revised and fixed as shewn in the schedule circulated to members.

(The revised wages mentioned above shall cover all duties connected with the work of the caretaker, including additional assistance hitherto provided during certain holidays, and the ordinary school washing of towels and dusters).

1772 PHYSICALLY DEFECTIVE BOY.—A boy whose name is set out in the Education Minute Book, was admitted to the St. Vincent's Orthopædic Hospital on the 25th June, 1927, and discharged on the 18th December, 1927. This Authority undertook responsibility for his education and maintenance while there at a charge of £90 per annum, the parent contributing weekly at the rate of £26 per annum.

The Hospital Surgeon is now anxious that the boy should be re-admitted for a further operation on the foot, and the Hospital ask if this Authority will again accept responsibility.

RECOMMENDED that the Authority undertake responsibility in respect of this case for a period not exceeding two months, provided the parent undertakes to contribute half the cost, namely at the rate of £45 per annum.

D. A. A. MERRY.

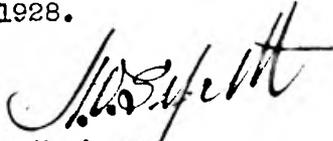
Chairman.

Finchley Urban District Council - Education Committee.

Requisitions - March, 1928.

		<u>Estimated cost.</u>
		£. s. d
Albert Street School:	1 staff room chair.	2.10. -
Squires Lane School:	Cover pipes in latrines.	6.15. -
North Road School:	3 chairs, £6; 3 rugs, £5; 1 cupboard, £4½ (staff rooms)	13.10. -
Long Lane School:	1 gas copper, domestic subjects centre.	4.14. -
	1 gas oven (staff room)	3. 7. 3
St. Mary's School:	20 desks.	28.10. -
Schools:	25½ doz. electric light shades.	12. 4. 1
	36 handbooks on Health Education.	18. -
School Medical Service:	Drugs and apparatus.	8.16. 2

This is the list of requisitions referred to
in paragraph 1769 of the Education Committee's
report of the 12th March 1928.


Chairman

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WAGES OF CARETAKERS - REVISION.

School	Accom.	Caretaker	Age	Appointed	Present wages, bonus, extra holiday cleaning, washing allowance, etc.		Revised stabilised remuneration per week
					Per annum £. s. d.	Per week £. s. d.	
x Long Lane	1,102	Glenister, Mr.	35	1913 1927	House, fuel and light 52. - . - 131.19. -	1. - . - 2.10. 9	£. 1. 2.1
x Albert St.	1,004	Sheldrake, Mr.	57	1918		199.16. -	3.16.10 4.
		Taylor, Mrs	62	1911	House and	90.11. 4	1.14.10 1.1
Squires Lane	990	Rice, Mr.	41	1912		175.14. -	3. 7. 7 p3. 7
x North Road	1,000	Odell, Mr.	42	1924		169. 4. -	3. 5. 1 3.12
St. Mary's	534	Cushing, Mr.	40	1918		154. 3. -	2.19. 3 3. -
Holy Trinity	432	Dodd, Mr.	52	1918		119.17. -	2. 6. 1 2. 7.
St. John's	324	Demott, Mr.	40	1924		122. 9. -	2. 6.11 2.10.
Christ Church	429	Shuttleworth, Mr.	68	1904		128.19. -	2. 9. 7 2.12.

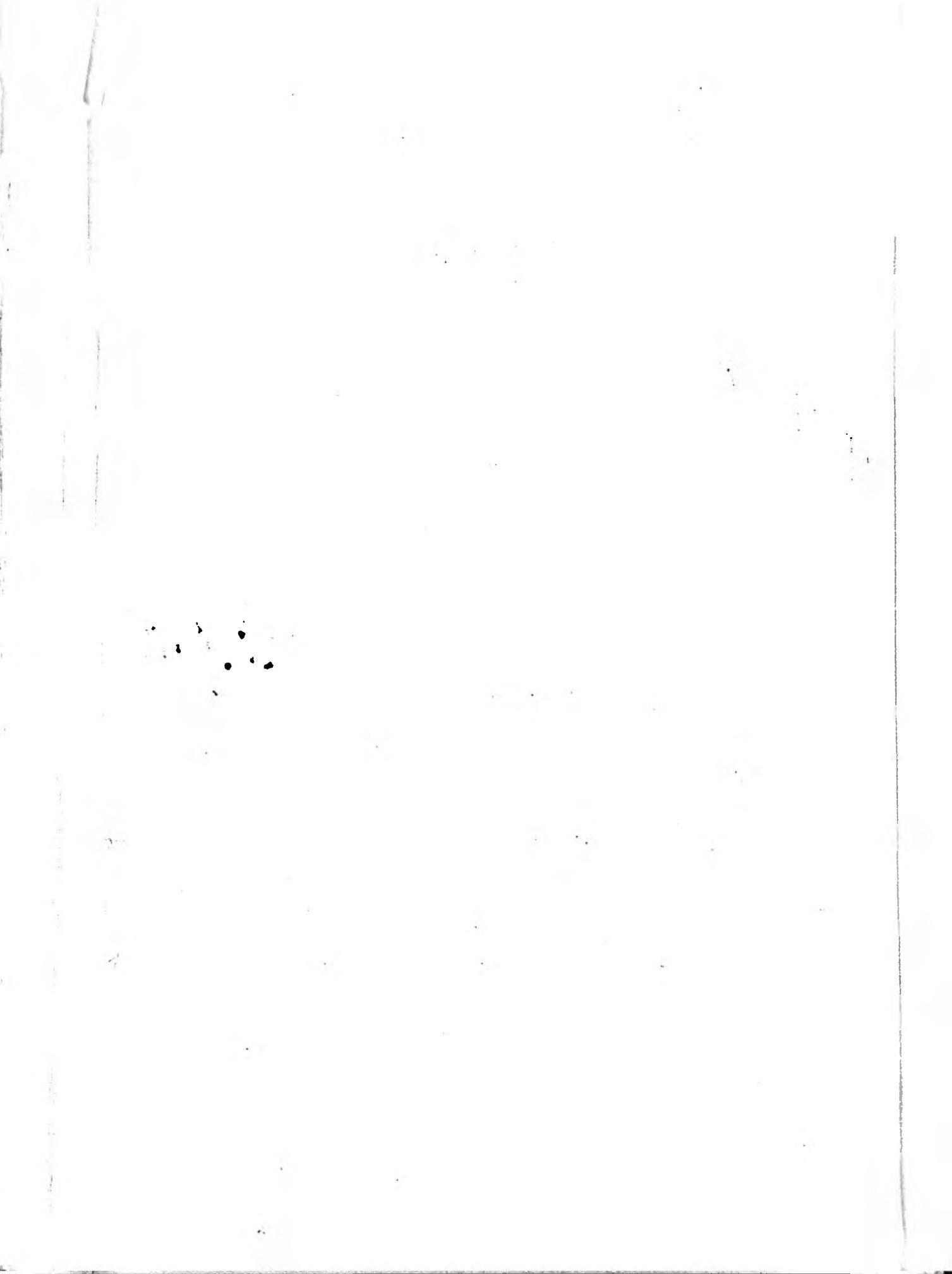
x Special subjects centres in use at these schools.

February, 1928.

H. S. Smith
Chairman.

This is the schedule referred to in paragraph 1771 of the Education Committee's report of the 12th March 1928.

∅ To be considered at the expiration of present period of probation.



GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

13th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Toyne (Chairman), Councillors Agar, Knowlman, Pike, and H. O. Syrett, and Councillor Pateman (non-member).

1773 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1774 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved, subject, as regards those for 1928/9, to the Committee's estimates for the ensuing year, being agreed by the Council.

Annexed

1775 COUNCILLOR BROADBENT—ILLNESS OF.—The Committee learned with much regret that Councillor Broadbent had been taken ill suddenly, and the Clerk was directed to communicate with Mrs. Broadbent, expressing the hope that her husband might make a speedy recovery.

1776 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—GREAT NORTH ROAD TO COLNEY HATCH LANE.—The Clerk reported that he had recently had a call from Mr. County Alderman Goodyear on this matter, when the latter informed him that he had been asked by the County Council to look into the same; that he had furnished Mr. Goodyear, at his request, with a copy of the correspondence which had taken place, and that, with a view to facilitating the negotiations, Mr. Goodyear would be glad if two or three members of this Council would meet representatives of the County Council, to discuss the question;

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council, the Chairman of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee, and the Chairman of this Committee be appointed for this purpose.

1777 OPEN SPACES—PROPOSED GOLF COURSE.—The Chairman of the Council indicated the action which had been taken in regard to this matter, since the last meeting of the Council.

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued).

1778 YEAR BOOK, 1928/29.—The Clerk reported that he had obtained a number of quotations for the printing of the above, and had accepted that submitted by Mr. G. F. Amory (the lowest).

1779 ELECTION OF URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILLORS—2nd APRIL, 1928.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the use of the Council Offices as Offices for the purpose of the above-Election.

1780 COUNCIL OFFICES—CLOSING OF—EASTER VACATION.—

RECOMMENDED that the above Offices be closed on Good Friday, the following Saturday, and on Easter Monday, subject to an Official in each Department being in attendance on the Saturday to deal with any urgent business.

1781 SPECIAL COMMITTEE *re* HOUSING.—The Committee decided that a further meeting of the above Committee be held on Wednesday, 11th April, 1928, at 8 p.m.

1782 REGISTRAR OF LOCAL LAND CHARGES—INSURANCE.—Referring to Minute No. 255, the Clerk submitted a number of quotations which he had received in respect of a policy of insurance proposed to be effected on his behalf as Registrar of Local Land Charges. He also submitted a letter from the Ministry of Health, dated 12th March, 1928, stating that the Minister did not think that the case was one in which he could properly give a sanction under the Local Authorities (Expenses) Act, 1887, and suggesting that the Council might award the Clerk additional remuneration for his services as Registrar, the amount to be fixed so as to cover the cost of the premiums, on the understanding that he would pay the premiums;

RECOMMENDED that in these circumstances the Clerk be granted an increment in salary of £15 per annum, as from the 1st April, 1928, on the understanding:—

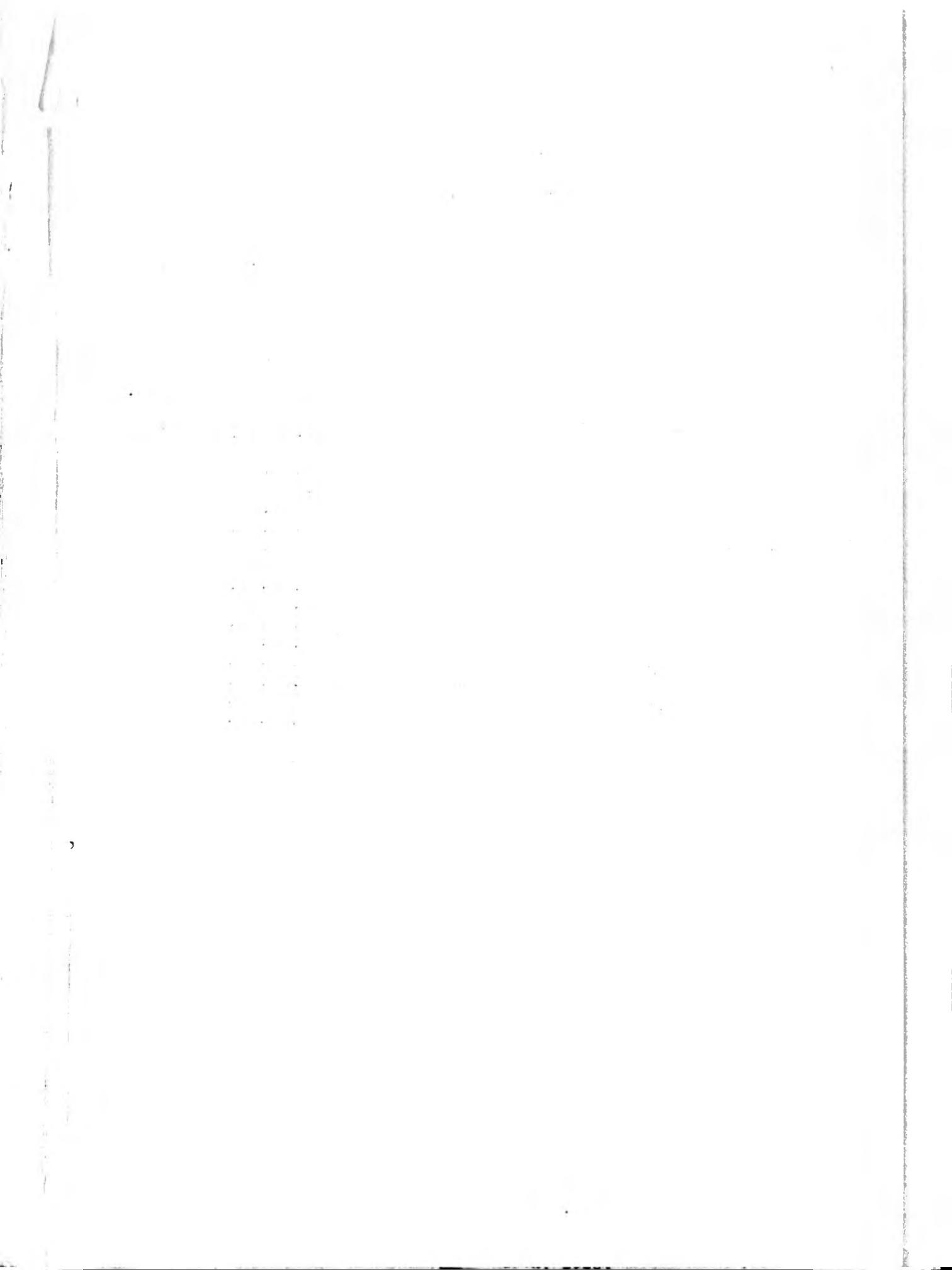
- (1) that he will arrange to effect the insurance in question and pay the premiums in respect thereof;
- (2) that such increase in salary will not rank for superannuation.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY
GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - MEETING - 12th MARCH, 1928

REQUISITIONS.

1927 - 28.

Amount of estimate	£8,893. 0. 0.
Amount previously requisitioned	8,577.15. 1.
<u>Ordered since last meeting.</u>	
500 notices - renumbering streets	-.17. 6.
Indexing Council Minutes 1926/27	£. 6. 0.
Advertising Sale of House	1. 8. 0.
1,000 Notices - Town Planning Scheme	1. 5. 0.
Advertising special meeting of Council	1. 1. 0.
do. printing of Minutes (2 papers)	2. 5. 0.
Notices re Supplemental Valuation List	-.10. 6.
Hire of Cars	3. 0. 0.
3 tons House Coal	5. 9. 6.
1,000 Pay Sheets	3. 3. 0.
1 Bank Pass Book	4. 9. 6.
Rubber Stamp	-. 4. 0.
Hire of Car - Rate Summons	1.8 . 2.
500 Forms - Fire Expenses	1. 1. 0.
Now Outer Cover for Bicycle	-.11. 6.
100 Notices to Lodgers - Rating & Valuation Act	-.12. 6.
	£8,611. 7. 3.



Amount of estimate \$5,976. 0. 0

Clerk's Department

Printing Council Minutes & Reports March/ April 1928	30. 0. 0
Binding - "Justice of the Peace" Reports separately	1. 8. 0.
1,000 Acknowledgment Postcards	-.17. 6
6 bottles Obliterone	-. 9. 0
Public General Acts 1927	-. 9. 3

Valuation Department

Printing 250 envelopes	-. 4. 6
Cupboard for General Office	2.15. 0

Surveyor's Department

6 Stores Day Books	3. 3. 0
6 triplicate postcard books	1. 6. 0
250 envelopes 14" x 9" "Tender for"	-.15. 0
250 envelopes - foolscap do.	-. 4. 0
1 binder M.D. 2816)	
200 "Centrix" loose Leaves)	1. 5. 0
10,000 Commercial envelopes	3.10. 0

Drawing Office

1 rolls 30" Imperial Tracing Cloth	3.12. 0
1 roll 30" paper	-.16. 6
1 roll 30" tracing paper	-. 6. 9
2 rolls 30" detail paper	-.15. 0
4 rolls printing linen	5. 6. 0
8 rolls printing paper	2.17. 4
3 bottles Higgins blue ink	-. 4. 6
1 bottle Higgins black ink	-.14. 0
1 doz. each H.B. & 3H. Royal Sovereign Pencils	-. 7. 6
1 paper for 14 ft. board	-. 5. 0
1 piece polished plate glass	-. 7. 6

Public Health Dept.

250 forms - petroleum spirit (B)	2.10. 0
250 " ditto (a)	1.17. 6
1/2 doz. "Sift" binding cases (Quarto)	-.17. 0
" do. do. (foolscap)	1. 1. 0
300 Intimation Notices (Letter Form)	-. 17. 6
250 filing folders	-.15. 0
1 doz. refills for telephone pad	-.13. 0
Printing of Annual Report (M.O.H.)	30. 0. 0

Finance Department & Stores

1 doz. Royal Sovereign Pencils H.B.	-. 3. 9
2 boxes Waverley Pen Nibs	-. 9. 0
750 Summons Sheets	1.16. 0
2 doz. 60 w. Lamps	1.17. 0
25 reams quarto duplicating paper	2.18. 4
Rubber stamps	-. 4. 0
2 boxes Flexograph pen-nibs	-. 9. 0

\$109. 3. 5

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13TH MARCH, 1928.

WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REQUISITION.

"0" = expended or on order.

		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODBHOUSE DWELLINGS.		
		1st Scheme.			Assisted Scheme.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Estimated amount for repairs on 15% basis.		209	5	0	404	5	0
REQUISITION BROUGHT FORWARD.		413	7	9	622	17	7
144	Wages and team labour.	37	0	8	16	19	11
145	Stores transfer.	8	12	7	5	8	3
146	Repair gas cookers. 171, Summers Lane and 13, Ingleway.						- 14 6
147	Remove old boiler, supply and fit new boiler and 1½" flow and return pipes from boiler to hot tank, supply and fit draw-off tap and make good, etc.				72		8 4 1
148	Repair burst pipe in roof.				162	8	5
149	Do. Do.				63		- 11 3
150	Provide and fit 1 - 6lb. 1½" sink trap.				173		- 12 3
151	Remove old, provide and fix new 20 gal. ⅜" plate hot water tank.				70		3 10 3
152	Do. Do.				57		3 10 3
153	Do. Do.				73		3 10 3
154	Remove old boiler, supply and fit new boiler and 1½" pipes to safety valve, making good, etc.				73		5 11 2
Carried forward.		£	459	1	0	£45	14 2
						754	8 9 :

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		SQUIRES LANE DWELLINGS.			WOODHOUSE DWELLINGS.			1st Scheme. Assisted Scheme.		
		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forward.		459	1	0	645	14	2	754	8	9
Req. No.										
155	0 Provide and fit 6lb. 1½" sink trap.	22 & 34 Ingleway.								
156	0 Clean out hot water boilers and pipes and make good.	1, 34 & 39 Do.								
157	0 Do.	12, 41, 55, Crescentway.								
158	0 Do.	5, 11, 17, Upway.								
159	0 Do.	12, Crossway								
160	0 Do.	139, Summers Lane.								
		£ 459	1	0	645	14	2	763	7	3
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<u>Note.</u> Includes for external painting.		166	-	-	247	-	-	4		

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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

9th MARCH, 1926.

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GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE - 13TH MARCH, 1928.

AVENUE HOUSE.

REQUISITION - 1ST APRIL TO 11TH MAY, 1928.

ESTIMATE. (Not yet approved)	£ 2000 0 0
Less Costs, etc. and Insurance.	476 0 0

	£ 1524 0 0
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"0" = expended or on order.

Req. No.	Item No.			
161	1	Wages.	72	0 0
162	3	10 ft. pruner; 6 birch brooms;)		
163		1 edging iron; 1 truck basket;)		
164		1 scythe complete; 1 pair pruners;)	2	2 5
165		2 trowels; 5 packets flower seeds.)		
166		20" motor mower.	60	0 0
167	6	Construction of path.	238	0 0
168	7	Front gates.	50	0 0
169	8	Protection at ponds.	100	0 0
170	9	Fencing and repair.	25	0 0
171	10	Uniform.	10	0 0

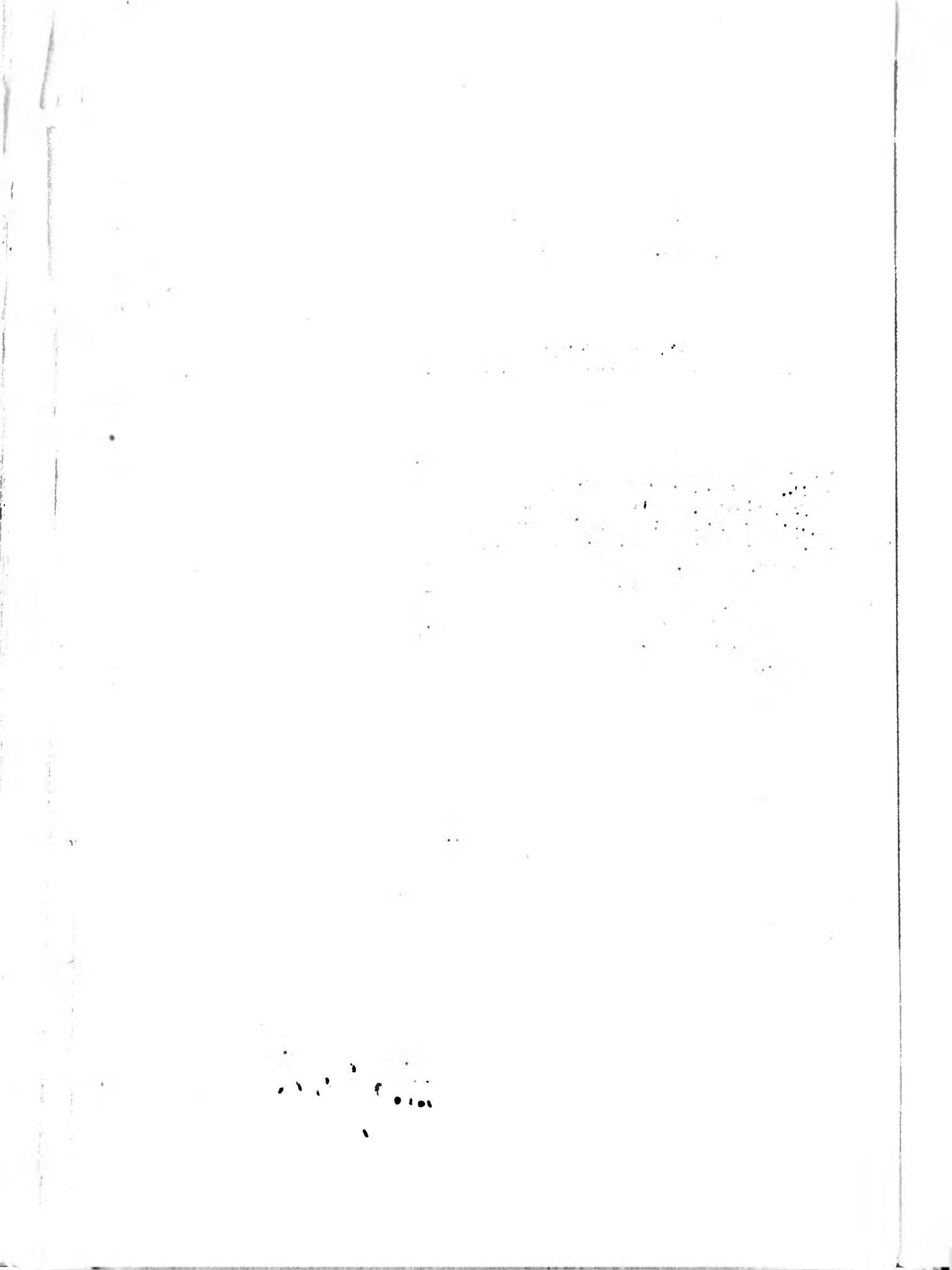
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PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

9TH MARCH, 1928.

These (including this and the four preceding pages) are the lists of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1174 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 13th March 1928.

A. S. Smith
Chairman.



GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1783 GREYHOUND RACING TRACKS.—A communication, dated 3rd March, 1928, received from the National Emergency Committee of Christian Citizens hereon, was submitted;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1784 BARNET UNION—PARISH OF ELSTREE.—Referring to the recent application of the Elstree Parish Council for increased representation of that Parish on the Barnet Rural District Council, and the Board of Guardians for the Barnet Union, the Clerk reported receipt from the Middlesex County Council of an Order made by the Joint Committee of the Hertfordshire and Middlesex County Councils, under which Elstree had been allocated three, in lieu of two, Rural District Councillors.

1785 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—ACCIDENTS.—

(a) J. H. Betts, deceased.—A communication was submitted from Mrs. Betts, thanking the Council for the weekly grants made to her until her claim had been settled. The Clerk reported that he was in communication with the Insurance Company, with a view to recovering from them the total amount advanced by the Council, and that he was expecting to receive a remittance from them in the course of the next few days.

(b) W. Hill.—The Surveyor reported further hereon;

RECOMMENDED that the arrangement mentioned in Minute No. 746 be continued until the next meeting of this Committee, when the matter be reviewed.

1786 ROYAL COMMISSION ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.—The Committee had before them the letter dated 24th February, 1928, from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association hereon, which was, at the last meeting of the Council, referred to them for consideration, with power to act. The letter stated that a Committee of the Executive Council had for some time been engaged in the preparation of the evidence to be given before the Commission, on behalf of the Association, and that to assist them with this evidence, they desired to know whether this Council had any observations to offer on the evidence of the County Councils' Association, and particularly on their evidence under the following Headings:—

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

- (a) Highways.
- (b) Public Health.
- (c) Isolation Hospitals.
- (d) Water Supplies.
- (e) Sewage Disposal.
- (f) Maternity and Child Welfare.
- (g) District Medical Officers.
- (h) Sale of Food and Drugs.
- (i) Theatre and other similar licences.

The Clerk was instructed :—

- (a) to communicate forthwith with the Association, stating that this Council heartily support them in any efforts which may be made to counteract attempts on the part of County Councils to encroach upon the powers already possessed by Urban Authorities, and to express the hope that the Association will be strong and determined in their opposition ;
- (b) to prepare, in consultation with the Chairman of the Council, and the Chairman of the Committee, a detailed statement, setting out this Council's views on the subject, and to submit same to the Association ;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1787 CHARITY TRUSTEES.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk of the Finchley Charities, drawing attention to the fact that the appointments of the Revd. S. B. Mayall, the Revd. S. A. Gray, Mr. S. Pulham, and Mr. E. Loder, as Representative Trustees, would expire shortly ;

RECOMMENDED that the above-mentioned gentlemen be re-appointed as Charity Trustees for a period of four years from the 1st April, 1928, provided they are prepared to seive.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1788 URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION — ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1928.—It was reported that the above Conference would be held at Ambleside in June next;

RECOMMENDED that the Chairman of the Council and the Clerk be appointed to represent the Council thereat.

1789 PUBLIC BATHS—SUPERINTENDENT.—The recommendation of the Public Health Committee hereon was reported and approved.

1790 STAFF.—

(a) Absence through illness.—The names of two members of the Staff who had, since last meeting, been absent through illness, were submitted;

(b) Clerk's Department—Office Boy.—The Clerk reported that, since last meeting, Mr. P. Maule-finch had resigned, and left the service of the Council on the 3rd March, 1928; that he had appointed Mr. Lidster, a student at Clark's College, Finchley, to the position, at a wage of 15/- a week, and that he commenced his duties on Monday, 12th March, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken by the Clerk be approved.

(c) Clerk's Department—Temporary Typist.—The Clerk reported that, owing to pressure of work in his Department, he had found it necessary to engage a temporary typist for five days at a cost of 12.6 a day;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Clerk, and the above expenditure, be approved.

(d) Clerk's Department—Appointment of Junior Typist.—The Clerk reported that he had been considering the question of meeting the large increase of work in the Department, and had intended recommending the appointment of a General Male Clerk, but that, on further consideration, and by making certain re-arrangements, he had found that he would be able to manage for the present, if the Committee would authorise him to appoint

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

a Junior Typist at a salary not exceeding £80 per annum;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (e) Valuation Department.—A communication was submitted from the Clerk to the Valuation Committee, stating that Mr. R. Jones, a Temporary Clerk in that Department, left the service of the Council on the 7th March, 1928; that Mr. C. R. Davill had been appointed in his stead, and that he commenced his duties on the 8th March, 1928. The letter added that at the last meeting of the Valuation Committee it was decided that it was imperative that an Outdoor Assistant should be appointed for a period not exceeding three months, and that, acting upon instructions, Mr. R. J. K. Relph had been appointed at a salary of £3 10s. 0d. a week, and that he commenced his duties on the 29th February, 1928;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

- (f) Finance Department—Junior Clerk.—It was reported that the probationary period of three months, for which Mr. F. G. McMinn had been appointed, had now expired; further that he had passed satisfactorily a medical examination;

RECOMMENDED that Mr. F. G. McMinn be placed on the permanent staff, with effect from the 26th March, 1928.

- (g) Surveyor's Department—Temporary Typing Assistance.—The Surveyor reported that, owing to pressure of work in his Department, he had found it necessary to engage temporary typing assistance from the 17th to the 22nd February, 1928, at a cost of 30/-;

RECOMMENDED that the action of the Surveyor, and the above expenditure, be approved.

- (h) Surveyor's Department — Temporary Town Planning Assistant.—

RECOMMENDED that notice be given to Mr. R. T. Marsh terminating his engagement with the Council, and that such notice expire on the 31st March, 1928.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

1791 PUBLIC HEALTH CONGRESS AND EXHIBITION, 1928.—A circular letter was submitted from the Chairman of the Public Health Congress Organising Committee, inviting the Council to appoint delegates to the above Congress;

RECOMMENDED that no action be taken in the matter.

1792 HOUSING SCHEME No. 4.—The Surveyor reported that he had appointed Mr. A. A. N. Sealey, who was Clerk of Works in connection with the Destructor, to act in a similar capacity as regards the above, at a wage of £6 per week;

RECOMMENDED that this be agreed.

1793 AVENUE HOUSE—SUPERINTENDENT'S QUARTERS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the tender of Messrs. C. Halls & Sons at the sum of £135 8s. 6d., for the carrying out of decorative works at above, be accepted, and that the Clerk be directed to prepare the necessary Contract;
- (b) that an allowance at the rate of £2 10s. 0d. a week be granted to Mr. Westgate, the Superintendent, from the date of the commencement of his duties until the quarters are ready for occupation.

1794 PAINTING—WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS.—The Surveyor reported that the amount of the Contractor's tender for this work was £413, and the actual cost £412 18s. 10d.

1795 AVENUE HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE.—A report of a meeting of the above Sub-Committee, of the 23rd February, 1928, as under-printed was submitted and considered:—

Present: Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P. (Chairman), Councillors Broadbent, Pateman, Pike and Wells.

- (1) REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER.—The Clerk reported that Messrs. Lees & Co. had informed him that when they attended at the Land Registry for the purpose of registering the transfer of the property to the Council, it was discovered that there was a small strip of land on the north boundary of the estate (abutting upon "The Avenue") which appeared to have been registered in another title,

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

namely that of Mr. Edmunds as tenant for life; that it was not known whether this had arisen by mistake or otherwise, but Messrs. Lees & Co. had suggested at the instance of the Officials of the Land Registry, that the Register should be rectified in order to include this small piece of land in the title of the Council, provided Mr. Edmunds would be willing to concur in such arrangement; that as the cost of investigating the title thoroughly would be rather large owing to the settlements affecting the property, the Council should offer to pay £3 3s. as part payment of Mr. Edmunds' costs for having the Register rectified, thus obviating the possibility of any legal claim being made to the strip of land in question.

It was also reported that the above-mentioned strip of land comprised about 520 yards super.

The Clerk was instructed to request Messrs. Lees and Co. forthwith to make an offer of the payment of £3 3s. towards the cost of rectifying the Register as above mentioned. If, however, such sum were not accepted, then the Clerk should be authorised to agree an amount not exceeding £10 10s.;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (2) **AERATED BREAD COMPANY'S LAND.**—Arising out of paragraph (1), the Surveyor reported that he had had some correspondence with the above Company with regard to the boundary separating Avenue House from their property;

RECOMMENDED that the Surveyor be instructed to continue his negotiations and report further on the matter at the next meeting of the Subcommittee.

- (3) **CLAIM BEFORE WAR COMPENSATION COURT.**—The Clerk reported that upon the joint claim which had been lodged by the Executors of the Will of Mr. Stephens and the Council the War Compensation Court had awarded the sum of £3,027 12s. 10d. and also £15 by way of costs.

The Clerk pointed out that out of the sum of £3,027 12s. 10d. the Executors had so far claimed as their share approximately a sum of £450 for linoleum, missing furniture, Surveyor's fees and removal of furniture, and a

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

sum of £48 14s. 10d. (approximately) in respect of missing fittings and that they would also in all probability claim a proportion of the £15 awarded in respect of costs.

The Clerk further reported that Messrs. Lees & Co. having perused the claim of the Executors with regard to missing fittings, were of opinion that the Executors were entitled to the said sum of £48 14s. 10d. or at any rate a large proportion of it. In order to effect a settlement, they suggested that the Council should make an offer to the Executors to pay to them the sum of £33.

With regard to costs, the Clerk suggested that a sum not exceeding £3 3s. should be paid to the Executors as their share.

The Clerk was instructed to intimate to Messrs. Lees and Co. that they should endeavour to effect a settlement on the lines suggested above with regard to the missing fittings and costs, and that failing agreement thereon the matter be left to the Chairman of the Council to settle;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

- (4) **ESTATE DUTY AND SUCCESSION DUTY.**—The Clerk reported that the Controller at the Estate Duty Office had agreed to waive the right to any further interest since 1922, provided that the amounts assessed to that date were paid immediately.

The amounts of such assessments were:—

Interest on Estate Duty	...	£167	9s.	4d.
Interest on Succession Duty		£133	4s.	3d.

It was reported that the matter had been considered by the Finance Committee, who had recommended the Council to make the payments asked for.

- (5) **SANCTION TO LOAN.**—The Clerk reported that he had now received from the Ministry of Health sanction to the temporary borrowing by the Council by way of loan or overdraft of the sum of £1,851 to meet certain expenses and costs. He also submitted a statement showing the financial position;

GENERAL PURPOSES (continued)

RECOMMENDED that the Finance Committee, when considering the estimates for the coming year, be asked to consider the advisability of taking up the loan in whole or part.

- (6) **BYE-LAWS.**—The Clerk submitted a letter of the 29th November, 1927, which he had received from the Ministry of Health, and also a memorandum enclosed therewith.

It was stated in such memorandum that it was doubtful whether grounds where the public were subject to a multitude of bye-laws were better managed than those where reliance was placed upon the general law and ordinary good feeling; further, it was suggested that Local Authorities should not adopt Model Bye-Laws at all unless they had fully satisfied themselves that they were necessary and that (if Bye-Laws were adopted) acts which were comparatively innocuous should not be made criminal unless there was some exceptional reason;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk draft a few short regulations, with the approval of the Chairman of the Council, and then submit same to the Council for formal ratification.

- (7) **USE OF THE HOUSE.**—

- (i) The Sub-Committee decided to leave this matter in abeyance for the time being.
- (ii) A letter was submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the Local Branch of the National Association of Local Government Officers, and no doubt the Chairman will report thereon.

- (8) **OPENING OF THE GROUNDS TO THE PUBLIC.**—The Sub-Committee considered this matter, and after discussion it was

RECOMMENDED that the formal opening of the grounds to the Public be fixed for Thursday, the 3rd May, 1928; that the arrangements for the occasion be left in the hands of the Chairman, the Clerk and the Surveyor; and that the relatives of the late Mr. Stephens be notified.

H. O. SYRETT,
Chairman.

GENERAL PURPOSES (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that, with the exception of paragraph 8, the report be received and adopted.

Arising out of the said paragraph the Chairman of the Council reported that it had now been suggested that the Avenue House and grounds might be opened to the public on the 14th of April, 1928, and that a hearty invitation had been given to H.R.H. the Duke of York to attend on that occasion and kindly declare the grounds open to the public for ever—the date in question being that on which the exhibition match between the Finchley and Barnet Rugby Football Clubs was to be played, at which the Council had at last meeting decided to ask if H.R.H. and the Duchess of York would graciously attend.

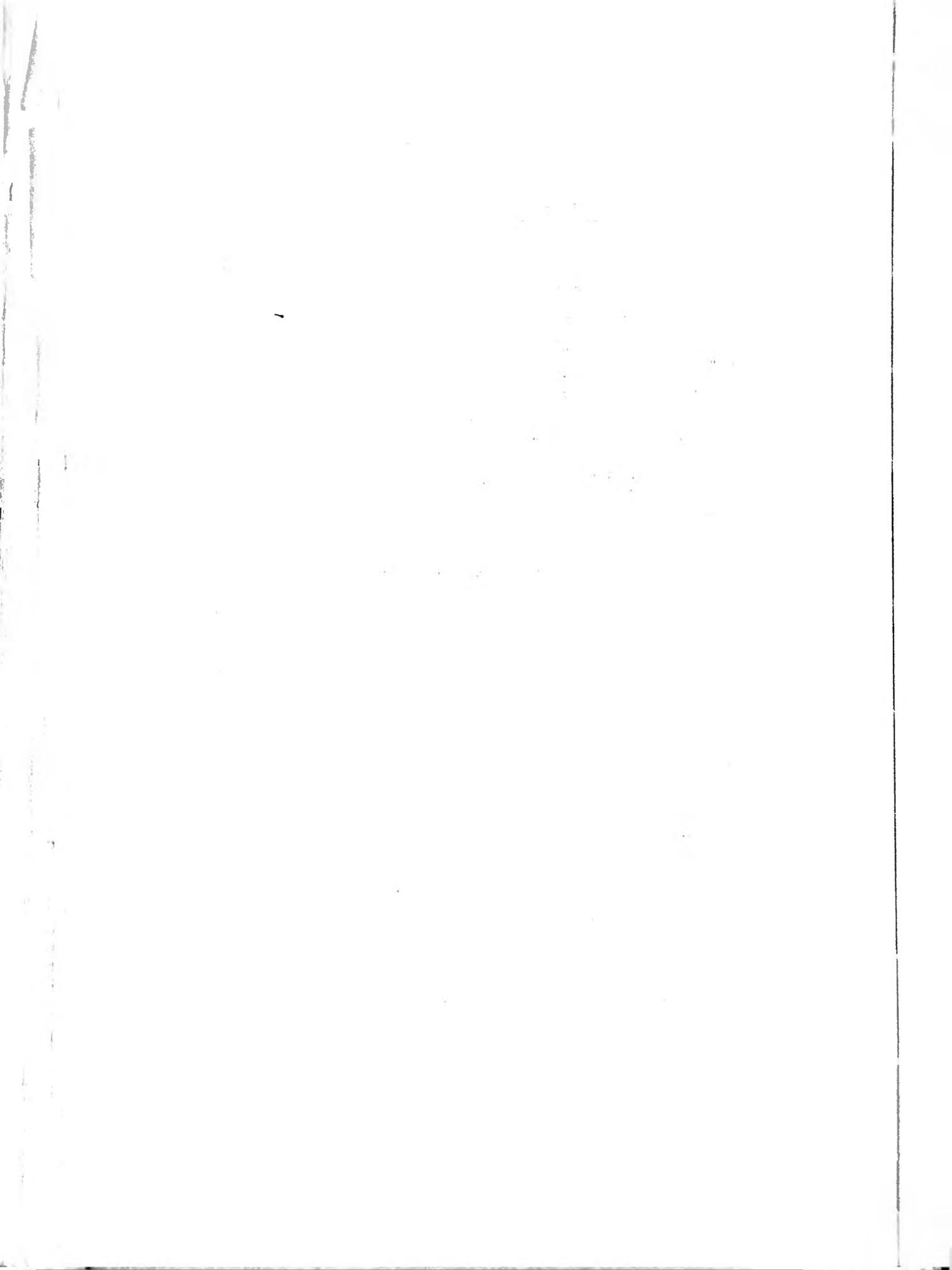
RECOMMENDED (1) that the action taken be approved and that the proposal be heartily supported by the Council; (2) that the relatives of the late Mr. Stephens be also invited to attend the Opening Ceremony.

1796 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several **Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books,** be approved.

E. TOYNE,

Chairman-



ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th March, 1928.

Present: Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Ryan, H. O. Syrett and Wade, Mr. R. A. Marples and Major R. Marx.

1797 CHAIRMAN.—

RESOLVED that in the absence of the Chairman, Councillor H. O. Syrett occupy the Chair.

1798 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1799 REQUISITIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the lists of requisitions (circulated) be approved. *Annexed*

1800 ACCOUNTS SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Committee received and adopted the report of the above Sub-Committee.

1801 COAL.—It was reported that the present stock of usable coal was about 950 tons, as compared with 900 tons at last meeting, and that the stock of Bohemian Brown Coal remained as before.

1802 SUB-STATION SITE—HOLLY PARK.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that a chestnut pale fencing was erected on one side of this site, but that, as the adjoining owner had not fenced the other side, a chestnut pale fence should be erected there at a reasonably early date. He intimated that the cost of the work was estimated at £9;

RECOMMENDED that the carrying out thereof be approved.

1803 NEW BOILER.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that, in accordance with instructions, he had placed the order for a new boiler with Messrs. Clarke, Chapman & Company similar to the one under their previous contract; that he had visited Newcastle on the 5th, 6th and 7th March for the purpose of going thoroughly into the matter, and had agreed a price of £10,450, including certain steam piping which was originally part of the extension turbine details; that the construction of the boiler was

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

now in hand, and that the date for completion was the 15th September next, subject to a penalty of £20 a week. He also intimated that the expenditure in connexion with preliminary details, Clerk of Works, etc., would probably involve the sum of about £100. The Chief Electrical Engineer further reported that, as in the case of the previous Boiler, he had arranged with the Boiler Insurance Company to carry out a close inspection of the steel plates and manufacture of the Boiler and economiser.

1804 APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPLY.—The Chief Electrical Engineer submitted the following report :—

Applications for Supply	8424 =	402353 lamps of 33 watts.
Last meeting	8391 =	399525 " " "
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Increase	33 =	2828 " " "
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Lamps connected		342316 lamps of 33 watts
Public lamps (1468)	4634	" " "
High c.p. lamps (46)	805	" " "
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Total	347805	" " "
Last meeting	345497	" " "
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Increase	2308	" " "
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Applications in hand but not yet connected	*36 =	2212 lamps of 33 watts

* The figure of 36 includes extensions to existing installations as well as new installations.

1805 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT.—

- (1) Mains.—It was reported that, in accordance with instructions, mains had, since last meeting, been laid in Essex Park;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given to extend the mains as follows :—

REQUISITIONS.

REVENUE.

Emergency Requisition.....	400. 0. 0.	
2 Extension Ladders.....	5. 0. 2.	
Motor Pump.....	12. 0. 0.	
Portable Coal Conveyer.....	150. 0. 0.	
Repairs to Stoker Motor.....	4.10. 0.	
5 Tons Coke.....	8. 5. 0.	
24 Swan-neck Fittings.....	53.12. 0.	
Repairs Boiler Brickwork.....	60. 0. 0.	
288 Battery Plates.....	119.16. 0.	
Motor Parts.....	10. 0. 0.	
Testing Meters.....	10. 0. 0.	
12 Plain Lamp Columns.....	39.18. 0.	
3 Meter Lamp Columns.....	15.15. 0.	
56 lbs. Insulating Tape.....	13. 8. 0.	
2 Tons Cement.....	5. 8. 0.	
6 Time Switches.....	39. 0. 0.	
500 Gallons Lubricating Oil.....	68.15. 0.	
400 Yards 3/.036 V.I.R. Wire.....	4.17. 0.	
400 Yards 7/.036 V.I.R. Wire.....	7.18. 0.	
24 Locks for Lamp Columns.....	3. 6. 0.	
10 Cwt. Box Compound.....	32.13. 4.	
56 lbs. Block Tin.....	7. 9. 4.	
Cleaning 24 Gross Sponge Cloths.....	12. 2. 0.	
200 Gallons Paraffin.....	6. 5. 0.	
400 Gallons Petrol.....	20. 0. 0.	
Motor Vehicle Repairs.....	10. 0. 0.	
Meters.....	300. 0. 0.	
1,000 Tons Coal.....	1200. 0. 0.	
Carting 1000 Tons Coal.....	112.10. 0.	
30 Tons Fuel Oil.....	154. 5. 0.	
Testing Fuel.....	5. 0. 0.	
3,000 Application Forms.		
2,000 Reference Slips.		
50 Swan Neck Globes.		
12 Vent Column Globes.		
2 Gross Yards Single Flexible.		
1 Gross Lamp Holders.		
8. H.T. Batteries.		
At an estimated cost of....	<u>25. 1. 9.</u>	<u>2916.14. 7.</u>

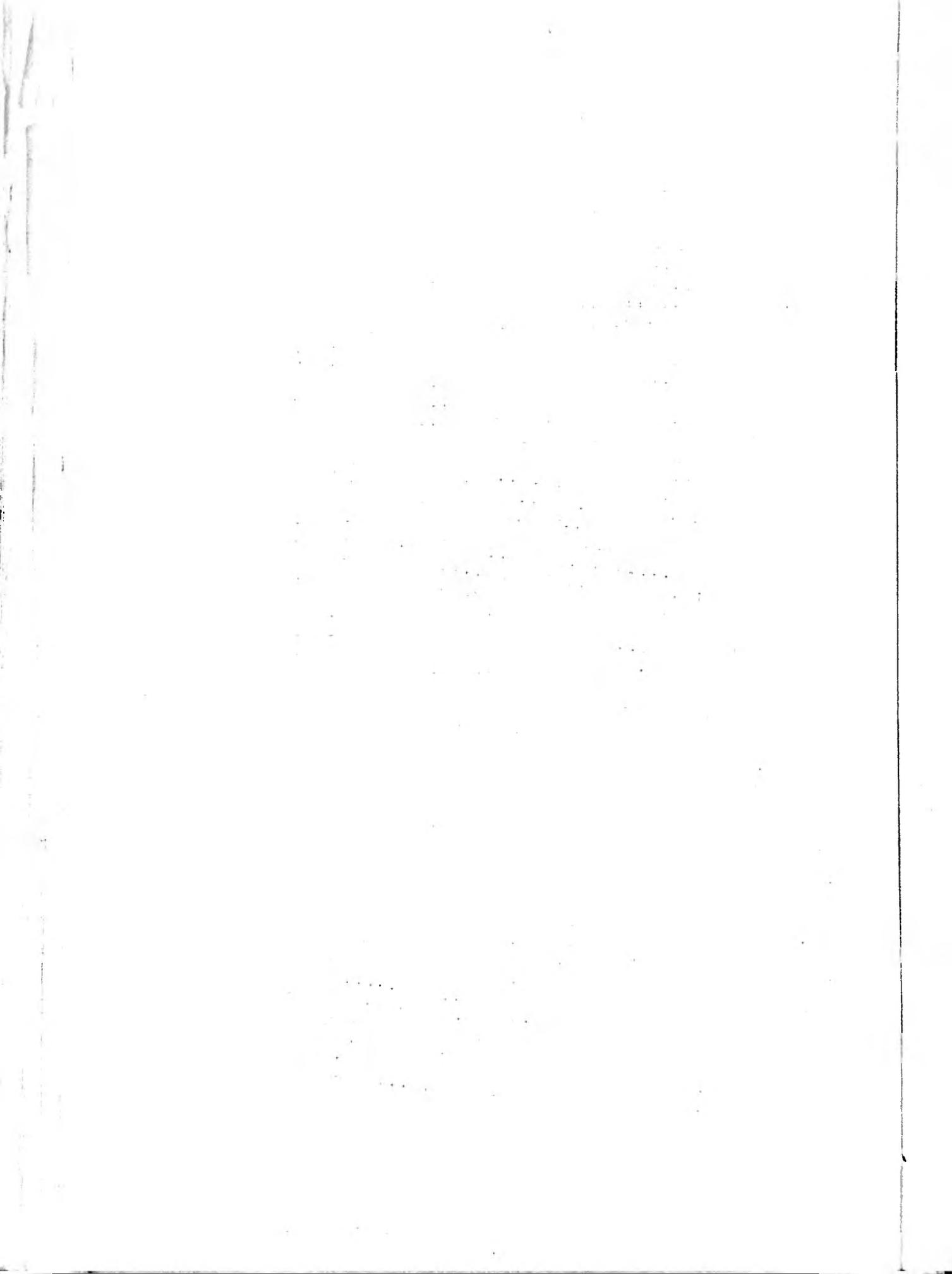
CAPITAL.

2,000 Yards Tarred Boards.....	41.15. 4.	
500 Yards .12 Three Core Cable.....	252. 0. 0.	
500 Yards .2 Three Core Cable.....	340. 0. 0.	
1,000 Yards .0225 Concentric Cable.....	130. 0. 0.	
1,000 Yards .0225 Twin Cable.....	143. 0. 0.	
2. 3 Way Network Boxes.....	<u>55. 5. 0.</u>	<u>941.18. 4.</u>

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This is the list of requisitions referred to in paragraph 1799 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th March 1928.

A. D. Smith
Chairman.



ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

	Estimated Cost.
	£
Creighton Avenue	215
Summers Lane ...	340
Leopold Road ...	150
South Crescent ...	215

- (2) Sub-Station Extensions, 1928—Percy Road.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that he was not yet in a position to place before the Committee his estimate of the cost of extending this Sub-Station by an additional equipment of 150 kilowatts, but that he hoped to have the figures available at an early date; further, that the proposed equipment would be similar to that already installed. The Committee instructed the Chief Electrical Engineer to place full details of the scheme (including the cost of the original Sub-Station and equipment) before the Council, in Committee, for consideration;

RECOMMENDED that the action taken be approved.

1806 ELECTRICITY CHARGES—IRRECOVERABLE ARREARS.—

RECOMMENDED that the amounts set out in the statement circulated be written off as irrecoverable.

Annexed

1807 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1926—SOUTH-EAST ENGLAND ELECTRICITY SCHEME, 1927.—

- (a) A communication, dated 17th February, 1928, was submitted from the Central Electricity Board, forwarding two copies of the above-mentioned Scheme as adopted by the Board, together with two copies of a Memorandum on the Scheme;
- (b) A letter, dated 25th February, 1928, was submitted from Messrs. Lees & Co., in which they stated that they gathered that no further action in connexion with the Scheme now made by the Board was contemplated;

Annexed

RECOMMENDED that a reply in the affirmative be forwarded to them.

- (c) The Clerk submitted copy of a Memorandum on the Scheme prepared by the Honorary Secretary of the Conference of Local Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings in Greater London.

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

1808 ELECTRICITY SUPPLY, 1925/26.—Print of a Return of Engineering and Financial Statistics received from the Electricity Commissioners was submitted.

1809 ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACTS, 1882/1926—LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES ELECTRICITY DISTRICT ORDER, 1925.—A letter, dated 13th March, 1928, from the Clerk and Solicitor to the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority was submitted.

1810 ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—The Clerk reported as follows :—

“An interview took place with the Electricity Commissioners on the 1st March, 1928, when there were present the Chairman of the Council, Councillor Agar, the Chief Electrical Engineer and myself.

The interview was with Mr. Lackie, one of the Commissioners, who stated, at the outset, that it had been arranged to afford a bulk supply to the Council, and that the Central Board were only awaiting the lapse of a month from publishing the Order relating to the South-East England Electricity Scheme before dealing with the matter.

The Council's representatives then pointed out the legal difficulties in the way of such a bulk supply, and urged the Commissioner to recommend the sanction of the loan of £24,000 for the 3,000 k.w. set, for which application was made to the Commissioners in June, 1926. The Commissioner did not at first appear to be impressed with such a proposal, but ultimately, when the suggestion was made to him that the Council would be prepared to pay one-half of such sum of £24,000 out of reserve, leaving only therefore a sum of £12,000 to be sanctioned by the Commissioners, he frankly admitted that his original view had been shaken, and that he would be prepared, personally, to put forward such a proposal to the Commissioners and support it. It was pointed out, on behalf of the Council, that such a proposal would have the additional advantage of enabling the legal position, as regards a bulk supply, to be cleared up in the interim, a matter in which the Central Board and the Commissioners were equally as interested as the Council.

SOUTH DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Electricity Charges - Irrecoverable Arrears - Statement
referred to in the Electricity Committee's Report of
14th March, 1928.

Consumer's No.	Previous to 1927	March 1927	June 1927	Sept. 1927	Decr. 1927	Total
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
S 142				-. 5. 3		-. 5. 3
S. 405			-.11. 8	-. 4. 1		-.15. 9
S. 645			-.11. 8			-.11. 8
S. 693		4. 6. 6	-. 1. 4			4. 7.10
S.1374	-.14. 5					-.14. 5
S.1554				-. 3.11		-. 3.11
S.2778				-. 5. 3	-. 6. 4	-.11. 7
S.2483				-.17.11	-.14.11	1.12.10
S.3590		-. 8.10				-. 8.10
S.3724		2.19. 4	-. 5.10	1. 2. 1		4. 7. 3
S.3927			-. 7. 6	-.14. 0		1. 1. 6
S.4064			-. 8. 7	-. 5. 6	-. 6. 1	1. 0. 2
S.4071			-.5 .10	-. 8. 3		-.14. 1
N. 9	-. 9. 4	-.10. 0	-. 5.10			1. 5. 2
N. 619	1. 2. 1					1. 2. 1
N.1615				2. 1. 3		2. 1. 3
N.2292	-.18. 0					-.18. 0
N.2754		-.10. 0	-. 5.10			-.15.10
N.2842					1.15. 6	1.15. 6
N.2851				-.19. 7	1.17. 2	2.16. 9
N.2910		-.12. 1				-.12. 1
N.2956	2.10. 8	-.10. 0				2. 0. 8
N.2181/2					2. 7. 6	2. 7. 6
C. Forward	5.15. 6	9.16. 9	3. 4 .1	7. 7. 1	7. 7. 6	33.10.11

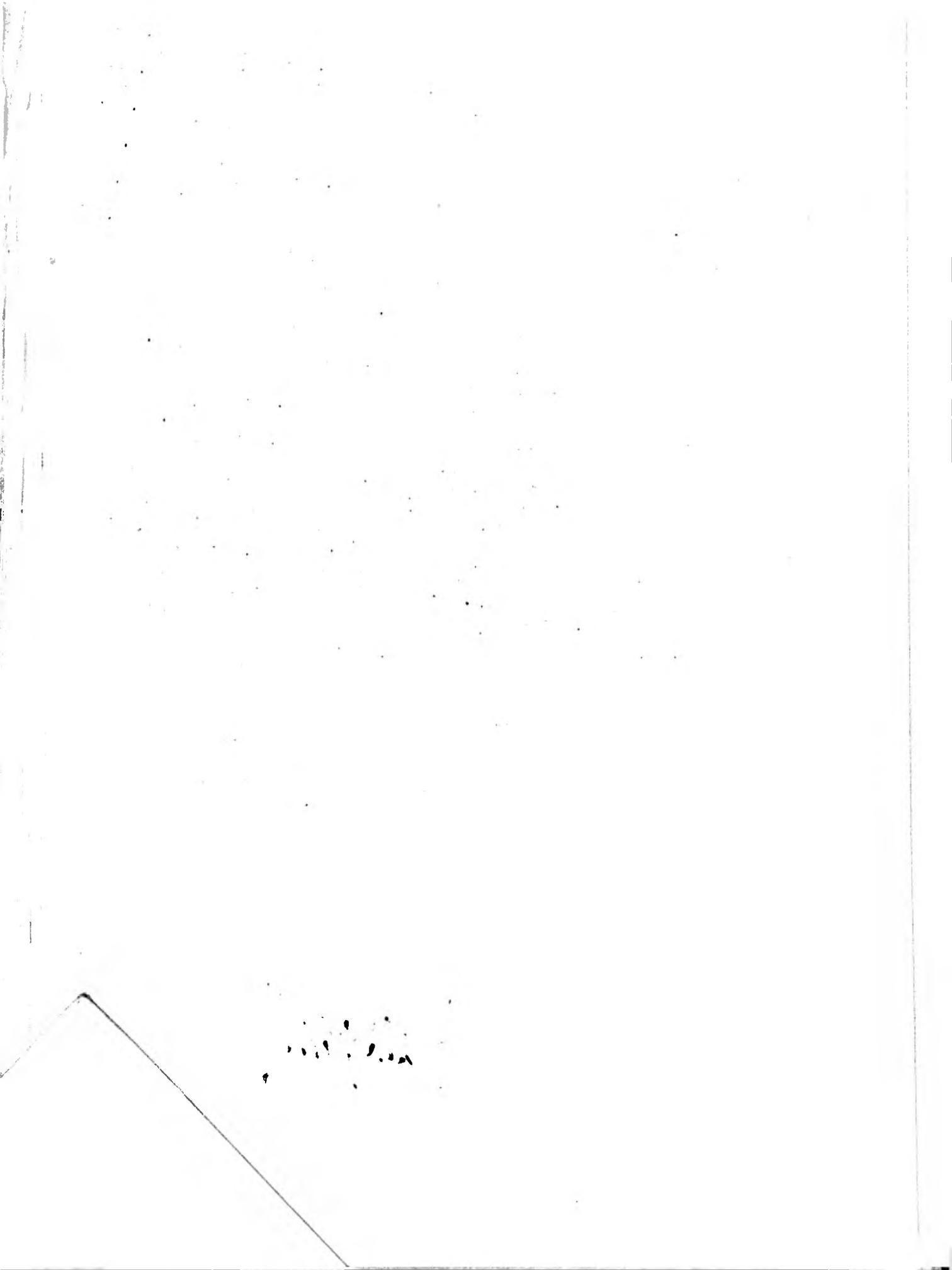
Consumer's No.	Previous to 1927	March 1927	June 1927	Sept. 1927	Decr. 1927	Total
C. Forward	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
N. 2302	8.13. 3 -. 9.11	9.13. 9	3. 4. 1	7. 7. 1	7. 7. 3	32.10.11 -. 9.11
N. 2711					3. 8. 5	3. 8. 5
N. 2765				-.18. 0	-. 4. 1	1. 2. 1
N. 4013					-. 9. 3	-. 9. 3
N. 4508				-.10.11	-. 5.11	-.16.10
N.4591			-. 6. 1			-. 6. 1
N. 4509	-. 9.11					-. 9.11
N. 5177				1. 1. 8	-.16. 2	1.17.10
N. 5223			-.10.11	-. 5. 3		-.16. 2
N. 5563				1. 6. 5	-.16. 2	2. 2. 7
N. 5902		1.13. 9				1.13. 9
N. 5910		2. 6. 7	-.1. 2			2. 7. 9
	6.15. 4	13.17. 1	4. 2. 3	11. 9. 4	13. 7. 6	49.11. 6

~~Irrecoverable summons fees (South District)~~

Irrecoverable summons fees (South District) £ -.19. 4
ditto (North District) £ 1. 0. 6

This (together with the preceding page) is a copy of the statement referred to in paragraph 1806 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th March 1928.

Mosyell
Chairman.



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING - PLANT.

Letter sent to the Secretary of the Electricity Commission,
referred to in the Electricity Committee's report of 14th March '28.

15th March, 1928

Sir,

EXTENSION OF GENERATING PLANT - Proposed
Loan - £24,000.

In June, 1926, my Council made application to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to a loan of £24,000, for the purpose of installing a 3,000 k.w. set and contingencies.

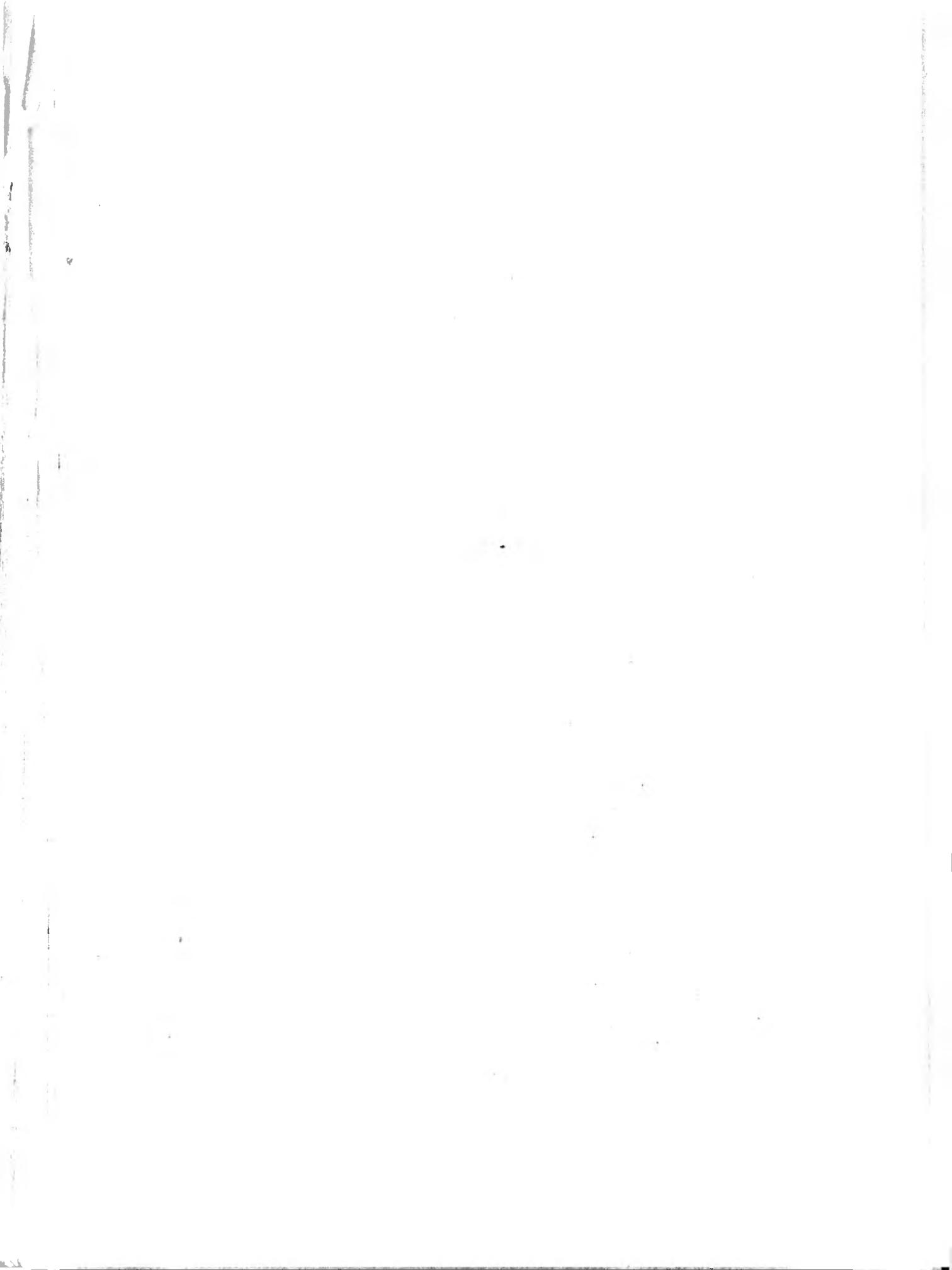
It is unnecessary to reiterate here the many steps taken by the Council to obtain the Commissioners' sanction to that loan. It will suffice to point out that on the 28th November, 1927, the Council were referred to the Central Electricity Board by the Commissioners on the matter, and to set out what took place at that interview.

The Central Electricity Board, at the outset of such interview, made their position clear, by stating that, unless the Council had been referred to them by the Electricity Commission, they would not have found themselves called upon to deal with it.

At the interview which took place on the 20th December, 1927, the Council had the benefit of the assistance of Sir Lynden Macassey, K.C., and he put before the Central Board the Council's case in support of their application for sanction to the before-mentioned loan. Sir Lynden, in his statement before the Board, drew attention to the fact that the Electricity Commissioners had not dealt with the Council's application in the manner in which they were required by law to deal with it, and stated that in his view the Council would be justified in issuing proceedings against the Commissioners to require them to carry out their statutory duty. He further pointed out that the view of the Commissioners, as expressed in the last paragraph of their letter of the 28th November, 1927, before-mentioned, was inaccurate, and that the Commissioners' duty was clearly to treat the Council's application as one made prior to the passing of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926. Sir Lynden pointed out that serious legal difficulty in the way of accepting a bulk supply via the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, and urged the Board to use their utmost endeavours with the Commissioners to the end that the Council might obtain the sanction to the loan of £24,000, for which application had been made in June, 1926.

The Chairman of the Central Board, at the conclusion of the interview, intimated that he would communicate with the Electricity Commissioners, and if possible expedite the matter.

It was also pointed out at the meeting with the Central Board - as was abundantly manifest from the correspondence - how the Council had been pitched about from pillar to post in connection with their application, in respect of which, however, no finality had been reached.



Not hearing anything further as the result of the said interview, either from the Central Electricity Board or from the Commissioners, letters of the 18th February, 1928, were addressed by my Council to both these bodies, and on the 24th February, 1928, a telephonic message was received from the Electricity Commission, to the effect that an interview had been arranged between Mr. Lackie, one of the Commissioners, and representatives of the Council at the offices of the Commission. A deputation consisting of the Chairman of the Council, Councillor Agar (Chairman of the Finance Committee), the Electrical Engineer, and the Clerk of the Council, attended such interview, when Mr. Lackie stated that the matter of the Council's application had been carefully considered, and that it had been decided to afford a bulk supply to the Council, to supplement their present output. No particulars were given as to the price, source, or date when such supply would be available; this would be given later, said Mr. Lackie, when the Order had been published for the statutory period.

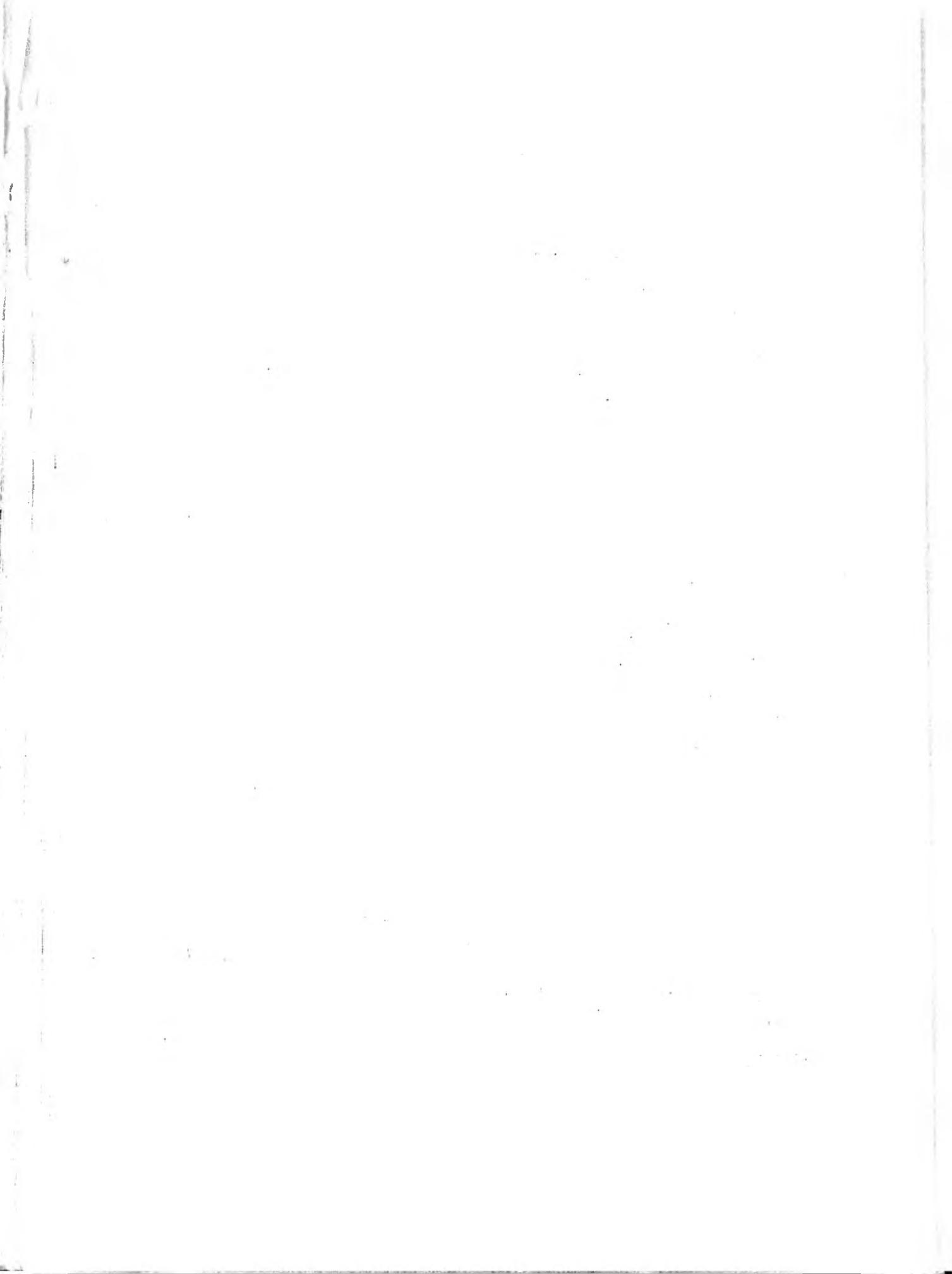
The Council's representatives demurred to this proposal, and pointed out the urgency of considering their original application for sanction to the loan. A bulk supply, even if available for the coming winter, would be fraught with legal difficulties, as was demonstrated by production of Sir Lynden Macassoy's Opinion on the question, and might ultimately lead to the Council finding itself with the responsibility of the winter load upon it without the necessary supply.

As the Commissioner appeared to place stress upon the fact that the sanction to the loan would have the effect of over-capitalisation, a proposal was made to him by the Council's representatives that if the Commissioners would sanction one-half of the loan applied for, namely £12,000, the Council would itself be prepared to pay the other half of the amount of the loan applied for out of reserve fund. This proposal appeared to meet the objections of the Commissioner, and he ultimately admitted that his original views had been shaken, and that he would recommend the proposal to the Commissioners as one for acceptance and support it. It was pointed out that the proposal would have the additional advantage of enabling the legal position, as regards a bulk supply to be cleared up in the interim - a matter in which the Central Board and the Commissioners were equally as interested as the Council.

To the utter astonishment of my Council - in view of the fact that the Commissioner, whom they were asked to interview presumably had power to deal with the matter - a letter dated 8th March, 1928, has now been received from the Electricity Commissioners, stating that they have been in further communication with the Central Board, and have been informed by the Board that they will provide for a bulk supply to the Council. My Council is determined not to accept a bulk supply unless

- (a) the legal difficulties mentioned by Sir Lynden Macassoy are safely surmounted;
- (b) the price thereof is reasonable and the supply will certainly be available by the date required.

No information is yet available on either of the above points.



The proposals made to the Electrical Engineer at an interview with Mr. Hobson of the Central Board on the 13th instant do not cause my Council to hope that a bulk supply will be a solution of their immediate needs, and in view of the absolute urgency of the matter, I am directed to request that the Electricity Commissioners will forthwith proceed to deal with the Council's application for sanction to the before-mentioned sum of £24,000 in respect of a 3,000 k.w. set as they are required by law to do.

It will be appreciated that my Council has been more than patient under the treatment it has received. It is determined that the matter must be settled forthwith, and unless this is done it is intended to take proceedings to require the Commissioners to deal with my Council's application or to bring the matter before Parliament, or to take such other steps as they may be advised.

As the Council will have the whole matter under consideration at its meeting on the 26th March, 1928, it is requested that a definite reply may be received from the Commissioners before that date.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgnd) E. H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

This (together with the two preceding pages) is the letter to the Electricity Commissioners referred to in paragraph 1810 of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th March 1928.


Chairman,

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ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

It was also explained to the Commissioner that an application would be made to the Commissioners, quite independently of the above proposal, for sanction to a loan to cover the cost of a new boiler.

A letter, dated 8th March, 1928, has since been received from the Commissioners, stating that they have been in further communication with the Central Electricity Board, and have been informed that the Board would provide any necessary mains for the purpose of a bulk supply to the Council. Further, that the Commissioners understand that the general question has been discussed between representatives of the Central Board and the Joint Authority, and that a representative of the Board has arranged to meet the Council's Electrical Engineer on the 13th instant to submit a proposal with regard to a bulk supply to the Council."

The Electrical Engineer reported upon an interview with Mr. Hobson, of the Central Electricity Board above referred to, and stated that he had been given orally a tentative price at which a bulk supply would be afforded to the Council, but this did not cause the Committee to hope that a bulk supply would be a solution of the Council's immediate needs. The Clerk then submitted draft of a communication proposed to be addressed to the Electricity Commissioners, requesting them forthwith to deal with the Council's application for sanction to the loan of £24,000 in respect of the installation of a 3,000 k.w. set, for which application was made in June, 1926. Such draft letter, with a slight addition, was approved by the Committee, and the Clerk was instructed to transmit same to the Electricity Commissioners forthwith, and also to forward a copy thereof to each member of the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the action taken be approved;
- (b) that this Committee be authorised to take such steps as they may consider necessary, in order to obtain a definite reply from the Commissioners to the letter above-mentioned;
- (c) that, in the event of the sanction of the Electricity Commissioners being received to the 3,000 k.w. Turbine, the Electrical Engineer be instructed to

ELECTRICITY (*continued*).

endeavour to arrange with the makers for substitution of the 3,000 k.w. set for the smaller replacement Turbine;

- (d) that the Electrical Engineer, in the meantime, endeavour to arrange a further interview with Mr. Hobson, of the Central Electricity Board, with a view to obtaining, if possible, further proposals from the Board, and to request them to submit, in writing, the terms on which they are prepared to afford to this Council a bulk supply.

1811 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman, *pro tem.*

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

14th March, 1928.

Present: Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillors Sommerfield, Toyne and Wells, and Councillors Briant, Knowlman, Merry and Pike (non-members).

1812 MINUTES.—The Minutes of last meeting were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1813 TREASURER'S AND ACCOUNTANT'S STATEMENTS.—These were submitted.

1814 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

(a) Loan—£50,000.—The Clerk reported that he had made the necessary application to the Ministry of Health herein, and that he anticipated that the sanction would be to hand before the meeting of the Council;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that application be made to the Public Works Loan Board for a loan of £50,000 to be taken up by instalments as and when required;
- (2) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the draft Mortgage;
- (3) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the engrossment thereof;
- (4) that the stamp duty on Mortgage and Declaration and the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

(b) Advances—£8,305.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that advances with interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum be made to the applicants mentioned in the list circulated herewith subject to satisfactory references being received;
- (2) that the Clerk take up from the Public Works Loan Board the sum of £8,305 (being the amount of such advances) in the following manner:—

List Annexed

FINANCE (*continued*).

As to the sum of £4,205, under, and as the tenth and last instalment of the principal monies secured by, the Mortgage dated 18th June, 1927;

As to the sum of £4,100, as the first instalment of the new loan of £50,000 referred to in (a) above;

- (3) that the Clerk be authorised to approve the Orders for Certificate;
- (4) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and to the receipts therefor;
- (5) that the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council;
- (6) that the granting of advances of £690, £620, and £680 (in addition to the said sum of £8,305) to the respective persons opposite to whose names in such list those sums are severally indicated be approved, and that the advances be made as and when required by the applicants.

In accordance with the authority delegated to this Committee by the Council it was

RESOLVED that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the Public Works Loan Board for advance to the Council of the sum of £8,305.

(c) Approved Advances.—The Accountant reported that, including the sums recommended at this meeting (but excluding the before-mentioned sums of £690, £620 and £680), the Council would have approved advances amounting to £354,100.

(d) Arrears of Instalments.—

Advance No. 203—41, Summerlee Avenue.—Referring to paragraph 1631 (d) of the Committee's last report, the Clerk intimated that a cheque post-dated to the 16th instant had been received from the Mortgagor in discharge of the arrears of principal and interest.

HINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES UNDER THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.

M A R C H, 1928.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Nature of interest.	Amount applied for.	Period for re- payment.	Purchase price.	Valuation
				£.	years.	£.	£.
505.	Wallington, E. A.	28, St. Margaret's Avenue.	F	650	20	910	885
506.	Eyre, H. A.	2, Oakwood Road.	L. 92 yrs.	580	20	750	725
507.	Landeg, Mrs. R. M.	63, Birley Road.	L. 99 yrs.	685	20	900	860
508.	Rosenthal, D.	20, St. Margaret's Avenue.	F	730	20	925	915
509.	Anderson, D. W. R.	21, Fursby Avenue.	L. 99 yrs.	650	20	825	825
510.	Ranco, E. H.	7, Clifton Avenue.	L. 79 yrs.	760	20	1,000	950
511.	Colman, L. G.	36, St. Margaret's Avenue.	F	700	20	895	870
512.	Whitelaw, R. A.	2, Midholm.	L. 91 yrs.	500	20	650	625
513.	Morley, F. E.	Nethercourt Avenue.	F	670	20	825	850
514.	Johnson, H. W.	52, Summerlee Avenue.	L. 95 yrs.	600	20	700	800
515.	Carter, E. C. & F.	1, Falkland Avenue.	L. 99 yrs.	640	20	825	800
516.	Appleton, L. E. C.	25, Fursby Avenue.	L. 99 yrs.	660	20	825	825
517.	Langmaid, E. L.	4, Claverley Villas.	L. 76 yrs.	480	20	675	600

£ 8,305

REQUIRED LATER :-

Harper, J. G.	15, Totteridge Lane.	F	690	15	875	865
Appleton, H. T.	37, Fursby Avenue.	L. 99 yrs.	620	20	775	775
Snewry, T. A.	30, Hayward Road.	L. 99 yrs.	680	20	850	860

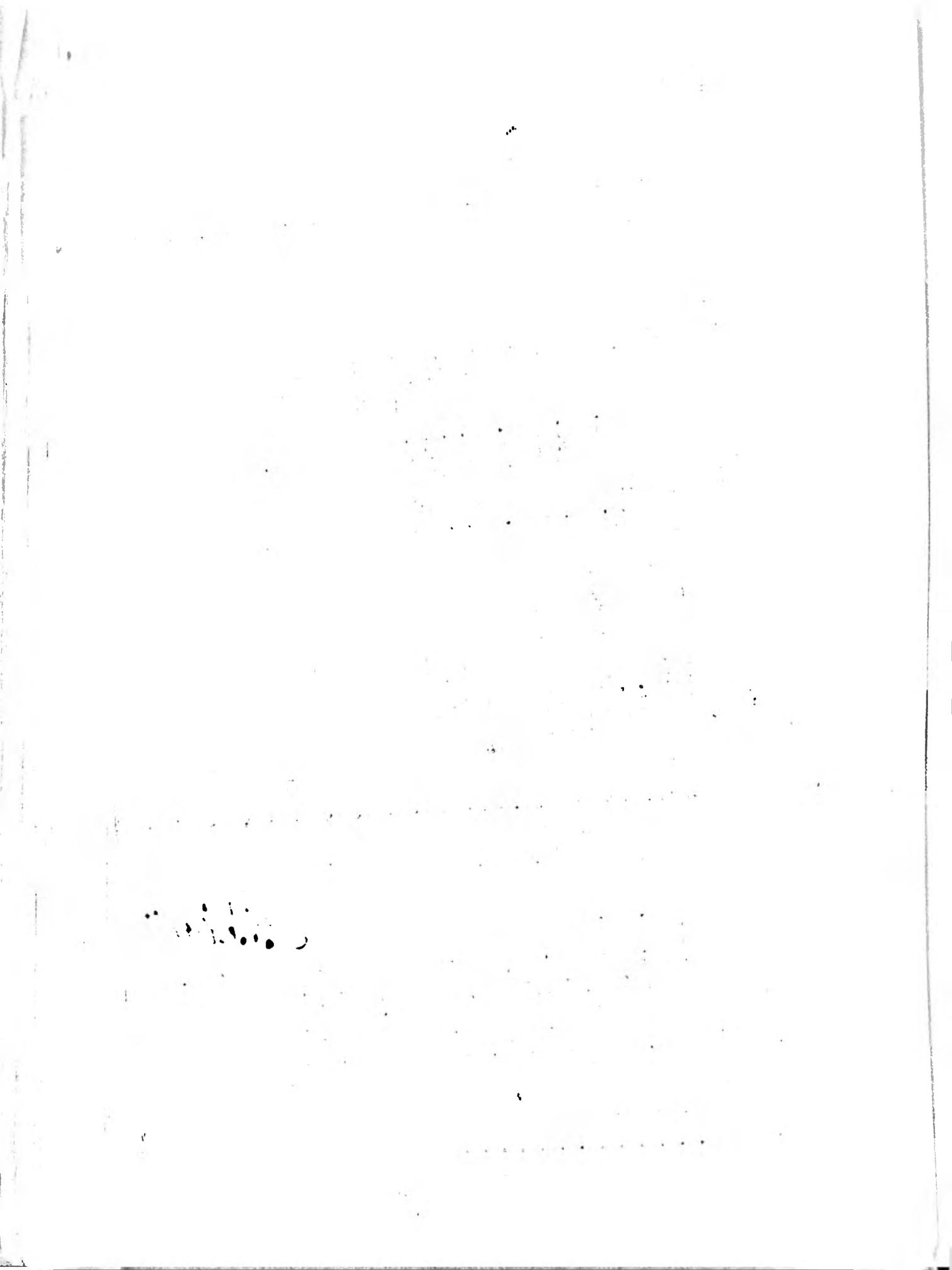
£ 1,990

Chairman.

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This is the list referred to in paragraph 1814 (b) of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th March 1928.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINANCE (continued).

(e) Advance No. 498—14, Wentworth Avenue.—The Clerk reported on correspondence which he had had with Messrs. Chambers & Garnett and with Messrs. Hallett, Fox & White hereon, from which it appeared that the property which had been described in the Valuers' report as No. 18, Wentworth Avenue was referred to in the Transfer as being No. 14;

RECOMMENDED that the above-mentioned advance be regarded as having been made in respect of No. 14, Wentworth Avenue.

(f) Advance No. 413—43, Summerlee Avenue.—The Accountant reported hereon;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the above-mentioned premises be sold by public auction in accordance with the provisions of the Acts;
- (2) that a reserve price be fixed at the Council meeting (in Committee);
- (3) that the Committee's action in instructing the Clerk to inform the Mortgagor of the Council's probable intentions be approved.

(g) Advance No. 151—11, Elmhurst Avenue.—The Accountant reported that the balance of the Mortgage herein, together with all interest charges, had been paid.

1815 ALLOTMENTS—SUMMERS LANE (GLEBE LAND).—The several recommendations of the Allotments Committee on the above subject were reported.

The Clerk intimated that he had that day been in telephonic communication with the Ministry of Health, and that he understood that as a result of representations which he had made to the Department the Minister had decided immediately to sanction a loan not only in respect of the various works referred to in Minute 1466, but also to cover the compensation proposed to be paid to the allotment holders.

These circumstances rendered it unnecessary for the Committee to pass any comment on recommendations (1) and (2) of the Allotments Committee.

FINANCE (continued).

As regards the terms on which the Allotments Committee were recommending that the North Finchley Allotment League should be granted a Lease, it was

RECOMMENDED that, subject to " £80 " being substituted for " £75 " in the last line of such recommendation, no objection be raised to the proposal on financial grounds.

1816 CHERRY TREE WOOD OPEN SPACE—ENTRANCE.—The Committee had under consideration the recommendation of the Highways and Fire and Water Committee hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that no objection be raised thereto on financial grounds.

1818 GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.—The Clerk laid on the table a copy of the accounts for the year ended 31st March, 1927, of the North Middlesex Gas Company and of the Southgate & District Gas Company which had been forwarded to him in accordance with Section 15 (4) of the above-mentioned Act.

1819 AVENUE HOUSE—CLAIM BEFORE WAR COMPENSATION COURT.—The Clerk reported on correspondence and on a telephonic conversation which he had had with Messrs. Lees & Co. on the above subject ;

RECOMMENDED that a cheque for £157 8s. 8d. be drawn in favour of Messrs. Buckland & Sons in discharge of their account for acting in the matter of dilapidations, etc., on behalf of the Executors.

1820 SUPERANNUATION FUND INVESTMENT ACCOUNT.—The Accountant reported that on the instructions of the Chairman of the Council £977 16s. 10d. of 5 per cent. War Loan had been purchased at a cost of £997 8s. 0d. ;

RECOMMENDED that such action be approved.

1821 PRIVATE DRAINAGE WORKS.—

(a) 1, Selina Cottages, Friern Lane.—Mrs. S. Herridge.

(b) 2, Selina Cottages, Friern Lane, and 2, Waterloo Cottages, Rasper Road.—Miss E. Bryan.—

FINANCE (*continued*).

The Clerk submitted a copy of correspondence relative to the above which the Accountant had forwarded to him in order that the Committee's instructions might be obtained thereon;

RECOMMENDED that payment of interest on the accounts rendered to the above-named in respect of Private Drainage Works be waived, provided the actual sums now due to the Council are paid off by **regular** instalments.

1822 FINANCIAL—RATING—REFUND OF PROPORTIONS. — It was reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, the following amounts had, for the reasons stated, been refunded since last meeting :—

Bulcraig & Davis (*re* F. H. Walford)—57, Mountfield Rd.
Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	12s.	1d.
Poor Rate	... ..	19s.	9d.

R. H. Gough (114, Lyttelton Road, N.W. 11).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	15s.	6d.
Poor Rate	... ..	£1	5s. 6d.

J. W. Black (13, Sutcliffe Close).

Garage rated at £7 unused.

General District Rate	...	£1	4s. 4d.
Poor Rate	... ..	£1	19s. 10d.

J. H. S. Adams (The Laurels, High Road, N. 20).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	£1	0s. 10d.
Poor Rate	... ..	£1	14s. 2d.

Mrs. J. R. Thomson (120, Holden Road).

Premises vacated.

General District Rate	...	11s.	7d.
Poor Rate	... ..	19s.	0d.

1823 INSTRUCTIONS.—

RECOMMENDED that the instructions given to the several Officers of the Council, as entered in their respective Instruction Books, be approved.

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Cashier (Feb. 1st—29th) general receipts	3095	13	2			
„ Farm Clerk (Feb. 9th)	2	3	4			
„ Bath Supt. (Feb. 4th—27th)	11	9	0			
„ Collector (Feb. 8th—29th) general rents	8	8	6			
„ Treasurer—						
From Ministry of Transport on account of grant <i>re</i> District Roads—						
Class 1	192	0	0			
Class 2	4	0	0			
				196	0	0
From Middlesex County Council, on account of Main Roads, 1927/8	1780	0	0			
From Ministry of Health, grant <i>re</i> Maternity and Child Welfare	369	13	6			
Transfers for invoices, stores, wages, petty cash and proportion establishment charges, etc., from—						
Poor Rate Account...	403	5	10			
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Accounts	794	14	7			
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	1436	8	0			
Genl. Loan Accounts	702	7	3			
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	905	0	0			
Education Account ...	615	0	0			
				4856	15	8
					13525	4
						5
Leaving in hand				29208	15	7
Deduct cheque drawn March 14th to—						
Inland Revenue Commissioners, on account of liability, 1926/7				2000	0	0
Leaving balance in hand				£27208	15	7

FINANCE (*continued*).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

	£	s.	d.
Amory, G. F., binding	7	1	3
Anderson's Rubber Co., Ltd., boots	1	9	9
Arnold, E. J., & Son, Ltd., stationery	3	2	6
Associated Newspapers, Ltd., advertisement	2	16	0
Aveling & Porter, Ltd., firebars	6	16	6
Barclays Bank, Ltd., fees	2	0	0
Barnet District Gas & Water Co., Ltd., hydrants, etc.	41	2	4
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., spirit	1	10	0
Buckland & Sons, surveyors' fees, Avenue House	157	8	8
Burley, C., Ltd., cement	103	2	6
Carron Co., stove parts	12	3	8
Child, J., & Co., Ltd., drags	1	16	0
Clark, S., & Co., chairs, etc.	3	13	0
Cloke, G. E., kerb	75	1	11
Cluttons, rent	15	18	2
Coller, W. L. & E., paper	3	15	0
Compton, Sons & Webb, J., Ltd., uniform	1	16	0
Congregational Hall Trustees, rent	12	10	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd., macadam	497	3	0
Cowing, E., & Son, advertisement	11	16	0
Crisp, A. E., & Co., Ltd., tools	4	18	1
Dawson, A., suit case	2	7	6
Deards, R., refuse removal	483	16	8
Death, C., rent	1	10	0
Dell & Giles, rent	5	0	0
Dodd, J., fish	2	10	3
Drake, Driver & Leaver, Ltd., lithography	45	8	10
Eager, F., & Sons, teas	1	13	4
East, E., rent	9	4	2
Easton Bros., trees	3	16	0
Eckert, Horace, fees	8	7	9
Endersby, W. A., timber	5	5	1
Excel Asphalt Co., Ltd., asphalt	28	2	6
Finchley Charities, rent	37	0	0
Finchley Wesleyan Church Trustees, rent	13	0	0
Finchley Urban District Council, repairs, etc.	854	2	7
Freeman & Sons, rent	9	0	0
Geyton, W., painting	1	17	0
Gibb, J., & Co., Ltd., wheels, etc.	13	17	4

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Glico Petroleum, Ltd., petroleum	3	0	0
Gray Bros. (E. F.), Ltd., rent, etc.	8	13	0
Griffiths, W., & Co., Ltd., stone	388	11	6
Grove, E., Ltd., uniforms	5	6	6
Hall, H., & Co., aprons	1	2	6
Halls, C., & Sons, repairs	35	5	4
Hendon Urban District Council, drainage contribu- tion, etc.	4	17	8
Herts. Gravel & Brick Works, Ltd., ballast, etc. ...	149	0	9
Hockey, L. G., stove	1	0	6
Hornsey Corporation, ambulance hire	2	0	6
Hornsey, Finchley & Wood Green Joint Hospital Committee, precept.	1315	2	10
Improved Wood Pavement Co., Ltd., wood blocks	46	8	9
Inland Revenue Commissioners (per H. S. Byford), Income Tax	62	18	0
Ditto (per C. C. Castle)	1391	1	6
Ditto (per C. M. Kerr)	348	0	3
Ditto (per W. Thompson)	2	13	6
Johnson, W. F., & Co., tools	5	0	7
Joslin, J., & Co., Ltd., stone	3	4	0
Judd, W., Ltd., advertisements	12	9	1
Kalamazoo (Sales), Ltd., stationery	1	3	8
Kenrick & Jefferson, Ltd., sheets	3	1	7
King, J. C., Ltd., ledger	1	8	6
Knowles, J., & Co. (London), Ltd., pipes	41	17	10
Limmer & Trinidad Lake Asphalt Co., Ltd., rein- statement	214	4	3
Littlewood's Stores, candles, etc.	1	2	6
London Brick Co., & Forders, Ltd., bricks	21	6	0
London County Council, drainage contribution ...	41	13	4
London Label Co. (1921), Ltd., engraving	1	4	2
London Incorporated Press, Ltd., printing	25	3	9
Main, A. & J., & Co., Ltd., railings	22	12	3
Manders, W., & Co., testing gully	20	0	0
Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., milk	8	0	4
Miscellaneous Disposals Syndicate, Ltd., safe, etc.	29	0	6
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisement	3	19	0
Mudd, W. R., & Son, meat	7	4	10
North, E. W., greengroceries	3	2	11
Orchard, C., & Co., stationery	12	18	0
Parkinson, W., & Co., Ltd., meters	7	16	9
Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd., paving	99	7	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Peake, W., rent	8	0	0
Peake, Bird, Collins & Co., rent	17	6	5
Pellow & Wright, repairs	1	8	9
Perry, W. Harold, Ltd., repairs	10	11	4
Plowman, C. W., rent	2	10	0
Pope, H., & Sons, Ltd., car hire, etc.	7	15	5
Postmaster-General, wayleaves	12	7	0
Pyrene Co., Ltd., extinguisher refills	1	10	0
Randall Brothers, repairs	10	5	0
Rose Polishes, Ltd., disinfectant	6	10	0
Royal Label Factory, signs	6	10	0
Salmon, J., & Sons, Ltd., paraffin	10	10	6
Sampson, T., Ltd., ironmongery	18	15	2
Sanitas Co., Ltd., rolls	2	8	0
Scarborough, Mitchell & Co., installation	79	7	6
Shaw & Sons, Ltd., stationery	24	12	2
Smart, J., & Son, slag	6	7	5
Smart's Tar Distillery, Ltd., pitch	10	10	0
Smith & Wellstood, Ltd., stove, etc.	11	13	9
Spittle, S., fencing	27	12	6
Steele, A., & Son, repairs	43	12	8
Tomey & Sons, Ltd., gauge glasses	1	0	0
Tyler, H. J., rent	5	10	0
Vulite Co., Ltd., boiler fluid	5	15	6
Walker, J., team labour	563	5	3
Warden & Co., Ltd., posters	4	12	6
Webb, T., & Co., trees	50	10	0
Wells, G. G., rent	12	0	0
Wight, E., & Co., installation	9	15	6
Williams Brothers, Ltd., groceries	10	11	9
Yale & Towne Co., padlocks	2	10	10
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., premium	3	4	7
Total Invoices	7834	2	9

Refund of Contractors' Deposits re Private Street Works, 18th Batch and Broughton Avenue Pumping Station, as under:—

Hartley, R. H., & Co.	3	0	0
Carter, C.	5	0	0
Edwards, J. B., & Co.	3	0	0
Wimpey, G., & Co.,	3	0	0
Bridgewater Brothers	3	0	0

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Paterson, D. R., Ltd.	3	0	0
Adamant Stone Paving Co.	3	0	0
Adams, T.	5	0	0
Roads & Public Works, Ltd.	5	0	0
Constable, Hart & Co., Ltd.	3	0	0
Fitzpatrick & Sons	3	0	0
Mowlem, J., & Co.,	3	0	0
Ball, C.	3	0	0
French, W. & C.	5	0	0
Sharp, W.	2	0	0
Turner & Payne	2	2	0
Farrow, Howard	2	0	0
Wood Brothers	2	2	0
	58	4	0
E.L. Revenue Account, transfer wages	28	11	8
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans ...	3381	16	8
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loans	3515	8	10
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans ...	16414	8	11
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans and interest	4450	11	2
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., principal and interest on loan 215	288	17	2
Hearts of Oak Benefit Society, principal and interest on loans	383	9	1
Bristol, West of England, etc., Provident Society, principal and interest on loan 262	571	17	9
Finsbury & City of London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loan 222	961	17	5
Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, principal and interest on loan 285	234	0	2
London Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	399	12	9
Liverpool Corporation, principal and interest on loans	169	1	0
Salaries—March :—			
Clerk	100	3	10
Surveyor	89	11	8
Medical Officer	47	16	3
Farm Manager	23	15	0
Farm Clerk	10	18	0
Dentist	3	12	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
Accountant to pay staff	1159	15	8
Accountant to pay firemen	54	17	9
Accountant's Wages Account	400	0	0
Accountant's Imprest Account	720	7	5
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	£41302	16	11

SUMMARY.

Balance in hand	27208	15	7
Cheques recommended for payment ...	41302	16	11
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£14094	1	4

1826 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £7808 17 6

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to:—

E. L. Revenue Account, invoices, stores, etc. ...	684	13	11
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Leaving balance in hand	£8493	11	5

1827 ELECTRIC LIGHTING CAPITAL SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £2223 4 1

Cr. by Cashier (Feb. 2nd—29th) amount received from Consumers' Services

	128	11	6
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Leaving balance in hand	£2351	15	7

1828 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this a/c per last report was £5768 10 1

Deduct transfer to Superannuation Fund—

Employees' contributions	52	2	0
Council's contributions	74	15	4
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	126	17	4

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FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Cr. (Feb. 1st—Mar. 1st) by—			
Cashier	10086	18	6
Collector	1261	0	3
	11347	18	9
Transfers for invoices, stores and wages from—			
General District Fund (gas lamps)	28	11	8
E. L. Loans Account	684	13	11
	713	5	7
	12061	4	4
Leaving in hand	17702	17	1
Deduct cheques drawn March 14th, to—			
Biram & Co., coal	290	9	1
Harper & Christopher, Ltd., coal	776	5	10
	1066	14	11
	16636	2	2

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd., petrol, etc.	10	2	6
Berk, F. W., & Co., Ltd., distilled water	9	2	0
Blundell, Spence & Co., Ltd., paint	1	8	3
British Insulated Cables, Ltd., anode rolls, etc.	3	6	0
Callender's Cable & Construction Co., Ltd., cable, boxes, etc.	217	19	4
Derbyshire Printing Co., Ltd., meter cards	6	7	6
Edison Swan Electric Co., Ltd., lamps	19	2	11
Electrical Manufacturing & Supplies, lamps, etc.	127	7	6
Engineering & Lighting Equipment Co., Ltd., lamp columns, etc.	62	7	0
English Electric Co., Ltd., repairs	1	19	8
Ferranti, Ltd., meters, etc.	51	8	0
Finchley Urban District Council, reinstatements	108	7	9

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Griffiths Bros. & Co., Ltd., paint ...	1	1	5
Haynes, G., cartage	153	14	0
Hewittic Electric Co., Ltd., coil fuses, etc.	2	8	3
Hill, Rhodes & Wilkinson, Ltd., clean- ing cloths	2	12	1
Hobdell, Way & Co., Ltd., barrows, etc.	5	4	0
Inland Revenue Commissioners, In- come Tax, Sch. A	556	16	0
Kelvin, Bottomley & Baird, Ltd., voltmeter repairs	6	12	6
King, J. C., Ltd., filing cabinet ...	1	15	0
Lawford & Sons, Ltd., ballast ...	3	18	0
London County Council, testing fees	5	5	0
Lucas, J., Ltd., motor car repairs ...	3	19	1
Macassey, E., fees	9	19	0
Macassey, Sir L., fees	15	14	0
National Boiler & General Insurance Co., Ltd., insurances	52	5	6
Oakwood Tenants, Ltd., rent of land, etc.	4	5	0
Piggott Bro., & Co., Ltd., jointers' tent	8	4	6
Price & Belsham, testing apparatus ...	28	5	0
Randall Bros., truck repairs	2	6	0
Ruston & Hornsby, Ltd., lamp coils	2	10	4
Saxonia Electrical Wire Co., Ltd., wire	1	1	0
Sterns, Ltd., grease	1	12	11
West Ham Testing Laboratory, test- ing fees	1	0	0
Total Invoices	1489	7	0
Electrical Engineer, salary and car allowance	122	3	4
Accountant, refund of deposits and interest	48	19	6
Liverpool Corporation, principal and interest on loans	149	12	3
Barclays Bank, Ltd., principal and in- terest on loans	320	8	7

FINANCE (continued).

	£	s.	d.
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., principal and interest on loans	1761	3	8
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loans ...	555	8	4
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans	1973	16	6
Hearts of Oak Benefit Society, principal and interest on loans ...	1174	5	6
Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank, principal and interest upon loans	955	18	4
Blackburn Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	531	10	0
Hull Savings Bank, principal and interest on loans	309	9	3
General District Fund, transfer, proportion establishment charges, etc.	905	0	0
			<u>10297 2 3</u>

Leaving balance in hand £6338 19 11

1829 PRIVATE STREET WORKS FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £45 12 1

Cr. by Cashier (Feb. 6th—29th) amount received from frontagers 107 6 2

Leaving balance in hand £152 18 3

1830 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT No. 1.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £1051 11 3

Cr. by Collector (Feb. 8th—29th)—
Rents 140 17 10
Allotments 17 6

141 15 4

1193 6 7

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to:—

General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc., and proportion establishment charges 304 8 1

Leaving balance in hand £888 18 6

FINANCE (*continued*).

1831 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT No. 2.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £2931 4 8.

Cr. by Collector (Feb. 8th—29th)—

Rents	275	6	1
Rent of yard (Walker), less tax ...	52	10	0
Rent of plots	3	1	8
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£3262 2 5

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc., and proportion establishment charges	490	6	6
Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of loan No. 202 (final) and interest	53	13	3
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Leaving balance in hand £2718 2 8

1832 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this a/c per last report was £5874 13 11.

Cr. by Collector (Feb. 7th—29th)—

Rents	721	3	10
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RECOMMENDED that cheques or warrants be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Barclays Bank, Ltd., instalment of loan No. 233 and interest ...	301	1	7
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loan No. 268	174	16	10
General District Fund, transfer, invoices, stores, etc., and proportion establishment charges	1436	8	0

FINANCE (continued).

Redemption of Housing Bonds :—		
Lewis, H. A., Mrs.	75	0 0
Spencer, E., Mrs.	100	0 0
Collard, P.	50	0 0
Davis, F., Mrs.	25	0 0
Franklin, E. J. M.	25	0 0
		<u>275 0 0</u>
Interest on Bonds as per Register of Interest, half-year to 31st March	1286	15 1
		<u>3474 1 6</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£8627	11 7

1833 SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL LOANS ACCOUNT.—
The balance overdrawn upon this account per last
report was £872 1 3

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in
payment of the following accounts :—

French, W. & C., certificate ...	560	0 0
Ingersoll Rand Co., Ltd. certificate (final)	10	0 0
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices and petty cash ...	43	14 5
		<u>613 14 5</u>
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£1485	15 8

1834 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance
overdrawn upon this account per last report was £7155 13 8

Cr. amounts received on account of grants :—

Feb. 11th, from Ministry of Trans- port, Hampstead Lane Im- provement ...	123	0 0
Feb. 23rd, from Middlesex County Council, main roads, wood- paving and various improve- ments ...	3890	0 0
		<u>4013 0 0</u>
		3142 13 8

FINANCE (*continued*).

	£	s.	d.
RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to General District Fund, invoices and petty cash	43	11	0
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	£3186	4	8

1835 PRIVATE STREET WORKS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £166 7 2

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to General District Fund, invoices and petty cash	43	11	0
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Leaving balance in hand	£113	2	9

1836 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNTS.—The total amount of cheques recommended to be drawn upon this account, less amounts advanced by

the Public Works Loan Board as last reported, was £5430 0 0
Deduct amount received (Feb. 11th) from Public
Works Loan Board on mortgage 1660 0 0

Amount receivable from P.W. Loan Board £3770 0 0

1837 REFUSE DESTROYER LOAN ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £113 12 5

RECOMMENDED that a transfer be made to General District Fund, invoices, stores, etc.	449	3	2
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Leaving balance overdrawn	£562	15	7

FINANCE (continued).

1838 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS LOANS ACCOUNT.—The balance overdrawn upon this account per last report was £50 17 11

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

Ball, C., certificate	176 18 10	
General District Fund, transfer, in- voices, stores, etc.	112 14 3	
		289 13 1
Leaving balance overdrawn	£340 11 0	

1839 SUPERANNUATION FUND ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account per last report was £220 17 9

Cr. transfers received (Mar. 2nd) from—

General District Fund	243 11 8	
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	126 17 4	
Education Account	40 1 0	
		410 10 0
Leaving balance in hand	£631 7 9	

FINANCE (continued).

1841 RATE STATEMENT.—The Accountant submitted the following statement :—

(a) General District Rate.—

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	320 0 0	Amount of Rates collected as per previous statement ...	86583 4 8
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928 ...	88200 0 0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	3176 12 6
Supplemental Assessments ...	1433 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding ...	193 2 10
	<u>£89953 0 0</u>		<u>£89953 0 0</u>

(b) Poor Rate.—

Estimated recoverable arrears of former rates	350 0 0	Amount of rates collected as per previous statement ...	142266 19 6
Estimated product of rates for year ending 31st March, 1928	145814 0 0	Amount of rates collected since last statement ...	5172 4 0
Supplemental Assessments ...	2442 0 0	Estimated recoverable rates outstanding	1166 16 6
	<u>£148606 0 0</u>		<u>£148606 0 0</u>

FINANCE (*continued*).

1842 EDUCATION ACCOUNT.—The balance in hand upon this account is the sum of £5,462 2s. 4d., made up as follows:—

Balance overdrawn per last report	£212	3	8
Add transfer to Superannuation Fund—			
Employees' contributions	15	3	0
Council's contributions	24	18	0
		<u>40</u>	<u>1</u> 0

252 4 8

Cr. by Cashier (Feb. 1st—29th)—

Contributions to Special			
School fees	13	1	6
Medical Treatment	12	16	6
Cookery Sales	3	7	9
Needlework Sales	12	9	0
Use of Rooms, etc.	95	10	4
Managers' proportion cost of fuel, etc.	10	6	
Other Authorities for Institutional Children	12	1	10
Unemployment Claims —Juvenile Employ- ment Bureau	2	4	6
Middlesex County Council—			
Medical Inspection—			
Higher Education	63	0	0
Administrative Expenses—			
Higher Education	150	16	6
		<u>365</u>	<u>18</u> 5
By Board of Education—			
Instalment of Substantive Grant	2100	0	0
Balance of Grant re Choice of Em- ployment, 1926/7	17	0	0
By Poor Rate, final instalment of precept	3462	10	0
		<u>5945</u>	<u>8</u> 5
Leaving in hand	5693	3	9
Deduct cheque drawn March 14th to—			
Inland Revenue Commissioners, liability 1926/7	231	1	5
Leaving balance in hand	<u>£5462</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>

FINANCE (continued).

RECOMMENDED that cheques be drawn in payment of the following accounts:—

	£	s.	d.
Arnold, E. J. & Son, Ltd., stationery	20	10	2
Besford Court Home, fees	22	10	0
Brodie, A., tools	15	0	0
Bryson, J. G., printing	1	11	6
Cluttons, rent	4	13	0
Cockerell, J. G., anthracite	6	18	0
Cogdale, J., cookery expenses	13	9	2
Dental Manufacturing Co., Ltd., supplies	7	1	8
East Finchley Congregational Church, use of rooms	3	13	0
Finchley Urban District Council, repairs	2	14	0
Gray Bros. (E. F.), Ltd., coal	3	16	0
Hockey, L. G., mats	4	0	4
Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd., supplies	4	8	8
Inland Revenue Commissioners, per C. M. Kerr, Income Tax, Sch. A.	3	12	0
Institutional Children—			
London County Council	53	8	1
London Society for Teaching and Training the Blind, mats	4	1	0
Managers, Christ Church Schools, repairs	18	15	0
Managers, St. Mary's Schools, repairs	7	12	0
Morgan-Webb, C. C., advertisements	0	18	0
North Finchley Congregational Church, rent	4	7	6
North Middlesex Gas Co., coke	59	12	6
North Middlesex Window Cleaning Co., window cleaning	19	12	6
Pellow & Wright, repairs	3	14	1
Salmon, J., & Son, Ltd., cleaning materials	32	8	7
Stella Lamp Co., Ltd., lamps	25	13	6
Tottenham District Council, hire of ambulance	1	3	0
Warren, S. D., & Co., brooms	2	19	0
Total Invoices	£348	2	3
General District Fund, transfer, proportion estab- lishment charges, etc., 1927/8	615	0	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd., repayment of loans and interest	343	6	8
Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society, principal and interest on loans 36 and 37	298	8	3
Bank of England, principal and interest on loans	495	5	2
Board of Education—Superannuation adjustment	12	17	0

FINANCE (*continued*).

Salaries, etc., March—

Turner, A. A.	81	13	1	
Cogdale, J.	162	18	3	
Matthew, R. S.	35	19	2	
Stevens, H.	25	0	0	
				305 10 6
Education Salaries Account ...				3290 0 0
				£5708 9 10

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand ...	5462	2	4
Cheques recommended for payment ...	5708	9	10
			6
Leaving balance overdrawn ...	£246	7	6

F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

FINANCE COMMITTEE'S REPORT (SPECIAL MEETING).

14th March, 1928.

Present : Councillor Agar (Chairman), Councillors Pocock, Sommerfield, H. O. Syrett, Toyne and Wells, and Councillors Bowen, Briant, Knowlman, Merry, Pike and Ryan (non-members).

1843 ESTIMATES.—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—The estimates of the several spending Committees for the above-mentioned period were submitted :—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that in order to meet the services of the Urban District Council of Finchley chargeable to the General District Fund for the year beginning the 1st day of April, 1928, and ending the 31st day of March, 1929, there be allotted the sum of £143,111 and that the sum be appropriated to the respective services as follows :—

	£
Public Health	39,043
Highways and Fire and Water and Ambulance services	64,413
Recreation Grounds and Open Spaces	6,053
Establishment—	
Administration Expenses	8,976
Staff and Parliamentary	17,500
Maternity and Child Welfare	2,028
Allotments	1,173
Housing (Assisted Scheme)	1,875
Provision <i>re</i> Avenue House	2,050
	£143,111

- (b) that the said sum of £143,111 be raised in the following manner :—

FINANCE (continued).

	£
Estimated receipts as per statement	38,668
Transfer from Workmen's Dwellings	
No. 1 Account	750
Transfer from Workmen's Dwellings	
No. 2 Account	2,000
Appropriation from balance at 31st	
March, 1928	8,193
A rate of 4/2 in the £	93,500
	£143,111

(c) General District Rate.—That the estimate for a General District Rate for the twelve months from the 1st day of April, 1928, to the 31st day of March, 1929, be approved and that a rate of four shillings and two pence in the £ be made for raising the money required, such rate to be payable by two equal instalments of two shillings and one penny, the first thereof on the day of , 1928, and the second thereof on the first day of October, 1928.

(d) Education Estimate.—That the estimate of the Education Committee for the twelve months from the 1st day of April, 1928, to the 31st day of March, 1929, be approved and that a precept be made upon the Rating Authority for the sum of £30,000, being a rate equal to 15.99 pence in the £ (payable by instalments) to be provided out of the Poor Rate of the Parish of Finchley, in respect of (1) Elementary Education, £29,500, (2) Higher Education, £500, being the amounts required by the Council as the Education Authority for the District.

1844 POOR RATE.—

RECOMMENDED that a Special Meeting of the Council be convened for considering and making a Poor Rate for the Parish of Finchley for the twelve months from the 1st day of April, 1928, to the 31st day of March, 1929.

F. H. AGAR,

Chairman.

Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
30th March, 1928.

SIR,

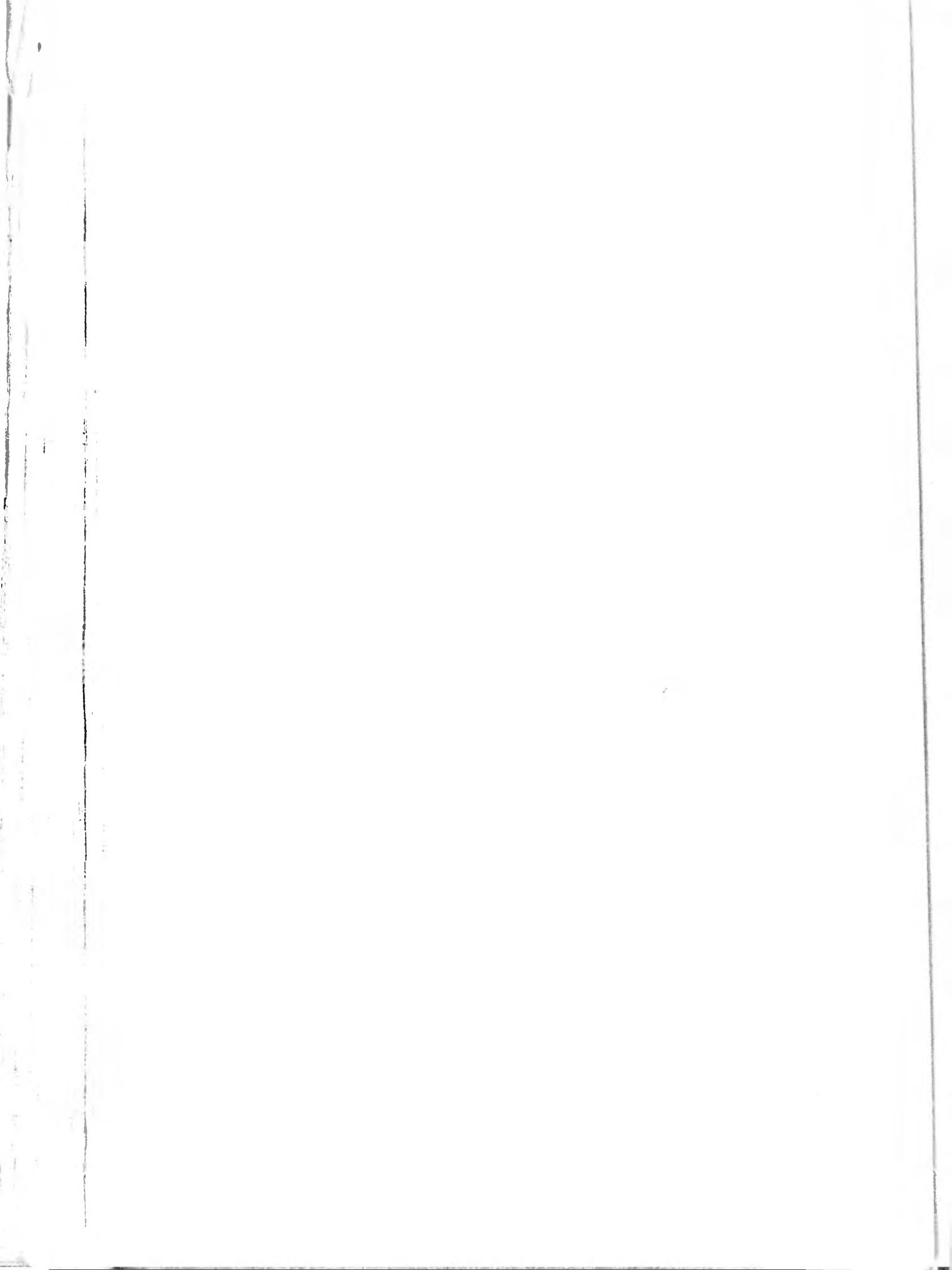
SUMMONS.

An EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL will be held in the Council Chamber at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 4th day of April, 1928, at 7.30 p.m.

Agenda.

To consider :—

1. Affixion of the Common Seal of the Council to a General District Rate of 4s. 2d. in the £ for the year ending 31st March, 1929, payable by two equal instalments of 2s. 1d. in the £ respectively.
2. Affixion of the Common Seal of the Council to a Poor Rate of 6s. 8d. in the £ for the year ending 31st March, 1929, payable by two equal instalments of 3s. 4d. in the £ respectively.
3. Consider Tenders :—
 - (a) Motor Fire Engine.
 - (b) Motor Ambulance.



4. Other business (if any).

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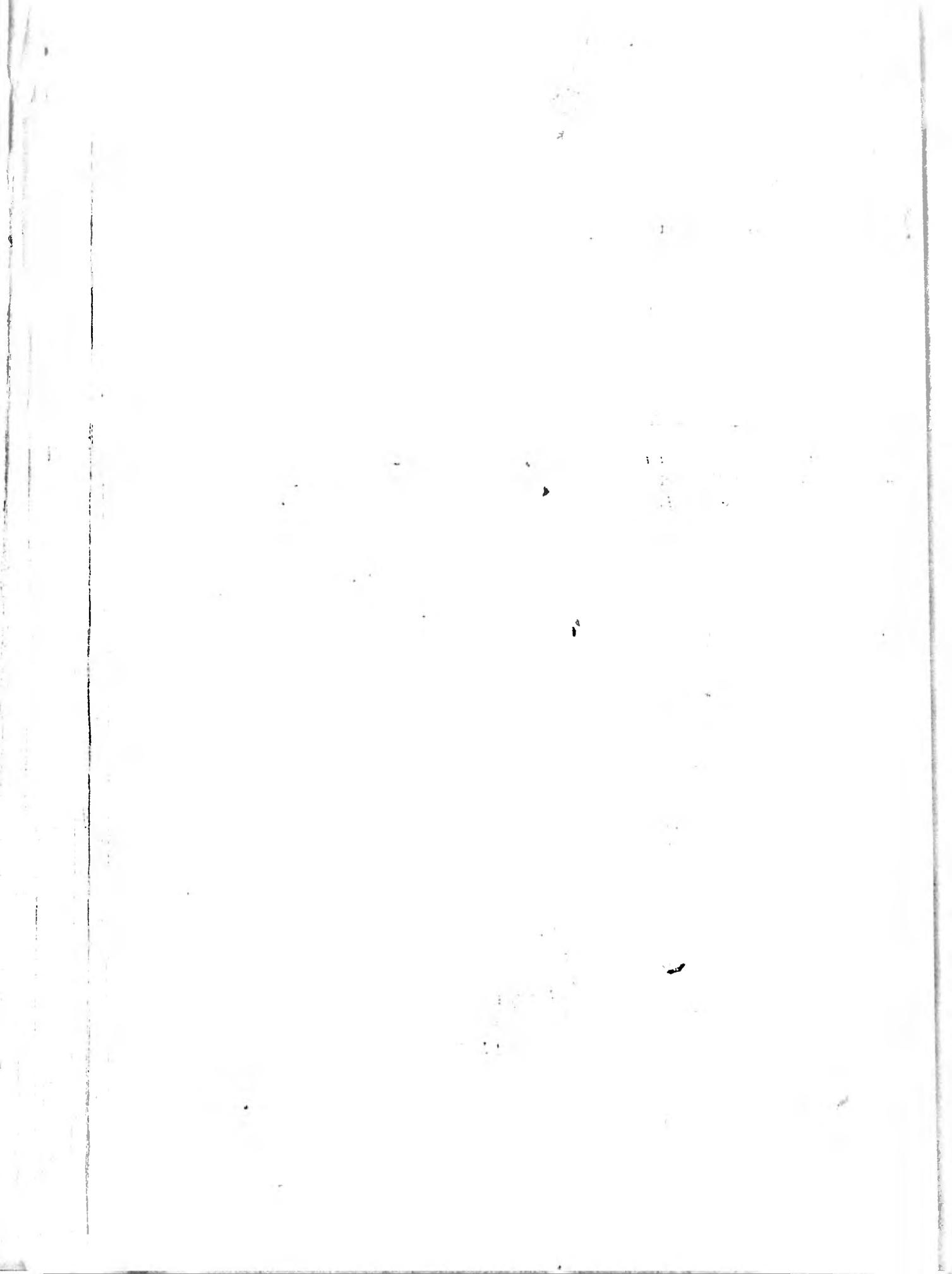
Your obedient Servant,

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Clerk of the Council

QUESTIONS.

Notice of any question intended to be asked at the Council Meeting should be given at the office of the Clerk of the Council not later than Twelve noon on the day of such Meeting.



Council Summons
and Agenda.



Clerk's Office,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.
11th April, 1928.

SIR or MADAM,

SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to attend THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber, at the Council Offices, Church End, Finchley, on MONDAY NEXT, the 16th day of April, 1928, at 7.30 p.m., when the following business is proposed to be transacted :—

Agenda

1. Report result of Elections and newly-elected Members to make declarations on Acceptance of Office.
2. Appoint temporary Chairman.
3. Appoint Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.
4. Appoint Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.
5. Confirm Minutes of Extraordinary Meeting and of Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 26th March, 1928, and of Extraordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 4th April, 1928.
6. Appoint the following COMMITTEES, specify their respective duties and, if necessary, suspend or vary the Standing Orders in connexion therewith, namely :—

(a) Standing Committees :—

- (1) Public Health,
- (2) Finance,
- (3) Highways and Fire and Water,
- (4) Town Planning and Open Spaces,
- (5) General Purposes.

(b) Other Committees or Sub-Committees :—

- (1) Electricity,
- (2) Education,
- (3) Allotments,
- (4) Local Old Age Pensions,
- (5) Valuation,
- (6) Housing (Special),
- (7) Maternity and Child Welfare (Sub),
- (8) Legal and Parliamentary (Sub).

7. Submit statement of Returning Officer's Election expenses.
8. Appoint a representative on the Middlesex District Councils' Association.
9. Appoint a representative on the Executive Council of the Urban District Councils' Association.
10. Appoint a representative on the Middlesex Districts' Joint Smallpox Hospital Board.
11. Appoint two representatives on the North Middlesex Assessment Committee.
12. Appoint five representatives on the Hornsey, Finchley and Wood Green Joint Hospital Committee.

13. Consider reports of the under-mentioned :—
 - (a) **Housing (Special) Committee** of the 11th April, 1928,
 - (b) **Finance Accounts Sub-Committee** of the 11th April, 1928,
 - (c) **Highways and Fire and Water Committee** of the 13th April, 1928.
14. Consider tenders for :—
 - (a) Improvement Works—East End Road—Holmwood Gardens to Manor Lodge;
 - (b) Wood Paving Works.
15. Reports of Officers (if any).
16. Payment of Accounts as per list submitted.
17. Affixion of Common Seal to documents.
18. Consider plans deposited for approval.
19. Fix day and hour of Meetings of Committees.
20. Other business (if any).

I am, Sir, or Madam,

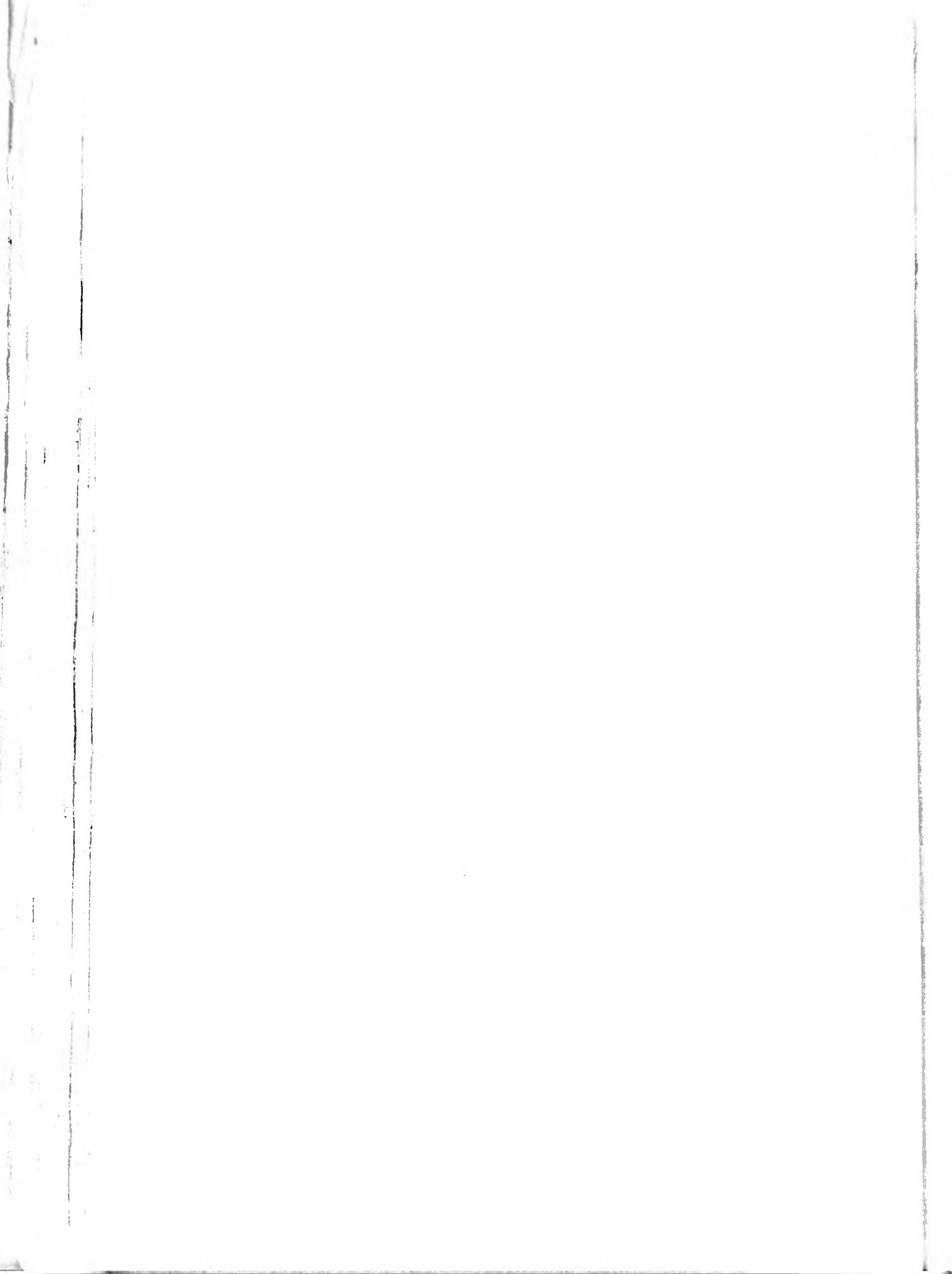
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Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
26th March, 1928.

At an EXTRAORDINARY MEET-
ING of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on MONDAY, the 26th
day of March, 1928.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair.

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors—

Agar, F. H.	Pike, A. T.
Bowen, E. S.	Pocock, S. J.
England, J.	Ryan, C. G.
Grocott, F. J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Knowlman, A.	Wade, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.
Pateman, G. H.	

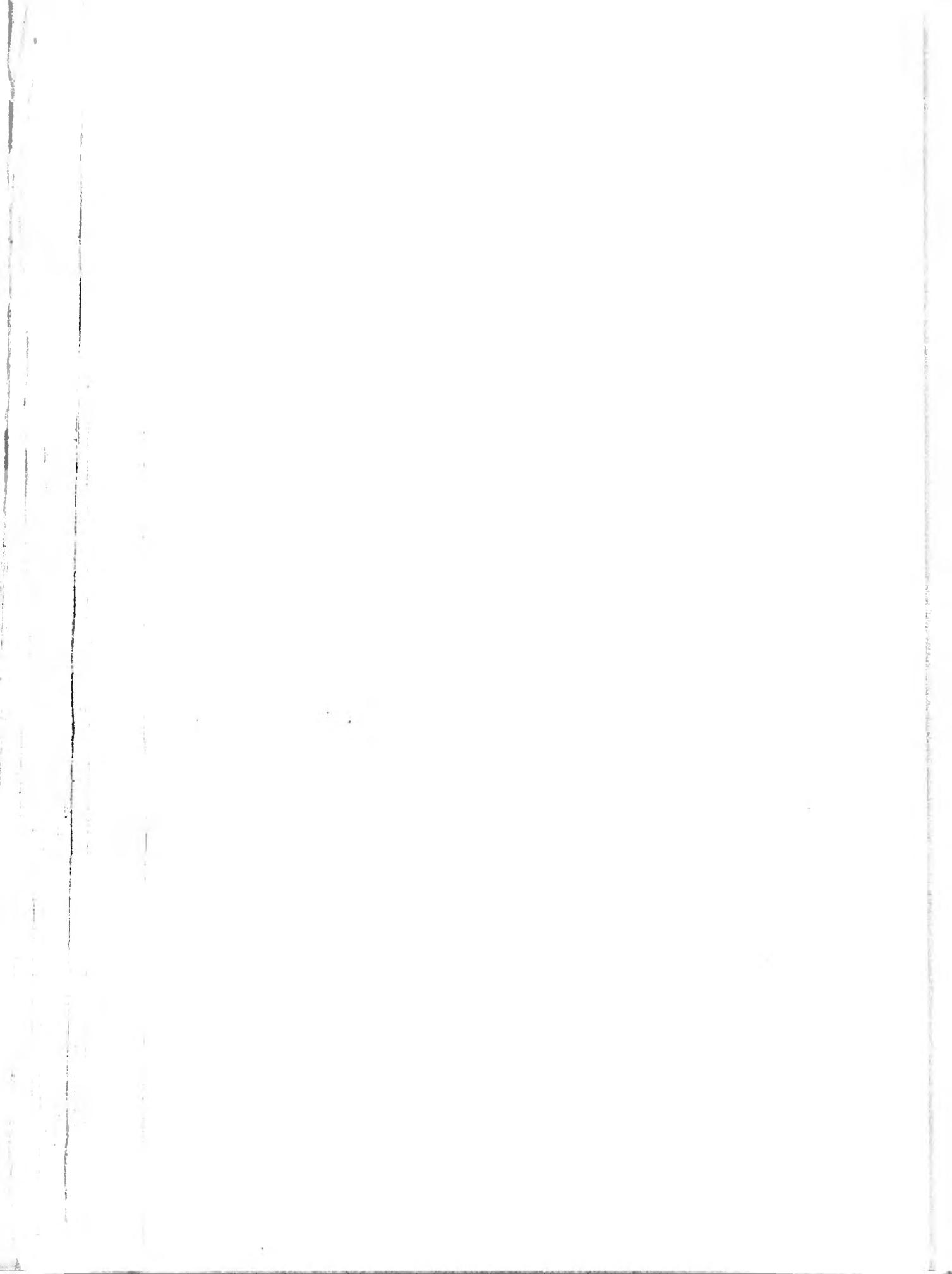
1845 REQUISITION FOR MEETING.—The Clerk read the requisition for the Meeting.

1846 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY (CONSOLIDATION).—

RESOLVED, on the motion of Councillor Agar, seconded by Councillor Pocock, " that the Council do oppose a Bill which has been deposited in Parliament intituled ' An Act to consolidate the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Acts, 1900 to 1927,' and that the expense be defrayed out of the district fund and general district rate."

H. O. Syrett
Chairman.

16th April 1928.



Urban District
of
Finchley.
—
MONDAY,
26th March, 1928.

At an ORDINARY MEETING
of the Council held at the
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Finchley, on MONDAY, the
26th day of March, 1928.

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Knowlman, A.	Waŕe, N. C.
Merry, D. A. A.	Wells, H. V.
Pateman, G. H.	

1847 MINUTES.—The Minutes of the last Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 27th February, 1928, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

1848 COUNCILLOR BROADBENT—ILLNESS OF.—Reference was made by the Chairman of the Council to the recent sudden illness of Councillor Broadbent and the hope was expressed that he would soon be restored to complete health and strength: the Chairman also expressed, on behalf of the Council, sympathy with Mrs. Broadbent and the family in the matter.

The Clerk submitted a communication which he had received from Mrs. Broadbent conveying thanks for the message of sympathy received through the General Purposes Committee.

1849 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.—

RESOLVED that the reports of the under-mentioned Committees be received and adopted :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

(a) Town Planning and Open Spaces of the 5th March, 1928.

Arising out of paragraph 1694 (b) (iii) (Town Planning—Scheme No. 2—Suggested Inclusion of Built-up Area), it was

RESOLVED that, in communicating with the Friern Barnet Urban District Council, the Clerk be directed to forward a covering letter explaining the position.

(b) Public Health of the 6th March, 1928.

Arising out of paragraph 1707 (Refuse Destructor—Opening of) the Chairman of the Council reported that the Destructor was opened officially on the 17th March, 1928, and that a number of representatives of neighbouring Authorities had attended the Ceremony.

(c) Highways and Fire and Water of the 7th March, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1739 (Street Lighting—Great North Road) which be referred to the Committee for further consideration (Councillor Pateman voting against paragraph 1732 (Street Widening—Frederick's Place)).

Arising out of paragraph 1731 (Street Accidents) it was

RESOLVED that the Surveyor be directed (a) to consult the Chairman of the Committee with regard to the desirability or otherwise of altering the position of the warning sign to motorists affixed by the Council to a tramway standard near to Dr. Tunnicliffe's premises in the High Road, North Finchley, and (b) to communicate with the owners with a view of ascertaining whether arrangements could be made for the removal of the hoardings at the junction of Chandos Avenue and the Great North Road.

Reference was made by the Chairman of the Committee to a letter received by him expressing appreciation of the services rendered by the Fire Brigade at a recent outbreak at a garage in East Finchley.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (d) **Allotments** of the 8th March, 1928.
- (e) **Education** of the 12th March, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1771 (Wages of Caretakers) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

The Chairman of the Committee reported receipt of a letter from the Board of Education approving the plans for the erection of the proposed Roman Catholic School.

- (f) **General Purposes** of the 13th March, 1928, with the exception of items (7) and (8) contained in paragraph 1795 (Avenue House Sub-Committee) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

Arising out of paragraph 1785 (a) (Council Employees—Accidents—J. H. Betts, deceased) the Clerk reported receipt of a communication dated 20th March, 1928, from the Yorkshire Insurance Company forwarding cheque for £90 in reimbursement of the payments made by the Council to Mrs. Betts.

Arising out of paragraph 1787 (Charity Trustees) letters were submitted from the Revd. S. B. Mayall, Mr. S. Pulham and Mr. E. Loder, stating that they would be pleased to continue to serve as Charity Trustees;

RESOLVED that the Revd. S. B. Mayall, the Revd. S. A. Gray, Mr. S. Pulham and Mr. E. Loder be re-appointed as Charity Trustees for a period of four years from the 1st April, 1928.

Arising out of paragraph 1790 (d) (Staff—Clerk's Department—Appointment of Junior Typist) it was reported that Miss W. G. Crossley had been appointed to the position at a commencing salary of £70 per annum, rising to £80 per annum after six months' satisfactory service, and that she had commenced her duties on the 26th instant.

- (g) **Electricity** of the 14th March, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1805 (2) (Extensions of Plant—Sub-Station Extensions, 1928—Percy Road) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Arising out of paragraph 1810 (Electricity Undertaking—Plant) the Clerk submitted a letter dated 22nd March, 1928, from the Electricity Commissioners on the matter, together with draft of suggested reply;

RESOLVED—

- Annexed* (1) that the letter from the Electricity Commissioners above-mentioned be entered upon the Minutes of the Council;
- Annexed* (2) that the draft of the suggested reply be approved and entered on the Minutes of the Council, and that the Clerk be directed to transmit same to the Commissioners forthwith.

- (h) **Finance** of the 14th March, 1928, with the exception of paragraph 1814 (f) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Advance No. 413—43, Summerlee Avenue) which be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration and subject to the words " Birley Road " being substituted for " Summerlee Avenue " in the heading thereof.

Arising out of paragraph 1814 (a) (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts—Loan—£50,000) a letter dated 15th March, 1928, from the Ministry of Health was submitted forwarding sanction to the borrowing of the above-mentioned sum for a period of twenty years.

Arising out of paragraph 1815 (Allotments—Summers Lane (Glebe Land)) a letter dated 19th March, 1928, was submitted from the Ministry of Health forwarding sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,835, repayable in twenty years; it was reported that this included the sum payable to the allotment holders as compensation.

1850 GENERAL DISTRICT RATE—ESTIMATE—SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS.—

RESOLVED that the Standing Orders of the Council be suspended in order to enable the Chairman of the Finance Committee to make his statement in regard to the above estimate.

The statement was thereupon made by Councillor Agar, and the thanks of the Council were accorded to him therefor.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING - PLANT.

Letter received from the Secretary of the Electricity Commission,
dated 22nd March, 1936.

Sir,

Finchley Electric Lighting Order, 1899

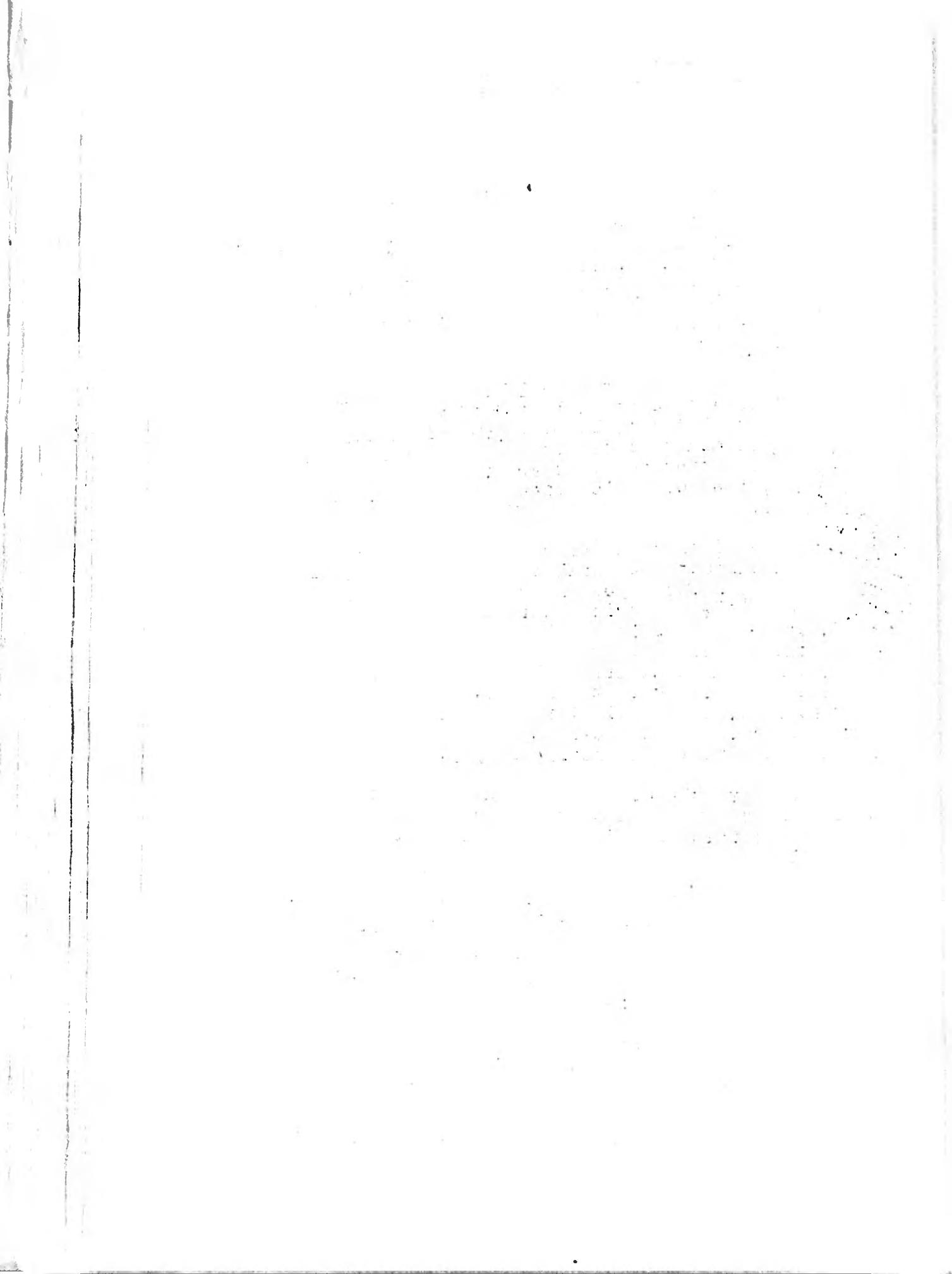
With reference to your letter of the 15th March, on the subject of the application by the Urban District Council of Finchley for consent under Section 11 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919, to install a 3,000 k.w. turbo-alternator set in their generating station, the Electricity Commissioners have had under consideration the legal points referred to, and they desire me to reply as follows:-

- (a) With regard to the point raised as to the bearing of the provisions of Section 18 (2) of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1926, the Commissioners have nothing to add to their letter of 28th November 1928, except to point out that apart altogether from this section, the Commissioners have a discretion in the matter.
- (b) In the absence of precise information as to the grounds upon which the Council base their apprehensions as to the effect upon their veto under the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Acts, 1902 to 1909, of taking a bulk supply from the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company the Commissioners feel some difficulty in expressing any definite opinion upon the matter. As at present advised, the Commissioners are of opinion that the Council's veto would not appear to be affected by the taking of such a supply.

If, however, the Council should decide to consider the taking of a bulk supply from the Central Electricity Board, this point would no longer arise.

With regard to the latter proposal, the Commissioners have been informed by the Central Board that the Board's representatives submitted to Mr. Calvert, the Council's Engineer on the 13th March, a comparative statement showing the cost to the Council of:-

- (1) taking a partial bulk supply from the Central Board, and using their existing plant for the balance of the load on their station, and
- (2) installing a 3,000 k.w. turbo-alternator set in their own station.



The Commissioners understand that the Central Board are awaiting the observations of the Council's Engineer on these figures, and they trust that the Council will be able to come to a mutually satisfactory agreement with the Board in the matter.

I am to add that the delay which has occurred in connexion with the Council's application has been due to the desire of the Commissioners to avoid sanctioning unnecessary capital outlay and the desirability of such arrangements being made as will conform with the intentions of the Act of 1936.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) L.S. Cook

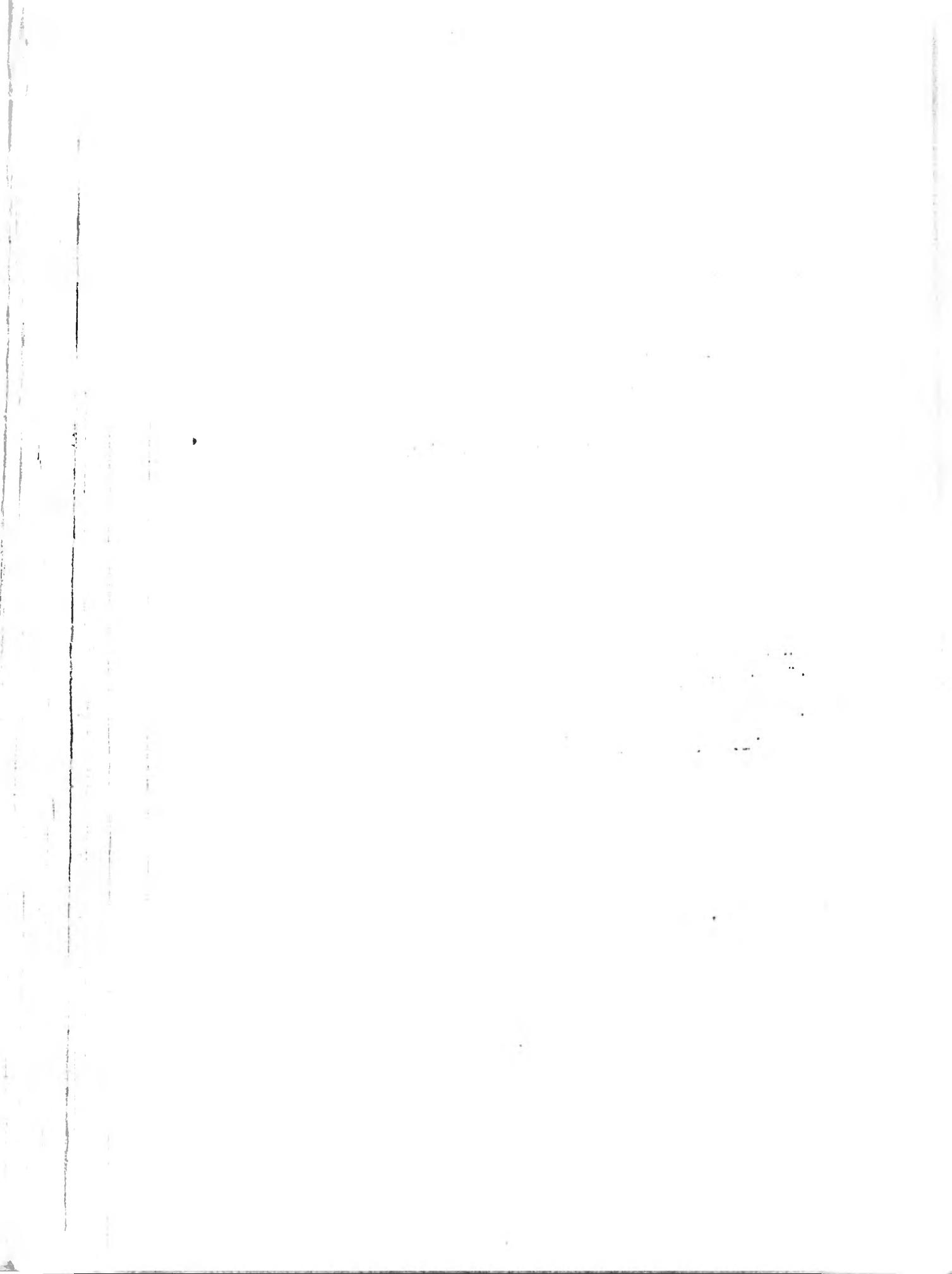
Asst. Secretary.

The Clerk to the Finchley Urban
District Council,
Council Offices,
Church End,
Finchley, N. 3.

WR/MP.

This (together with the preceding page) is/the
letter referred to in Resolution (1) contained
in paragraph 1849 (g) of the Council Minutes of the
26th March 1928. a copy of


Chairman.



The Secretary, Electricity
Commission.

Sir,

Extension of Generating Plant - Proposed Loan -
£24,000. Finchley Electric Lighting
Order, 1928.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant in regard to the above matter, and in reply thereto to state:-

(a) with regard to the legal question arising on Section 18(2) of the Act of 1926, the Council have already intimated to the Commissioners the source of their advice on this matter, and are of opinion that the advice given, having regard to the position which Sir Lynden Macassey occupies, warranted serious consideration. The Council were aware of the fact that the Commissioners had discretionary powers which up to the present they have not exercised, although the Council's application has been before them since June, 1926;

(b) on this point the Council also had the advice of Sir Lynden Macassey, which was not favourable to the Council's taking a bulk supply via the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company at this juncture. A copy of Sir Lynden's Opinion was shown to Mr. Lackie, one of the Electricity Commissioners, at the recent interview which representatives of the Council had with him. In the opinion of Sir Lynden Macassey, even if the bulk supply came via the Central Electricity Board, the same objection would apply.

As regards the statement in the Commissioners' letter anent the interviews which the Board's representative had with Mr. Calvert, the Council's Electrical Engineer, on the 13th and 26th March, 1928, I am directed to state:-

(1) that the basis of the calculations of the Central Electricity Board's representative, upon which the tentative proposal was made, was unsatisfactory, as has been pointed out to Mr. Hobson, representing the Central Electricity Board;

(2) the Council are of opinion that the installation of the a 3,000 K.W. Turbo Alternator set at their Station is the more economical and satisfactory solution at present, without prejudicing the legal position or prospective supplies when the Central Board's Scheme is in proper operation.

The Council observe the remarks of the Commissioners Resolution in the last paragraph of their letter, and desire me to point out that it was with the like object that the Council made the suggestions referred to in my previous letter in relation to the sanction for £12,000 of the full amount of £24,000.

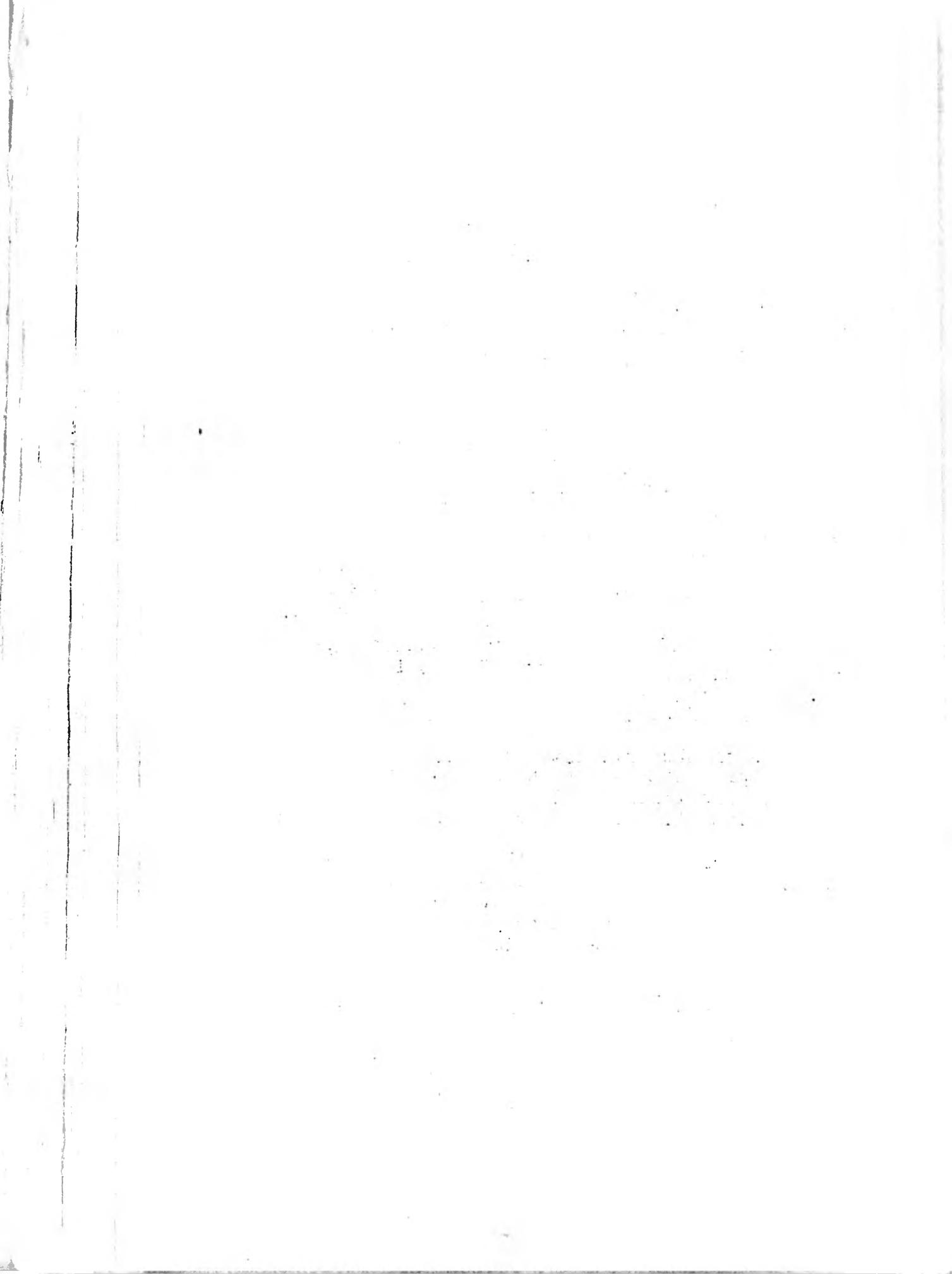
The Council await the Commissioners' favourable reply upon their application.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
E.H. LISTER,

Clerk of the Council.

Chairman.

This is
the draft of
the suggested
reply
referred
to in
(2) con-
tained
in para-
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1849(g)
of Council
Minutes of
26th
March
1928.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1851 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—CONTINUED.—

RESOLVED that the report of the under-mentioned Committee be received and adopted:—

- (i) **Finance (Special)** of the 14th March, 1928 (Recommendations (a), (b), and (c) contained in paragraph 1843), subject to the words "now submitted" being inserted after the word "estimate" in the first line; the word "eleventh" being inserted before the word "day" in the eighth line and to the word "April" being inserted before "1928" in the ninth line of recommendation (c).

1852 EDUCATION ESTIMATE.—

- (i) **Finance (Special)** of the 14th March, 1928—(Recommendation (d) contained in paragraph 1843).

Arising out of this paragraph it was

RESOLVED that particulars of the per capita cost of elementary education be submitted to the Council in Committee.

1853 POOR RATE.—

- (i) **Finance (Special)** of the 14th March, 1928, paragraph 1844.

Arising thereout Councillor Agar made a statement on the matter.

1854 ESTIMATES—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.—

Arising out of paragraph 1843 of the Finance (Special) Committee's report of the 14th March, 1928, it was

RESOLVED that the estimate of the amount required to be raised by General District Rate for the year ending 31st March, 1929, as under-printed, be recorded on the Minutes of the Council:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

URBAN DISTRICT
ESTIMATE FOR A GENERAL DISTRICT

Page	Service	EXPENDITURE			
		Estimate 1927/28	Approximate Actual		1928/29 Estimate
		£	£	s. d.	£
1.	Fire and Water	3324	3123	11 6	3430
1.	Ambulance	150	157	12 0	237
18/27.	Highways	54800	52730	7 7	60746
	Supplementary	924			
28/30.	Sanitary and Sewerage	7674	7912	9 11	8000
	Supplementary	602			
31/34.	Sewage Disposal	18633	18477	12 6	11442
33/34.	Refuse Collection and Disposal				
35.	Mortuary	40	49	0 4	52
36.	Hospitals	7489	8074	10 0	8001
37.	Prevention of Disease	985	886	9 11	985
38/40.	Public Baths	2040	1996	7 6	1731
	Supplementary	30			
41.	Maternity and Child Welfare	1970	1925	0 3	2028
42/46.	Recreation Grounds	5338	6385	0 8	6053
	Supplementary	1256			
47.	Establishment	8893	8843	0 7	8976
48.	Staff and Parliamentary	17316	17204	17 5	17500
49/50	Allotments	870	841	5 10	1173
		<hr/>	<hr/>		
		132334	128607	6 0	139186
	Housing (A.S.) Id. Rate	1764	1827	0 0	1875
	Provision re Avenue House	2000	5192	12 10	2050
		<hr/>	<hr/>		
		£136098	135626	18 10	143111

CAPITAL
£

14/17. Highways—Estimated Expenditure 96590

£96590

DISTRICT
 DISTRICT
 RE
 1928/29
 Estimate

£
 3490
 237
 60746
 8000
 11442
 8832
 52
 8001
 985
 1731
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 6053
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 17500
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 139186
 1875
 2050
 143111

CAPITAL
 £
 96590
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OF FINCHLEY. COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).
 RATE—YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.

Page	Service	Estimate	INCOME		
			1927/28	Approximate Actual	1928/29 Estimate
		£	£	s. d.	£
53.	Fire and Water	20	43	0 0	20
53.	Ambulance	250	265	0 0	250
53.	Highways	18593	17318	12 3	21791
53.	Sanitary and Sewerage	2375	2405	5 6	2405
54.	Sewage Disposal	1324	1255	13 10	1222
54.	Refuse Collection and Disposal	100	145	12 0	160
54.	Mortuary	—	14	14 0	—
54.	Prevention of Disease	130	138	0 8	130
54.	Public Baths	1092	1048	4 11	1042
54.	Maternity and Child Welfare	1182	1237	11 11	1226
55.	Recreation Grounds	1045	1107	17 5	1159
56.	Establishment, Staff and Parliamentary }	5024	5994	2 2	6160
56.	Allotments	675	616	8 4	703
		31810	31590	3 0	36268
	Income Tax Set-off	500	600	0 0	750
	Bank, etc., Interest	500	400	0 0	500
	Avenue House	—	3042	12 10	—
	Private Works	—	500	0 0	500
	S.D.A.A. excess	—	650	0 0	650
	Produce of Rate	88200	91360	0 0	—
		£121010	128142	15 10	38668

ACCOUNT.

	£
Highways—Estimated Income—Direct Grants	53063
Balance—Deferred Revenue—covered by Loan Charges in District Rate Estimate	43527
	£96590

C. F. CARPENTER, Accountant.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1855 MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL.—

(a) Annual Meeting.—

RESOLVED that the Annual Meeting of the Council be held on Monday, the 16th April, 1928, at 7.30 p.m.

(b) Next Ordinary Meeting.—

RESOLVED that the above be held on Monday, the 28th May, 1928, at 7.30 p.m.

(c) Special Meeting.—

RESOLVED that a Special Meeting of the Council be held on Wednesday, the 4th April, 1928, at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of making and approving the General District Rate for the Urban District of Finchley and the Poor Rate for the Rating Area and Parish of Finchley for the period commencing on the 1st April, 1928, and ending on the 31st March, 1929.

1856 PRIVATE STREET WORKS — 15th BATCH — LOAN — £15,100.—A communication, dated 15th March, 1928, was submitted from the Ministry of Health forwarding sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the above-mentioned sum, and enclosing copy of correspondence which had taken place with a frontager in Wentworth Park;

RESOLVED that such correspondence be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration and report.

1857 SEWER—CYPRUS GARDENS—LOAN—£1,209.—A letter, dated 12th March, 1928, was submitted from the Ministry of Health forwarding sanction to the above-mentioned loan for a period of thirty years.

1858 ARDEN PLAYING FIELDS.—A letter, dated 6th March, 1928, was submitted from the Honorary Secretary of the Finchley Cricket Club as follows :—

“ As you are aware, the Club is anxious to assist the Local Committee formed by the Council under the National Playing Fields Scheme, and in this connection it has been suggested that it would be useful if the Club could arrange to utilise the special match which has been arranged this year with the

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Marylebone Cricket Club on Saturday, 7th July (during our Cricket Week) as a means of augmenting the funds of the Playing Fields Committee. For this purpose it would be necessary to obtain the special permission of the Council to charge for admission to the ground during the period of play, which would be from 11.30 a.m. to about 6.30 p.m., and I hope that this request may receive your sympathetic consideration."

RESOLVED that the request be acceded to.

1859 GLEBE LAND—BOY SCOUTS' CAMP.—A letter, dated 12th March, 1928, was submitted on behalf of the Wood Green Troop of Boy Scouts asking for permission to arrange for a Boy Scouts' Camp at Easter on the vacant meadow adjoining the Sewage Farm;

RESOLVED that the request be acceded to on the distinct understanding that every precaution is taken to see that no damage is done to the Council's property.

1860 MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE—CHURCH END CENTRE.—A letter, dated 16th March, 1928, was submitted from the Ministry of Health stating that the Minister approved the proposal of the Council to increase the fee payable to Dr. Phillis Cunnington as Medical Officer of the above Centre from 1½ guineas to 2 guineas per session as from the 1st January last.

1861 ALLOTMENTS—BRIARFIELD AVENUE.—A letter, dated 17th March, 1928, was submitted from Messrs. Rawlins, Culver and Co. giving three months' notice of withdrawal of the above land from the Council's allotment holding;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Allotments Committee for consideration and that, in the meantime, the Clerk be directed to endeavour to obtain an extension of the period of the notice and then give the necessary notice to the allotment holders.

1862 EXCISE LICENCE—"SWAN AND PYRAMIDS" PUBLIC HOUSE, HIGH ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY.—Notice of application to the Justices for transfer of licence in respect of the above premises from Henry Melhuish to Arthur Stanley Melhuish was submitted;

RESOLVED that no action be taken thereon.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1863 PROPOSED ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL—BOW LANE, NORTH FINCHLEY.—A letter, dated 20th March, 1928, was submitted from Mr. T. H. B. Scott, Architect to the School Managers, applying for the Council's consent under Town Planning Scheme No. 2 to the erection of the above School;

RESOLVED (nine voting in favour and none against) that such consent be given.

1864 PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS.—

RESOLVED that Orders in writing be signed by three Members of the Council directing the Treasurer to pay:—

(a) the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 14th March, 1928, amounting to £64,168 4s. 2d.;

(b) the several sums hereunder mentioned amounting to £17,802 16s. 11d. :—

1865 GENERAL DISTRICT FUND ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Boulton, Sons & Sandeman, costs <i>re</i> Lonsdale Meadows	30	18	7
Lister, E. H., on account of Election expenses	275	0	0
Manders, W. & Co., certificate (final) ...	20	1	9
Mills & Morley, part Compensation Award, Avenue House	269	8	0
Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., insurance, Avenue House	14	5	0
Stevens & Sons, certificate (final)	28	0	8
	637	14	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., principal and interest on loan 108	7	12	0
Accountant to pay firemen	100	0	0
Accountant's Wages Account	1100	0	0
Ditto ditto	1100	0	0
Accountant's Imprest Account	750	0	0
	£3695.	6	0

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1866 ELECTRIC LIGHTING LOANS ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Electric Construction Co., Ltd., certificate	29	19	10
Park Royal Engineering Co., Ltd., certificate	16	16	0
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	£46	15	10

1867 ELECTRIC LIGHTING REVENUE ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Electrical Engineer, Wages Account ...	800	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	800	0	0
Ditto petty cash ...	70	0	0
Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 133 ...	570	8	6
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	£2240	8	6

1868 WORKMEN'S DWELLINGS REVENUE ACCOUNT No. 2.—

Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 186 (pt.) ...	£685	2	6
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1869 HOUSING (ASSISTED SCHEMES) ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Bank of England, principal and interest on loan 186 (pt.) ...	114	3	0
Executor of Miss M. M. E. Whiting, redemption of Bond ...	25	0	0
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	£139	3	0

1870 STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Manders, W. & Co., certificates ...	601	3	11
Ditto ditto ...	962	12	9
Ditto ditto ...	476	14	6
Rainbow, T. A. ditto ...	50	9	11
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	£2091	1	1

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1871 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

	£	s.	d.
Chambers & Garnett, <i>re</i> Wallington, E. A.	650	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Eyre, H. A.	580	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Landeg, Mrs. R. M.	685	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Rosenthal, D.	730	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Anderson, D. W. R.	650	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Rance, E. H.	760	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Colman, L. G.	700	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Whitelaw, R. A.	500	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Morley, F. E.	670	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Johnson, H. W.	600	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Carter, E. C. & F.	640	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Appleton, L. H. C.	660	0	0
Ditto <i>re</i> Langmaid, E. L.	480	0	0
	<u>£8305</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

1872 ALLOTMENTS LOANS ACCOUNT.—

Boulton, Sons & Sandeman, purchase money—Lonsdale Meadows	£600	0	0
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SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
General District Fund Account	3695	6	0
Electric Lighting Loans Account	46	15	10
Electric Lighting Revenue Account	2240	8	6
Workmen's Dwellings Revenue Ac- count No. 2	685	2	6
Housing (Assisted Schemes) Account	139	3	0
Street Improvement Loans Account	2091	1	1
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts Loans Account	8305	0	0
Allotments Loans Account	600	0	0
	<u>£17802</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>11</u>

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1873 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under-mentioned documents:—

- (1) Contract with Messrs. C. Halls & Sons for carrying out decorative works at Superintendent's Quarters at Avenue House;
- (2) Licences to the under-mentioned *re* storage of petroleum spirit and/or Carbide of Calcium:—
 - (a) Messrs. Benjamin Branford Jillings and Charles William Brown (trading as Jillings & Co.)
 - (b) Mr. Charles Vincent Betts;
 - (c) Mr. William Charles Durant;
 - (d) Messrs. Harry Leslie Sampson and Leslie Gibson (trading as the Pneu Process Company);
 - (e) Messrs. J. R. Freeman & Co., Ltd.
 - (f) Messrs. James Kirkwood and Lancelot Edward Smith (trading as Lyndon Garage, Ltd.);
- (3) Contract with Messrs. J. Mowlem & Co. for the making-up of Cyprus Gardens, Hendon Avenue (2nd portion) and Ridgeview Road;
- (4) Contract with Messrs. Fitzpatrick & Sons for the making-up of Lansdowne Road (2nd portion), Wentworth Park (1st portion), Cromwell Road, and Abingdon Road (2nd portion);
- (5) Contract with Messrs. Clarke, Chapman & Co., Ltd., for supply and delivery of Boiler in connection with the Electricity Undertaking;
- (6) Agreement with Mr. A. Dowdall with regard to inspection chamber cover proposed to be placed on the highway;
- (7) Agreement with Mr. R. E. Pavey *re* erection of shed at 14, New Oak Road;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (8) Agreement with Mr. H. E. Hyde in regard to use of a sports pavilion, situate in Church Path, Whetstone, as a domestic building;
- (9) Agreement with Messrs. Barratt & Co. *re* garage, corner of Nether Street and Hillcourt Avenue;
- (10) Lease to North Finchley Allotment League, Ltd., of an area of 20.27 acres or thereabouts, being sites P.D. and E. on the Glebe Land;
- (11) Orders on the Treasurer to pay the several sums mentioned in the Finance Committee's report of the 14th March, 1928; and also in the list circulated;
- (12) Mortgage to the Public Works Loan Board to secure repayment of a sum of £50,000 with interest (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (13) Orders for Certificates and Receipts therefor in connection with loans of
 - (a) £4,205,
 - (b) £4,100,from the Public Works Loan Board (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (14) Testimonial to Miss A. Mortimer expressing appreciation of services rendered in the cause of Education;
- (15) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. Chapman to the Council *re* 20, Westholm (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (16) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. W. E. Pechey to the Council *re* 33, Clarence Gardens (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (17) Agreement with Mr. E. C. Arden for Conveyance to the Council of land for widening Regents Park Road;
- (18) Conveyance as above;

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

- * (19) Contract with London Incorporated Press, Ltd., for the printing of Council Minutes and Reports for the year ending 14th April, 1929;
- (20) Licences to the under-mentioned *re* Storage of Petroleum Spirit :—
- (a) Messrs. Botten & Stewart, Ltd.;
 - (b) Mr. Frank Brooker;
 - (c) Mr. Stanley L. Day (trading as the the North Finchley Motor Company).

* See report of Council in Committee.

1874 SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—A report of the above Officer was submitted and considered. Arising thereout :—

- (a) Housing Act, 1925 (Sec. 3)—63 and 65, Market Place, N. 2.—The Inspector reported that the work specified in the statutory notices served upon the owner of the above-named dwelling-houses was now being carried out by the Surveyor and that, during the progress of such work, it had been found that the soil under the ground floor rooms was wet;

RESOLVED—

- (1) that the statutory notices now submitted be served upon the owner under Section 3 of the above Act requiring him to execute the works in question within the time specified in the said notices.
 - (2) that failing compliance with such notices the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the carrying out of the necessary works; and
 - (3) that upon completion thereof the Clerk be instructed to take proceedings, if necessary, against the owner for recovery of the expenses incurred in the execution of the works.
- (b) Nuisances (Public Health Act, 1875, and the Acts amending the same)—36, Stanhope Avenue, Finchley, N. 3.—Ground Floor Flat.—The Inspector reported that the above-named premises were in such a state as to be a nuisance arising from the existence of certain defects; the Council being satisfied of the existence of such nuisance it was

Amended

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

RESOLVED that the statutory notice now submitted be served upon the owner requiring her to execute the works in question within the time specified in the said notice.

(c) Houses without Proper Dustbins (Sec. 22 of Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908)—

36, Stanhope Avenue, Finchley, N. 3.

16, Percy Road, N. 12.

Valora, High Road, N. 20.

Ivy House, High Road, N. 20.

The Inspector reported hereon ;

RESOLVED—

(1) that notices be served upon the owners of the above-mentioned premises requiring them respectively to provide a strong galvanised iron dustbin with a suitable cover to each of the said premises ;

(2) that, failing compliance, proceedings be taken for recovery of the penalties mentioned in Section 22 of the Finchley Urban District Council Act, 1908.

(d) Petroleum Acts, 1871 to 1926—Applications for Licences.
—The Inspector reported hereon ;

RESOLVED that licences for the period ending 30th June, 1928, be granted to the under-mentioned applicants to store such quantities of petroleum spirit as are respectively set opposite to their names in the schedule hereunder printed, subject to the conditions mentioned in the report of the Inspector and also to the conditions contained in the Council's licences respectively being strictly observed :—

COUNCIL MEETING - 30th MARCH, 1928.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Public Health Officer,
3, The Hawthorns,
Regents Park Road,
N.3.

22nd March, 1928.

To the Chairman and Members of the
Finchley Urban District Council.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

(1) HOUSING ACT, 1925 (Sec.3.)

63 & 65, Market Place, N.2.

I have to report that the work specified on the statutory notices served upon the owner of the above-named dwelling houses is now being carried out by your Surveyor, and, during the progress of such work, it has been found that the soil under the ground floor rooms is wet.

I, therefore, suggest that further notices be served upon the owner requiring him to execute the following work, namely:-

63, Market Place.

Excavate the soil beneath the floors of passage, front room and kitchen to the necessary depth and cover the soil with a layer of cement concrete four inches thick, the surface of such concrete to be grouted with cement.

65, Market Place

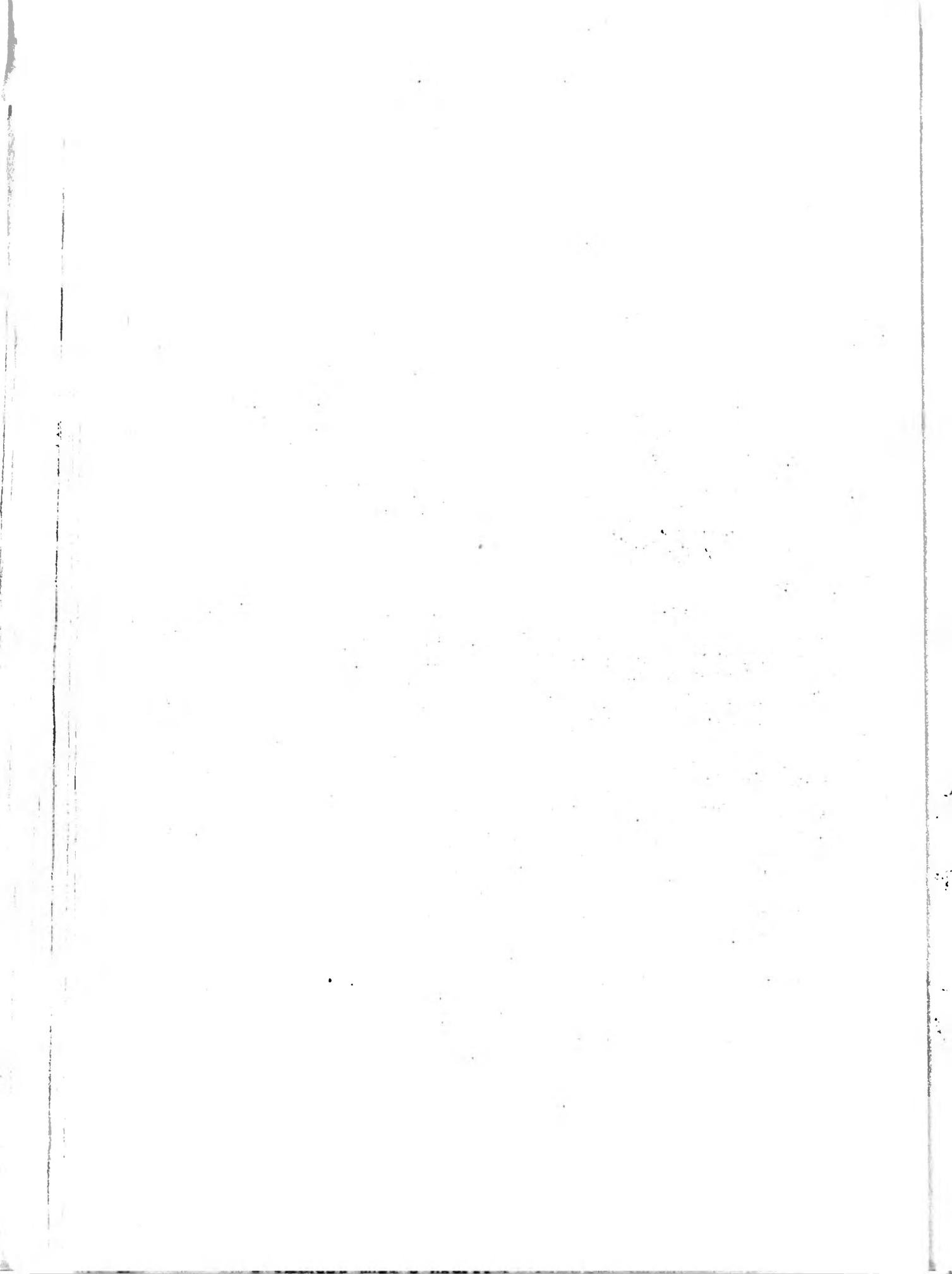
Remove the wooden floors and joists in passage, front room and kitchen. Excavate the soil beneath the said floors to the necessary depth and cover the soil with a layer of cement concrete four inches thick, the surface of such concrete to be grouted with cement.

Relay the joists and floors of passage, front room and kitchen, providing new material where necessary.

(2) NUISANCES (P.H.A. 1875 and the Acts amending the same)

36, Stanhope Avenue, Finchley, N.3. (Ground floor flat)

I have to report that the above-named premises are in such a state as to be a nuisance arising from the existence of certain defects.



requiring her to execute the following work, namely:-

- Remove defective wooden supports of sink in scullery and provide and fix new supports in lieu thereof.
- Refix scullery sink, reconnect wastepipe to same, and properly make good between wall and sink.
- Properly repair defective boarded floor of scullery.
- Properly repair or renew defective mica flap valve to fresh air inlet of drain.

(3) HOUSES WITHOUT PROPER DUSTBINS (Sec²³ F.U.D.C. Act, 1908).

36, Stanhope Avenue, Finchley, N.5.
16, Percy Road, N.12.
Valora, High Road, N.20.
Ivy House, High Road, N.20.

The above houses are not provided with proper dustbins and I suggest that notices be served upon the respective owners requiring them to provide at each house a strong galvanised iron dustbin with a suitable cover.

(4) PETROLEUM ACTS 1871 to 1926 - APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES.

Messrs. Botten & Stewart, Ltd. The Motor House, High Road, N.2.

500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.
50 gallons of petroloum spirit in two gallon tins.

Frank Brooker, 222, Long Lane, East Finchley, N.2.

20 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins.

Stanley L. Day, t.a. the North Finchley Motor Company,
15, Woodhouse Parade, High Road, North Finchley, N.12.

500 gallons of petroleum spirit in bulk.
200 gallons of petroleum spirit in two gallon tins.

The above-named premises have been previously licensed by the Council for the keeping of the quantities of petroleum spirit stated herein.

Those applications may be granted subject to the conditions annexed to the Council's licences being strictly observed.

The North Finchley Motor Co. have written to the effect that as their predecessors have paid the licence fee for the year ending the 30th June, 1928, they should not be charged a fee until after that date.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

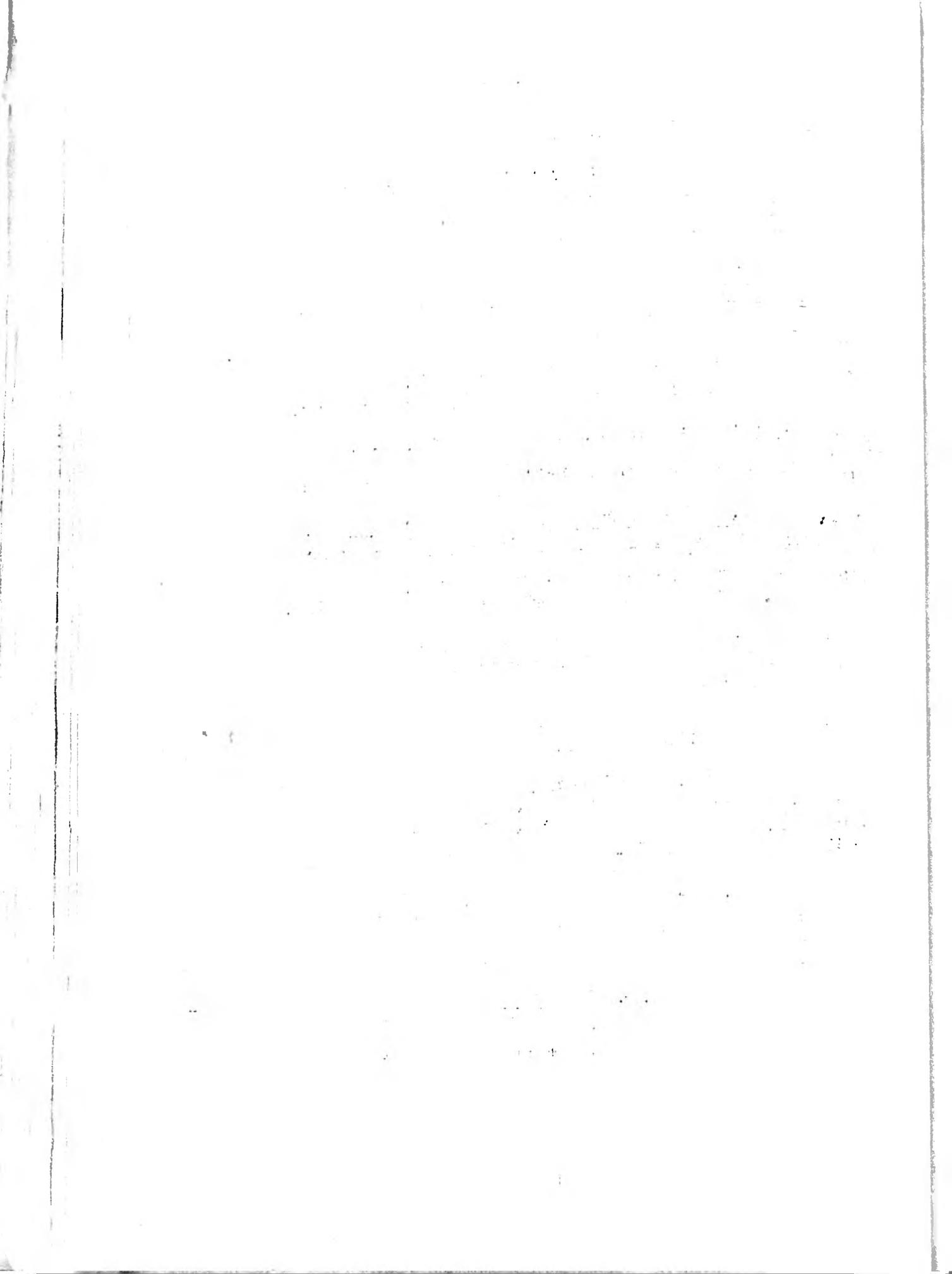
Your obedient Servant,

E. J. FRANKLIN

Chief Sanitary Inspector.

This (together with the preceding page) is the report of the Sanitary Inspector referred to in paragraph 1874 of the Council Minutes of the 26th March 1928.

H. J. Lucas,
Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Applicant.	Premises where petroleum spirit is to be kept.	Quantity of petroleum spirit to be kept.
Botten & Stewart, Ltd.	The Motor House, High Road, N. 2	500 gallons in bulk; 50 gallons in two-gallon tins.
Frank Brooker	222, Long Lane, East Finchley, N.2	20 gallons in two-gallon tins.
Stanley L. Day (trading as the North Finchley Motor Company)	15, Woodhouse Parade, High Road, North Finchley, N. 12	500 gallons in bulk; 200 gallons in two-gallon tins.

1875 TENDER—PRINTING OF MINUTES AND REPORTS.—

RESOLVED that the tender received in respect of the above be opened and considered by the Council in Committee.

1876 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1877 WAGES OF CARETAKERS.—Paragraph 1771 of the Education Committee's report of the 12th March, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED that same be received and adopted.

1878 ELEMENTARY EDUCATION—PER CAPITA COST OF.—The following figures were submitted by the Chairman of the Committee:—

	£	s.	d.
Cost 1914	5 10 2
Cost 1927	14 6 0
Cost 1928	15 0 0

1879 AVENUE HOUSE SUB-COMMITTEE.—Items Nos. (7) and (8) contained in paragraph 1795 of the General Purposes Committee's report of the 13th March, 1928, were considered.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

As regards item No. (7) the Chairman of the Council reported as to the action which had been taken upon the letter received from the Hon. Secretary of the Local Branch of the National Association of Local Government Officers, which was approved by the Council.

As regard (8) Councillor Pike reported that he had received a telephonic message from Sir Arthur Crosfield to the effect that the invitation which had been extended to Their Royal Highnesses, The Duke and Duchess of York was under consideration, but that no definite decision could be given at the moment;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that recommendations (1) and (2) contained in paragraph 1795 (8) be received and adopted and that, in the event of the invitation before-mentioned being accepted, the whole of the arrangements be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Council, the Clerk and the Surveyor;
- (b) that the necessary expenditure in connexion with the Ceremony be approved.

1880 EXTENSIONS OF PLANT—SUB-STATION EXTENSIONS, 1928—PERCY ROAD.—Paragraph 1805 (2) of the Electricity Committee's report of the 14th March, 1928, was considered and the Chief Electrical Engineer reported on the matter;

RECOMMENDED that application be made to the Electricity Commissioners for sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £2,839 for the purpose of extending the above Sub-Station, made up as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
* Building extension	108	0	0
* Rectifiers (150 k.w.)	1431	0	0
* E.H.T. Switch-gear	137	10	0
* L.T. Switch-gear	112	0	0
† Cables	900	0	0
† Contingencies and sundries	150	10	0
	£2839	0	0

* Tender price.

† Estimate.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1881 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—ADVANCE No. 413.—Paragraph 1814 (f) (as slightly amended) of the Finance Committee's report of the 14th March, 1928, was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the paragraph be received and adopted;
- (b) that it be left to the Clerk and to the Accountant in consultation with the Chairman of the Finance Committee, to arrange, if possible, for the mortgage in respect of the property to be transferred and that, failing this, the reserve price be fixed at £750;
- (c) that a further report on the subject be made at the Special Meeting of the Council to be held on the 4th April, 1928.

1882 TENDER—PRINTING OF MINUTES AND REPORTS.—

RECOMMENDED that the tender of the London Incorporated Press, Ltd., at the sum of six shillings a page be accepted, and that the Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary contract, which be added to the list of documents for sealing.

1883 ELECTRICITY COMMITTEE.—A report of this Committee of the 14th March, 1928, as under-printed, was submitted and considered :—

Present: Councillors Agar, Bowen, Pocock (Vice-Chairman), Ryan, H. O. Syrett, and Wade, Mr. R. A. Marples and Major Marx.

ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—

(a) Proposed Loan—£24,000.—

RECOMMENDED that authority be delegated to this Committee to take such action as may be deemed necessary or desirable between the Ordinary Meeting of the Council in March, 1928, and that in May, 1928, in order to protect the interests of the Council, arising out of the correspondence which has for some time past been taking place with the Electricity Commissioners, relative to the application for sanction to the above-mentioned loan for the installation of a 3,000 k.w. set.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

- (b) **New Boiler.**—The Chief Electrical Engineer indicated the terms which he had agreed with the makers of the above, as to payment being deferred in the event of the sanction of the Electricity Commissioners not being received to the necessary loan, which arrangement was approved by the Committee.

H. O. SYRETT,

Chairman (*pro. tempore*).

RECOMMENDED that the report be received and adopted.

1884 IN PARLIAMENT—SESSION, 1928—NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER (CONSOLIDATION) BILL.—A letter, dated 16th March, 1928, was submitted from Messrs. Lees & Co. stating that, on the 22nd March, 1928, the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords proposed to move the following motion :—

“ That it is desirable that all Private Bills in the present Session which purport exclusively to consolidate the provisions of existing Private Acts of Parliament be referred to a Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament.

That the Joint Committee shall not take into consideration any petition against any such Bill which seeks to alter the existing law.”

The Clerk reported on the matter and intimated that, acting upon instructions, he had directed Messrs. Lees & Co. to approach the Lord Chairman with a view to the circumstances being explained to him. He also submitted copy of the report of the Secretary of State for the Home Department on the Bill ;

RECOMMENDED that the Clerk be directed to communicate forthwith with Colonel Fremantle and Capt. Wallace asking them to be good enough to raise the matter in the House of Commons and drawing their attention particularly to the fact that the Bill in question is not merely a consolidating measure, as it purports to be, in that it seeks to amend the existing law.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1885 PLANS.—

(a) Approved.—

RECOMMENDED that the following plans be APPROVED, subject to the conditions severally mentioned by the Surveyor in his report :—

Annexed.

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
6354	Garage	31, Beechwood Avenue	Mr. R. G. Munro.
6386	Nine garages	Adjoining 112, Grove Road	Mr. H. Rawles.
6397	Garage	Rear of shops Nos. 3 and 5, Lodge Lane	Mr. A. Fowler.
6402	Summer house	21, Broughton Avenue	Mrs. J. Craig.
6403	One house	Ridgeway (corner of Westway)	Messrs. Burdett and May.
6404	Two garages and coal store	51, Windermere Avenue	Mr. A. N. Phillips.
6406	Six garages	Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
6407	Two houses	Ridgeway	Messrs. Burdett and May.
6409	Seven garages	Albert Place	Mr. E. P. Hopkins.
6411	Garage	74, Park Hall Road	Mr. John Graham.
6413	Fourteen lock-up garages	Great North Road, East Finchley	Mr. W. S. Down.
6414	Tool shed	Lyndhurst, Creighton Avenue	Mr. W. T. Orme.
6415	Garage	Abingdon Road	Mr. E. J. King.
6416	Cricket pavilion	In field at end of Gruneisen Road	The Finchley Municipal Officers' Cricket Club.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

No. of plan.	Premises.	Where situate.	Owner.
✓ 6417	Two garages	Between 16 and 18, St. Margaret's Avenue	No. 16, Mr. D. Mahoney. No. 18, Mr. F. H. Marlow.
✓ 6418	Twenty-three lock-up garages	Limes Avenue	King Edward Garage
✓ 6420	Two houses	Nether Street — between Hillcourt Avenue and Alexandra Grove	Messrs. Barrett and Co.
✓ 6421	Two flats and garages	Regents Park Road, adjoining Manor Parade	Mrs. Warner.
✓ 6422	Additions	Heathside, Northway	Mrs. C. A. Hardisty.
✓ 6423	Two garages	43 and 45, Midholm	Oakwood Tenants.

(b) Disapproved.—

No. of Plan	Premises	Where situate	Owner
✓ 6396	Garage	21, Brookland Hill	Mr. Collier.
✓ 6405	Alterations	115, High Road, East Finchley	London Co-operative Society, Ltd.
✓ 6408	Additional bathroom and W.C.	Rear of 9, Friern Park	Mr. Brocklebank.
✓ 6410	Six lock-up shops with flats and offices over	High Road, Whetstone, corner of Chandos Avenue	Messrs. C. F. Day, Ltd.
✓ 6412	Temporary W.C.'s and cloakroom	Northway, Hampstead Garden Suburb	Hampstead Garden Suburb Institute (Society).
✓ 6419	Office	Harwood Garage, High Road, North Finchley	Mr. C. A. Armstrong

PART II.

SURVEYOR'S PLANS REPORT.

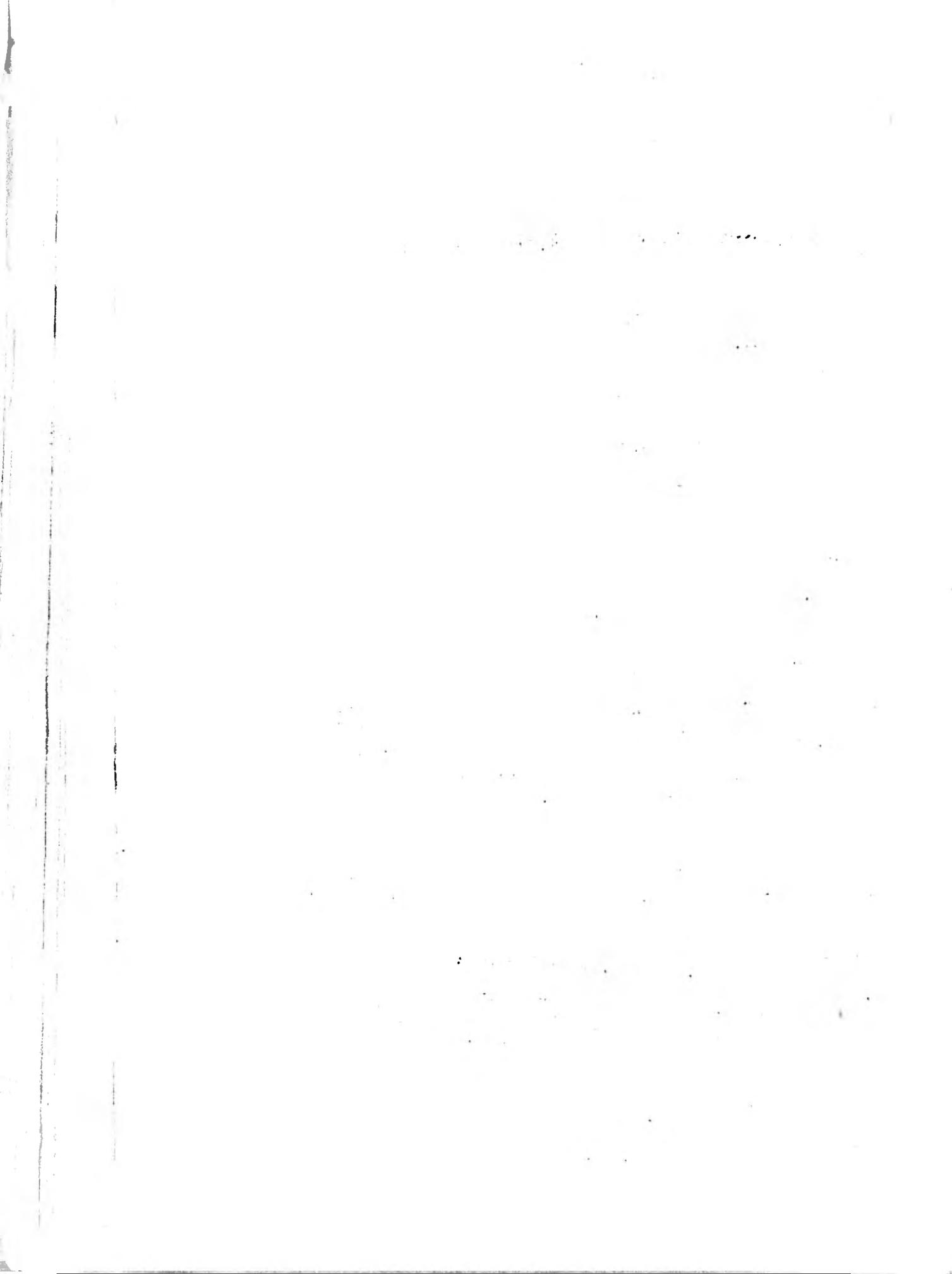
TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE
FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Gentlemen,

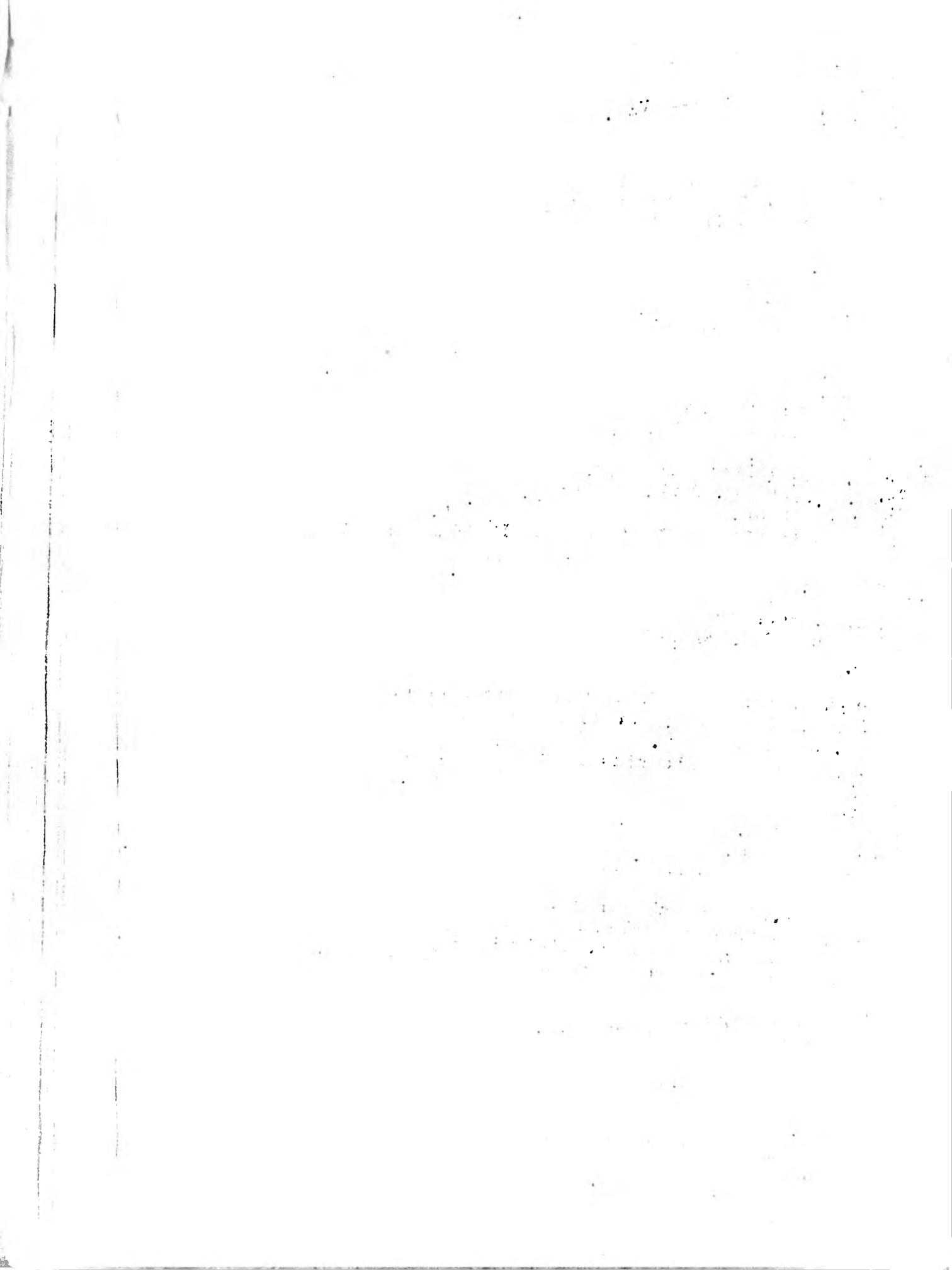
Since my last report 26 sets of plans have been
received representing:-

PAVILION	1
GARAGES	72
MISCELLANEOUS.	4
HOUSES.	5
ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.	3
LOCK-UP SHOPS WITH FLATS & OFFICES OVER.	6
FLATS.	2

- 6354 Garage.
23. 3.28. ✓ 31, Beechwood Avenue.
 Mr. R. G. Munro.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6386 9 garages.
22. 2. 28. ✓ Adjoining 112, Grove Road.
 Mr. H. Rawles.
 This plan was disapproved at the last meeting of
 the Town Planning Committee and I will submit
 at your meeting letter dated 14th March, 1928,
 which I have received from Mr. H. Rawles
 with regard to the matter.
- 6396 Garage.
29. 2.28. ✓ 21, Brookland Hill.
 Mr. Collier.
 This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6397 Garage.
1. 3. 28. ✓ Rear of shops Nos. 3 & 5, Lodge Lane.
 Mr. A. Fowler.
 This plan, which was disapproved at the last
 meeting of the Town Planning Committee, is
 now in order and MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6402 Summer House.
6. 3. 28. ✓ 21, Broughton Avenue.
 Mrs. J. Craig.
 This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



- 6403 ✓
5. 3.28. One house.
Ridgeway, (corner of Westway.)
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6404 ✓
13. 3.28. 2 garages and coal store.
51, Windermere Avenue.
Mr. A. N. Phillips.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6405 ✓
20. 3.28. Alterations.
115, High Road, East Finchley.
London Co-operative Society Ltd.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6406 ✓
13. 3.28. 6 garages.
Ridgeway.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6407 ✓
13. 3.28. 3 houses.
Ridgeway.
Messrs. Burdett & May.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6408 ✓
14. 3.28. Additional bathroom and W.C.
Rear of 9, Friern Park.
Mr. Brocklebank.
This plan is not in order and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6409 ✓
20. 3.28. 7 garages.
Albert Place.
Mr. E. R. Hopkins.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6410 ✓
15. 3.28. 6 lock-up shops with flats and offices over.
High Road, Whetstone, corner of Chandos Avenue.
Messrs. C. F. Day Ltd.
I will report on this plan at your meeting.
6411. ✓
23. 3.28. Garage.
Park Hall Road.
Mr. John Graham.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
6412. ✓
16. 3. 28. Temporary W.C's and cloakroom.
Northway, Hampstead Garden Suburb.
Hampstead Garden Suburb Institute (Society)
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.
- 6413 ✓
19. 3.28. 14 lock-up garages.
Great North Road, East Finchley.
Mr. W. S. Down.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.
- 6414 ✓
17. 3.28. Tool shed.
"Lyndhurst", Creighton Avenue.
Mr. W. T. Orme.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.



- 6415
20. 3.28. Garage.
Abingdon Road.
Mr. E. J. King.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6416
20. 3.28. Cricket Pavilion.
In field at end of Gruneisen Road.
The Finchley Municipal Officers' Cricket Club.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6417
20. 3.28. 2 garages.
Between 16 & 18, St. Margaret's Avenue.
No.16, Mr. D. Mahoney.
No.18, Mr. F. H. Marlow.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6418
21. 3.28. 23 lock-up garages.
Limes Avenue.
King Edward Garage.
This plan MAY BE APPROVED.

- 6419
20. 3.28. Office.
Harwood Garage, High Road, North Finchley.
Mr. C. A. Armstrong.
This plan is incomplete and SHOULD BE DISAPPROVED.

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22. 3.28. 2 houses.
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Regents Park Road adjoining Manor Parade.
Mrs. Warner.
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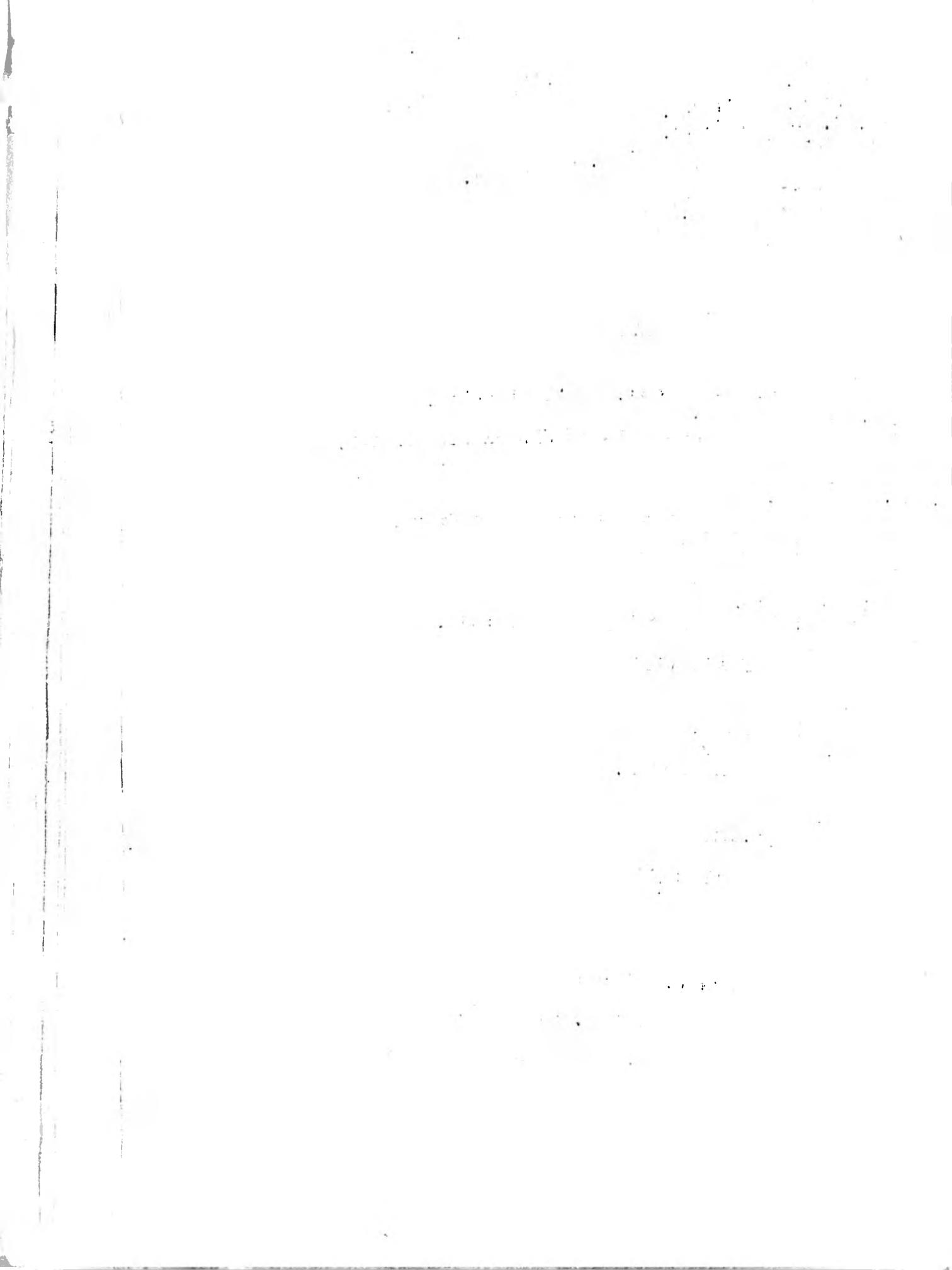
Yours obediently,

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.

Engineer and Surveyor.

26TH MARCH, 1928. This (together with the two preceding pages)
 ----- is the report of the Surveyor referred to in
 paragraph 1885 of the Council Minutes of the
 26th March 1928.

Percival T. Harrison
 Chairman.



COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1886 THIRD PARTY CLAIMS.—

- (a) Surcharged Sewer—Hendon Lane—Littlejohn—£14 16s. ;
 (b) Damaged Water Service Pipe—66, Lyndhurst Gardens—
 £19 0s. 3d.—The Clerk reported upon correspondence
 which had taken place with the Yorkshire Insurance Co. ;

RECOMMENDED that authority be given for the claims in question to be settled by the Council on the distinct understanding that the Council's rights under the policy are in no way prejudiced thereby and, as regards (b), to the Insurance Company's undertaking to reimburse the Council in the event of the claim against the contractors being unsuccessful.

1887 FINCHLEY PLAYING FIELDS APPEAL COMMITTEE.—The Chairman of the Allotments Committee reported that, arising out of the resolution recently passed by the above Committee (set out in Minute No. 1682 (b)), his Committee were arranging to receive at their next meeting representatives of the Whetstone Stray Allotments Association with a view to discussing the question of the desirability of the allotment holders vacating the sparsely cultivated fields and concentrating on one compact area, thereby enabling a space to be reserved as a playing field for children.

1888 PETROLEUM (AMENDMENT) BILL.—A communication was submitted from the Urban District Councils' Association drawing attention to the clause (By-laws as to petrol filling stations) which had been inserted in the above Bill by a Standing Committee of the House of Commons and which enabled County Councils and Borough Councils to make By-laws (a) regulating the design and appearance of petroleum filling stations or (b) prohibiting the establishment of petroleum filling stations in any part of their area to which the By-laws applied.

The letter added that it had been submitted to the Home Secretary that the position created by the clause in its present form under which any Borough, however small, could make By-laws under the Bill and no Urban District, however large, could make By-laws was indefensible, and the hope was expressed that the Home Secretary would be willing either to move or accept an amendment on the Report Stage of the Bill, which had been put down by one of the Vice-Presidents of the Association, to place the Urban District Council in the same position as the Borough Council ;

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).**RECOMMENDED—**

- (a) that the views expressed by the Association be supported strongly by the Council; and
- (b) that Capt. G. E. Wallace, M.P., and Colonel Fremantle, M.P., be communicated with forthwith asking them to be good enough to support the amendment suggested.

1889 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY COMPANY—CABLE.—The Clerk submitted an application received from the above Company for permission to lay a main in a portion of Woodhouse Road as shown on the plan accompanying the application;

RECOMMENDED that the Company be informed that the Council do not propose to offer any objection to the laying of the proposed main, without prejudice, however, to the Council's position in the matter, provided that the premises to be supplied with energy from such main are situate **wholly** within the Urban District of Friern Barnet.

1890 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee be empowered to consider any applications for advances which may be received prior to the 15th April, 1928, and to report thereon to the Council at the Annual Meeting to be held on the 16th April, 1928;
- (b) that for this purpose a meeting of the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee be convened for Wednesday, the 11th April, 1928, at 7.15 p.m.

1891 HOUSING SCHEME No. 4.—

RECOMMENDED—

- (a) that authority be given for the under-mentioned sums to be taken up from the Public Works Loan Board as required :—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

Date sanctioned.	Amount.	Period.	Purpose.
14th Feb., 1928	£20,272	60 years	Buildings.
14th Feb., 1928	£2,010	20 years	Street Works.
14th Feb., 1928	£570	30 years	Sewers.

(b) that the Special Committee *re* Housing be asked to consider and report as to whether any alteration in the proposed rents of the dwellings, etc., is necessary consequent upon the decision of the Council to provide English tiles.

1892 ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—The Chief Electrical Engineer reported that he had inserted advertisements inviting offers for the two Reciprocating Sets which were not now required for use;

RECOMMENDED that the Chief Electrical Engineer be authorised to accept the best offer which may be received therefor.

1893 OLD ENGLISH FAYRE AND EXHIBITION—ALEXANDRA PALACE—ORGAN RESTORATION FUND.—The Chairman of the Council and Councillor Sommerfield reported as to the steps which were being taken locally in connexion with this appeal, and the hope was expressed that the Members of the Council and their friends would render such assistance as might be possible.

1894 COUNCIL EMPLOYEES—COMPASSIONATE GRANTS.—The Surveyor reported that, in May last, the Council granted a gratuity of ten shillings a week to Mr. W. Wood for a period of twelve months; that unfortunately this employee had died recently; and that his widow had made application for financial assistance;

RECOMMENDED that the gratuity in question be transferred to the widow as from the date of Mr. Wood's

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COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

death, and that the case be considered further at the next meeting of the General Purposes Committee.

1895 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.


Chairman.

16th April 1928.

Urban District
of
Finchley.
WEDNESDAY,
4th April, 1928.

At an EXTRAORDINARY MEET-
ING of the Council held at the
Council Offices, Church End,
Finchley, on WEDNESDAY, the
4th day of April, 1928.

PRESENT :

The Chairman (Councillor H. O. Syrett, J.P.), in the Chair,

The Vice-Chairman (Councillor E. Toyne).

Councillors

Agar, F. H.	Merry, D. A. A.
Bowen, E. S.	Pateman, G. H.
Briant, A. J.	Pike, A. T.
Grocott, F. J.	Sommerfield, H. G.
Knowlman, A.	Wells, H. V.

1896 COUNCILLOR BROADBENT—DECEASE OF.—Reference was made by the Chairman of the Council to the death of Councillor Broadbent which had taken place on the 31st March, 1928, and to the loss which the Council and the District had suffered thereby : he pointed out that Councillor Broadbent had just completed eight years Membership of the Council during which period they had one and all recognised that he took his duties seriously and conscientiously and gave the closest attention to them ; that he had been Chairman of the Public Health Committee for the last four years and had taken a great interest in that work.

As a token of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Members of the Council, the Officials and all other persons present at the Meeting, stood in silence for a few moments.

RESOLVED that the Clerk be directed to communicate with Mrs. Broadbent expressing, on behalf of the Council, deep sympathy with her and her family in the bereavement sustained by them.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1897 ABSENCE FROM MEETING.—A communication was submitted from Councillor Ryan regretting his inability to be present at the Meeting.

1898 GENERAL DISTRICT RATE—MAKING OF.—

RESOLVED, unanimously, on the motion of Councillor Agar, seconded by Councillor Bowen—

- Estimate annexed*
- (a) that a General District Rate of four shillings and two pence in the pound for raising the money required according to the estimate duly made and approved by this Council on the 26th day of March, 1928, for defraying the expenses chargeable on the District Fund, which that Fund is and will be insufficient to meet during the twelve months commencing the 1st day of April, 1928, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1929, be made on the owners and occupiers of all property in the District for the time being in law assessable thereto under the powers and provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and all Acts incorporated therewith and all Orders made by virtue of them or any of them and of the Rating and Valuation Act, 1925, and that the said General District Rate shall be payable by two equal instalments of two shillings and one penny in the pound respectively, the first thereof on the eleventh day of April, 1928, and the second thereof on the first day of October, 1928;
 - (b) that in the said General District Rate where the rateable value of any premises liable to assessment does not exceed £8, the owner instead of the occupier be under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, rated and that in each such case the owner be allowed a deduction of one-third off the net annual value of the premises;
 - (c) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the General District Rate written in the books now produced.

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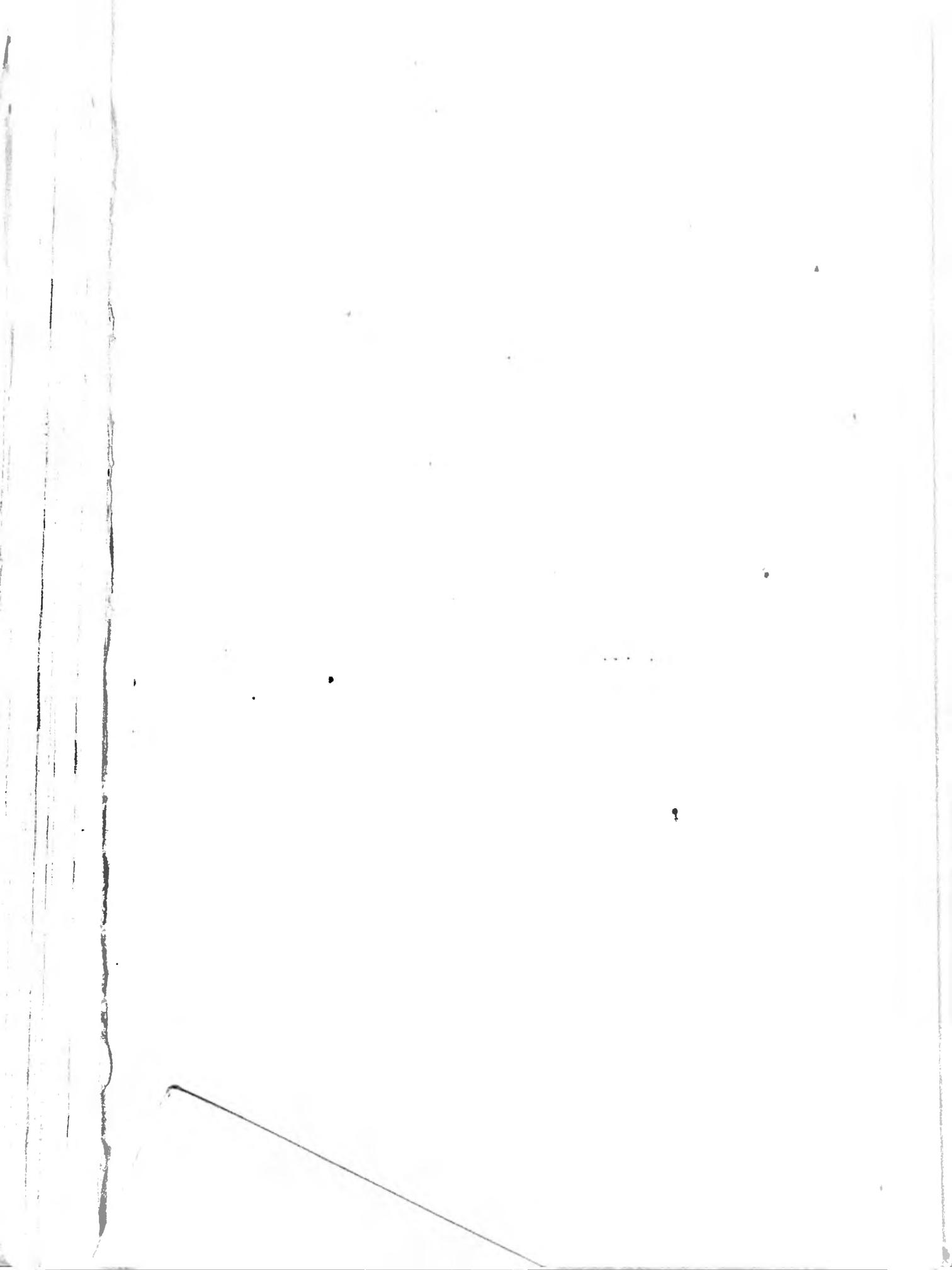
for

YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.

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These are the estimates (contained on pages 1 to 64) referred to in paragraph 1898 (a) of the Council Minutes of the 4th April 1928.

W. J. Kelly
Chairman.

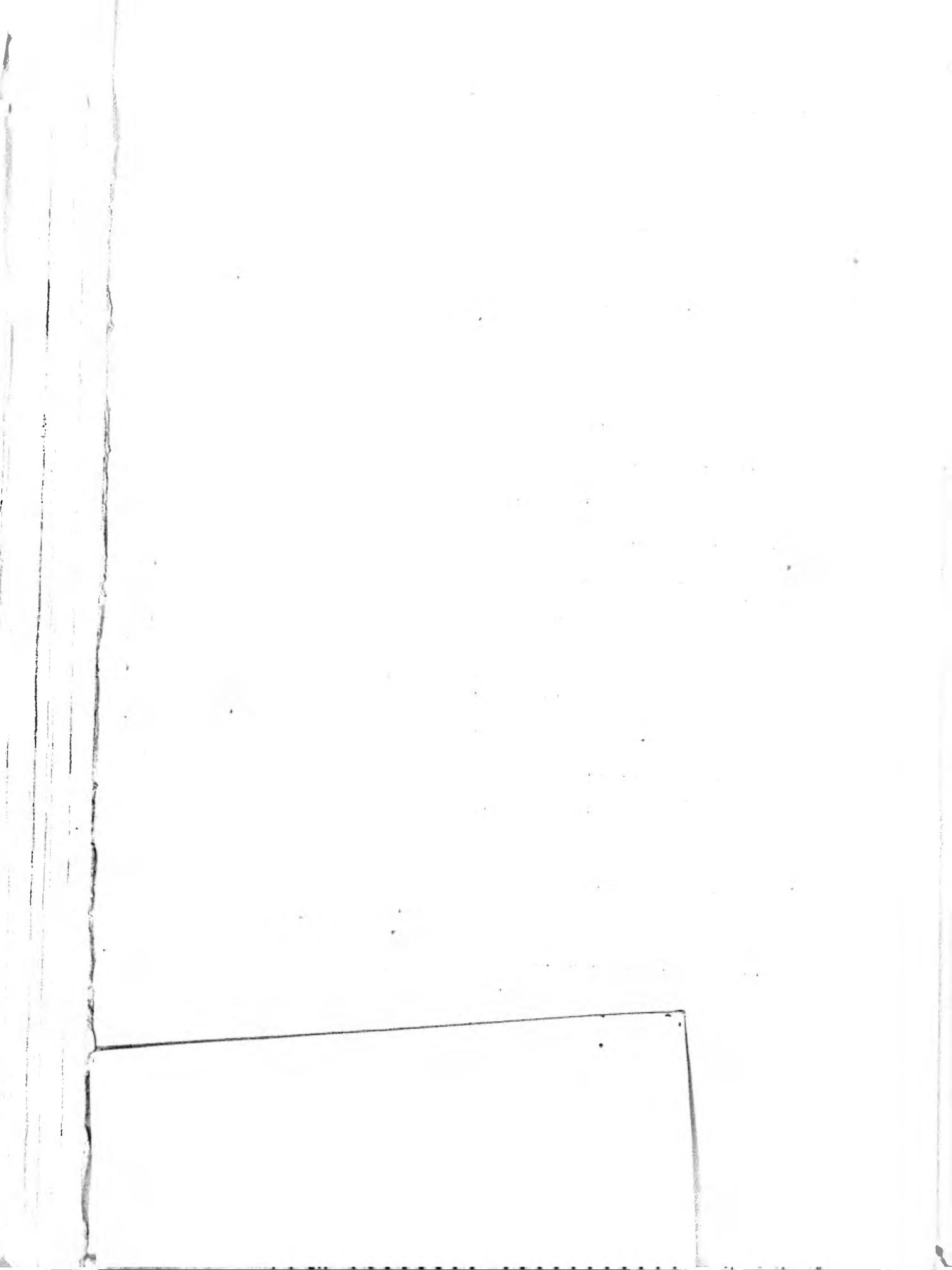


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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.

Fire Brigade Estimate for the year ending 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1926/27.	Year ending 31st March, 1929			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	
1. Salaries, wages & allowances.	1,600	1,597.17. 9.	1,600	1,238.14. 8.	366. 6. 3.	1,605
2. Rents.	135	133. 7. 8.	135	105. 2. 6.	27.14. 2.	132
3. Rates and Taxes.	105	95. 4. 8.	100	86.15. 8.	17. 4. 5.	104
4. Wayleaves and rentals.	225	237.14. 1.	260	212.11. 6.	51. 9. 0.	264
5. Fuel, light and cleaning.	110	99. 7. 4.	130	57.15.10.	39.12. 0.	96
6. Fires and drills.	60	65. 0. 0.	60	42.13.10.	17. 0. 0.	59
7. Petty Cash.	15	35. 0. 9.	30	14. 5.11.	2. 0. 0.	16
8. Elec. communication including fire alarms.	80	32. 3. 7.	60	64. 6. 2.	14.17. 4.	79
9. Uniforms.	150	139.16. 9.	150	133. 2.11.	2. 4. 0.	135
10. Petrol, oil, etc.	25	32.16.11.	25	9.11. 0.	4.10. 0.	14
11. Painting and repairs at stations.	60	90.16. 7.	60	55. 3. 0.	9.16. 0.	63
12. Miscellaneous.	40	32. 0. 3.	50	23.16. 9.	1.10.11.	25
13. Motor repairs.	50	75. 7. 9.	50	37.15. 7.	16. 9.	30
14. New hydrants and repairs.	300	382.14.11.	400	213. 5.10.	66. 2. 0.	214
15. Cleaning materials.	30	29. 4. 5.	30	13.14.10.	7. 6. 4.	26
16. Insurance.	60	53. 4.11.	60	57.13. 6.	-	57
17. Painting fire alarms.	10	14. 4. 5.	15	8.15. 3.	-	8
18. New fire hose.	15	34.18. 0.	35	34.13. 0.	-	34
19. Alterations to hose couplings.	-	57. 0. 0.	34	33. 0. 6.	-	38
20. Hose Winding Machine & Foam Generator.	94	-	-	-	-	-
X 21. Loan Charges.	206 40	102. 8. 4.	40	35.11. 9.	3.19. 3.	39
	3430	3480				
		3,395. 9. 1.	3,324	2,492. 0. 5.	631.11. 1.	3,123
X Ambulance Service.	237	159. 0. 5.	150	103. 8. 0.	54. 4. 0.	157
	3667 8	3,474	3,474	2,595. 8. 5.	685.15. 1.	3,281

X Proposed new Fire Engine and Ambulance for consideration.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.

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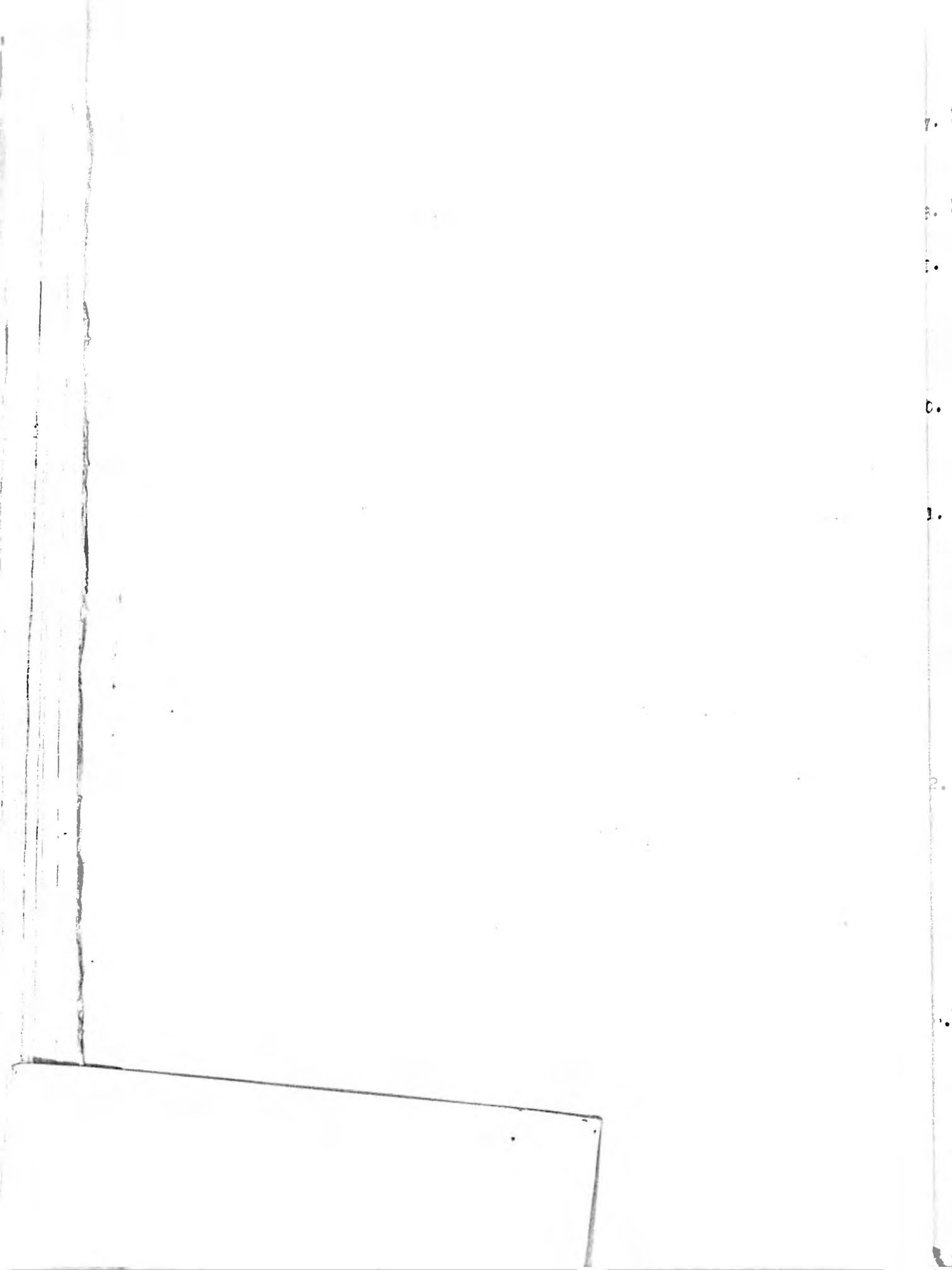
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HIGHWAYS ESTIMATE.YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.REVENUE EXPENDITURE.MAIN ROADS - MAINTENANCE.GREAT NORTH ROAD.

1. 540 yds. sup. RELAY WOOD PAVING on reinforced concrete.	31/6	850	0	0
East Finchley, east and west sides.				
2. 46 yds. sup. NEW WOOD PAVING on reinforced concrete.	30/-	69	0	0
By "Blue Anchor" Public House.				
3. 62 yds. sup. NEW WOOD PAVING, on 9" reinforced concrete.	30/-	93	0	0
By "Black Bull".				
4. 400 yds. sup. maintenance of WOOD PAVING.	16/-	320	0	0
Hornsey Boundary to Leslie Road.				
5. 800 yds. sup. maintenance of WOOD PAVING.	16/-	640	0	0
Churchfield Avenue to Barnet Boundary.				
6. 22,000 yds. sup. tar dressing WOOD PAVING.	5d.	469	0	0
Hornsey Boundary to Leslie Road. Churchfield Avenue to Barnet Boundary.				
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Carried forward.		2441	0	0



MAIN ROADS - MAINTENANCE (CONTD.)

Brought forward. 2441 0 0

EDGEWATER PARK ROAD.

- . Patching WOOD PAVING 600 0 0
- Hendon Lane to Cornwall Avenue,
east and west sides.
- . 12,800 yds. sup. tar dressing
to WOOD PAVING. 5d. 287 0 0
- . 610 yds. sup. RELAY WOOD
PAVING. 31/9 1016 0 0
- Nether Street to Tally Ho!
east side.

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.

- . 300 tons TARMAC PATCHING.
- Labour 26/5 396 5 0
- Materials 32/7 488 15 0
- 885 0 0

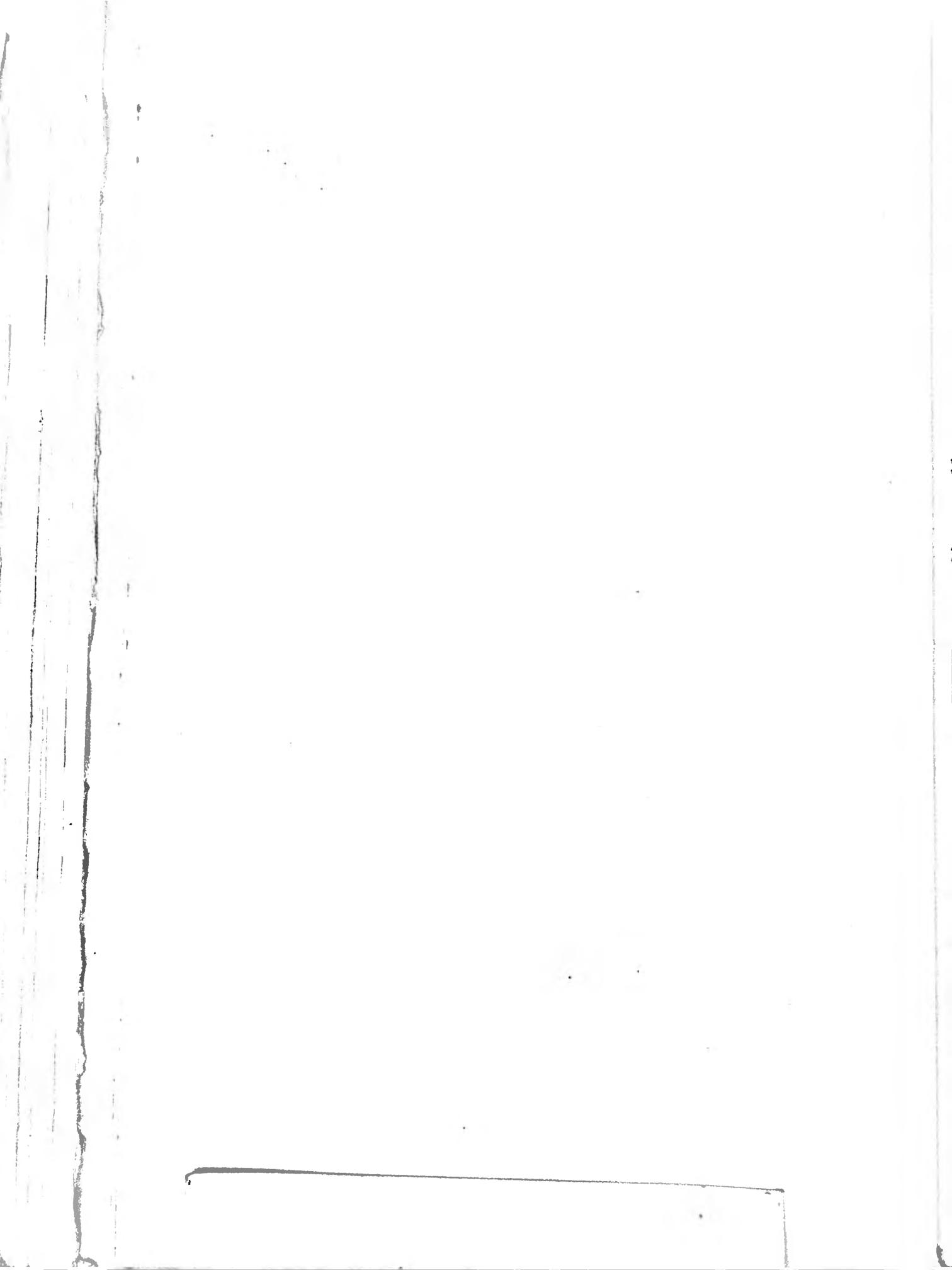
QUEAT NORTH ROAD.

- . 1811 ft. run RELAY KERBS on
concrete. 2/9 221 10 3
- 18 REFIX QUADRANTS on
concrete. 8/6 7 13 0
- 545 yds. sup. RECOAT MARGINS
with fine old mac and tarpaint. 2/- 34 12 0
- 508 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB 2/6 67 5 0
- 79 yds. sup. RELAY AND RETOP
TARPAVING. 3/8 14 9 8
- 345 9 11
- Hornsey Boundary to East End Road,
west side. 345 0 0

- . 1156 ft. run RELAY KERB on
concrete 2/9 158 19 0
- 5 refix QUADRANTS on concrete 8/6 2 2 6
- 123 yds. sup. RECOAT MARGINS
with fine old mac and
tarpaint. 2/- 12 6 0
- 607 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB
PAVING. 2/6 75 17 6
- 249 5 0
- Hornsey Boundary to East End
Road, east side. 249 0 0

- . 2280 ft. run RELAY KERB on
concrete. 2/9 313 10 0
- 1370 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB
PAVING. 2/6 171 5 0
- 484 15 0
- East End Road to Barnet Boundary,
both sides. 485 0 0

Carried Forward. 6288 0 0



REGENTS PARK ROAD.

14.752 ft. run RELAY KERB on concrete	2/9	103	7	6		
950 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB PAVING.	2/6	120	0	0		
		223	7	6	223	0 0
Holly Park to Tally Ho! east side.						
North Crescent to Tally Ho! west side.						

WOODHOUSE ROAD.

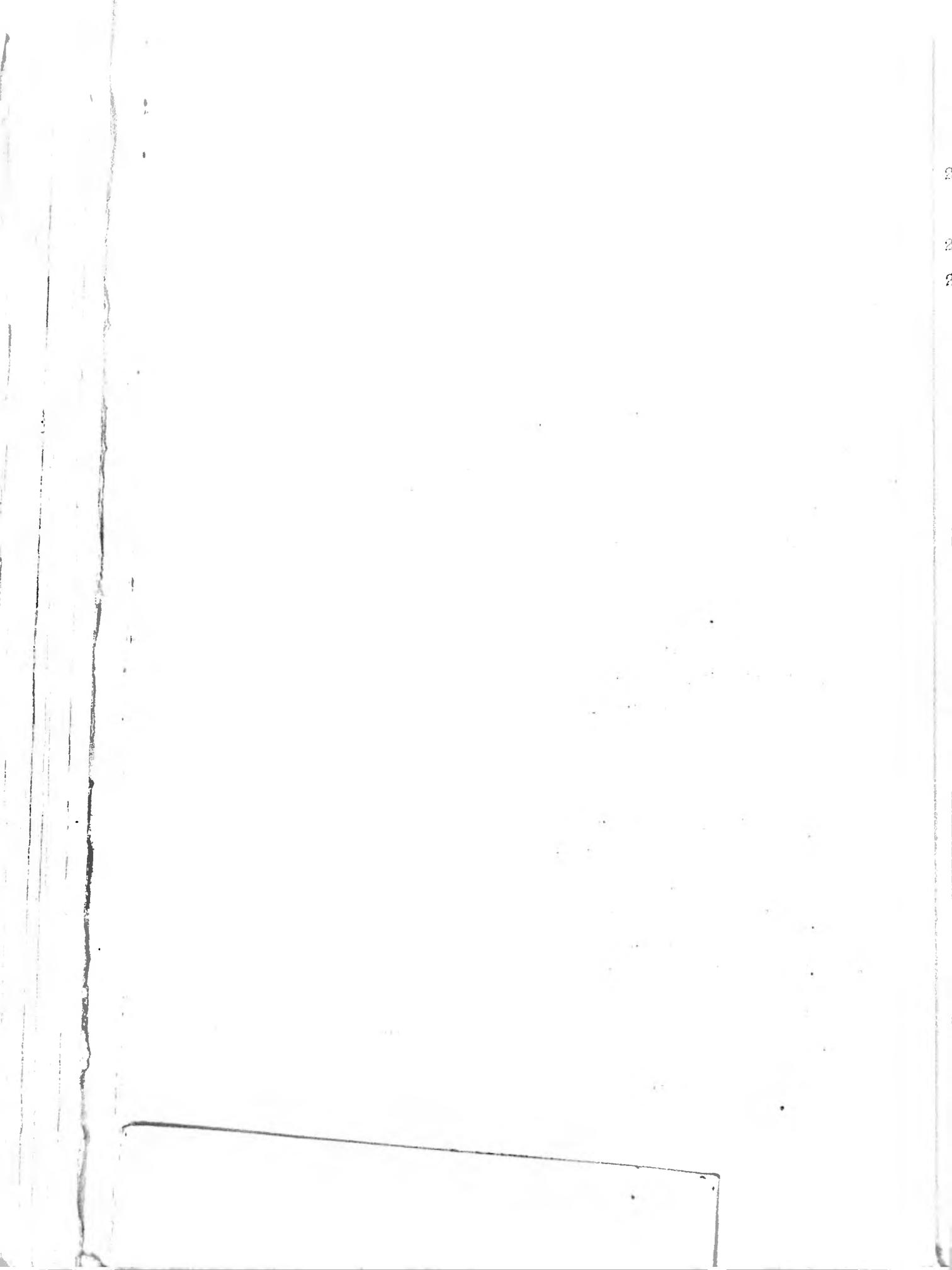
15.220 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB PAVING.						
Labour	1/9	19	5	0		
Materials	9d.	8	5	0		
		27	10	0	28	0 0
16.GRITTING - Labour		250	0	0		
- Materials		420	0	0	670	00 0
17.CONTINGENCIES.					100	0 0
18.Maintenance SURFACE WATER SYSTEM.					100	0 0
19.Maintenance TREES.					100	0 0
20.Repair SIGN POSTS, etc.					30	0 0
21.Retaining wall, "Green Man" Culvert. (Temporary repairs).					100	0 0
22.12 Sand Bins	£5/10/-				66	0 0
23.Petty Cash.					20	0 0
						7725 0 0

IMPROVEMENTS.

24.1235 yds. sup. WOOD PAVING on 9" reinforced concrete.	26/-	1605	10	0		
300 yds. run take up existing channel.	1/6	22	10	0	1628	0 0
Woodhouse Road, Great North Road to 50 ft. east of Lambert Road.						
25.1424 yds. sup. NEW SLAB PAVING.						
Labour					676	0 0
Materials						2304 0 0
Woodhouse Road, north side, Hilton Avenue to Ashurst Road.						

Carried forward.

10029 0 0



MAIN ROADS MAINTENANCE (CONTD)

Brought forward.

10029 0 0

SCAVENGING, SNOW CLEARING, ETC.

26. Scavenging and gullying						
Manual labour	1946	0	0			
Team labour	<u>440</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	2386	0	0
27. Snow clearing				120	0	0
28. Watering.						
Team labour	65	0	0			
Water	<u>65</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						<u>2636 0 0</u>
						<u>£ 12665 0 0</u>



EAST END ROAD.

29. 250 tons tarmac patching.							
Labour	26/5	830	4	2			
Materials	32/7	<u>407</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>	738	0	0
30. Tarpainting.							
Labour	1 1/4	48	19	2			
Materials.	3 1/4	<u>146</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>	196	0	0
31. GRITTING.					50	0	0
32. CONTINGENCIES.					<u>30</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						1014	0 0

HENDON LANE.

33. 60 tons TARMAC PATCHING.							
Labour	26/5	79	5	0			
Materials	32/7	<u>97</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	177	0	0
34. TARPAINING.							
Labour	1 1/4	47	12	7			
Materials	3 1/4	<u>142</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>10</u>	191	0	0
35. GRITTING					50	0	0
36. CONTINGENCIES.					<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						435	0 0

GRAVEL HILL.

37. TARPAINING.							
Labour	1 1/4	6	5	0			
Materials	3 1/4	<u>13</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	25	0	0
38. GRITTING.					<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						35	0 0

FORTIS GREEN.

39. 50yds. sup. RELAY WOOD PAVING on 9" reinforced concrete.							
	31/6	78	15	0	79	0	0
40. GRITTING.					<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						104	0 0

EAST END ROAD.

41. 120 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB PAVING. - Labour	1/9	10	10	0			
- Materials	9d.	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>			
						15	0 0

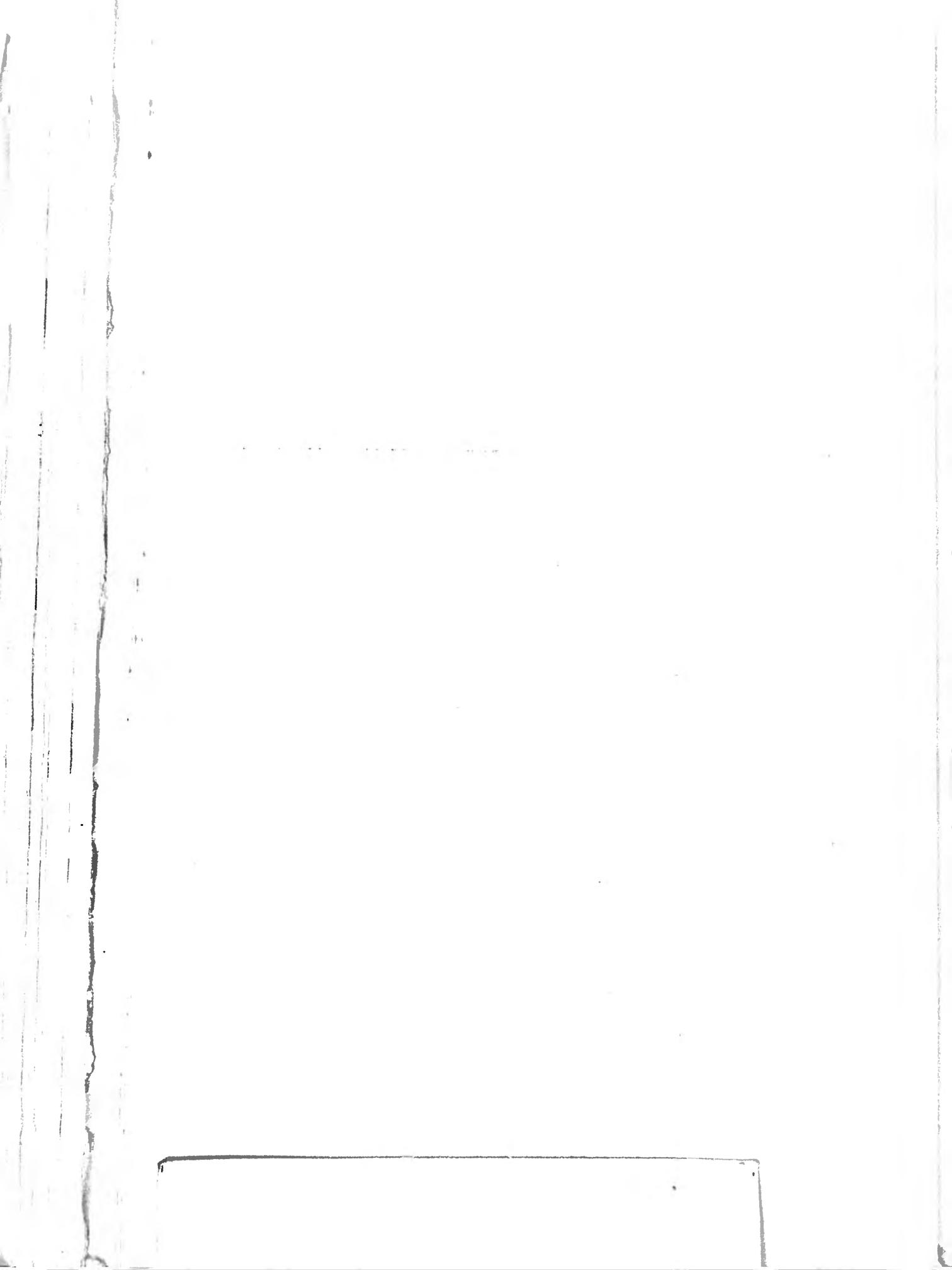
HENDON LANE.

42. 80 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB PAVING.							
Labour	1/9	7	0	0			
Materials	9d.	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>			
						10	0 0

FORTIS GREEN.

43. 260 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB PAVING. - Labour	1/9	22	15	0			
- Materials	9d.	<u>9</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	33	0	0
44. 300 ft. run RELAY KERB on concrete. - Labour	2/-	30	0	0			
- Materials	9d.	<u>11</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
						74	0 0

Carried forward. 14350 0 0



CLASSIFIED ROADS - CLASS I (CONTD)

Brought forward 14350 0 0

IMPROVEMENTS.

45. 67 yds. sup. NEW SLAB PAVING.

Labour 2/6 8 7 6
Materials 7/- 23 9 0

32 0 0

Oakleigh Road, south side.

SCAVENGING AND GULLY CLEANING.

46. Manual Labour 161 0 0
Team Labour 23 0 0

184 0 0

Carried forward. 14566 0 0

CLASSIFIED ROADS - CLASS II.TOTTERIDGE LANE.

47. 40 tons TARMAC PATCHING.						
Labour	26/5	52	16	3		
Materials						
	32/7	65	3	4	118	0 0

48. 67 yds. sup. take up existing sett channel. 402 ft. run NFW 12 x 6 CHANNEL on concrete.						
Labour	1/6	5	0	6		
Materials						
	2/-	40	4	0		
	3/6	70	7	0	116	0 0

North side, Great North Road
to Railway Station.

49. TARPAINTING.						
Labour	1½	18	17	4		
Materials	3¾	56	11	11	75	0 0

50. GRITTING.					25	0 0
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51. CONTINGENCIES.					5	0 0	339	0 0
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RIESEN BARNET LANE.

52. 40 tons TARMAC PATCHING.						
Labour	26/5	52	16	8		
Materials	32/7	65	3	4	118	0 0

53. TARPAINTING.								
Labour	1½	9	7	6				
Materials.	3¾	28	2	6	38	0 0	166	0 0

HAMPSTEAD LANE.

54. 50 tons TARMAC PATCHING.						
Labour	26/5	66	0	10		
Materials	32/7	81	9	2	148	0 0

55. TARPAINTING.						
Labour	1½	20	18	7		
Materials	3¾	62	15	8	84	0 0

56. GRITTING.					20	0 0
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57. CONTINGENCIES.					10	0 0	262	0 0
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HAMPSTEAD LANE.

58. 1690 yds. sup. TARPAINT AND DUST foot way.								
Labour	2d.	14	1	8				
Materials	3d.	21	2	6	35	0 0	35	0 0

SCAVENGING AND GULLY CLEANING.

Manual Labour		28	0	0				
Team Labour.		6	0	0			34	0 0

Carried forward.

15392 0 0

OTHER ROADS - MAINTENANCE.

59. 450 tons TARMACADAM PATCHING.
 Labour 26/5 594 7 6
 Materials. 32/7 733 2 6 1328 0 0

Fittsworth Road.
 Cyprus Road.
 Dollis Park.
 Dollis Road.
 Long Lane.
 Princes Avenue.
 Squires Lane. - Station
 Road to Etchingham Park Road.

PATCHING.

60. 1775 yds. sup. re-condition
 TARMACADAM. 5/7 496 7 2 496 0 0

Christchurch Avenue, Great
 North Road to Woodberry Grove.

61. Resurface with TARMAC. 1000 0 0
 Position to be decided
 later.

62. 2380 tons OLD MACADAM.
 Labour 6/10 813 3 4
 Materials. 4/8 555 6 8 1369 0 0

Albert Street.
 Beresford Road.
 Dukes Avenue.
 Dale Grove.
 Fitzalan Road.
 Hutton Grove.
 Holly Park.
 Kitchener Road.
 Leggatt Grove.
 Nether Street.
 Oak Lane.
 Salisbury Avenue.
 Sodgemere Avenue.
 Swan Lane.
 William Street.

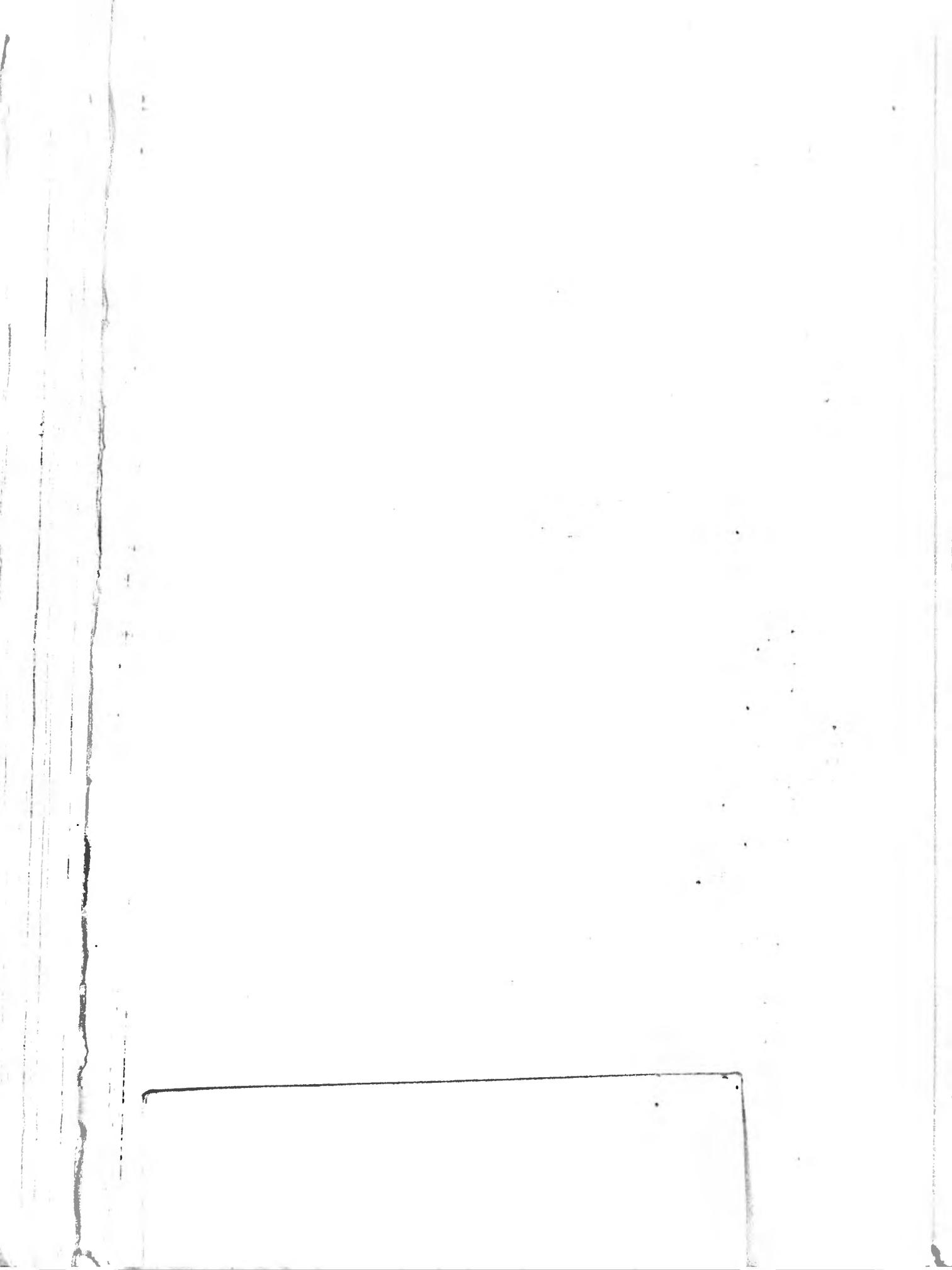
PATCHING generally.

63. 2054 ft. run relay CHANNEL
 on concrete. Labour 2/- 205 8 0
 Materials 9d. 77 0 6 282 0 0

Dukes Avenue.
 Holden Road.
 Lambert Road.
 Leicester Road.
 Princes Avenue.
 Redburne Avenue.
 Woodside Park Road.

Generally.

Carried forward. 4475 0 0 15392 0 0



OTHER ROADS - MAINTENANCE. (CONTD).

64. 4,000 ft. run RELAY KERB
on concrete.

Labour	2/-	400	0	0		
Materials.		9d.	<u>150</u>	0	0	550 0 0

Grove Road.
Holden Road.
Long Lane, Park View Road
to Montpelier Road.
Long Lane, Squires Lane to
Green Lane.
Leicester Road.
New Trinity Road by Public
footpath.
Squires Lane by Schools.

Generally.

65. 1435 yds. sup. RELAY AND
RETOP TARPAVING. 3/8

272 0 0

Dale Grove, both sides.
Hutton Grove, south side.
Market Place, East End Road to
Stanley Road footpath.
Woodside Grange Road.

PATCHING.

66. 7285 yds. sup. TARPAINT AND DUST
FOOTWAYS.

Labour	2d.	60	14	2		
Materials	3d.	<u>91</u>	1	3	152	0 0

Dollis Avenue, both sides.
Hendon Avenue, both sides.
Public path, by Council Offices.

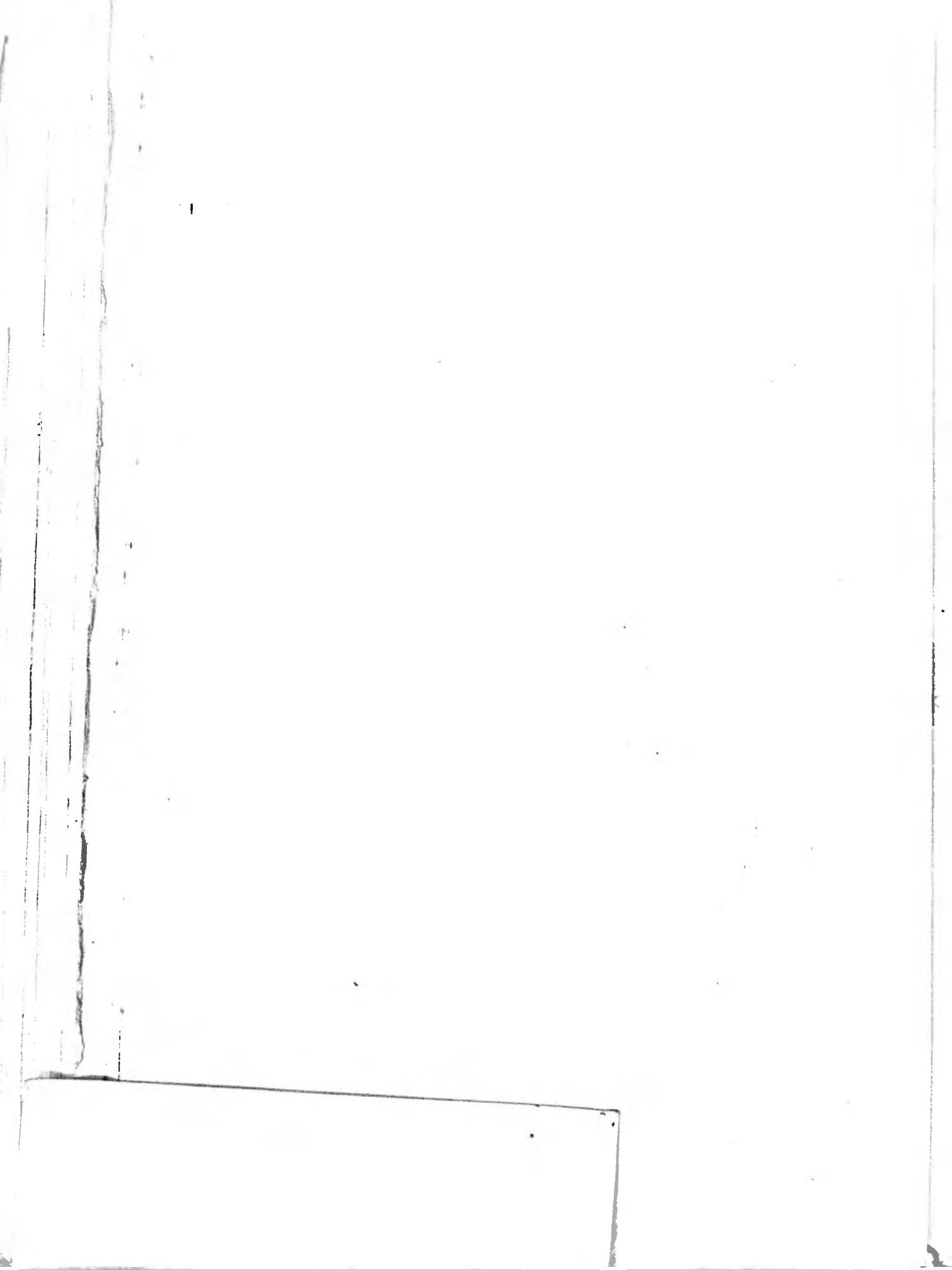
67. 10,681 yds. sup. RELAY SLAB
PAVING.

Labour	1/9	934	11	9		
Materials	9d.	<u>400</u>	10	9	1335	0 0

Avondale Avenue.
Arden Road.
Bedford Road, No.110 to
Durham Road.
Churchfield Avenue.
Chambers Gardens.
Christchurch Avenue.
Granville Road.
Holly Park Gardens.
Limes Avenue.
Leggatt Grove.
Long Lane, Park View Road to
Squires Lane.
Long Lane, Squires Lane to Green
Lane.
Princes Avenue.
Redbourne Avenue.

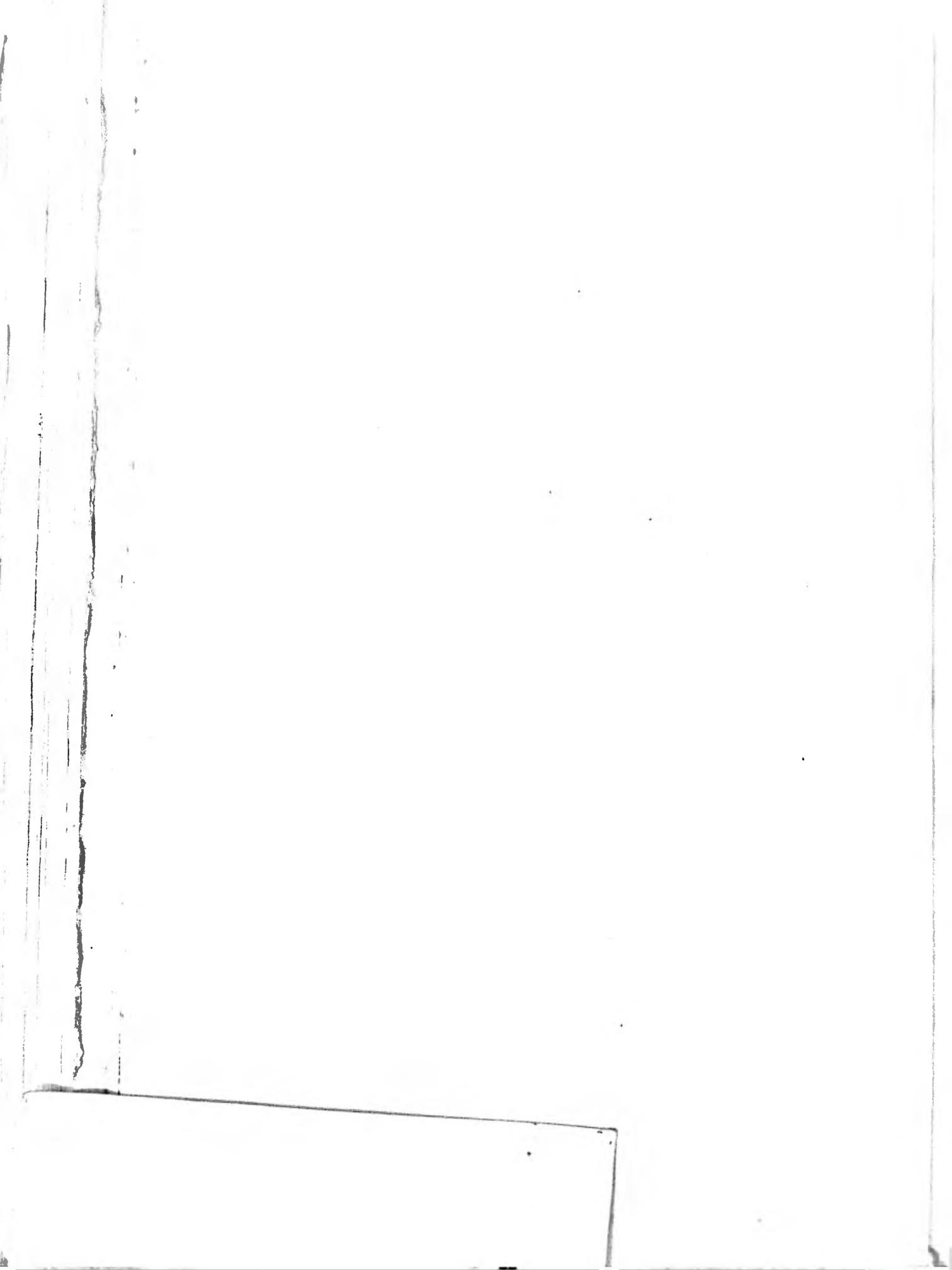
Generally.

Carried forward		6784	0	0	15392	0 0
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OTHER ROADS - MAINTENANCE (CONTD)

68. 24 tons FINE OLD MAC.						
Labour	12/-	14	8	0		
Materials	4/6	5	8	0	20	0 0
New Trinity Road by Public footpath. Public path by Council Offices.						
69. GRITTING. Labour		50	0	0		
Materials		140	0	0	190	0 0
70. TARPAINTING. Labour		1265	0	0		
Materials		4007	0	0	5272	0 0
71. CONTINGENCIES.					200	0 0
72. Maintenance of TREES.					240	0 0
73. New TREES. AND SHATS.					150	0 0
74. Maintenance of SURFACE WATER SYSTEM.					200	0 0
75. New ROLLING STOCK.						
1 tar boiler.		200	0	0		
1 asphalt cauldron.		18	0	0	218	0 0
76. French reinstatement (Council's payment)					200	0 0
77. PAINTING IRONWORK.					50	0 0
78. New STREET NAMEPLATES.					155	0 0
79. 2 new FOOTBRIDGES over Dollis Brook, Holden Road ($\frac{1}{2}$ cost)					160	0 0
80. Petty Cash.					20	0 0
					<u>13859</u>	0 0
<u>IMPROVEMENTS.</u>						
81. 727 ft. run NEW 12 x 8 KERB on concrete.						
Labour	2/-	72	14	0		
Materials	3/11.	142	7	5	215	0 0
Long Lane by Rochester Terrace. New Trinity Road by Public footpath. Squires Lane, Briarfield Avenue to East End Road.						
82. 480 ft. run NEW 12 x 6 KERB on concrete including filling.					150	0 0
	6/3					
Nether Street, Fursby Avenue to top of Railway Bridge.						
Carried forward.					365	0 0
					29251	0 0



OTHER ROADS - MAINTENANCE (CONTD)

IMPROVEMENTS (CONTD)

83. 864 yds. sup. NEW SLAB
 PAVING. Labour 2/6 108 0 0
 Materials. 7/- 302 8 0 410 0 0

Dollis Avenue to Brook
 Dollis Avenue to Dollis Brook
 Public footpath.
 Long Lane, Squires Lane to
 Green Lane.
 Leicester Road.
 Market Place, Chapel Street
 to Park Road.

84. 1140 ft. run NEW 12 x 6
 CHANNEL on concrete.
 Labour 2/- 114 0 0
 Materials. 3/6 199 10 0 314 0 0

Squires Lane, Briarfield Avenue
 to East End Road.

84a. Nether Street by Elm Grange. 329 0 0 1418 0 0

SCAVENGING, SNOW CLEARING, ETC.

85. Scavenging and gullying.
 Labour 4326 0 0
 Team labour. 470 0 0 4796 0 0

86. Snow clearing. 100 0 0

87. Watering. Team labour. 250 0 0
 Water, 100 0 0 350 0 0

88. New ROLLING STOCK.
 2 slop vans. 150 0 0 5396 0 0

PUBLIC LIGHTING.

89. Electric Lamps. 5800 0 0

90. Wages - Gas lamps. 400 0 0

91. Gas. 650 0 0
 Add Gas, Light & Coke Co. 165 0 0 815 0 0

92. Materials for repairs. 36 0 0

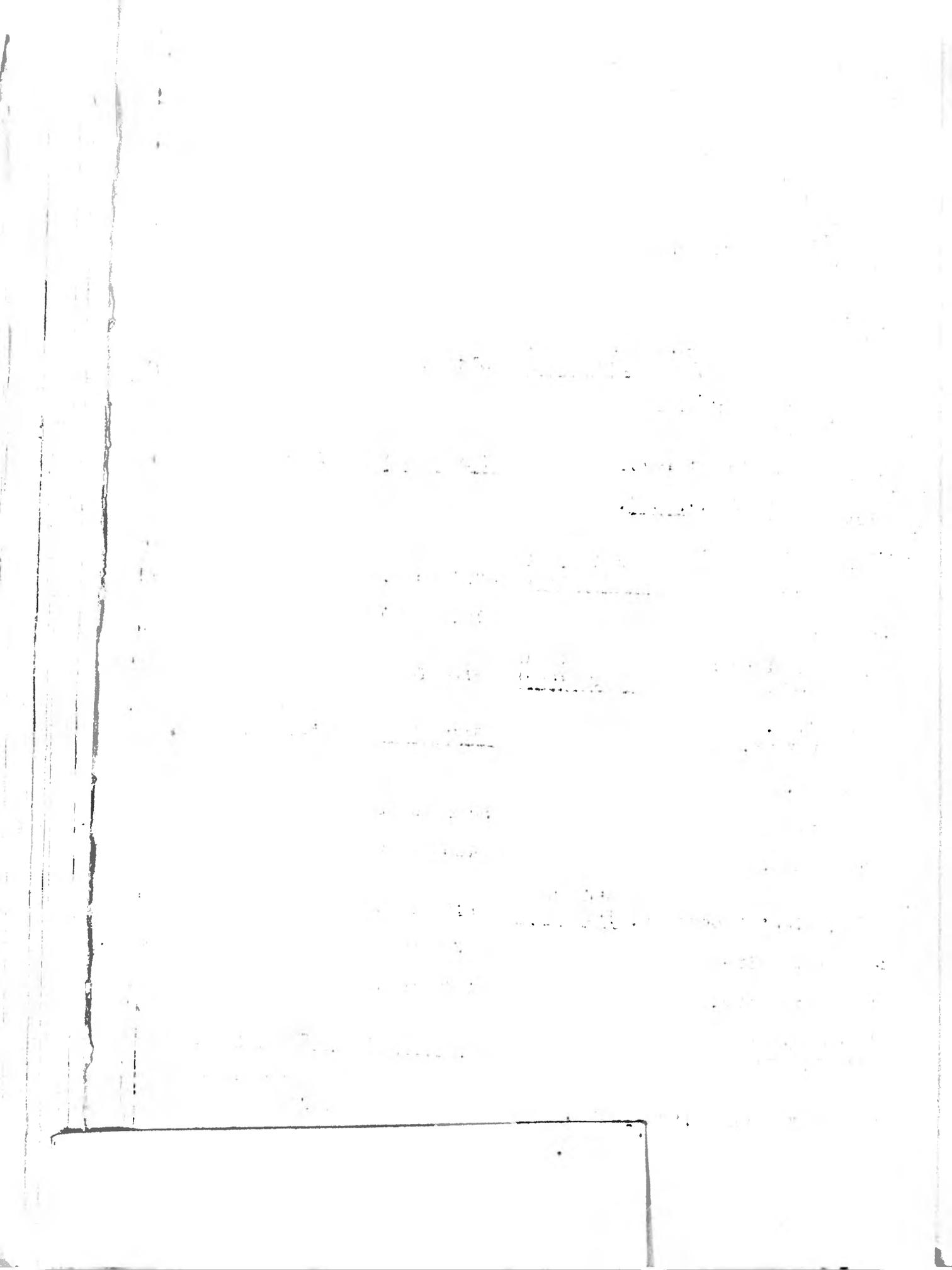
93. New lamps and repairs. 200 0 0

94. New lanterns, meters
 controllers, etc. 90 0 0 7343 0 0

43408 0 0
 1642 0 0

Depot charges 7 1/2% on £21694.15.0d.

£ 45050 0 0



HIGHWAYS ESTIMATE.

YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

MAIN ROADS.

County Council.	12441 0 0
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DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS I.

County Council.	172 15 0
Ministry of Transport.	858 10 0

DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS II.

Ministry of Transport.	264 0 0
County Council.	65 0 0

£ 13801 5 0

HIGHWAYS ESTIMATE.

YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE.

MAIN ROADS.

1927-1928 programme brought forward.

GREAT NORTH ROAD. Churchfield Avenue to
Lealie Road.

21,500 yds. sup. wood paving on 9" reinforced concrete.	25/-	26875	0	0	
4,600 yds. run take up existing channel.	1/6	345	0	0	
Alterations to gullies		40	0	0	27260 0

1926-1927 programme, from 1927-1928

Retentions. 1323 0 0

1926-1927 programme brought forward from 1927-1928.

REGENTS PARK ROAD Holly Park and Kimboltons to Hendon Boundary.

5185 yds. sup. wood paving on 9" reinforced concrete. 7000 0 0

Retentions. 1969 0 0

1927-1928 programme brought forward

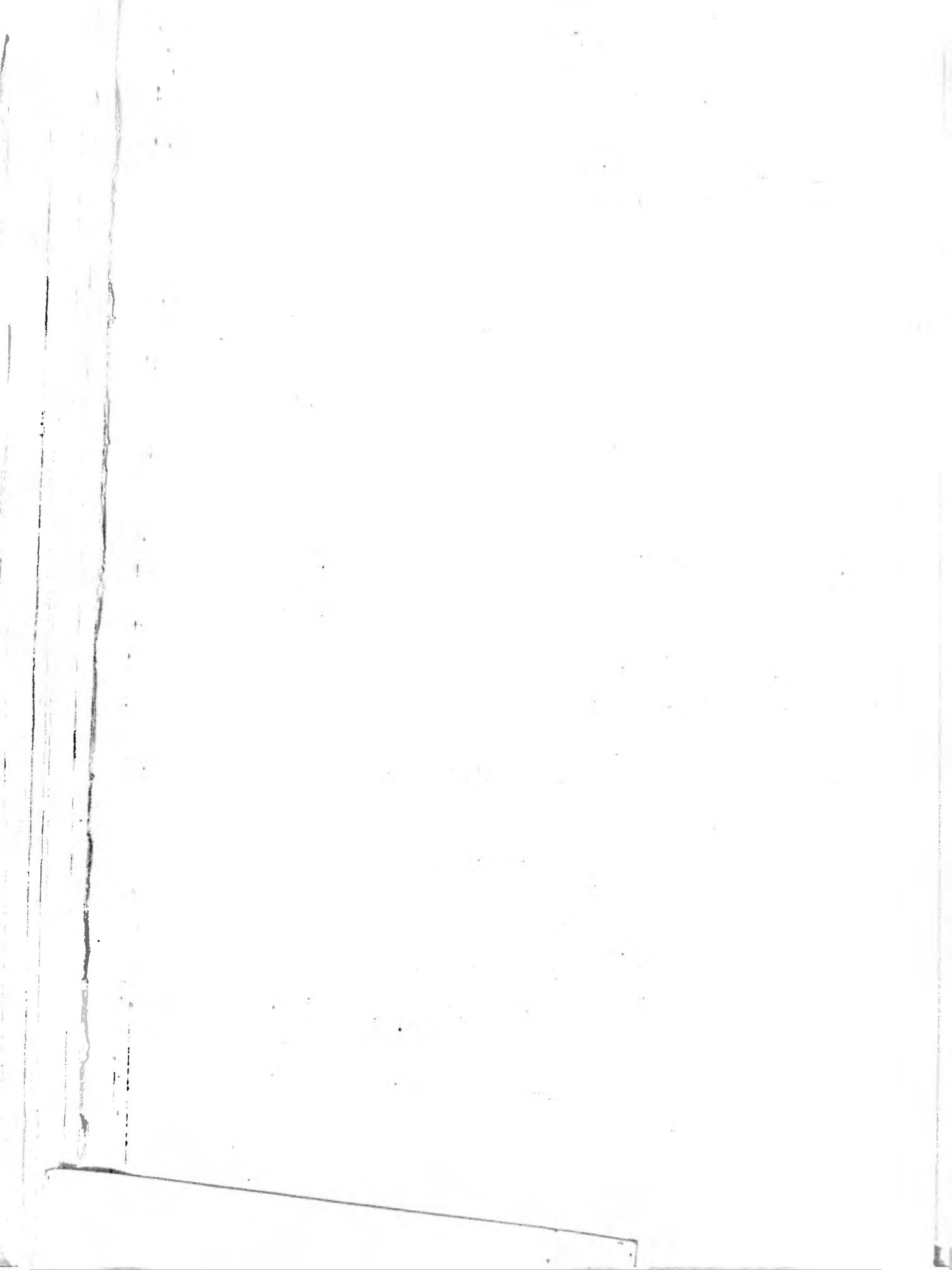
REGENTS PARK ROAD. Granville Road To Baptist Church.

5400 yds. sup. wood paving on 9" reinforced concrete.	25/-	6750	0	0	
1160 yds. run take up existing channel.	1/6	87	0	0	
Alteration to gullies		100	0	0	6937 0 0

DC. Baptist Church to Nether Street...

1400 yds. sup. wood paving on 9" reinforced concrete.	25/-	1750	0	0	
350 yds. run take up existing channel.	1/6	27	0	0	1777 0 0

Carried forward 46266 0 0



MAIN ROADS - IMPROVEMENTS.

<u>GREAT NORTH ROAD.</u> Opposite Fallow Court Avenue to Christ Church	660	0	0	
Swan Lane to Totteridge Lane, Provisional.	5000	0	0	} <i>Loan</i> <i>1/2 yrs. Instalment</i>
Between Fallow Court and Eton Avenues. Land only.	500	0	0	
By Welfield Bank	2327	0	0	
At Strawberry Vale near Green Man, P.H.	5000	0	0	
	-----	13467	0	0

1927-1928 programme brought forward.

By Granville Road, etc.	1518	0	0	} <i>Loan 1/2 yrs Instalment</i>
South of Clifford Road	213	0	0	
	-----	1731	0	0

REGENTS PARK ROAD.

Arden Estate, east and west sides. Electricity Sub-Station to boundary.	8610	0	0	
Arden Estate, west side	3233	0	0	
Express Dairy	867	0	0	
Kimbolton Estate.	2076	0	0	} <i>Loan 1/2 yrs Instalment</i>
Willow Lodge, The Ridgeway to Seymour Road.	1506	0	0	
	-----	16292	0	0
Retention, Willow Lodge Improvement.		186	0	0

CLASS I ROADS.

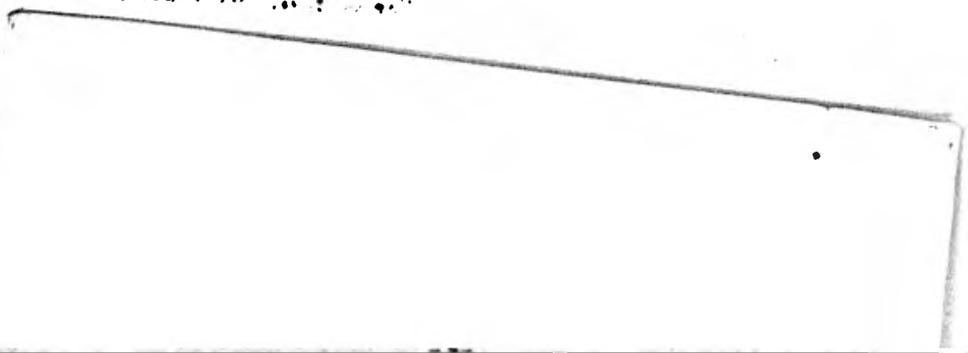
<u>East End Road.</u> Windermere Avenue to Squires Lane.	5226	0	0	
Include 1927-28 estimate of £2435.	-----	5226	0	0
<u>From 1927-1928 programme</u>				
Squires Lane to Manor Farm	4000	0	0	
By Manor Lodge.	275	0	0	
Park Farm entrance to Stanley Road.	2110	0	0	} <i>Loan 1/2 yrs Instalment</i>
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Carried forward		69573	0	0

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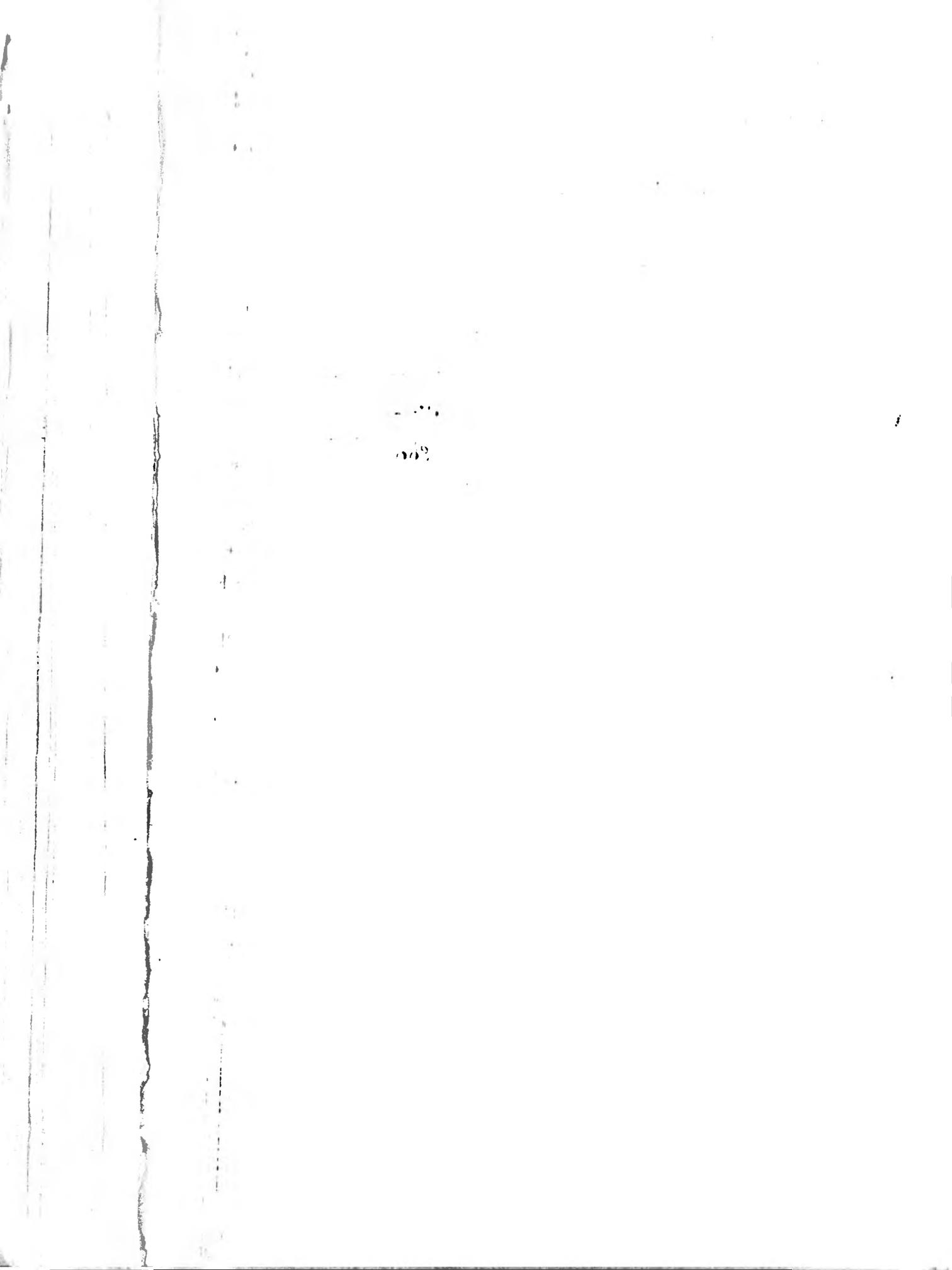


Brought forward.

89573 0 0

DISTRICT ROADS - UNCLASSIFIED.

Surface water sewers, Squires Lane Goodyear's land.	710 0 0	
Church Lane, near King Street, gullies.	82 0 0	
Holloway County School, ground ditch.	<u>42 0 0</u>	834 0 0
Hervey Close - fencing.		73 0 0
Squires Lane - Railway bridge footway.		<u>250 0 0</u>
		£ 90730 0 0
		=====
¹ motor vehicles.		£ 1780 0 0
		=====
		860.



OTHER IMPROVEMENTS CONTEMPLATED.

Summers Lane - widening and resurfacing.

Church End Railway Bridge - widening.

Central Depot

Cement and lime store.

Lamp and oil store including 500 gallon tank with pump.

Extension of surface water sewer in front of cart sheds.

Excavation and making up of roadway in front of existing cart sheds and to road at top of Depot.

4 electric standards and necessary wiring and fittings.

Extra gates

Additional Cottages.

The following roads should be resurfaced with tarmacadam in the near future :-

Long Lane.
Squires Lane.
Nether Street.
Holden Road
Dollis Road
Dollis Park
Station Road
Etchingham Park Road.
Woodside Park Road
Lodge Lane.

} Loan £5000
1/2 year instalment

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	Y E A R E N D I N G			Y E A R E N D I N G			Y E A R E N D I N G			Y E A R E N D I N G			T O T A L .					
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	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>M A I N R O A D S .</u>																		
<u>M A I N T E N A N C E A N D R E P A I R .</u>																		
Repair.	6539	0	0	6729	10	9	3923	0	0	3164	1	11	1824	0	0	4988	1	11
Repair from 1926 - 1927.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	915	12	8	-	-	-	915	12	8
Gritting.	670	0	0	287	1	1	670	0	0	232	7	5	110	0	0	342	7	5
Contingencies.	100	0	0	30	18	6	100	0	0	84	13	6	15	0	0	99	13	6
Maintenance, surface water System.	100	0	0	646	7	8	100	0	0	109	11	9	-	-	-	109	11	9
Maintenance trees.	100	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Repair sign posts, etc.	30	0	0	21	16	0	30	0	0	1	2	11	-	-	-	1	2	11
Retaining wall, 'Green Man', Culvert.	100	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12 sand bins.	66	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petty Cash.	20	0	0	22	3	6	20	0	0	28	7	7	3	3	0	31	10	7
	£ 7725	0	0	7139	17	6	4843	0	0	4555	17	9	1952	3	0	6488	0	0
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Improvements.	£ 2004	0	0	2321	18	1	-	-	-	411	8	6	7	15	5	419	3	1
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YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1928.
 YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1927.
 YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.
 31ST MARCH 1929. Estimate. Expenditure to date. Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.

£. s. d. £. s. d. £. s. d. £. s. d. £. s. d.

MAIN ROADS. (CONTD)

SCAVENGING, SNOW CLEARING, ETC.

Scavenging and gullying.	2386	0	0	2119	17	1	2464	0	0	1639	3	6	557	10	0	2196
Snow clearing.	120	0	0	235	15	7	120	0	0	736	19	9	-	-	-	736
Watering.	130	0	0	61	16	9	180	0	0	36	5	6	65	13	9	161

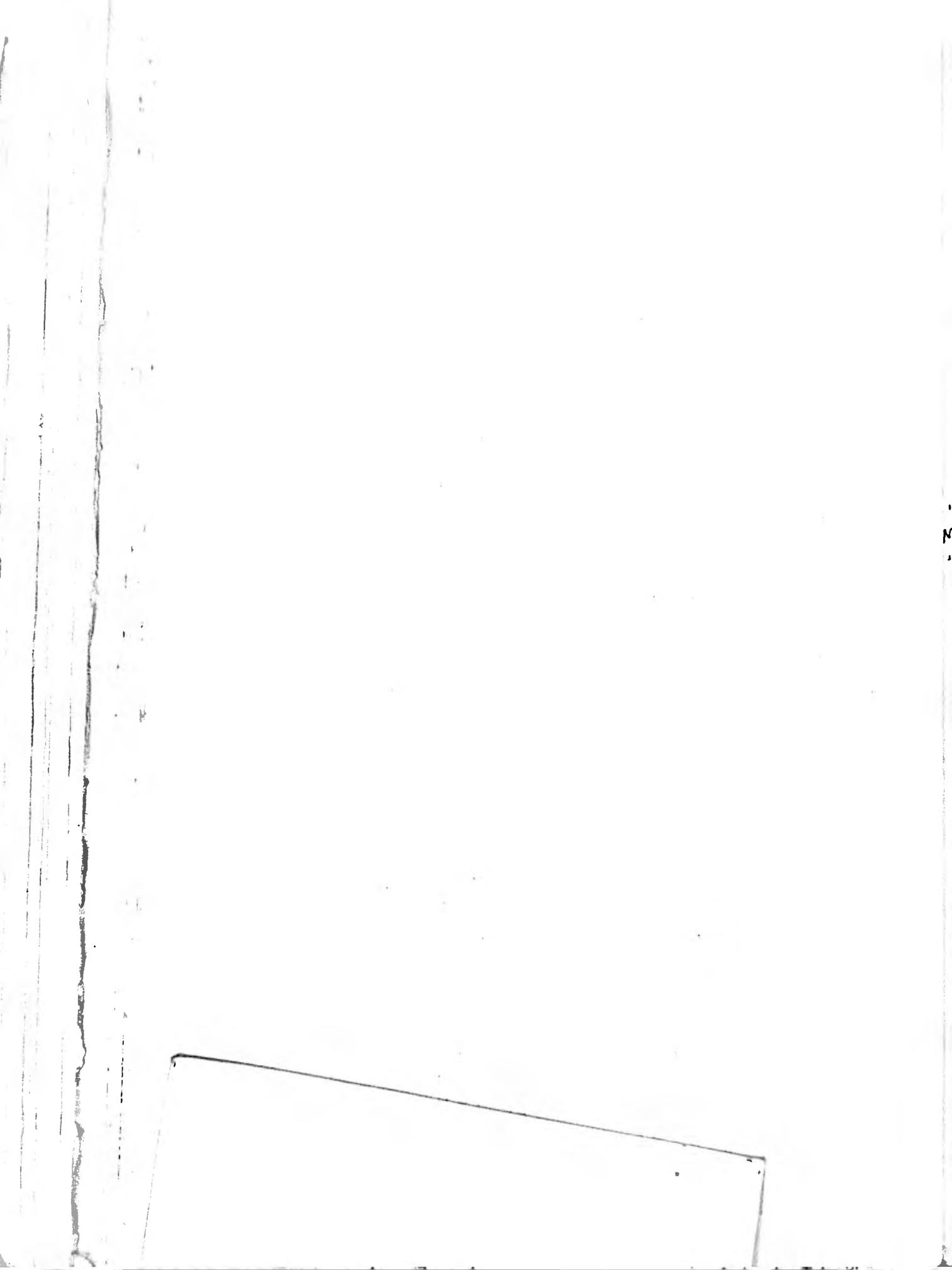
£ 2636 0 0 2417 11 5 2774 0 0 2412 8 9 623 3 9 3035

Summary -

Maintenance and repair.	7725	0	0	7739	17	6	4843	0	0	4535	17	9	1952	3	0	6488
Improvements.	2304	0	0	2331	18	1	-	-	-	411	8	6	7	15	5	419
Scavenging, watering, etc.	2636	0	0	2417	11	5	2774	0	0	2412	8	9	623	3	9	3035

Total Main Roads.

£ 12665 0 0 12489 7 0 7617 0 0 7359 15 0 2583 2 2 994

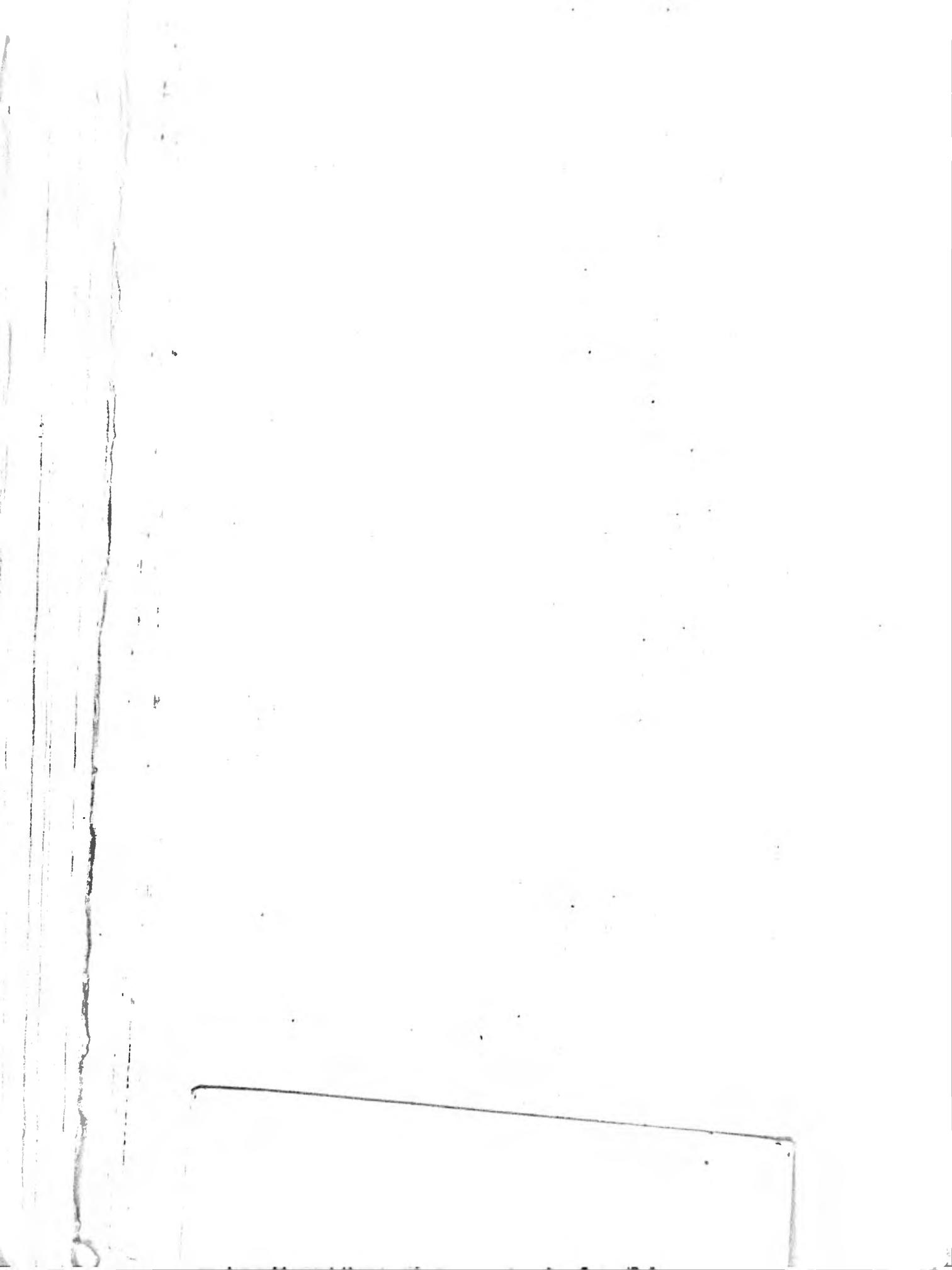


FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

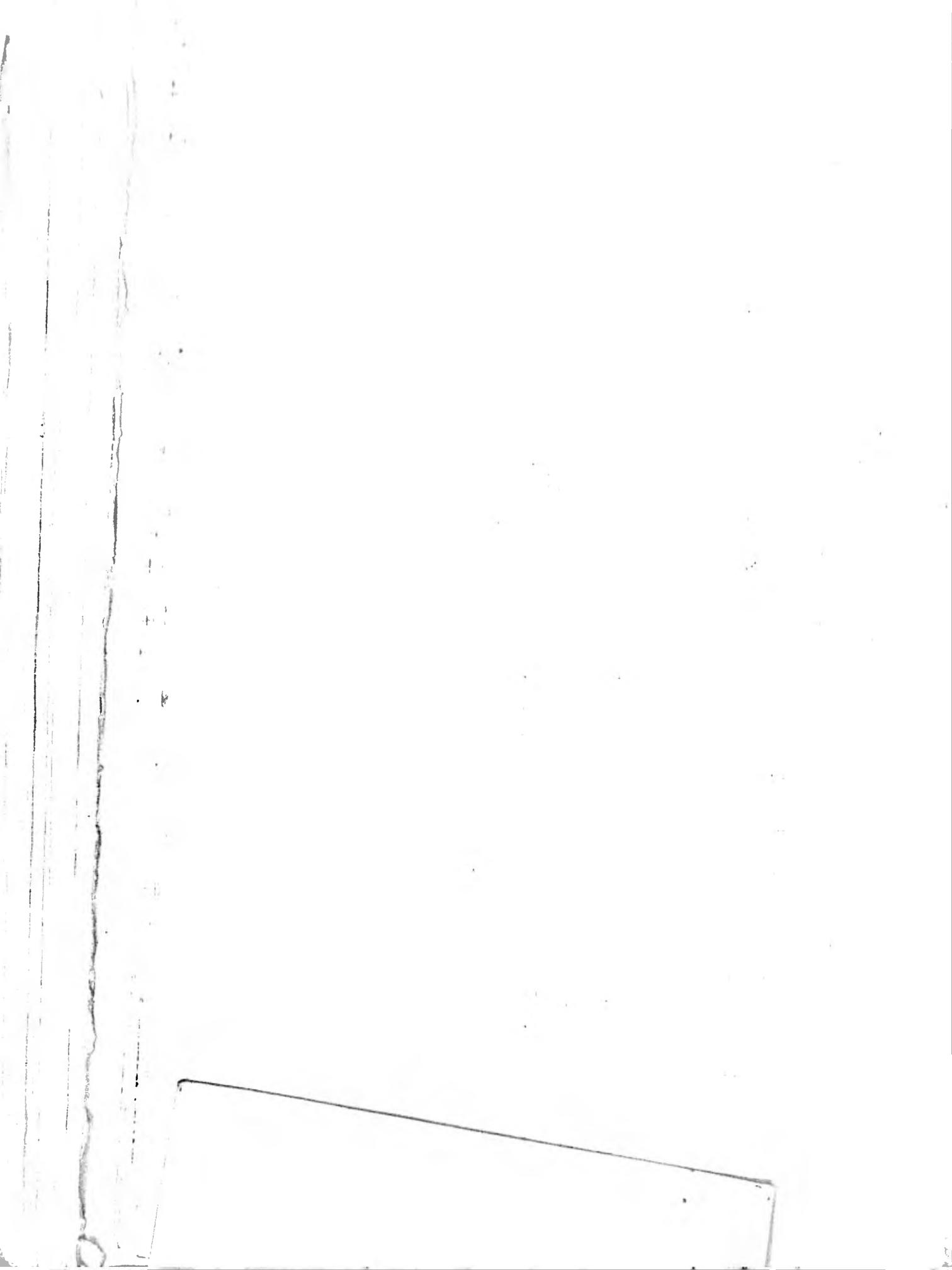
HIGHWAYS ESTIMATE.

YEAR ENDING - 31ST MARCH, 1928.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1928. Estimate.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated. Expenditure to 31st MARCH.			£.
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	
<u>DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS I.</u>																
<u>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.</u>																
Repair.	1505	0	0	2452	9	5	1452	0	0	864	9	5	506	19	9	1371
Gritting.	135	0	0	13	10	9	135	0	0	30	16	3	30	5	0	61
Contingencies.	45	0	0	2	18	9	45	0	0	20	2	11	-	-	-	20
Supplemental Estimates.	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	0	0	17	9	5	-	-	-	17
	£ 1685	0	0	2468	18	11	1647	0	0	932	16	0	537	4	9	1470
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Improvements.	32	0	0	199	16	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supplemental Estimate.	-	-	-	-	-	-	267	0	0	139	8	6	-	-	-	139
	£ 32	0	0	199	16	11	267	0	0	139	8	6	-	-	-	139



	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929. Estimate.		YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.		YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate.		Expenditure to date.		Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.		
	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	
<u>DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS I. (CONTD).</u>											
Scavenging, etc.	184	0 0	182	2 11	192	0 0	115	17 3	40	0 0	15
<u>- Summary -</u>											
Maintenance and repair.	1685	0 0	2468	18 11	1647	0 0	932	18 0	537	8 9	147
Improvements.	32	0 0	199	16 11	267	0 0	139	8 6	-	- -	139
Scavenging, etc.	184	0 0	182	2 11	192	0 0	115	17 3	40	0 0	15
Total Class I Roads.	£ 1901	0 0	2850	18 9	2106	0 0	1186	3 9	577	4 9	1761



FIFCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS ESTIMATE.

YEAR ENDING - 31ST MARCH, 1929.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929. Estimate.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.			TOTAL.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS II</u>																		
<u>MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR.</u>																		
Repair.	732	0	0	341	19	5	403	0	0	204	3	1	12	8	8	221	11	9
Gritting	45	0	0	-	4	10	45	0	0	3	16	8	13	5	0	17	3	8
Contingencies.	15	0	0	-	-	-	15	0	0	1	15	9	-	-	-	1	15	9
	792	0	0	342	4	3	523	0	0	214	17	6	25	13	8	240	11	2
Improvements.	-	-	-	52	11	0	66	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scavenging, etc.	34	0	0	30	9	11	35	0	0	24	9	0	9	3	6	33	12	6

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929. Estimate.			31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1926. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.			TOTAL.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>DISTRICT ROADS - CLASS II.</u>																		
<u>- SUMMARY -</u>																		
Maintenance and repair.	792	0	0	342	4	3	523	0	0	214	17	6	25	13	8	240	11	2
Improvements.	-	-	-	52	11	0	66	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scavenging, etc.	34	0	0	30	9	11	35	0	0	24	9	0	9	3	6	33	12	0
Total - Class II Roads.	826	0	0	425	5	2	624	0	0	239	6	6	34	17	2	274	3	0

	Y E A R E N D I N G						Y E A R E N D I N G 31ST MARCH, 1928.											
	31st March			31st March			Estimate.			Expenditure			Estimate			Tot		
	1929			1927						to date			Expenditure					
	Estimate			Expenditure.									to 31st March.					
<u>DISTRICT ROADS - UNCLASSIFIED.</u>																		
<u>Maintenance and repairs</u>																		
Repair.	6804	0	0	5365	10	2	7581	0	0	4545	19	3	2521	2	2	7065	1	
Supplemental estimates.	-	-	-	-	-	-	119	0	0	94	10	8	-	-	-	94	10	
Gritting	190	0	0	18	16	3	190	0	0	33	9	9	31	0	0	64	9	
Tarpainting.	5272	0	0	3101	18	5	4124	0	0	4267	14	11	-	-	-	4267	14	
Contingencies.	200	0	0	255	17	2	200	0	0	121	0	0	75	0	0	186	0	
Maintenance of trees	240	0	0	331	19	1	340	0	0	202	6	7	132	0	0	334	6	
New trees	150	0	0	-	-	-	150	0	0	44	7	2	40	0	0	84	7	
Maintenance, surface water system	200	0	0	131	4	7	150	0	0	177	0	11	-	-	-	177	0	
New rolling stock	218	0	0	-	-	-	26	0	0	-	-	-	26	0	0	26	0	
Trench reinstatement - Council's payments	200	0	0	222	14	5	200	0	0	142	15	3	50	0	0	192	15	
Painting ironwork	50	0	0	12	9	4	10	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
New nameplates.	155	0	0	-	-	-	35	0	0	34	15	1	-	-	-	34	15	
2 new footbridges over brook, Halden Road. (½ cost)	160	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Petty cash	20	0	0	9	11	6	20	0	0	37	0	11	4	0	0	41	0	
Depots	-	-	-	52	18	7	60	0	0	57	11	20	10	8	0	67	19	
do. from last year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	16	9	-	-	-	62	16	
do. excess on cottages.	-	-	-	-	-	-	106	3	9	106	3	9	-	-	-	106	3	
	13859	0	0	9502	19	6	13311	3	9	9935	12	10	2689	10	2	12825	3	

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1926. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.			TOTAL.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>Improvements.</u>	1089	0	0	216	6	1	450	0	0	440	14	3	-	-	-	440	14	3
Nether Street widening by Elm range.	329	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Summers Lane - ditch.	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	0	0	-	-	-	50	0	0	50	0	0
Long Lane - fencing.	-	-	9	-	-	-	54	0	0	-	-	-	54	0	0	54	0	0
Swan Lane - widening.	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	0	-	-	-	10	0	0	10	0	0
	1418	0	0	216	6	1	564	0	0	440	14	3	114	0	0	554	14	3
<u>Scavenging, snow clearing, etc.</u>																		
Scavenging.	4796	0	0	5187	16	6	5603	0	0	3914	17	3	1121	9	9	5026	7	0
snow clearing.	100	0	0	2	19	3	100	0	0	129	6	6	-	-	-	129	6	0
Watering.	350	0	0	183	1	4	180	0	0	249	16	4	10	2	6	260	0	10
New rolling stock.	150	0	0	138	10	0	64	0	0	-	-	-	64	0	0	64	0	0
	5396	0	0	5512	7	3	5947	0	0	4294	2	1	1195	12	3	5489	14	4
<u>Summary</u>																		
Maintenance and repair.	13859	0	0	9502	19	6	13511	3	9	9935	12	10	2889	10	2	12825	3	0
Improvements.	1418	0	0	216	6	1	564	0	0	440	14	3	114	0	0	554	14	3
Scavenging.	5396	0	0	5512	7	3	5947	0	0	4294	2	1	1195	12	3	5489	14	4
	£0673	0	0	15231	12	10	19822	3	9	14670	9	2	4199	2	5	18869	11	7



	YEAR ENDING			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.			TOTAL											
	31ST MARCH 1929.		31ST MARCH 1927.	Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.												
	Estimate.	Expenditure.	Expenditure.															
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.						
<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>																		
Electric lamps.	5800	0	0	5489	15	3	6600	0	0	5210	5	8	1042	1	2	6252	6	10
Gas lamps - wages.	400	0	0	346	12	8	350	0	0	258	7	10	105	0	0	373	7	10
Gas.	815	0	0	787	2	8	600	0	0	535	3	5	193	11	2	728	14	7
Materials for repairs.	38	0	0	36	12	6	36	0	0	36	8	0	-	-	-	36	8	0
New lamps and repairs	200	0	0	40	7	1	200	0	0	126	5	2	-	-	-	126	5	2
New lanterns, meters, etc.	90	0	0	34	10	9	35	0	0	40	17	6	-	-	-	40	17	6
Supplemental estimate.	-	-	-	-	-	-	417	0	0	417	0	0	-	-	-	417	0	0
Total for Public Lighting.	7343	0	0	6735	0	11	8238	0	0	6634	7	7	1340	12	4	7974	19	11

FINAL SUMMARY.

Main Roads.	12665	0	0	12489	7	0	7617	0	0	7359	15	0	2582	2	2	9942	17	2
District roads - Class I.	1901	0	0	2850	18	9	2106	0	0	1188	3	9	577	4	9	1765	8	6
Do. Class II.	626	0	0	425	5	2	624	0	0	239	6	6	34	17	2	274	3	6
Do. Unclassified.	26673	0	0	15231	12	10	19822	3	9	14670	9	2	4199	2	5	18869	11	7
Public lighting.	7343	0	0	6735	0	11	8238	0	0	6634	7	7	1340	12	4	7974	19	11
Depot Charges,	43408	0	0	37732	4	8	38407	3	9	30092	2	0	8734	18	10	38827	0	10
	1642	0	0															
TOTAL	45050	0	0	37732	4	8	38407	3	9	30092	2	0	8734	18	10	38827	0	10

20TH FEBRUARY, 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
HIGHWAYS AND FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.

Highways Estimate for the year ending
 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1926/27.	Year ending 31st March, 1929			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	Total
x Loan Charges.	14,414 14,846	11,337. 2. 7.	16,153	7,629.17. 7.	5,133.13. 8.	12,763.
Interest Private Street Works.	750	749.19.11.	750	376. 0. 7.	376. 0. 7.	752.
Rents.		24. 0. 0.	24	18. 0. 0.	5. 0. 0.	24.
Rates and Taxes.		116.11. 8.	250	158.18. 6.	75.12.10.	234.
Insurance.	100	115. 0. 4.	140	129. 3. 0.		120.
	£ 15,204 15,696	12,344.14. 6.	17,317	8,311.19. 8.	5,591. 7. 1.	13,905.
	45,050		38,407			38,827.
	60,746		55,724			52,730.

x For consideration -
 Tally Ho Improvement.
 2 Motor Vehicles (£1,720 - Loan charges £221 x 10 yrs.)

C. F. CARPENTER,
 Accountant.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

HIGHWAYS ESTIMATES - YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1929.

COMPARISON OF CHARGES TO DISTRICT.

	ESTIMATE.																														
	1927			1928				1928				1929																			
	ESTIMATE			COUNTY COUNCIL				MINISTRY of TRANSPORT				DISTRICT.			ESTIMATE			COUNTY COUNCIL				MINISTRY of TRANSPORT				DISTRICT					
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	
Main Roads	7617	0	0	7355	0	0	-	-	-	262	0	0	12665	0	0	12441	0	0	-	-	-	224	0	0							
Class I	2106	0	0	169	0	0	824	0	0	1113	0	0	1901	0	0	173	0	0	856	0	0	870	0	0							
Class II	624	0	0	25	0	0	196	0	0	403	0	0	826	0	0	65	0	0	264	0	0	497	0	0							
Un-Classified	19706	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	19706	0	0	20344	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	20344	0	0							
Depot Charges	30055	0	0	7549	0	0	1020	0	0	21486	0	0	35736	0	0	12679	0	0	1122	0	0	21935	0	0							
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1642	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1642	0	0							
Public Lighting	30055	0	0	7549	0	0	1020	0	0	21486	0	0	36378	0	0	12679	0	0	1122	0	0	23577	0	0							
	8238	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	8238	0	0	7343	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	7343	0	0							
	38293	0	0	7549	0	0	1020	0	0	29724	0	0	44721	0	0	12679	0	0	1122	0	0	30920	0	0							

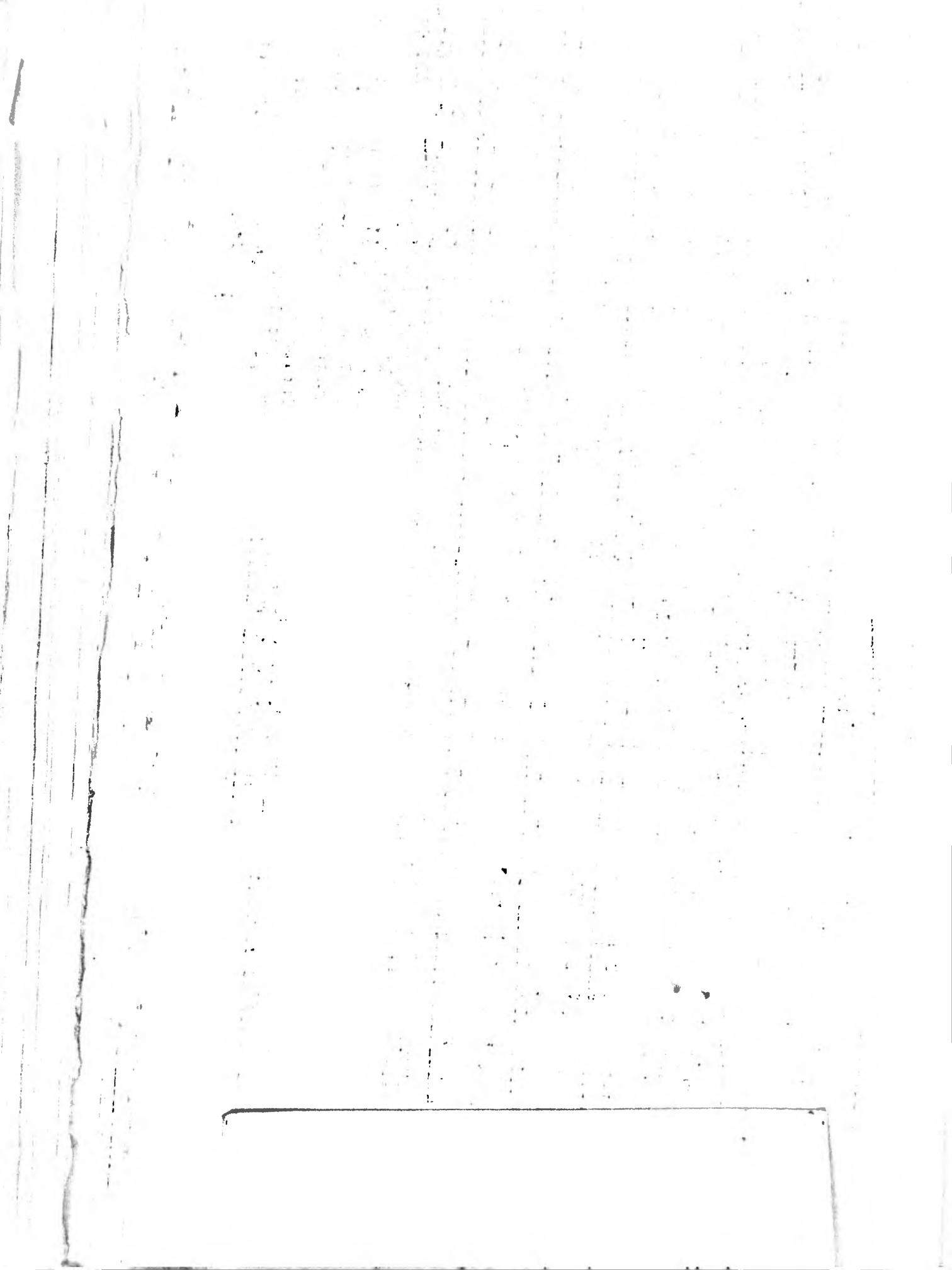
	Excluding Public lighting.			All Items		
1928/29	23577	0	0	1928/29	30920	0
1927/28	21486	0	0	1927/28	29724	0
Increase	2091	0	0	Increase	1196	0

21st February, 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON,
Engineer and Surveyor.

Includes
New Depot Item
of 1642 0 0

Includes
New Depot
Item of 1642 0



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

ESTIMATES - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929. Estimate.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929. Expenditure to date.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929. Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.			TOTAL.	
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.
1. Disinfectants. x	59	0	0	45	19	4	50	0	0	43	12	0	6	11	0	50	3
2. Flushing - team labour. x	260	0	0	221	0	1	250	0	0	189	7	11	68	13	8	258	1
3. Do. - water	25	0	0	20	17	0	30	0	0	16	1	7	8	11	3	34	12
4. Do. - wages x	200	0	0	149	2	4	200	0	0	138	6	4	58	3	5	194	9
5. Testing and sanitary works - wages. x	445	0	0	429	13	11	440	0	0	337	4	10	94	5	0	431	9
6. Repairs to sewers. x	150	0	0	191	2	7	150	0	0	93	7	9	50	0	0	143	7
7. Tradesmen's accounts (Depot) -	-	-	-	15	7	6	20	0	0	17	4	5	1	16	0	19	0
8. Contingencies. x	50	0	0	88	2	0	50	0	0	1	17	6	30	0	0	51	17
9. Sewage Pumping Stations x	390	0	0	904	19	2	887	0	0	628	1	3	229	3	0	857	4
10. Public Conveniences. x	1154	0	0	1061	0	9	1150	0	0	774	3	6	301	17	10	1075	1
11. Repair flushing van. (Depot) (A/c.) -	-	-	-	11	4	8	15	0	0	-	-	-	10	0	0	10	0
Carried forward.	3233	0	0	3138	9	4	3242	0	0	2239	7	1	857	1	2	3096	8

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1926.			TOTAL.								
	Estimate.			Expenditure.			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.		Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.								
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
Brought forward.	3233	0	0	3138	9	4	3242	0	0	2239	7	1	857	1	2	3096	6	3
12. Apparatus, smocks, etc. (Depot &/c.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	0	0	8	15	9	2	12	7	11	6	4
<u>USE OF SUNDRIES.</u>																		
13. Friern Barnet, Whitestone.	42	0	0	42	0	0	42	0	0	42	0	0	-	-	-	42	0	0
14. Do. Friern watch.	190	0	0	188	13	10	220	0	0	188	13	9	-	-	-	188	13	9
15. Hendon, Hampstead Garden Saburo, etc.	8	0	0	5	8	0	8	0	0	-	-	-	8	0	0	8	0	0
16. Petty Cash.	30	0	0	46	14	3	30	0	0	14	10	3	7	10	0	22	0	3
	3503	0	0	3421	5	5	3562	0	0	2493	6	10	875	3	9	3368	10	7
17. Swan & Pyramids Convenience, from last year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	259	0	8	-	-	-	259	0	8
18. Painting vent columns, from last year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	12	0	-	-	-	48	12	0
19.x Depot charges 7 ^{1/2} % on £2206.	240	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	£ 3743	0	0	3421	5	5	3562	0	0	2800	19	6	875	3	9	3676	3	3
<i>As it has been found that the amount of</i>							602	5	8							602	5	8
Receipts - Conveniences.	340	0	0	301	8	11	300	0	0	256	16	8	86	15	10	343	18	6
Do. - Drainage outside district.	188	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188	0	7

20TH JANUARY, 1926.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



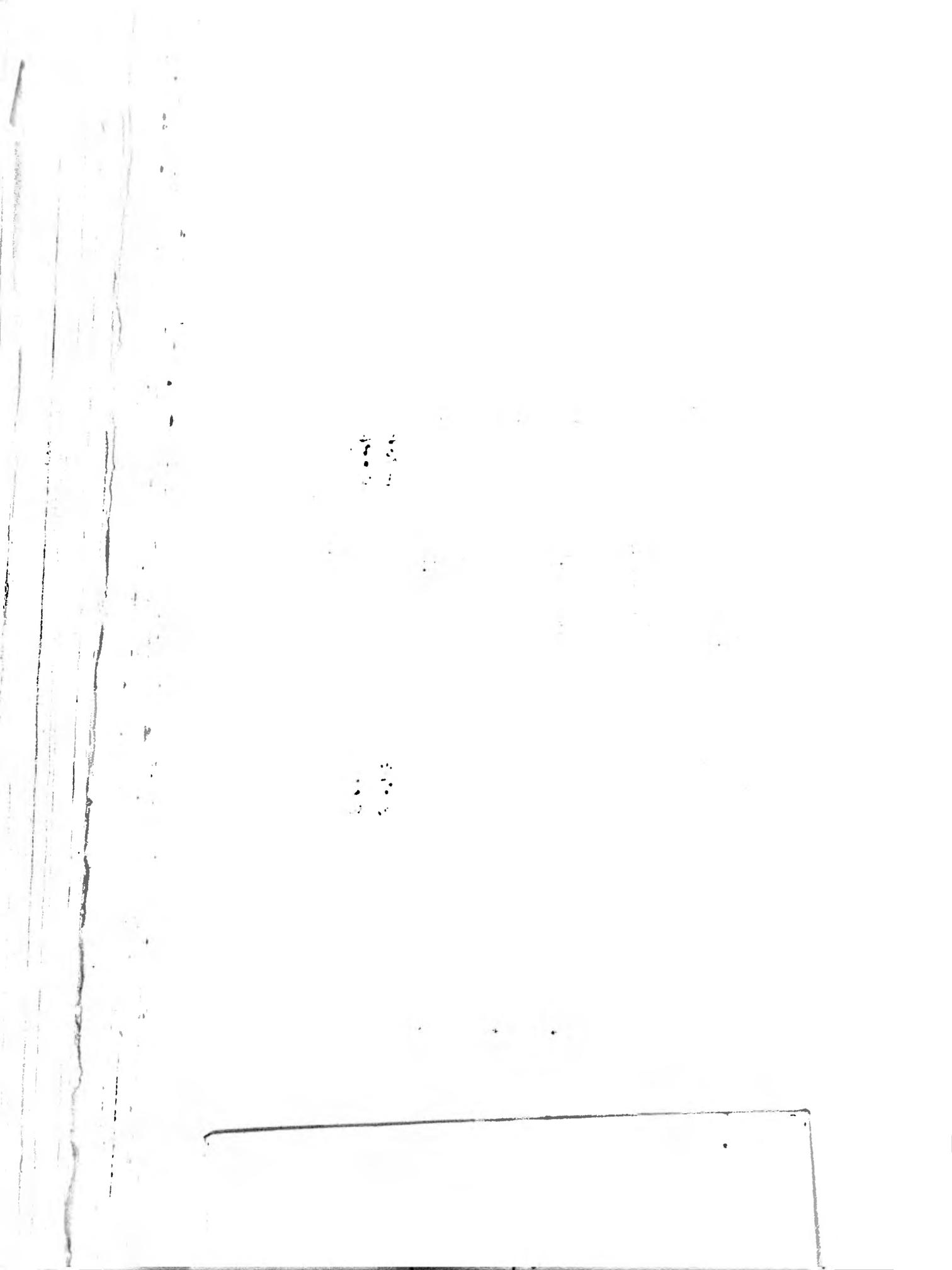
URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.
SANITARY AND SEWERAGE.

Estimate for the year ending 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1928/27.	Year ending 31st March, 1928			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to March, 31st.	Total.
Loan Charges'	4,207	3,037. 7. 3.	4,062	1,738.18. 8.	1,347.14. 9.	3,506.13.
Rates, taxes and insurance.	50	42. 9. 2.	50	45.14. 7.	1.13. 0.	47. 7.
	£ 4,257	3,079.16. 5.	4,112	1,734.13. 5.	1,349. 7. 9.	3,634. 1.
	3 743		4 164		4 278	8
	8 000		8 276		7 912	9

C. F. CARPENTER,

Accountant.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

(AMENDED.)

ESTIMATES - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.			TOTAL.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
1. Wages - Sewage Disposal.	3180	0	0	3195	8	8	3021	0	0	2424	14	7	720	0	0	3144	14	7
2. Fuel.	65	0	0	81	9	6	80	0	0	62	14	4	4	9	2	67	3	6
3. Horse hire.	45	0	0	7	0	0	45	0	0	12	14	1	17	16	8	30	10	9
4. Water.	10	0	0	5	10	4	10	0	0	6	12	1	2	5	0	3	17	1
5. Gas.	40	0	0	37	1	4	40	0	0	30	13	5	11	0	0	41	13	5
6. Electricity.	50	0	0	100	2	11	105	0	0	86	15	2	26	0	0	112	15	2
7. Repairs to buildings, machinery, etc.	130	0	0	86	10	2	178	0	0	75	0	3	72	9	9	147	10	0
8. Petrol driven pump.	125	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Tools and sundries. (Depot item)	-	-	-	29	18	5	55	0	0	46	2	6	5	3	0	51	5	8
10. Rat destruction.	40	0	0	40	0	0	40	0	0	10	0	0	30	0	0	40	0	0
11. Repairs to road and paths.	200	0	0	74	8	10	70	0	0	63	7	8	-	-	-	63	7	8
12. Salaries.	400	0	0	334	2	9	452	0	0	336	14	1	110	18	4	447	12	5
13. Petty Cash.	10	0	0	26	12	1	10	0	0	12	9	10	4	10	0	16	19	10
14. Contingencies.	50	0	0	56	8	1	40	0	0	50	0	10	5	0	0	55	0	10
Carried forward.	4405	0	0	4076	13	3	4146	0	0	3217	19	0	1009	11	11	4227	10	11



(continued)

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929 Estimate.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate. Expenditure to date. Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.						TOTAL.					
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
Brought forward.	4405	0	0	4076	13	3	4146	0	0	3217	19	0	1009	11	11	4227	10	11
15. Compressed air main.	180	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Fencing.	500	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17. Depot charges.	120	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	£ 5205	0	0	4076	13	3	4146	0	0	3217	19	0	1009	11	11	4227	10	11
<u>RECEIPTS.</u>	-	-	-	23	0	0	-	-	-	13	15	0	-	-	-	13	15	0

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

20TH FEBRUARY, 1928.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

ESTIMATES - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1928. Estimate.			31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928. Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.			TOTAL.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<u>REFUSE COLLECTION.</u>																		
Contract.	5806	0	0	5816	0	0	5816	0	0	4354	10	0	1451	10	0	5806	0	0
<u>REFUSE DISPOSAL.</u>																		
Wages.	1460	0	0	1069	13	2	1203	0	0	907	7	7	320	0	0	1277	7	7
Water.	20	0	0	-	-	-	20	0	0	1	17	5	4	15	0	6	12	5
Electricity.	30	0	0	-	-	-	15	0	0	2	15	0	5	2	4	7	17	4
Oil and Sundries.	145	0	0	-	-	-	60	0	0	52	6	9	20	10	9	72	17	6
Tin Snier.	250	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	£ 7731	0	0	6885	13	2	7114	0	0	5318	16	9	1801	15	1	7120	14	10
<u>RECEIPTS.</u>	£ 50	0	0	55	1	4	284	0	0	22	12	0	13	0	0	35	12	0

30TH JANUARY, 1928.

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

Estimate for year ending 31st March, 1929.

ITEMS	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1926/27.	Year ending 31st March, 1928		TOTAL	
			Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st Mar.		
LOAN CHARGES. (Sewage Disposal Works. 5,677) (Refuse Collection and 1,001) Disposal)		5,836.16. 7.	6,673	3,359. 3. 8.	3,158.10. 4.	6,817.14
RENT, RATES, TAXES (Sewage Disposal Works. 560) AND INSURANCE. (Refuse Collection and 100) Disposal)		571. 2. 7.	700	439.17. 9.	171.15. 0.	611.12
	7,338	6,409.19. 2.	7,373	3,799. 1. 5.	3,330. 5. 4.	7,129. 6

Sewage Disposal Works..... 6,237)
Refuse Collection & Disposal.. 1,101)

5 205
7 731
Sewage Disposal Works 11442 } 20,274
Refuse Collection & Disposal 8832

4114
7114
18633

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Accountant.

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7120 14
18477 12

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

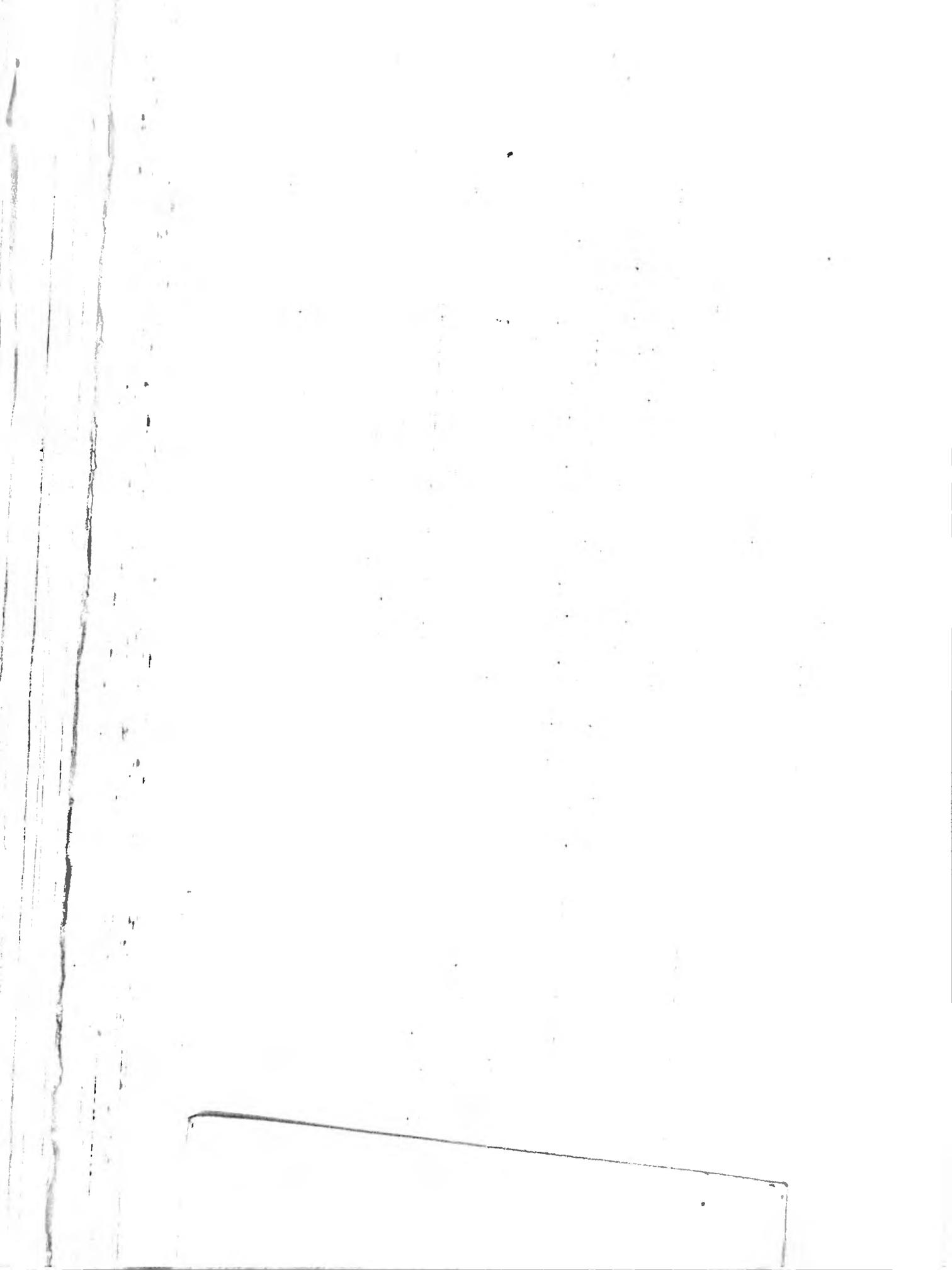
ESTIMATE - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

MORTUARY.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.		YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.		YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928,						TOTAL.	
	Estimate.		Expenditure.		Estimate.		Expenditure to date.		Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.			
	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.
1. Wages.	37	0 0	24	7 0	25	0 0	20	11 0	8	15 0	29	6 0
2. Water and gas.	5	0 0	1	16 0	2	0 0	1	11 5	3	0	1	17 5
3. Repairs.	10	0 0	9	5 9	13	0 0	8	5	17	8 6	17	16 11
	£ 52	0 0	25	10 9	40	0 0	22	10 10	26	9 6	49	0 4

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Engineer and Surveyor.

24TH JANUARY, 1928.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

HOSPITAL SERVICES.

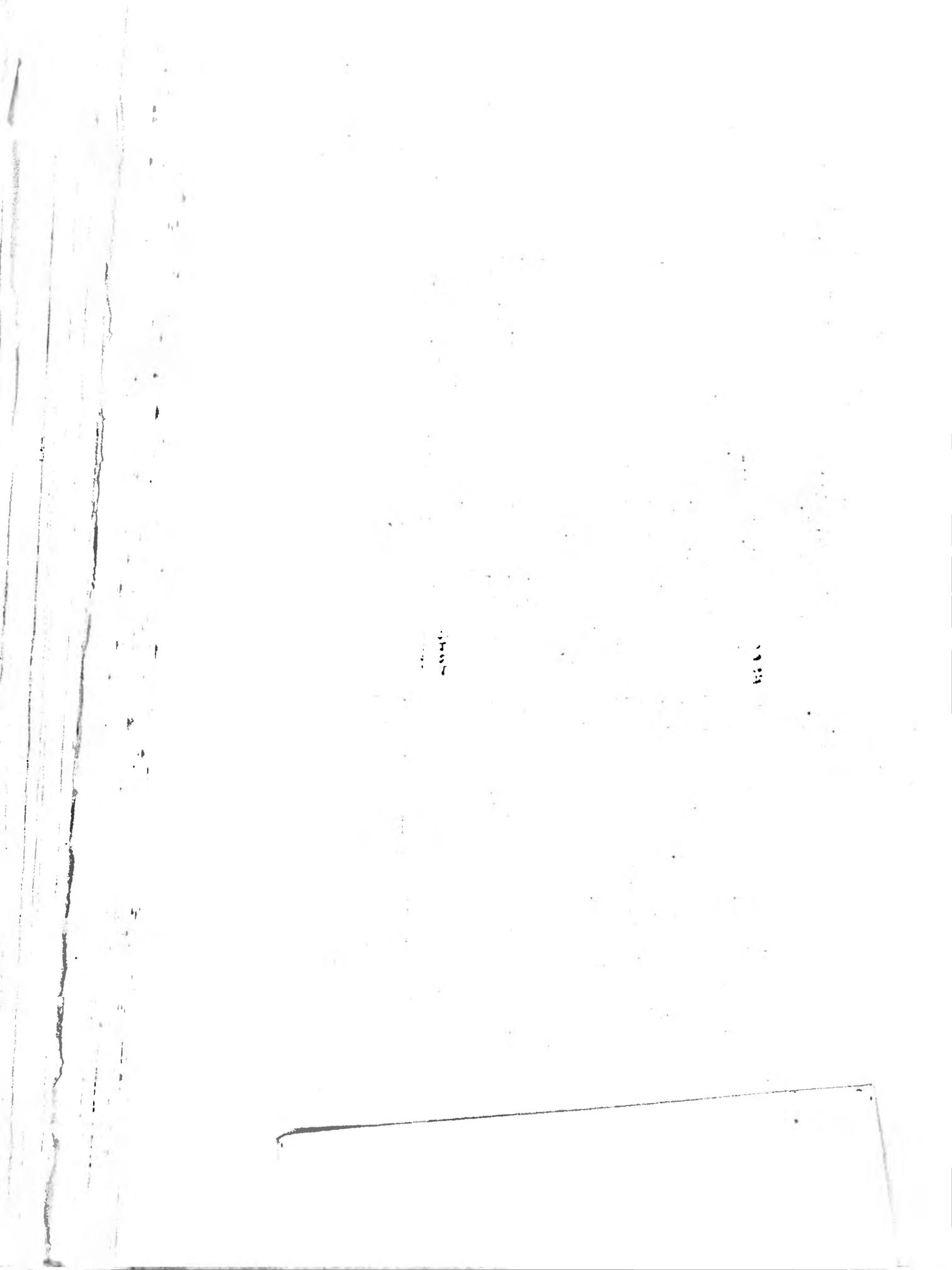
ESTIMATE 1928-29.

	Estimate for year ending 31st. March 1929.	Expenditure for year ended 31st. March, 1927.	Year ending 31st. March, 1928.			
			Estimate	Expenditure to date.	Estimate to 31st. March	Total Expenditure
	£.	£. s. d.	£.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
1. Joint Isolation Hospital - estimated precept.	4500 4760	4123. 7. 0.	4000.	2332. 14. 7.	2317. 5. 5.	4650. 1. 0.
2. Joint Smallpox Hospital - precept.	478.	430. 11. 4.	458.	459. 9. 0.	- - -	459. 9. 0.
3. Grant to Finchley Memorial Hospital.	100 25	75. 0. 0.	100.	75. 0. 0.	- - -	75. 0. 0.
4. Grant to Isolation Hospital - Children's Fund.	6.	5. 5. 0.	6.	5. 5. 0.	- - -	5. 5. 0.
5. Loan Repayment and Interest - Joint Isolation Hospital.	2917.	2233. 13. 0.	2925.	1227. 16. 9.	1656. 19. 3.	2884. 10. 0.
	7976 6176.	6873. 17. 1.	7489.	4100. 5. 4.	3974. 4. 8.	6674. 10. 0.

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A. TURNER.

Medical Officer of Health.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

PREVENTION OF DISEASE.

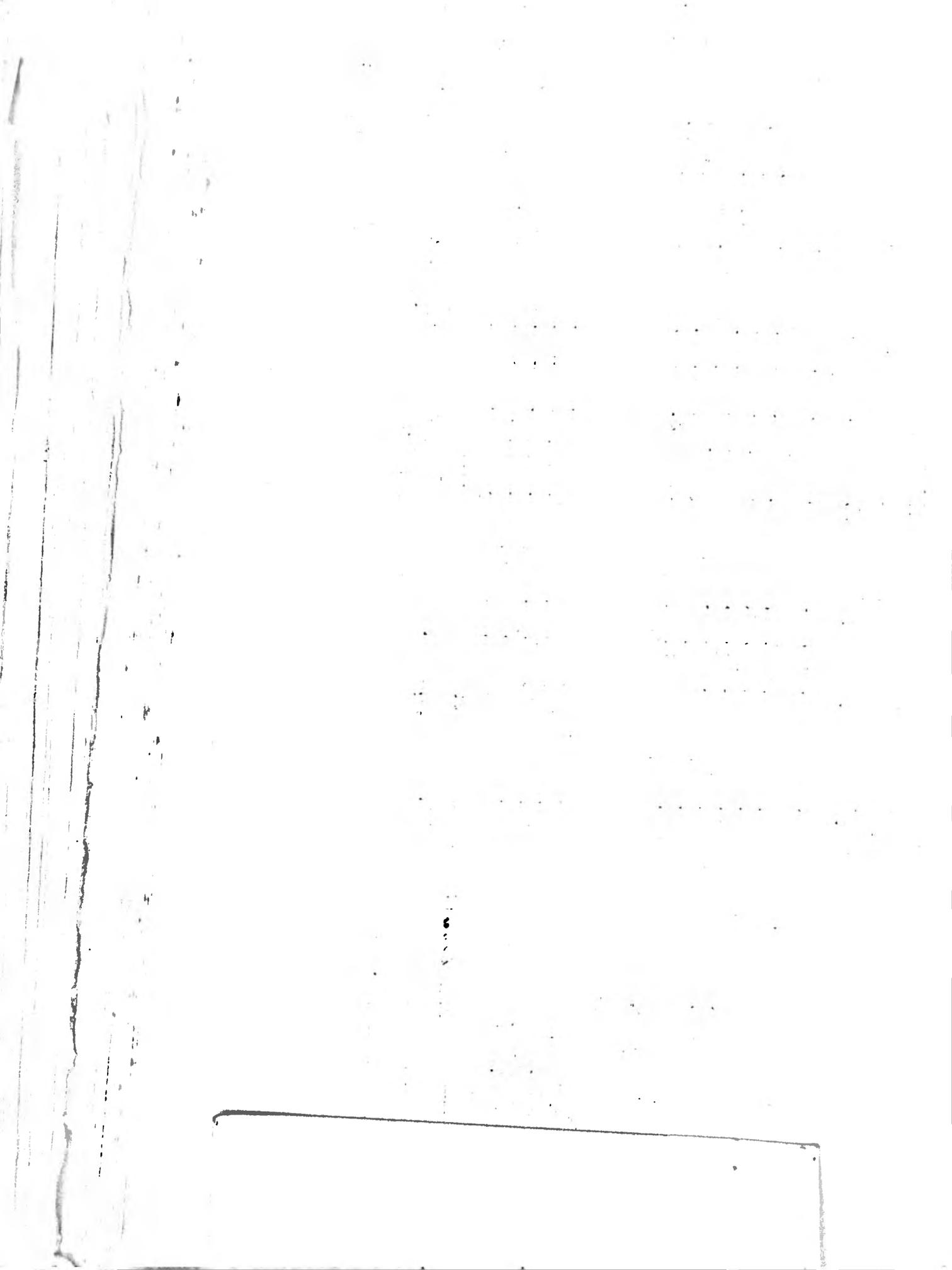
ESTIMATE 1928-29.

	Estimate for year ending 31st. March, 1929.	Expenditure for year ended 31st. March, 1927.	Year ending 31st. March, 1928.			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimate to 31st. March.	Total Expenditure.
	£.	£. s. d.	£.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
<u>DISINFECTING STATION.</u>						
1. Wages.	400.	403. 11. 8.	400.	278. 1. 3.	100. 0. 0.	378. 1. 3.
2. Rates, Taxes and Insurance. (Including water)	40.	32. 13. 1.	35.	33. 7. 9.	4. 16. 0.	38. 3. 9.
3. Fuel, Lighting and Cleaning.	80.	69. 12. 3.	89.	54. 18. 6.	15. 8. 8.	70. 7. 2.
4. Telephone Wayleaves.	9.	8. 11. 9.	9.	8. 8. 9.	3. 0. 0.	8. 11. 9.
5. Horse - Maintenance.	52.	70. 0. 9.	52.	22. 11. 1.	22. 18. 0.	45. 9. 1.
6. Repairs and Maintenance.	25.	18. 3. 5.	25.	5. 9. 9.	15. 5. 0.	20. 14. 9.
7. Loan Repayment and Interest - Disinfectors.	234.	253. 15. 8.	244.	123. 15. 4.	120. 5. 9.	244. 1. 1.
<u>GENERAL.</u>						
8. Laboratory Supplies and Examinations.	15.	21. 6. 6.	15.	5. 0. 10.	9. 0. 0.	5. 0. 10.
9. Disinfectants.	25.	21. 4. 7.	25.	21. 11. 0.	3. 3. 0.	24. 14. 0.
10. Notification Fees.	40.	38. 1. 0.	40.	11. 10. 6.	19. 16. 6.	31. 7. 0.
11. Miscellaneous.	30.	25. 12. 3.	30.	11. 13. 3.	5. 0. 0.	16. 13. 3.
12. Health Work <i>Education</i>	35.	21. 1. 4.	30.	2. 17. 0.	- - -	2. 17. 0.
	985 950.	983. 14. 3.	985.	579. 5. 0.	307. 4. 11.	886. 9. 11.

Estimated Receipts 1928-29.

130 - including £50 from Education Committee.

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Medical Officer of Health.



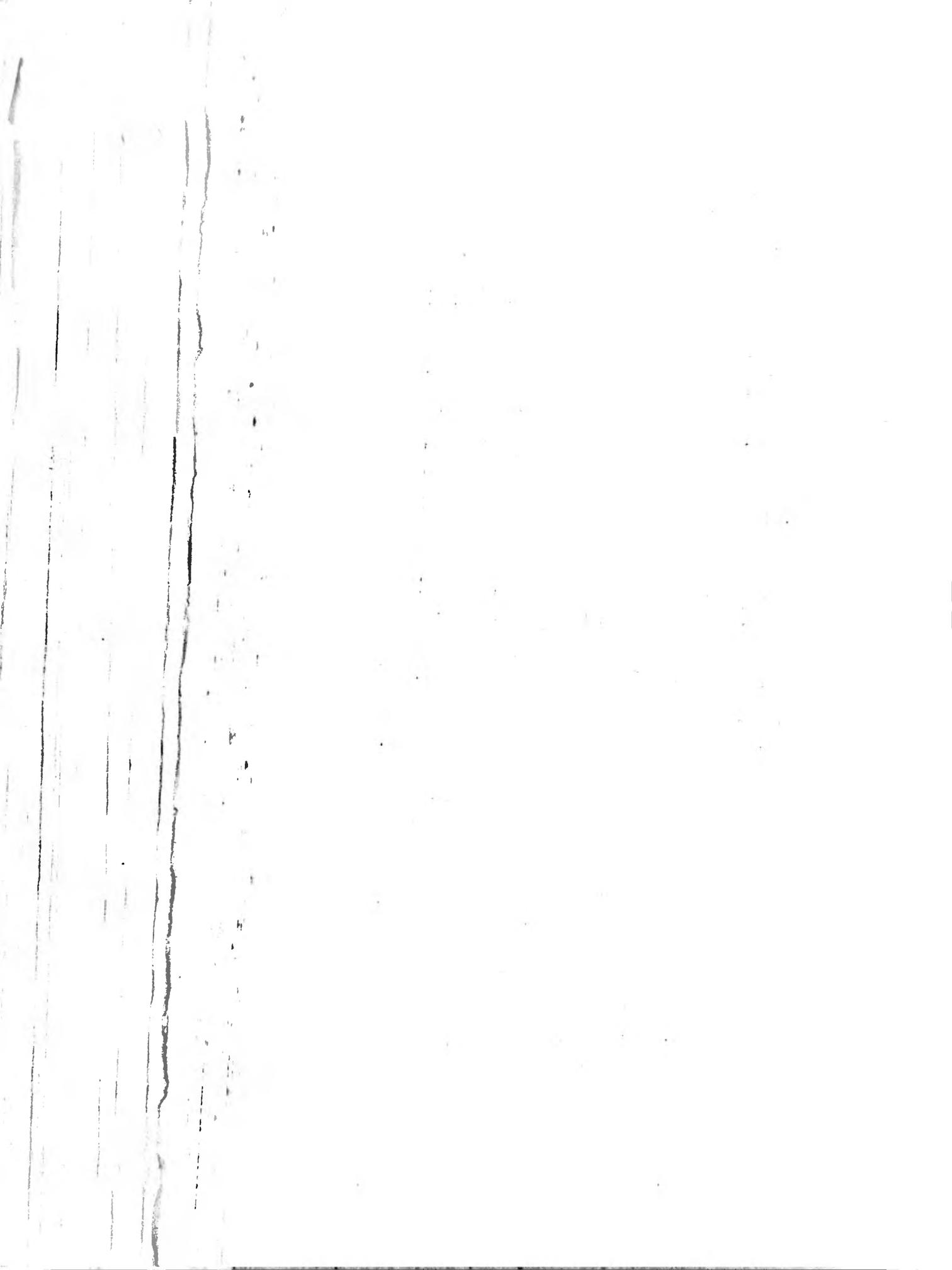
MINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE

ESTIMATE - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

SWIMMING BATH.

	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.			TOTAL.								
	Estimate.			Expenditure.			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.		Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.								
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
1. Wages.	690	0	0	649	17	10	700	0	0	597	7	3	78	0	0	675	7	3
2. Fuel.	145	0	0	142	8	8	153	0	0	136	1	5	-	-	-	136	1	5
3. Water.	40	0	0	27	10	3	40	0	0	29	4	9	4	0	0	33	4	9
4. Electricity.	50	0	0	51	4	11	60	0	0	41	6	9	4	0	0	45	6	9
5. <u>TRADESLENN'S ACCOUNTS.</u>																		
Towels.	41	0	0	39	4	6	42	0	0	40	7	1	-	-	-	40	7	1
Costumes.	12	0	0	9	2	3	8	0	0	6	2	0	-	-	-	6	2	0
Chemicals.	6	0	0	4	16	11	6	0	0	5	15	10	-	-	-	5	15	10
Cleaning Sundries.	15	0	0	10	15	2	13	0	0	12	4	5	-	10	0	12	14	5
Miscellaneous.	12	0	0	5	15	9	12	0	0	9	12	5	-	15	0	10	7	5
6. Repairs.	68	0	0	113	3	11	75	0	0	49	5	5	24	8	3	73	13	8
7. Contingencies.	30	0	0	36	9	9	30	0	0	9	16	4	10	0	0	19	16	4
8. Petty Cash.	5	0	0	2	10	3	5	0	0	6	19	2	2	0	0	8	19	2
9. New Lavatories.	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	0	0	178	13	0	-	-	-	178	13	0
Carried forward.	1114	0	0	1095	0	2	1344	0	0	1122	15	10	123	13	3	1246	9	1

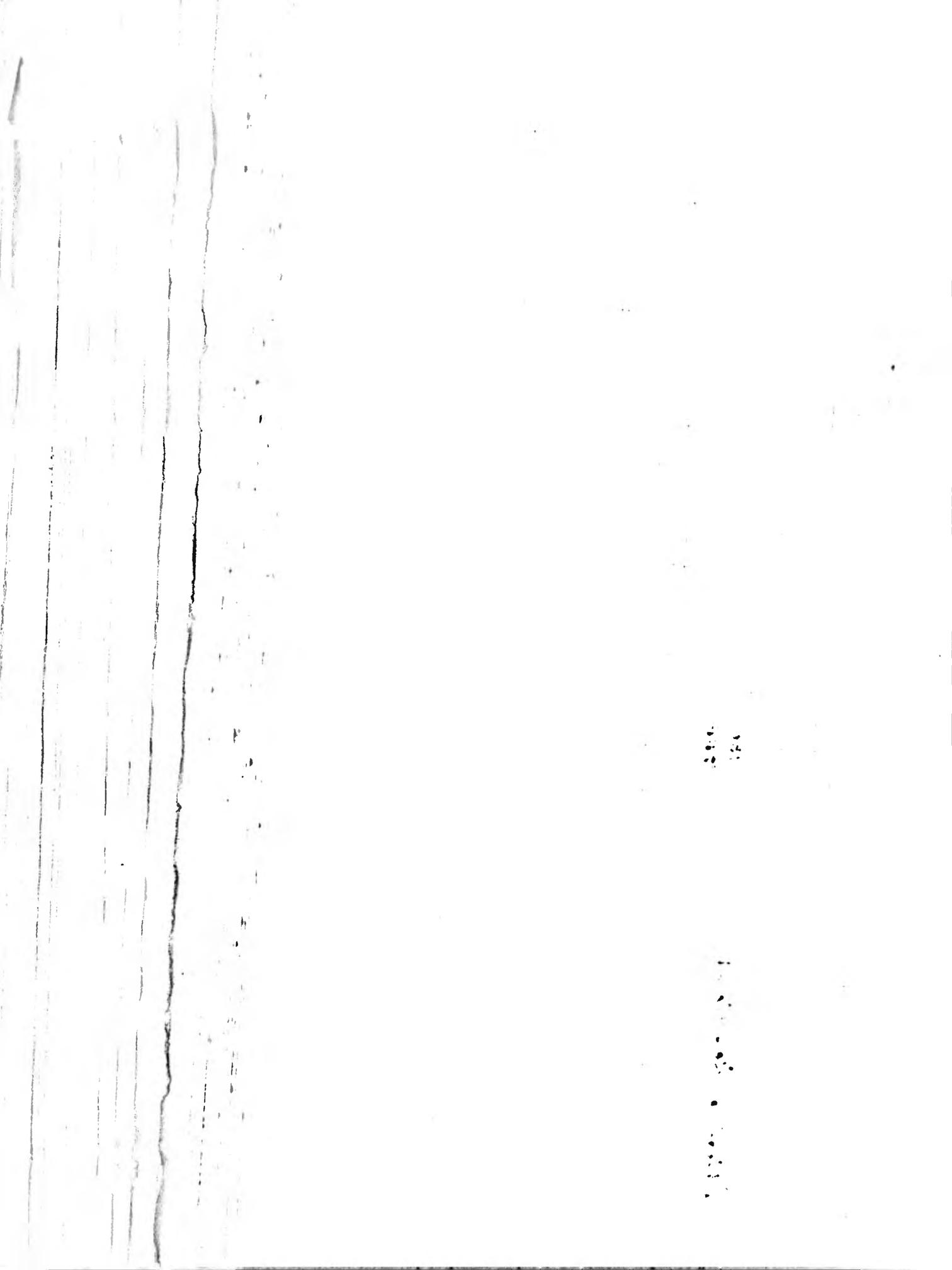


	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929. Estimate.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927. Expenditure.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1926. Estimate. Expenditure to date. Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.						TOTAL.					
	£.	s. d.		£.	s. d.		£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.	£.	s. d.				
Brought forward.	1114	0	0	1095	0	2	1344	0	0	1122	15	10	123	13	3	1246	9	1
10. Drain from Sump.	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	0	0	226	13	9	-	-	-	226	13	9
11. Supplemental estimate - fencing.	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	0	0	22	12	3	7	7	9	30	0	0
	£ 1114	0	0	1095	0	2	1554	0	0	1372	1	10	131	1	0	1503	2	10
							130											
							1244											
Receipts.	£ 1000	0	0	1097	17	2	1025	0	0	983	9	11	22	15	0	1006	4	11

Chlorine Gas Plant

PERCIVAL F. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

28TH JANUARY, 1928.



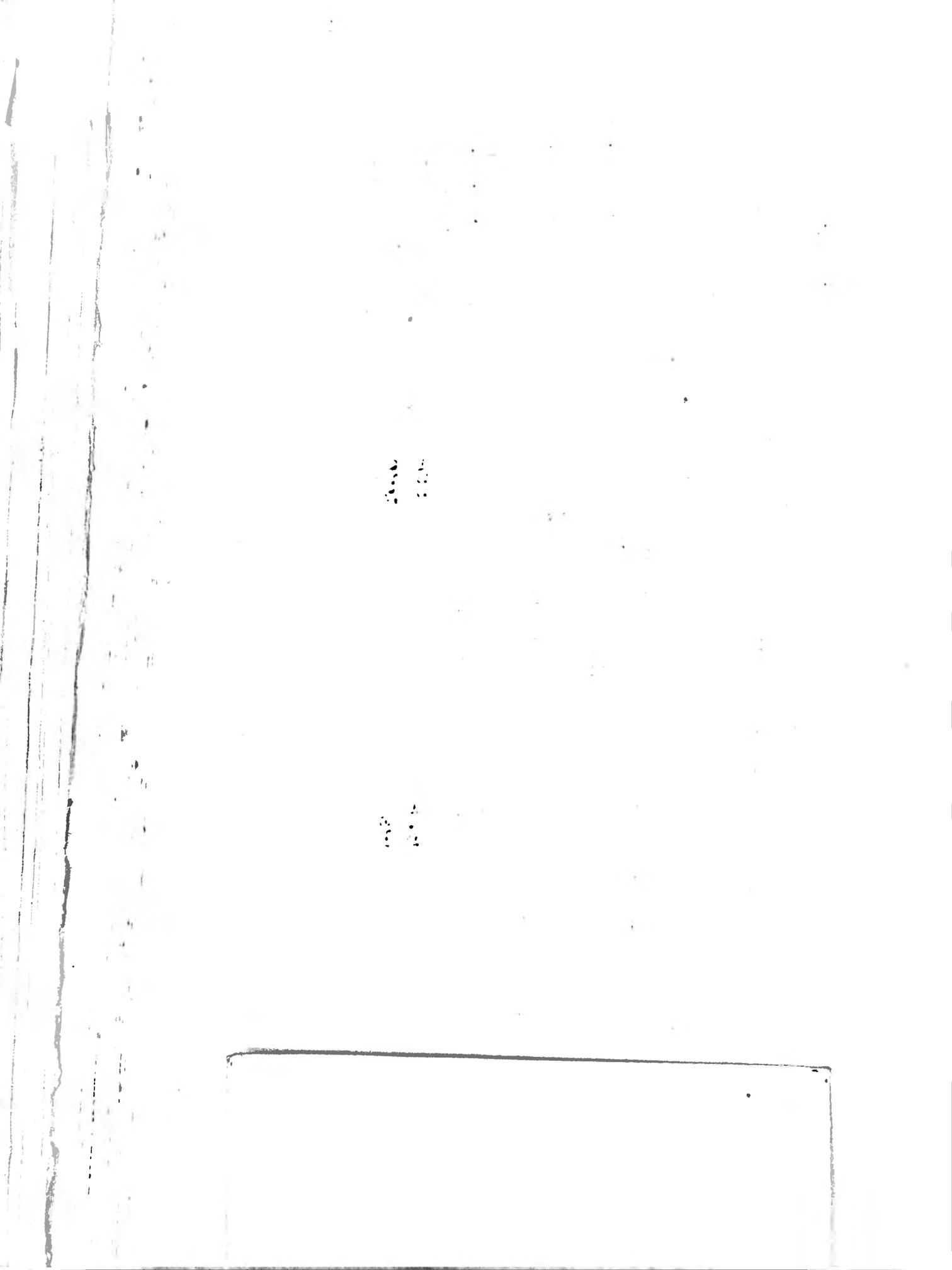
URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.
PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

PUBLIC BATHS.

Estimate for year ending 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1926/27.	Year ending 31st March, 1928			Total.
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	
Loan Charges.	387	795.16. 3.	406	311. 4. 9.	87. 9. 8.	398.14. 5.
Rates, Taxes and Insurance.	100	101. 3. 1.	110	85. 9. 9.	9. 0. 6.	94.10. 3.
	£ 487	896.19. 4.	516	396.14. 6.	96.10. 2.	493. 4. 8.
	1244		1554			1503. 2 10
	1731		2070			1996 7 6

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINCHLEY BOROUGH DISTRICT COUNCIL.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

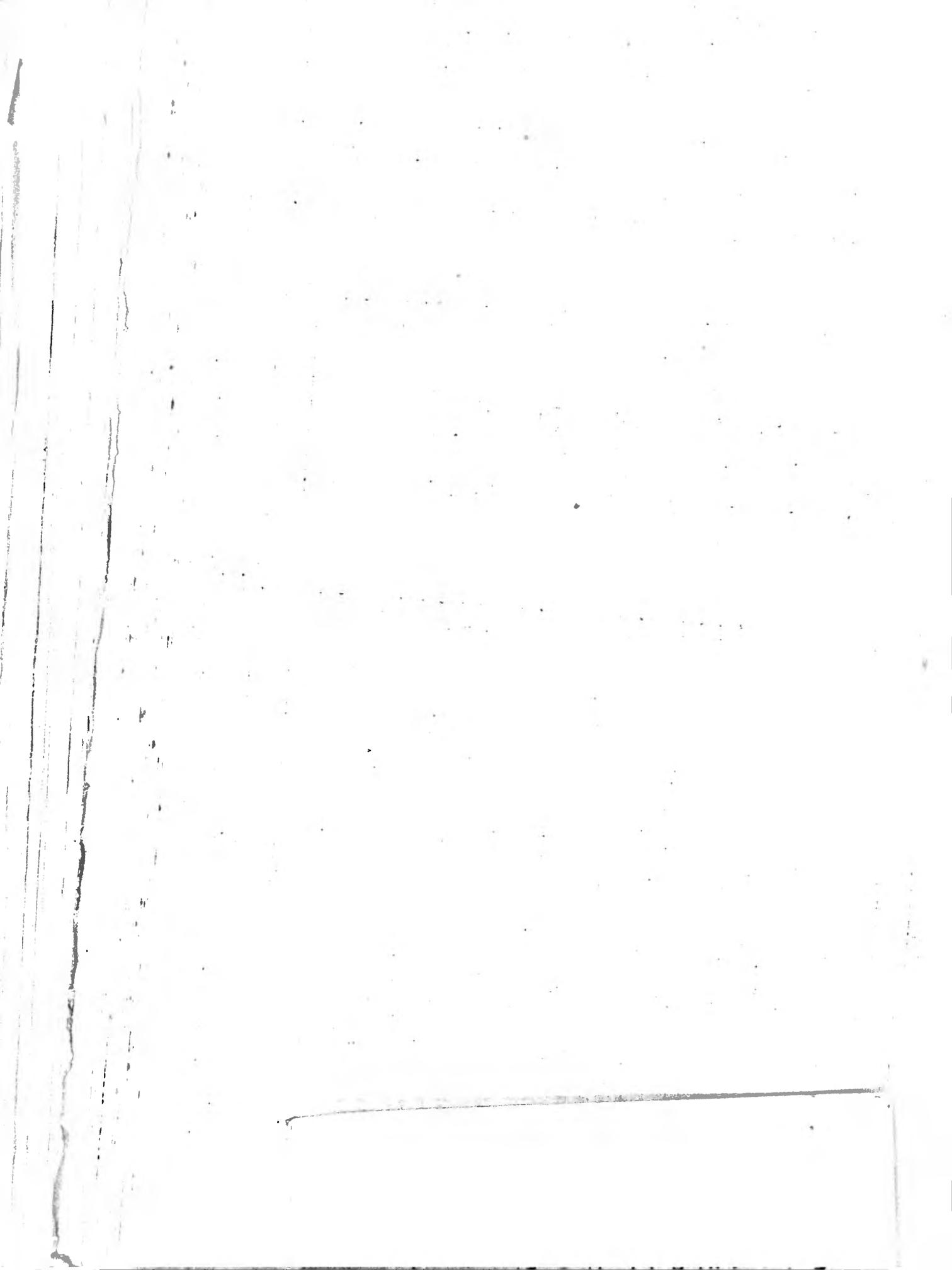
MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE.

ESTIMATE 1928-29.

	Estimate for Expenditure				Year ending the 31st. March, 1928.									
	31st. March 1928.	for year ending 31st. March, 1927.			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.			Estimate to 31st. March		Total Expenditure			
	£.	£.	s.	d.	£.	£.	s.	d.	£.	£.	s.	d.		
1. Salaries - Medical Officers.	53.	50.	0.	0.	56.	57.	10.	0.	12.	10.	0.	50.	0.	0.
Health Visitors.	336.	217.	10.	0.	325.	215.	11.	5.	82.	3.	9.	327.	15.	2.
Creche Staff.	130.	109.	15.	0.	105.	85.	13.	0.	26.	5.	0.	111.	18.	0.
Dental Surgeon.	48.	9.	8.	10.	46.	34.	1.	9.	11.	7.	3.	45.	9.	0.
Dental Nurse.	20.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. Uniforms.	22.	17.	10.	0.	22.	17.	10.	0.	-	-	-	17.	10.	0.
3. Fees Medical.	383.	268.	16.	0.	383.	257.	5.	0.	89.	15.	6.	347.	0.	6.
4. Milk (Mothers and Children) Order.	5.	-	-	-	5.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Drugs, Medical Requisites, etc.	5.	1.	5.	5.	5.	-	7.	1.	2.	6.	4.	2.	13.	5.
6. Food.	340.	316.	17.	6.	325.	241.	17.	2.	82.	16.	0.	324.	13.	2.
7. Furniture and Equipment.	30.	23.	18.	9.	40.	41.	14.	2.	8.	10.	9.	50.	4.	11.
8. Repairs and Alterations to Buildings.	25.	6.	15.	9.	20.	15.	9.	11.	2.	5.	8.	17.	15.	7.
9. Rents, Rates and Insurance -														
Bourchier House.	175.	171.	2.	4.	175.	144.	15.	2.	33.	0.	0.	174.	15.	2.
North Finchley Centre.	57.	56.	6.	11.	57.	44.	6.	11.	12.	10.	0.	56.	16.	11.
Church End Centre.	56.	-	-	-	65.	36.	13.	9.	13.	0.	0.	49.	13.	0.
10. Heat, Lighting and Cleaning.														
(Including caretaker).	250.	242.	13.	7.	250.	170.	9.	4.	97.	3.	8.	267.	13.	6.
11. Printing and Stationery.	10.	9.	17.	6.	10.	4.	8.	9.	2.	5.	0.	6.	13.	9.
12. Grant to Royal Northern Hospital.	20.	20.	0.	0.	20.	20.	0.	0.	-	-	-	20.	0.	0.
13. Miscellaneous.	8.	3.	4.	8.	8.	6.	4.	11.	1.	17.	1.	8.	2.	6.
14. Telephones.	8.	6.	6.	8.	8.	4.	13.	4.	1.	13.	4.	6.	6.	8.
15. Grant to Voluntary Association.	15.	10.	0.	0.	10.	10.	0.	0.	-	-	-	10.	0.	0.
16. Puerperal Fever and Puerperal Pyrexia Regulations.	20.	-	-	-	25.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17. Ophthalmia Neonatorum Regulations.	15.	-	-	-	10.	30.	0.	0.	-	-	-	30.	0.	0.
	2028.	1547.	8.	11.	1970.	1448.	10.	11.	476.	9.	4.	1925.	0.	3.

Estimated Receipts 1928-29. Creche Fees - £225.
 Nurses Board - £140.
 Receipts for Dental Treatment - £15.

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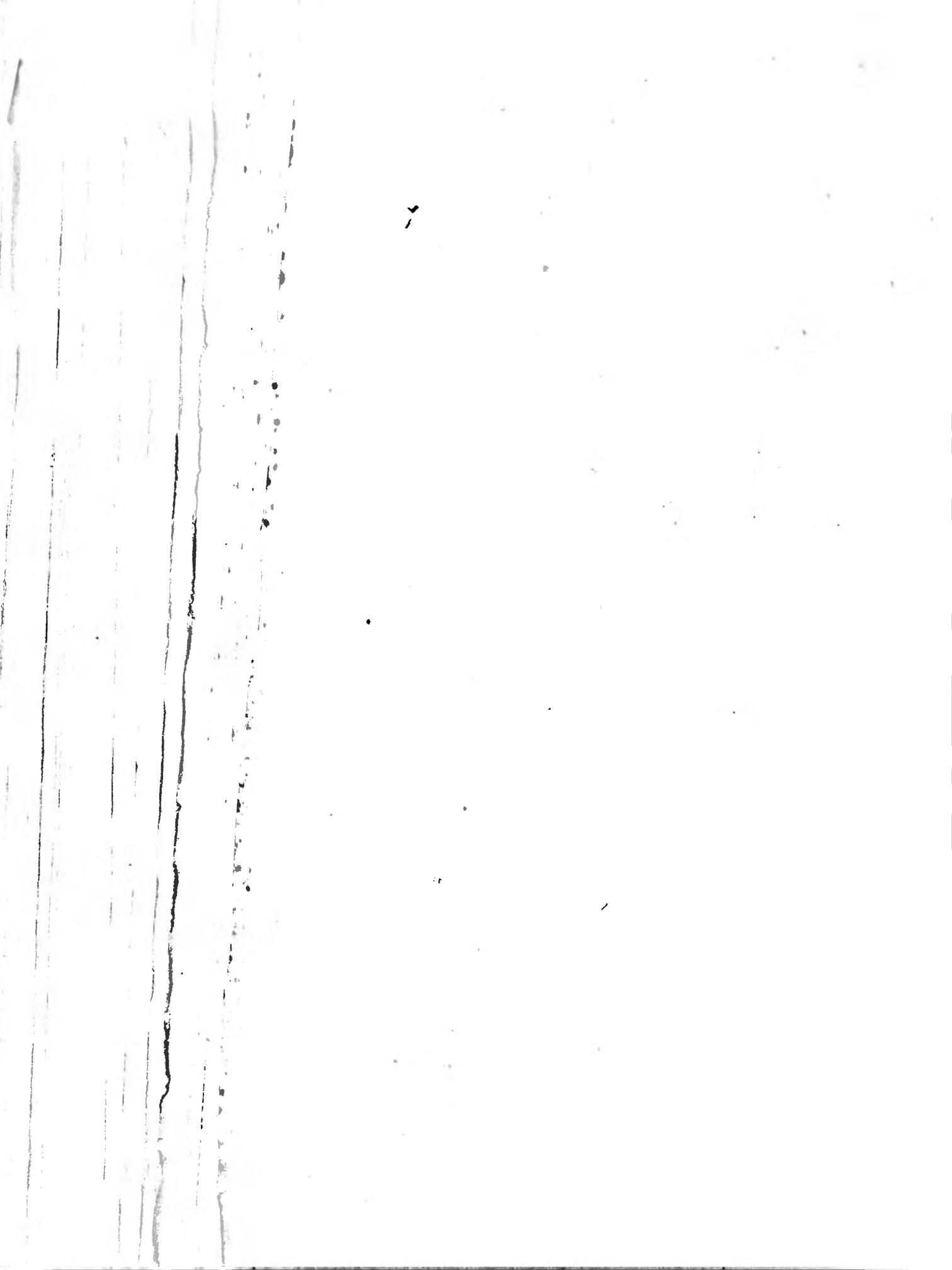
FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE.

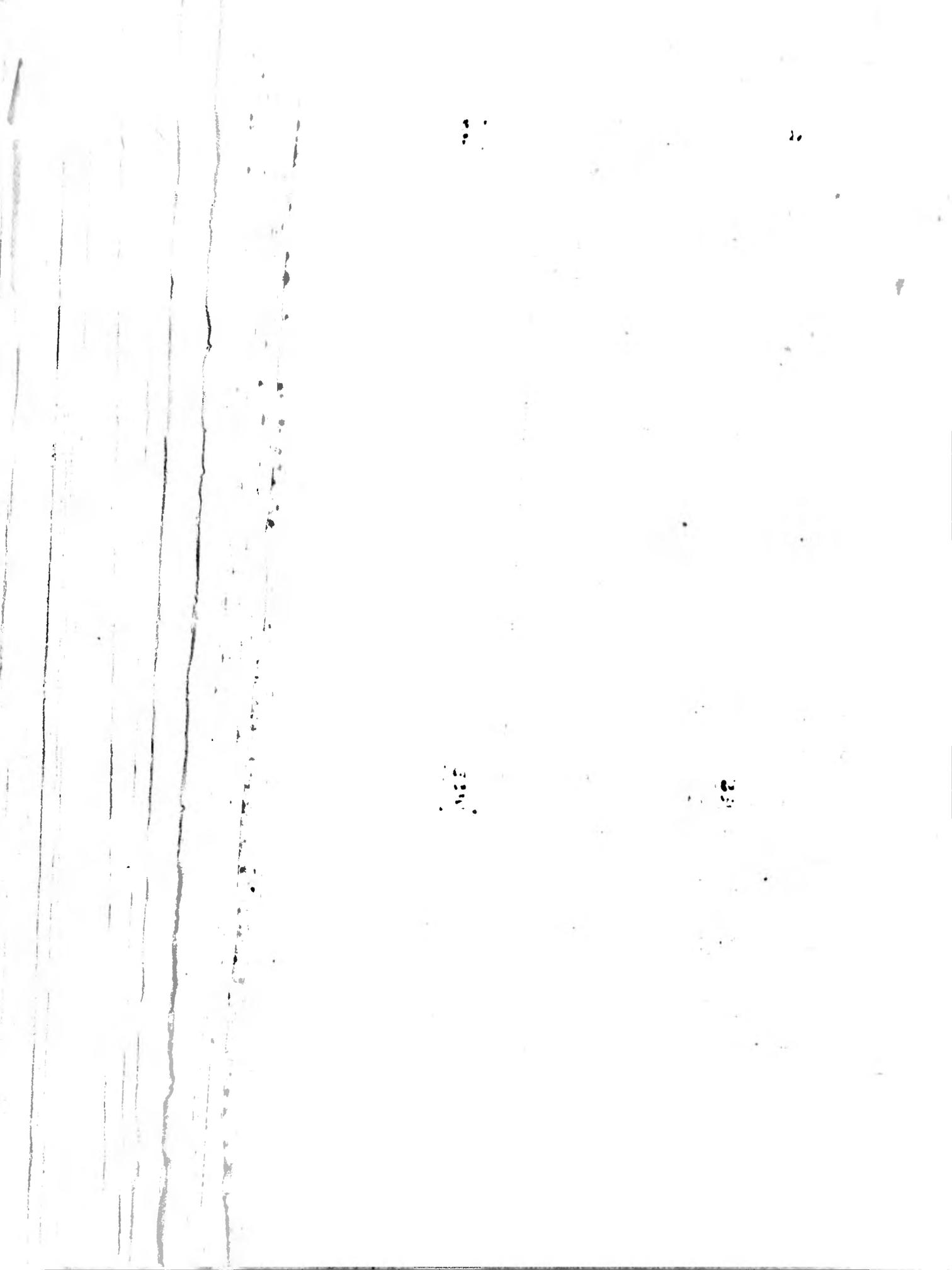
ESTIMATE - YEAR ENDING - 31ST MARCH, 1929.

RECREATION GROUND AND OPEN SPACES.

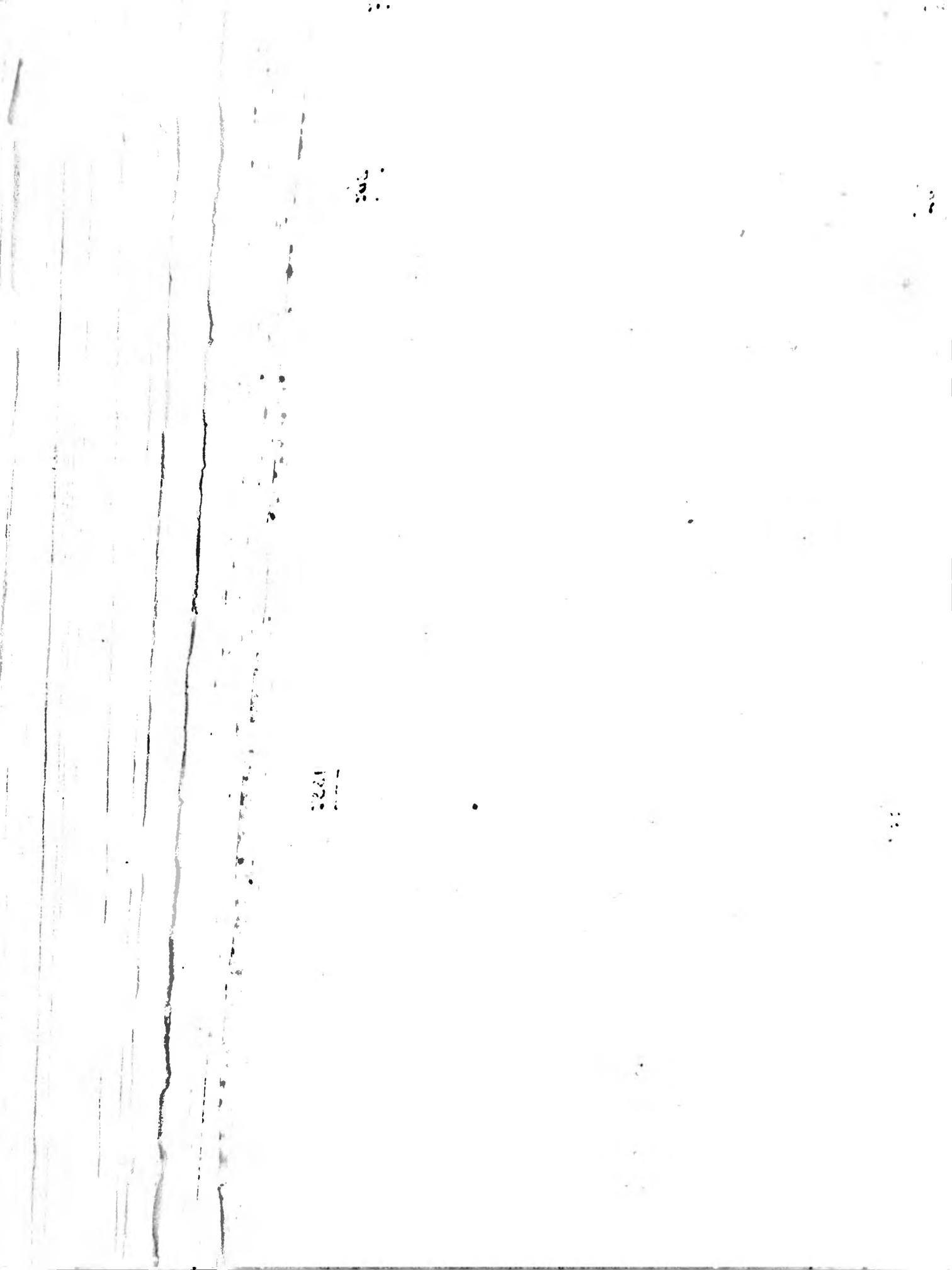
	YEAR ENDING						YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.						TOTAL.					
	31ST MARCH			31ST MARCH			Estimate.		Expenditure		Estimated				TOTAL.			
	1929.			1927.			to date.		to date.		Expenditure				to 31ST MARCH.			
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
<u>RECREATION GROUND.</u>																		
1. Wages.	660	0	0	629	18	10	716	0	0	542	0	10	109	8	0	651	8	10
2. Motor Mower 30" (from last year.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	129	4	0	-	-	-	129	4	0
3. Do. 20"	71	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Petrol and maintenance of mowers.	25	0	0	-	-	-	25	0	0	5	14	6	9	7	6	15	2	0
5. Horse hire and keep.	-	-	-	32	6	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Water, tools and repairs.	25	0	0	68	5	2	36	0	0	9	7	3	6	8	11	15	15	0
7. Repairs to buildings, etc.	45	0	0	42	18	11	75	0	0	48	4	10	2	10	0	50	14	1
8. Pavilion, lighting, lockers, etc.	72	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carried forward.	896	0	0	773	8	11	852	0	0	734	11	5	127	14	5	852	5	1



	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1926.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.						TOTAL.					
	Estimate.	Expenditure.		Estimate.	Expenditure.		Estimate.	Expenditure to date		Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.								
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
Brought forward.	898	0	0	773	8	11	852	0	0	734	11	5	127	14	5	862	5	10
9. Garden and sports Sundries.	45	0	0	29	16	7	95	0	0	66	11	8	15	0	8	61	12	4
10. Tarring main entrance road.	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	0	0	31	16	7	-	-	-	31	16	7
11. Do. footpaths.	150	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12. Fencing.	50	0	0	-	-	-	188	-	-	125	-	-	26	1	6	188	1	6
13. Improvement of main entrance.	135	-	-	20	17	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Uniforms.	10	0	0	7	10	3	8	0	0	6	10	3	-	-	-	6	10	3
15. Contingencies.	20	0	0	11	16	8	20	0	0	9	5	8	8	0	0	17	5	8
16. Petty Cash.	10	0	0	5	9	1	10	0	0	7	7	3	2	10	0	9	17	3
17. Seats and repairs.	35	0	0	-	-	-	14	0	0	12	6	11	-	-	-	12	6	11
18. Supplemental estimate-Pavilion.	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	0	0	349	3	3	-	-	-	349	3	3
19. Do. - Putting Green.	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	0	6	7	3	-	-	-	6	7	3
20. Shrubbery.	100	0	0	-	-	-	100	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carried forward.	1453 1318	0	0	848	19	3	1687	0	0	1349	0	3	159 179	6	7	1500 1528	6	10



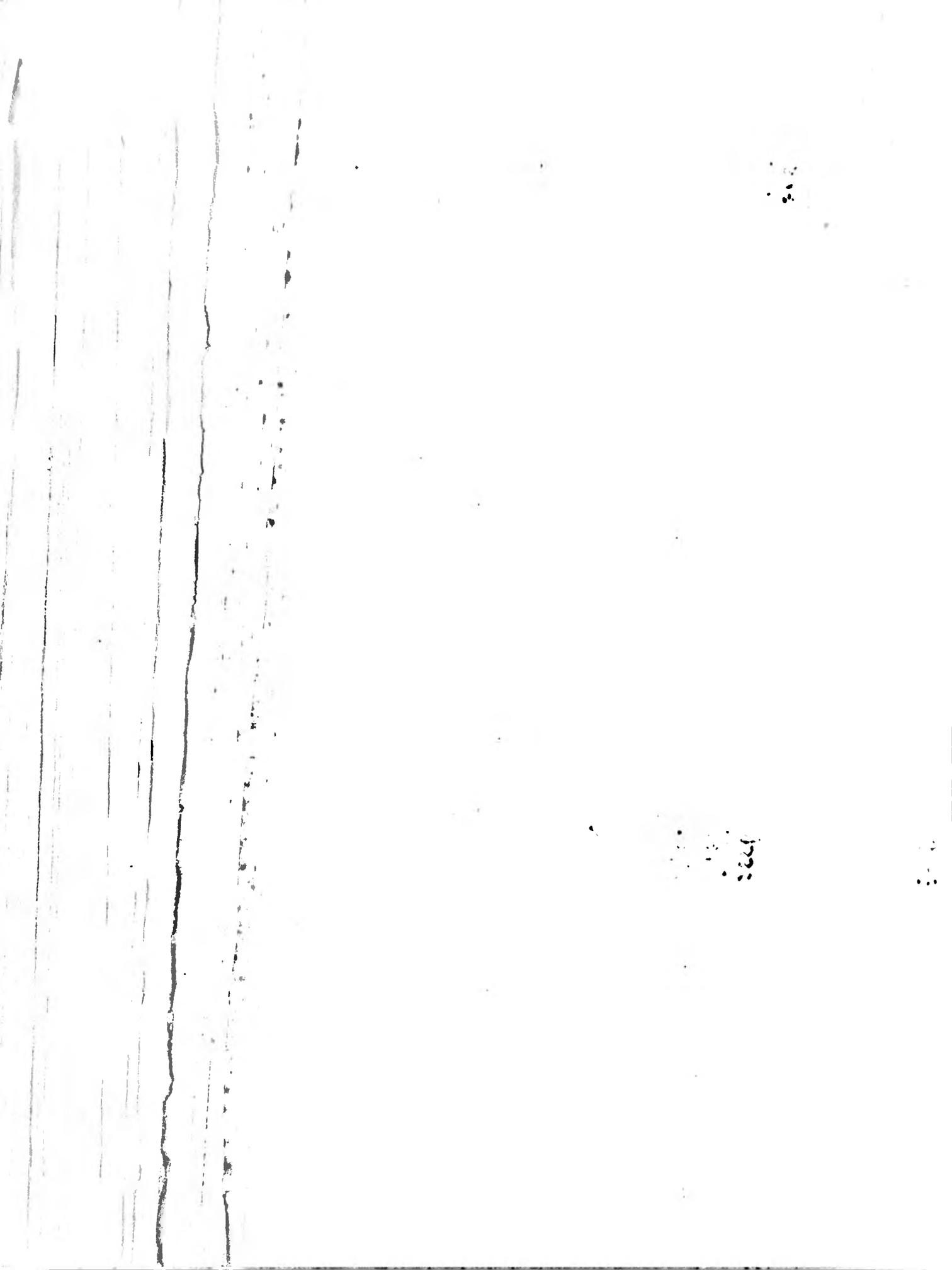
	YEAR ENDING			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.			TOTAL.								
	31ST MARCH 19291			31ST MARCH 1927.			Estimate.			Expenditure to date.			Estimated Expenditure to 31ST MARCH.					
	Estimate.			Expenditure.														
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
Brought forward.	1453	0	0	848	19	3	1667	0	0	1349	0	3	179	6	7	1528	6	10
<u>CHERRY TREE WOOD.</u>																		
21. Wages.	205	0	0	197	14	1	210	0	0	158	2	5	41	8	0	199	10	5
22. Seats.	26	0	0	26	5	0	27	0	0	24	13	9	-	-	-	24	13	9
23. Topping paths and tarring.	115	0	0	89	8	4	50	0	0	49	5	7	-	-	-	49	5	7
24. Surface water drainage.	345	0	0	136	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Maintenance hard courts.	25	0	0	9	6	8	15	0	0	19	18	5	1	9	5	21	7	10
26. New Pavilion.	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	0	0	228	3	0	20	0	0	248	3	0
27. Repairs and uniform.	42	0	0	1	16	0	2	0	0	1	16	0	-	-	-	1	16	0
27(a) <i>Putting Green</i>	400																	
<u>ARMS PLAYING FIELDS.</u>																		
28. Maintenance of pavilion, conveniences, and painting railings.	120	0	0	21	5	10	100	0	0	110	5	0	2	12	0	112	17	0
<u>OTHER OPEN SPACES.</u>																		
29. General maintenance, cutting grass, painting railings, providing seats, etc.	155	0	0	237	4	3	155	0	0	66	4	1	53	15	0	119	19	1
Carried forward.	2351	0	0	1568	7	1	2496	0	0	2007	8	6	276	11	0	2285	19	6
	2886												298			2805		



	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1929.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1927.			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1928.						TOTAL.					
	Estimate.			Expenditure.			Estimate.		Expenditure to date.		Estimated Expenditure to 31st MARCH.							
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.			
Brought forward.	2351	0	0	1568	7	1	2496	0	0	2007	8	6	278	11	0	2305	19	6
30. Brock Farm fencing from last year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	9	5	10	5	6	102	14	11
31. Do. Shrubbery.	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	0	0	55	3	8	-	-	-	55	3	8
32. Supplementary Estimate Gléne land entrance.	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	0	0	6	15	11	-	-	-	6	15	11
	2351	0	0	1568	7	1	2500	0	0	2161	17	6	288	16	6	2410	14	0
13. Other works contemplated. Improvement of main entrance - Recreation Ground.	2451	0	0	1568	7	1	2500	0	0	2161	17	6	288	16	6	2410	14	0
<u>RECAPITULATION</u>																		
Recreation Ground-																		
Tennis	250	0	0)				200	0	0	249	11	0	-	-	-	249	11	0
Bowls	110	0	0)	227	8	0	150	0	0	109	17	9	-	-	-	109	17	9
Cutting Green	50	0	0)				-	-	-	12	4	6	-	-	-	12	4	6
Cherry Tree Wood - Tennis	190	0	0	180	6	0	160	0	0	179	9	0	14	18	0	194	7	0
	£ 600	0	0	413	14	0	530	0	0	551	2	5	14	18	0	566	0	5

30th JANUARY, 1928.

PERCIVAL P. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.



AMENDED.

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

TOWN PLANNING AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE.

RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES.

Estimate for year ending 31st March, 1929.

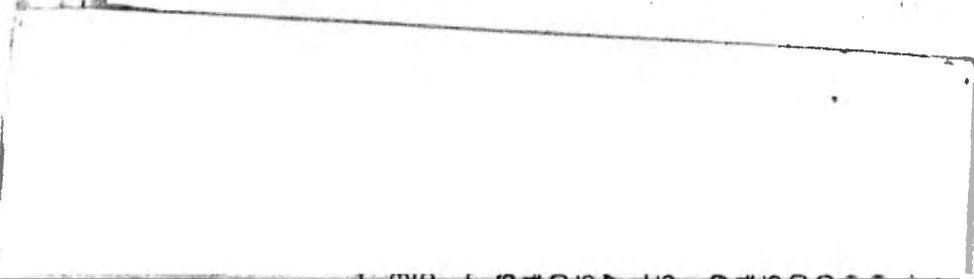
Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1926/27.	- Year ending 31st March, 1929 -			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	Total
Loan charges.	3,000	2,795. 2. 10.	2,987	1,424. 3. 8.	1,432. 8. 3.	2,656. 11.
Loan charges (re Allots. - Globe Land)	122	-	-	-	-	-
Compensation (ditto.)	-	-	881	-	881. 5. 0.	881. 5.
Rates, Taxes and Insurance.	80	50. 14. 0.	80	29. 15. 10.	44. 8. 0.	74. 3.
Miscellaneous - Town Planning - contributions, etc.	100	61. 17. 2.	80	97. 5. 11.	5. 0. 0.	102. 5.
	£ 3,302	2,907. 14. 0.	4,025	1,551. 5. 5.	2,363. 1. 3.	3,914.
	2751					
	2886		2566			2470
	6188		6594			6385. 0
	<u>6053</u>					

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

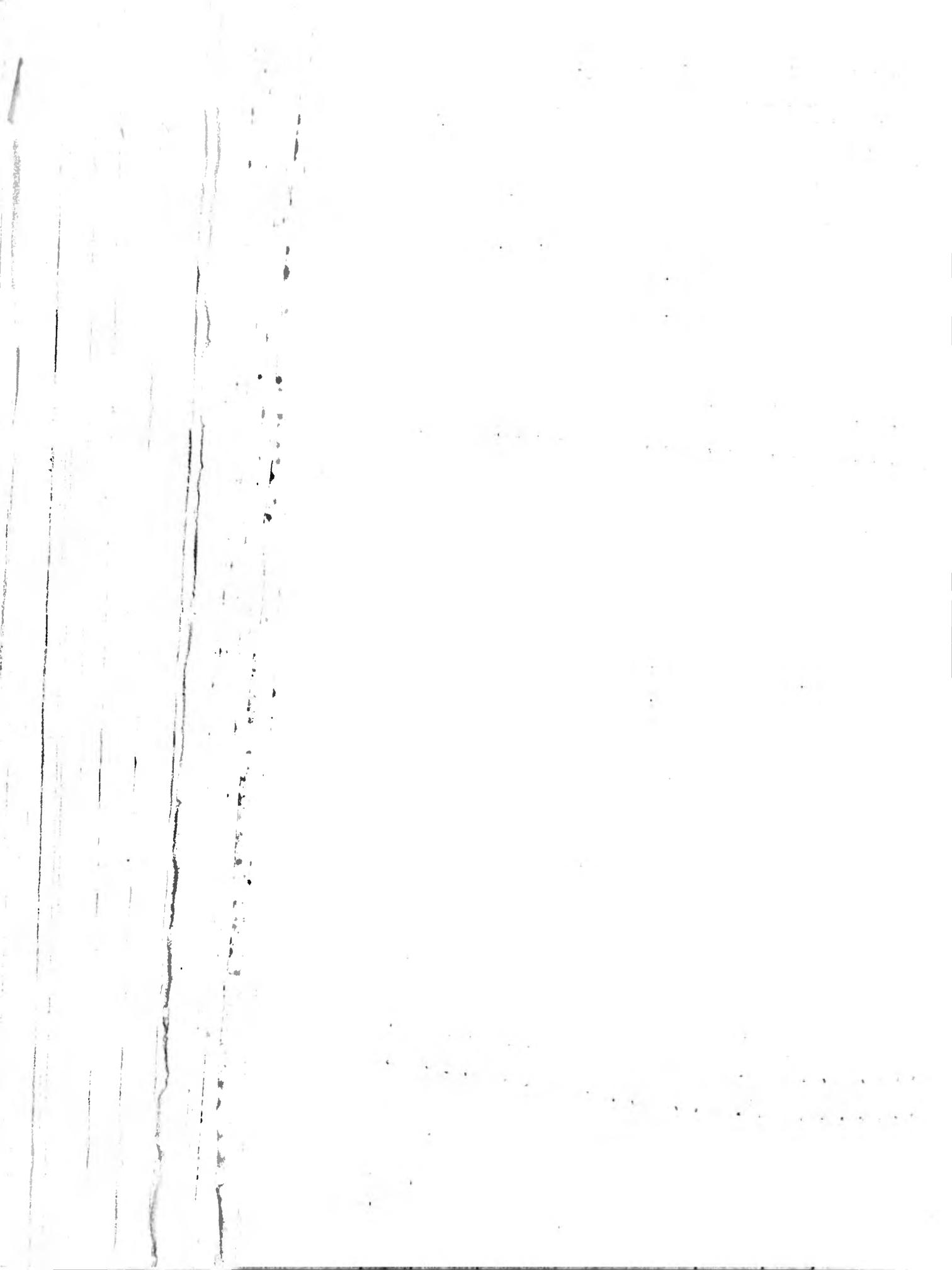
Estimate for Establishment Charges for the year ending
31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1927.	- Year ending 31st March, 1928			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31 March.	To
Rent of Offices.	187	186.15.10.	187	152.11. 7.	54. 4. 5.	186
Fuel, light & cleaning including Caretaker.	800	826. 3. 1.	800	466. 3.11.	338. 0.10.	804
Rates and Taxes.	130	123. 1. 6.	125	112.10. 0.	18. 9.10.	130
Telephone Rentals.	180	150.16. 2.	160	135.10. 5.	29.16. 7.	165
Repairs and Maintenance of Offices.	202	77.14.10.	75	102. 2. 2.	25. 0. 0.	127
Additions to No. 9, The Hawthorns.	25	-	245	231.17.10.	-	231
Furniture and Equipment.	100	31. 8. 8.	140	95.17. 5.	30. 0. 0.	125
Interdepartmental Telephones - Surveyor's Dept.	-	72. 1. 4.	-	-	-	-
Telephone Operator.	156	72. 0. 0.	156	120. 0. 0.	39. 0. 0.	159
Messenger - wages and uniform.	190	185.12. 3.	200	140.14.11.	43.17. 6.	184
Chairman - wages.	173	169. 1. 0.	182	131.11. 8.	43.17. 6.	178
Petty Cash, postages, etc.	725	600.17. 1.	570	440. 7. 1.	230. 0. 0.	670
Audit Stamp - proportion.	170	169. 5. 6.	170	170. 0. 0.	-	170
Printing, stationery, books and advertising.	1,350	x1,673.10. 3.	1,300	959.17. 6.	340.10. 8.	1,300
Summers Fees.	70	67.18. 0.	70	55.10. 6.	35. 0. 0.	70
Drawing Office - sundries.	140	133.18. 0.	150	70. 0. 3.	61. 6.11.	131
Insurance - General.	70	52. 3.10.	60	56.10. 6.	-	56
Miscellaneous and Contingencies.	160	126.16. 3.	160	103. 6. 6.	50. 0. 0.	133
"Chair" - Highways Engineering.	42	-	42	-	-	-
National Insurance.	525	490. 0. 5.	500	380.17. 7.	130. 0. 0.	510
Election Expenses.	375	-	375	364.10. 6.	-	364
Maintenance of Cars and Cycles.	440	392. 0. 1.	400	293.15. 2.	109. 0. 6.	402
Superannuation.	2,200	2,058. 1. 6.	2,100	1,617. 2. 9.	540. 0. 0.	2,157
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts - Loan fees, etc.	350	579. 0. 0.	500	250.15. 6.	94. 6. 0.	344
Loan Charges.	214	227. 4. 6.	220	124. 6. 6.	94. 9. 3.	218
	<u>£ 8,976</u>	<u>£ 8,574.19. 1.</u>	<u>8,893</u>	<u>6,536. 0. 7.</u>	<u>2,307. 0. 0.</u>	<u>8,843</u>

x Includes "Incorporation £167. 2. 5.

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

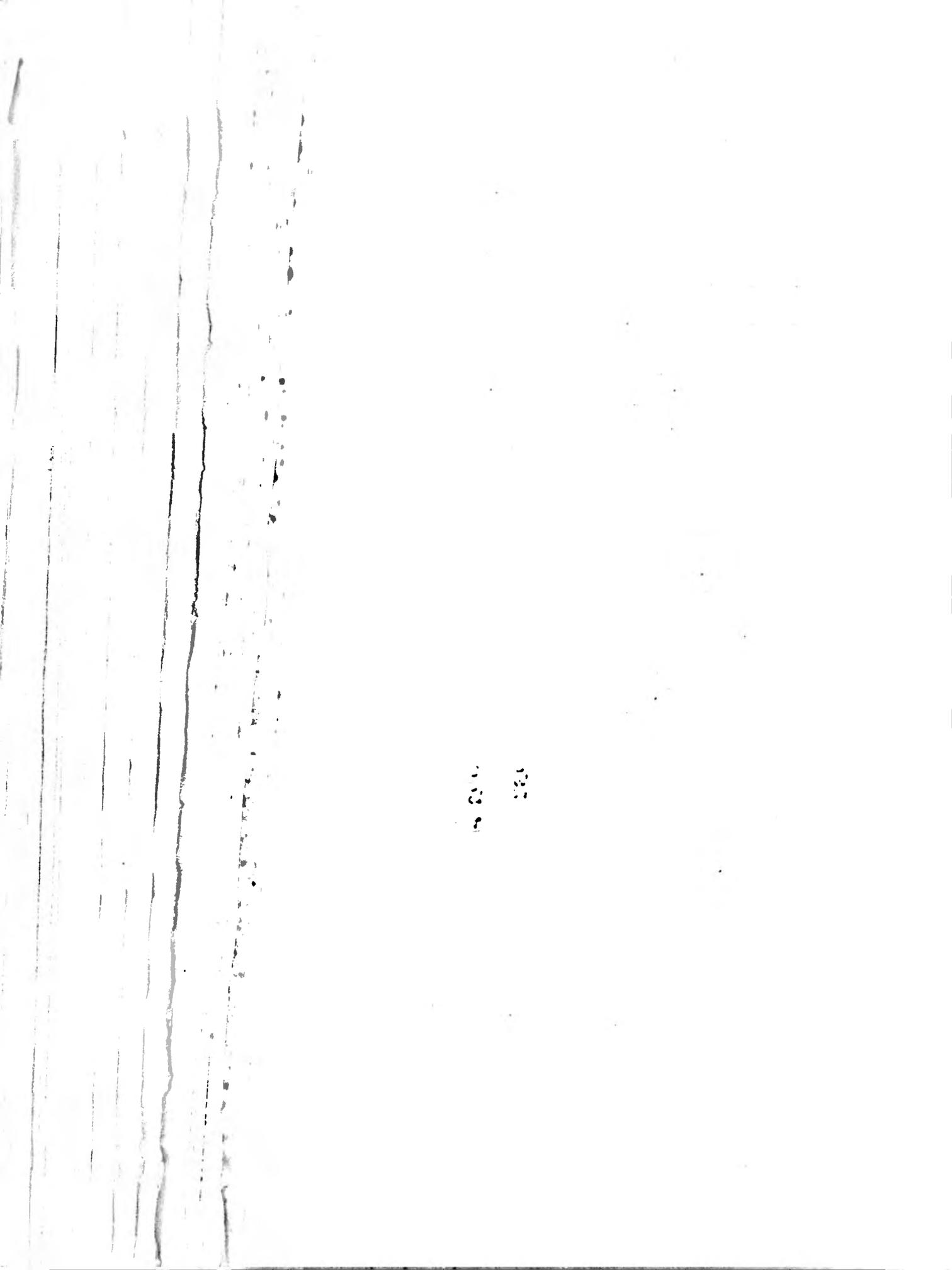
GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

Staff and Parliamentary Estimate for the year ending 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1927.	- Year ending 31st March, 1928 -			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	Total.
Salaries -						
Clerk's Department.	3,280	2,928.11.11.	3,318	2,460. 1. 2.	804. 7. 3.	3,264. 8. 5.
Valuation "	876	-	-	503.13. 0.	211. 5. 0.	714.18. 0.
Finance "	4,863	4,594. 1. 6.	5,182	3,635. 3. 7.	1,180.12. 9.	4,823.16. 4.
Surveyor's "	5,922	5,545. 8.11.	5,741	4,330.19. 4.	1,613. 4. 1.	5,944. 3. 5.
Public Health " (excluding Child Welfare)	<u>2,237</u>	2,269.10. 4.	2,325	1,730.18. 7.	526.12. 3.	2,257.11. 3.
	17,250	15,337.12. 8.	16,566	12,660.15. 8.	4,344. 1. 9.	17,004.17. 5.
Parliamentary and Legal Expenses.	<u>250</u>	112.16.10.	750	180.11. 8.	19. 8. 4.	200. 0. 0.
	<u>17,500</u>	15,456. 9. 6.	17,316	12,841. 7. 4.	4,363.10. 1.	17,204.17. 5.

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UREAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE.

Estimate for the year ending 31st March, 1929.

Items.	Estimate 1928/29.	Expenditure 1927.	Year ending 31st March, 1928			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	Total.
<u>Brook Farm.</u>						
Loan charges.	89	84.14. 1.	87	-	87. 0. 0.	87. 0. 0.
Rates and Taxes.	22	21. 2. 4.	22	7.14. 0.	14. 0. 0.	21.14. 0.
<u>Golden Road & Whetstone Stray.</u>						
Rents.	161	161. 0. 0.	161	10. 0. 0.	160.10. 0.	161. 0. 0.
Rates and Taxes.	30	29.11. 8.	30	13. 8. 0.	16.12. 0.	30. 0. 0.
<u>East Finchley.</u>						
Rents.		35.17. 4.	35	17. 5. 0.	17. 5. 0.	34.10. 0.
Loan charges.	196	-	-	-	-	-
Tax.	7	12. 0.	1	-	12. 0.	12. 0.
<u>Creighton Avenue, Cherry Tree Hill and Bow Lane.</u>						
Rents.	50	55.11. 8.	49	37. 4. 8.	12. 8. 2.	49.12. 8.
Rates.	2	1.13. 0.	2	1.15. 8.	-	1.15. 8.
<u>Langdale Meadows.</u>						
Rent.	-	22. 0. 0.	22	16.13. 0	5.10. 0.	22. 0. 0.
Loan charges.	37	-	-	-	-	-
Rates and Taxes.	7	2.15.10.	3	3. 0. 4.	-	3. 0. 4.
Fencing, crats, etc.	125	-	-	-	-	-
<u>East End Road.</u>						
Rent.	105	98.11. 0.	105	78.15. 0.	26. 5. 0.	105. 0. 0.
<u>Woodhouse.</u>						
Loan charges.	72	76. 5. 3.	75	58. 0. 8.	36. 3. 4.	74. 4. 0.
Rates.	-	7.17. 6.	8	8. 7. 8.	-	8. 7. 8.



Items.	Estimate 1926/29.	Expenditure 1927.	Year ending 31st March, 1928			
			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated to 31st March.	Total
<u>Gordon Road.</u>						
Rent.	20	20. 0. 0.	20	15. 0. 0.	5. 0. 0.	20. 0.
<u>Arden Estate.</u>						
Rent.	27	45. 2. 11.	27	19. 19. 0.	6. 13. 0.	26. 12.
Rates.	4	4. 9. 0.	4	3. 11. 4.	-	3. 11.
<u>North Finchley (Glebe Land).</u>						
Loan charges.	89	89. 4. 4.	89	35. 17. 5.	53. 6. 11.	89. 4.
Taxes.	15	14. 12. 0.	15	-	14. 13. 0.	14. 13.
<u>Vale Farm.</u>						
Loan charges.	13	13. 6. 4.	13	6. 11. 11.	6. 11. 1.	13. 3.
Rates and Taxes.	2	2. 5. 8.	2	13. 8.	1. 1. 0.	1. 14.
<u>Contingencies, repairs, etc.</u>	50	2. 7. 7.	50	6. 6. 2.	15. 0. 0.	23. 6.
<u>Establishment.</u>	50	50. 0. 0.	50	-	50. 0. 0.	50. 0.
	1,173	839. 5. 6.	870	312. 10. 4.	528. 15. 6.	841. 5. 1

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URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

ALLOTMENTS COMMITTEE.

<u>1927/28.</u>	<u>Estimated Income.</u>	<u>1928/29.</u>
90. 0. 0.	Brook Farm.	84. 0. 0.
16. 0. 0.	Holden Road.	15. 0. 0.
93. 0. 0.	Whetstone Stray.	<u>91. 0. 0.</u> 106. 0. 0.
47. 0. 0.	East Finchley Allotment Holders' Assn.	115. 0. 0.
20. 0. 0.	Creighton Allottees' Assn.	23. 5. 8.
23. 0. 0.	Cherry Tree Hill Allot. Socy.	23.12. 4.
15. 0. 0.	Bow Lane.	<u>18. 0. 0.</u> 64.18. 0.
22. 0. 0.	Lonsdale Meadows.	24. 0. 0.
115.11. 8.	Finchley Manor Allotment Society, Ltd.) Messrs. Cutbush & Son.)	115.11. 8.
78. 0. 0.	Woodhouse Allotments, Ltd.	38. 7. 0.
21. 0. 0.	Gordon Road Allotment Society.	21. 0. 0.
9. 0. 0.	Manor Cottage Tavern.	9. 0. 0.
21. 0. 0.	Old Nursery Site.	<u>22. 0. 0.</u> 31. 0. 0.
85. 0. 0.	North Finchley Allotment Association.	53.16.10. ^x
13. 0. 0.	Vale Farm.	13. 0. 0.
1. 0. 0.	Lankaster Gardens.	<u>1. 0. 0.</u>
	Vendors, Lonsdale Meadows - propn.Fencing.	<u>35. 0. 0.</u>
<u>£ 674.11. 8.</u>		<u>£ 702.13. 6.</u>

^x For transitional period only.

C. F. CARPENTER,
Accountant.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

(AMENDED.)

AVENUE HOUSE.

ESTIMATE - YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929.

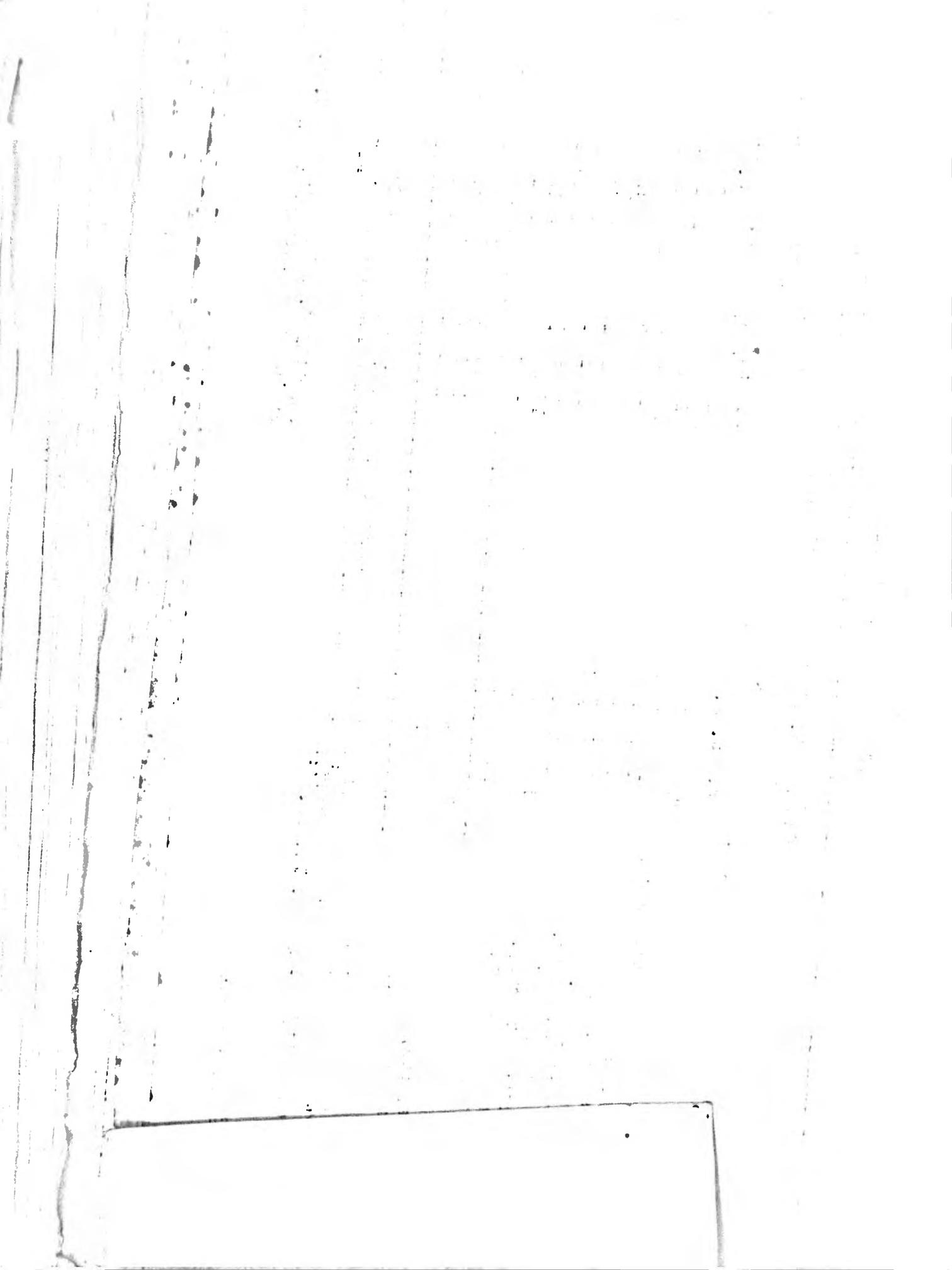
	YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1929			YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 1928.			TOTAL.									
	Estimate.			Estimate.	Expenditure to date.	Estimated Expenditure to 31st March.										
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.							
1. Wages.	700	0	0	147	2	10	83	7	4	230	10	2				
2. Water, fuel and electricity.	20	0	0	1	0	0	-	-	-	1	0	0				
3. Tools and repair.	81	0	0	13	10	1	-	-	-	13	10	1				
4. Repairs to property.	300	0	0	-	-	-	150	0	0	150	0	0				
5. Repairs to paths.	-	-	-	106	8	3	40	16	9	147	5	0				
6. Construction of path.	238	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
7. Front gates.	50	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
8. Protection at ponds.	100	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
9. Fencing and repair.	25	0	0	16	10	7	68	15	0	85	5	7				
10. Uniform.	10	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
	1524	0	0	284	11	9	342	19	1	627	10	10				
11. Costs, etc.	460	0	0	4021	5	2	543	16	10	4565	2	0				
12. Insurance.	16	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	4305	16	11	886	15	11	5192	12	10	x

x Income 1927/28 - £3042. 12. 10. ²⁰2050

PERCIVAL T. HARRISON.
Engineer and Surveyor.

C. F. CARPENTER.
Accountant.

21ST FEBRUARY, 1928.

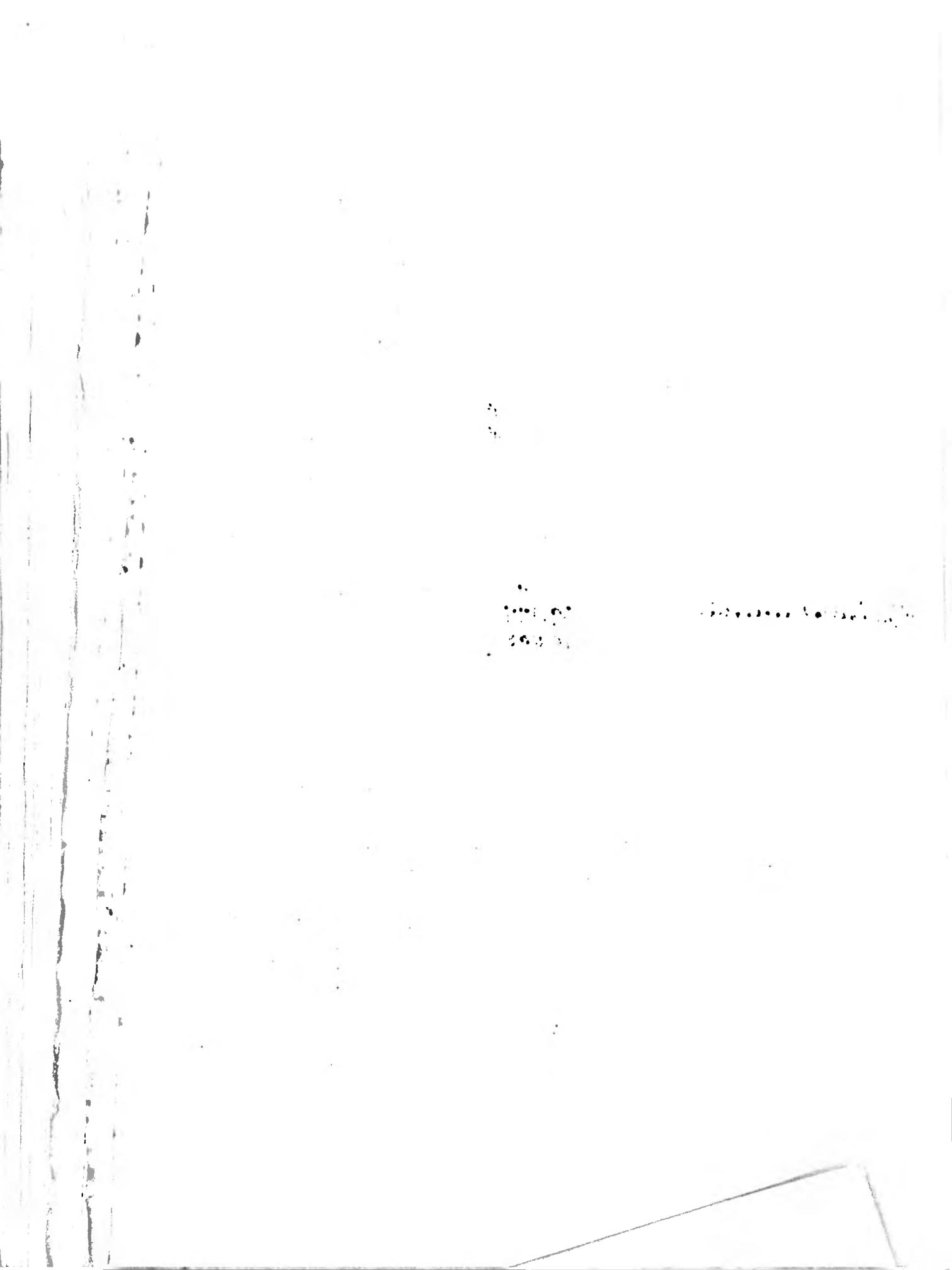


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G E N E R A L D I S T R I C T R A T E E S T I M A T E .

I N C O M E S T A T E M E N T .

Items.	Estimate 1927/8.	Actual receipts and estimated further Income to 31.Mar.1928.	Estimate 1928/9.
<u>IRE AND WATER.</u>	£ 20	43. 0. 0.	20
<u>AMBULANCE.</u>	250	265. 0. 0.	250
<u>IGHWAYS.</u>			
Main Road	39,338 *	14,916.19. 8.	19,563
Classified & Contributory Roads.	6,961 *	1,033. 6. 9.	1,359
Roads over Bridges - L.N.E.R.	100	134.10. 0.	123
Surface Water Drainage.	26	27.10. 7.	28
Miscellaneous.	50	11. 5. 4.	10
Private Street Works - Interest.	200	132.14. 7.	300
Unemployment Grants - Loan Schemes.	1,075	1,057. 5. 4.	x408
	£ 47,770	17,318.12. 3.	21,791
	<i>29,177</i>		
	<i>18,593</i>		
* <i>Less Capital provision</i>			
x Excluding Dept.			
<u>ANITARY AND SEWERAGE.</u>			
Rent of Land - Windsor Road.	6	3. 0. 0.	6
" " " - Woodgrange Avenue.	1	1. 0. 0.	1
Sewerage - Other Authorities.	167	188. 0. 7.	188
Public Conveniences.	300	343.12. 6.	340
Unemployment Grants - Loan Schemes.	1,901	1,869.12. 5.	1,870
	£ 2,375	2,405. 5. 6.	2,405

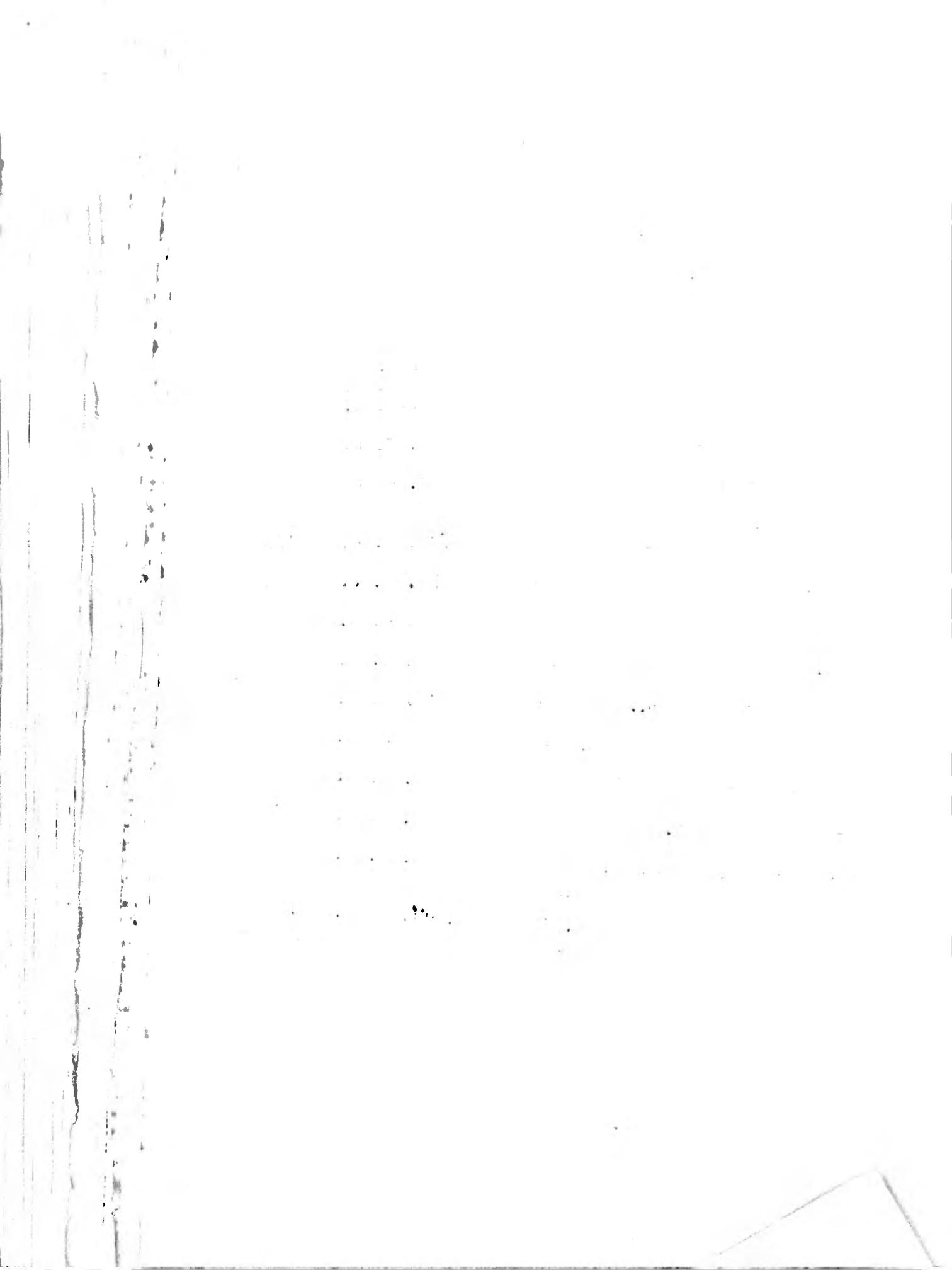


Items.	Estimate 1927/8.	Actual receipts and estimated further income to 31.Mar.1928.	Estimate 1928/9.
<u>SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.</u>			
Farm Produce.	100	13.15. 0.	-
Rent - Burial Board - Barton.	-	25. 0. 0.	-
" - Land - Summers Lane.	7	7. 6. 0.	7
" - " - Mission Room.	5	5. 0. 0.	5
" - " - Cant.	-	15. 0. 0.	20
Unemployment Grants - Loan Schemes.	1,212	1,169.12.10.	1,190
	<u>1,324</u>	<u>1,255.13.10.</u>	<u>1,222</u>
<u>REFUSE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL.</u>			
Removal of Trade Refuse.	100	110. 0. 0.	110
Sale of Clinker, etc.	-	35.12. 0.	50
	<u>100</u>	<u>145.12. 0.</u>	<u>160</u>
<u>MORTUARY.</u>			
Fees.	-	14.14. 0.	-
<u>PREVENTION OF DISEASE.</u>			
Use of Disinfecting Station - Education.	50	50. 0. 0.	50
Disinfecting and sale of Antitoxin.	80	88. 0. 8.	80
	<u>130</u>	<u>138. 0. 8.</u>	<u>130</u>
<u>PUBLIC BATHS.</u>			
General receipts.	1,050	1,006. 4.11.	1,000
Rent - Superintendant's house.	42	42. 0. 0.	42
	<u>1,092</u>	<u>1,048. 4.11.</u>	<u>1,042</u>
<u>MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE.</u>			
Ministry of Health Grant.	852	850. 0. 0.	842
Creche fees.	175	252. 3. 6.	225
Dental treatment.	15	11.15. 0.	15
Board and Lodging - Nurses.	140	139.13. 5.	140
Boy Scouts' Hut - Rent and Light.	-	4. 0. 0.	4
	<u>1,182</u>	<u>1,257.11.11.</u>	<u>1,226</u>

Items.	Estimate 1927/8.	Actual receipts and estimated further income to 31 Mar. 1928.	Estimate 1928/9.
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RECREATION GROUNDS AND OPEN SPACES.

Victoria Recreation Ground -			
Tennis		249.11. 0.	250
Putting	375	12. 4. 8.	50
Bowls		109.17. 9.	110
Cherry Tree Wood - Tennis.	200	194. 7. 0.	190
Rent - Arden Playing Fields.	83	110. 0. 0.	110
Allotment Land - Holden Road & Whetstone Stray.	160	160. 0. 0.	160
Rents - Brook Farm.	5	10.15. 6.	10
" - Squires Lane.	11	11. 0. 0.	11
" - Vale Farm.	30	30. 0. 0.	30
" - Glebe Land - Gun Station.	50	47.10. 0.	45
" - " " - Education Cttee. -	-	20. 0. 0.	40
" - " " - Electricity "	-	10. 0. 0.	10
" - Beadle - coffee stall.	-	13. 0. 0.	13
Unemployment Grants - Loan Schemes.	131	129.11. 6.	130
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	1,045	1,107.17. 5.	1,159
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Items.	Estimate 1927/8	Actual receipts and further estimated income to 31.Mar.1928.	Estimate 1928/9
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ESTABLISHMENT AND STAFF AND PARLIAMENTARY.

Four Rate - Salaries & Establishment expenses.	2,100	1,803. 2. 0.	1,810
" (Valuation) " "		£28.12. 0.	996
Electricity Dept. " "	900	900. 0. 0.	1,000
Education " "	500	530. 0. 0.	530
Workmen's Dwellings - No. 1 establishment charges,	70	70. 0. 0	70
Workmen's Dwellings - No. 2. establishment charges.	100	100. 0. 0.	100
Housing (Assisted Schemes).	394	394. 0. 0.	394
Allotments.	50	50. 0. 0.	50
Summons Fees.	75	75. 0. 0.	75
Education Committee - proportion Rent - Public Health Dept.	35	35. 0. 0.	35
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.	150	164. 2. 6.	150
Licences, certificates, fees, etc.	200	574. 5. 8.	500
Proportion Salaries - Middlesex County Council - Sanitary Officers.	450	450. 0. 0.	450
	5,024	5,994. 2. 2.	6,160

ALLOTMENTS.

Lettings.	675	616. 8. 4.	703
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COMPARISON C

1927/1928.

Page.	Service.	Estimate 1927/ Actual.	I Actual.	N Actual.	C Actual.	O Actual.	M Actual.	E Actual.	Excess.	Deficiency.
	1. Fire & Water.	3,32								
	1. Ambulance.	15	45.	0.	0.				23.	0. 0.
13/27.	Highways.	54,50	265.	0.	0.				15.	0. 0.
	Supplementary.	92	313.	12.	3.					1,274. 7. 9.
28/30.	Sanitary & Sewerage.	7,67								
	Supplementary.	60	405.	5.	6.				30.	5. 6.
31/34.	Sewage Disposal.)									
33/34.	Refuse Collection &) Disposal.)	18,63	255.	13.	10.					63. 6. 2.
35	35. Mortuary.		41	45.	12.	0.			45.	12. 0.
	36. Hospitals.	7,48	14.	14.	0.				14.	14. 0.
	37. Prevention of Disease.	98								
38/40.	Public Baths.	2,04	150.	0.	3.				8.	0. 3.
	Supplementary.	30	48.	4.	11.					43.15. 1.
	41. Maternity & Child Welfare.	1,97								
42/46.	Recreation Grounds.	5,33	37.	11.	11.				55.	11.11.
	Supplementary.	1,25	107.	17.	5.				62.	17. 5.
	47. Establishment.	3,88								
	43. Staff & Parliamentary.	17,31	94.	2.	2.				970.	2. 2.
49/50.	Allotments.	37								
		152,35	316.	3.	4.					53.11. 3.
	Housing (A.S) ld Rate Rate.	1,76	90.	3.	0.	1,225.	3.	3.	1,445.	0. 3.
	Provision re Avenue House.	2,00	00.	0.	0.	500.	0.	0.		100. 0. 0.
		136,09	42.	12.	10.	3,042.	12.	10.		
			50.	0.	0.	650.	0.	0.		
			60.	0.	0.	3,160.	0.	0.		
			42.	15.	10.	3,677.	16.	6.	1,545.	0. 3.
			<u>NET EXCESS INCOME (C) 7,132.15.10.</u>							
			<u>3,677.16. 6. 3,677.16. 6.</u>							

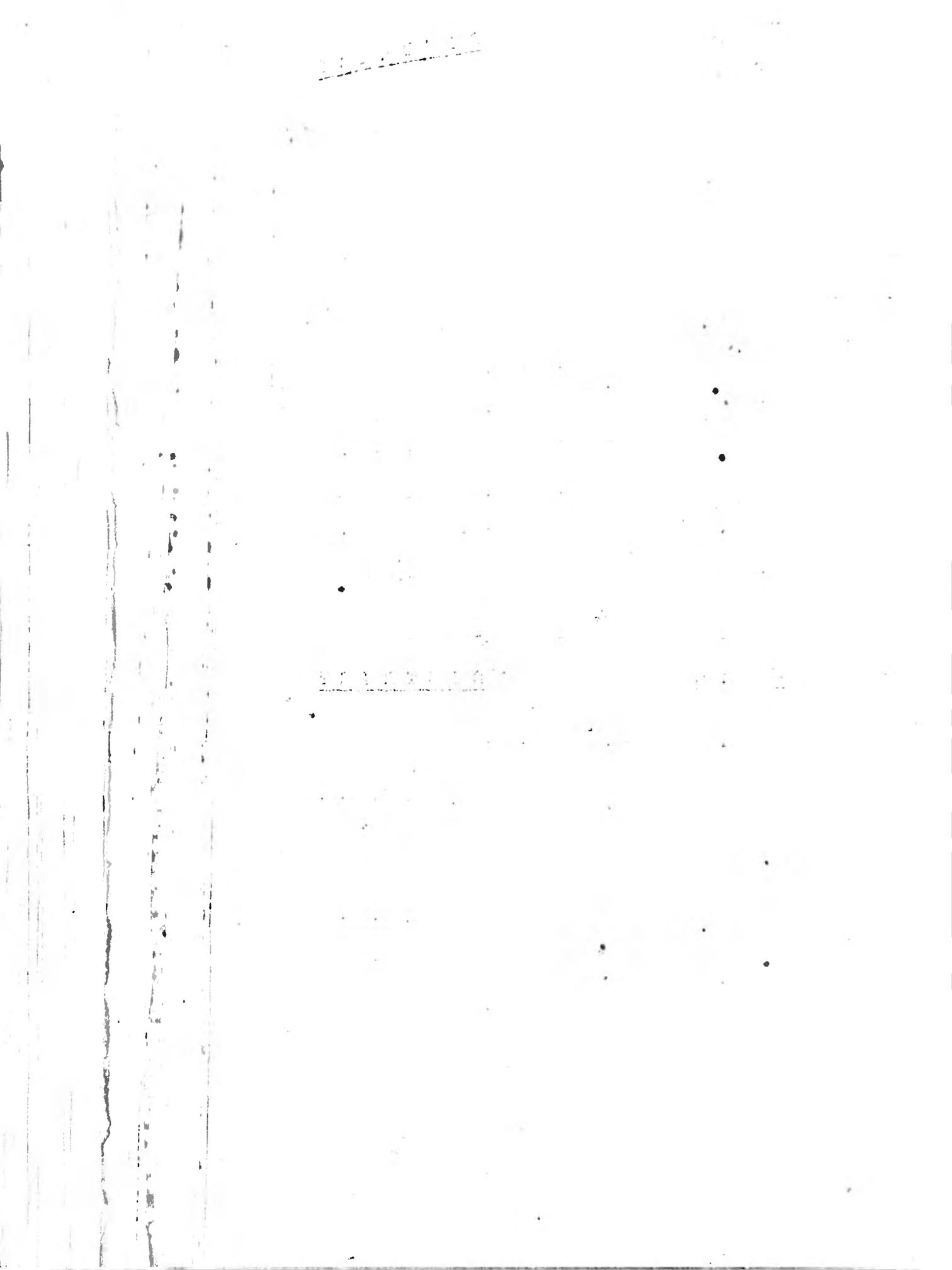
SURPLUS -
 Estimated 31 Mar. 23.4,250
 Less Supplementary
 Estimates. 2,312 (D) 1,43

Approximate Actual

16. 4. 3. 2,930. 4. 3. (A)
 Excess balance on
 April, 1st 1927.

£ 137,59. 0. 1.

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D I S T R I C T

ESTIMATE FOR A GENERAL DISTRICT RATE

Page.	Service.	EXPENDITURE		
		1927/28		1928/29
		Estimate.	Approximate Actual.	Estimate.
	1. Fire and Water.	3,324	3,123.11. 6.	3,430
	1. Ambulance.	150	157.12. 0.	237
18/27.	Highways.	54,800)		
	Supplementary.	924)	52,730. 7. 7.	60,746
28/30.	Sanitary and Sewerage.	7,674)		
	Supplementary.	662)	7,912. 9.11.	8,000
31/34.	Sewage Disposal)			11,482
33/34.	Refuse Collection and)	18,633	13,477.12. 6.	8,832
	Disposal.)			52
	35. Mortuary.	40	49. 0. 4.	8,001
	36. Hospitals.	7,489	8,074.10. 0.	985
	37. Prevention of Disease.	985	886. 9.11.	1,731
38/40.	Public Baths.	2,040)		
	Supplementary.	30)	1,996. 7. 6.	2,028
41.	Maternity and Child Welfare.	1,970	1,925. 0. 3.	6,053
42/46.	Recreation Grounds.	5,338)		
	Supplementary.	1,256)	6,335. 0. 6.	8,976
	47. Establishment.	3,893	3,843. 0. 7.	17,500
	48. Staff and Parliamentary.	17,316	17,204.17. 5.	1,173.
49/50.	Allotments.	870	341. 5.10.	
		132,334	126,607. 6. 0.	139,186
	Housing (A.S.) 1d Rate.	1,764	1,827. 0. 0.	2,050
	Provision re Avenue House.	2,000	5,192.12.10.	
		136,093	135,626.16.10.	
<u>SURPLUS -</u>				
	Estimated 31st March, 1928.	4,250		
	<u>Less</u> Supplementary Estimated.	<u>2,812</u>	1,438	12,022. 1. 3.
			137,536	147,649. 0. 1.

CAPITAL

14/17. Highways	- Estimated Expenditure.	96,590
		96,590

URBAN DISTRICT OF FINCHLEY.

DISTRICT FUND.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

Year ending 31st March, 1928.

<u>EXPENDITURE.</u>		<u>INCOME.</u>	
	£		£
To Approximate Expenditure as per Epitome 1927/28.	135,627	By Balance 31st March, 1927, brought forward.	19,506
Balance - 31st March, 1928	12,022	Approximate Income as per Epitome 1927/28.	36,783
		General District Rate Collectible.	91,360
	<u>147,649</u>		<u>147,649</u>

Year ending 31st March, 1929.

<u>EXPENDITURE.</u>		<u>INCOME.</u>	
To Estimated Expenditure as per Epitome 1928/29.	143,111	By Estimated Income as per Epitome 1928/29.	38,668
		Transfers from :-	
		W'kmens Dwgs. No. 1 a/c.	750
		Ditto No. 2 "	2,000
		Appropriation from Balance 31st March, 1928.	9,193
		General District Rate at 4/2 in the £.	93,500
	<u>143,111</u>		<u>143,111</u>

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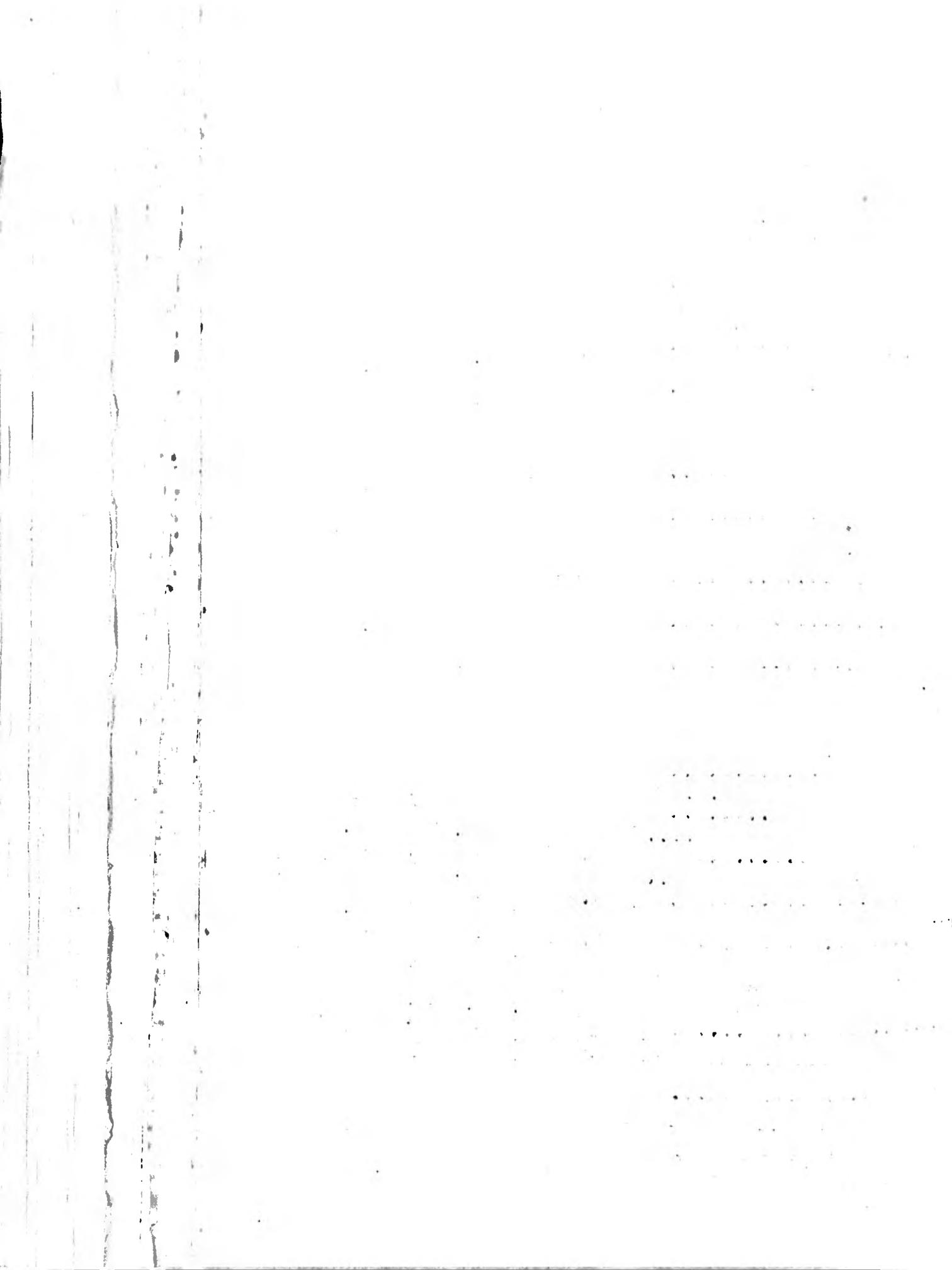
FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Item of expenditure (1)	1927 - 1928		1928 - 1929
	Estimated March '27 (2)	Revised Jan. '28 (3)	Estimated expenditure (4)
	£	£	£
Salaries of teachers (incl. 5% superannuation contribution by Authority - new item of expenditure)	35,700	35,700	37,900
Books, stationery, apparatus, and furniture	1,750	1,650	1,625
Rent, rates, and taxes.....	950	1,050	1,050
Upkeep of buildings, and insurance	1,675	1,275	1,635
Fuel, light, and cleaning	3,500	3,000	3,150
Swimming - use of bath, &c.....	390	400	400
Other expenses of maintenance of schools	200	85	200
Special schools	1,525	1,488	1,516
Industrial schools	75	39	50
To other Local Education Authorities:-			
Border children	500	530	560
Institutional children	175	175	175
School Medical Service	2,430	2,365	2,440
Administration	2,455	2,455	2,445
Loans	4,215	4,101	4,171
Superannuation contributions (caretakers and administrative staff)	255	255	255
	£55,795	£54,568	£57,572
From Rates		£27,700 (actual)	£29,500 £ (estimated)

HIGHER EDUCATION: It will be necessary this year to call upon the Rates for £500 in respect of Higher Education Expenditure - see separate statement.

A supplementary estimate (£512) is submitted herewith relating to the proposed Roman Catholic School which it is understood may be ready to open at Christmas, 1928.

£ Excluding supplementary estimate.



FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE - ESTIMATE - ELEMENTARY EDUCATION.

1927 -- 1928

E x p e n d i t u r e		R e c e i p t s	
	£		£
Expenditure	54,568	Balance in hand 1/4/27	1,955
Balance in hand 31/3/28	2,165	Receipts	1,100
		Grants	26,000
		From Rates	27,700
	£56,733		£56,733

1928 -- 1929

E x p e n d i t u r e		R e c e i p t s	
	£		£
Expenditure	57,572	Balance in hand 1/4/28	2,165
Balance in hand 31/3/29	2,193	Receipts	1,100
		Grants	27,000
		From Rates	29,500 ^x
	£59,765		£59,765

^x Excluding supplementary estimate.

February, 1928.

FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

- Elementary Education -

Supplementary Estimate, 1928/29.

Proposed Roman Catholic School.

The following is an estimate of the expenditure required in the event of the school opening immediately after Christmas, 1928:-

Furniture.....	£	404
Books, stationery, and apparatus, including initial stock.....		150
Maintenance: Salaries of Teachers, Caretaker, Cleaning, Materials, Fuel, Light and Water, 3 months @ £125 per month...		375

		929
Grant receivable during financial year, being nine-tenths of one- half of total expenditure.....		417

Net estimated expenditure.....	£	512
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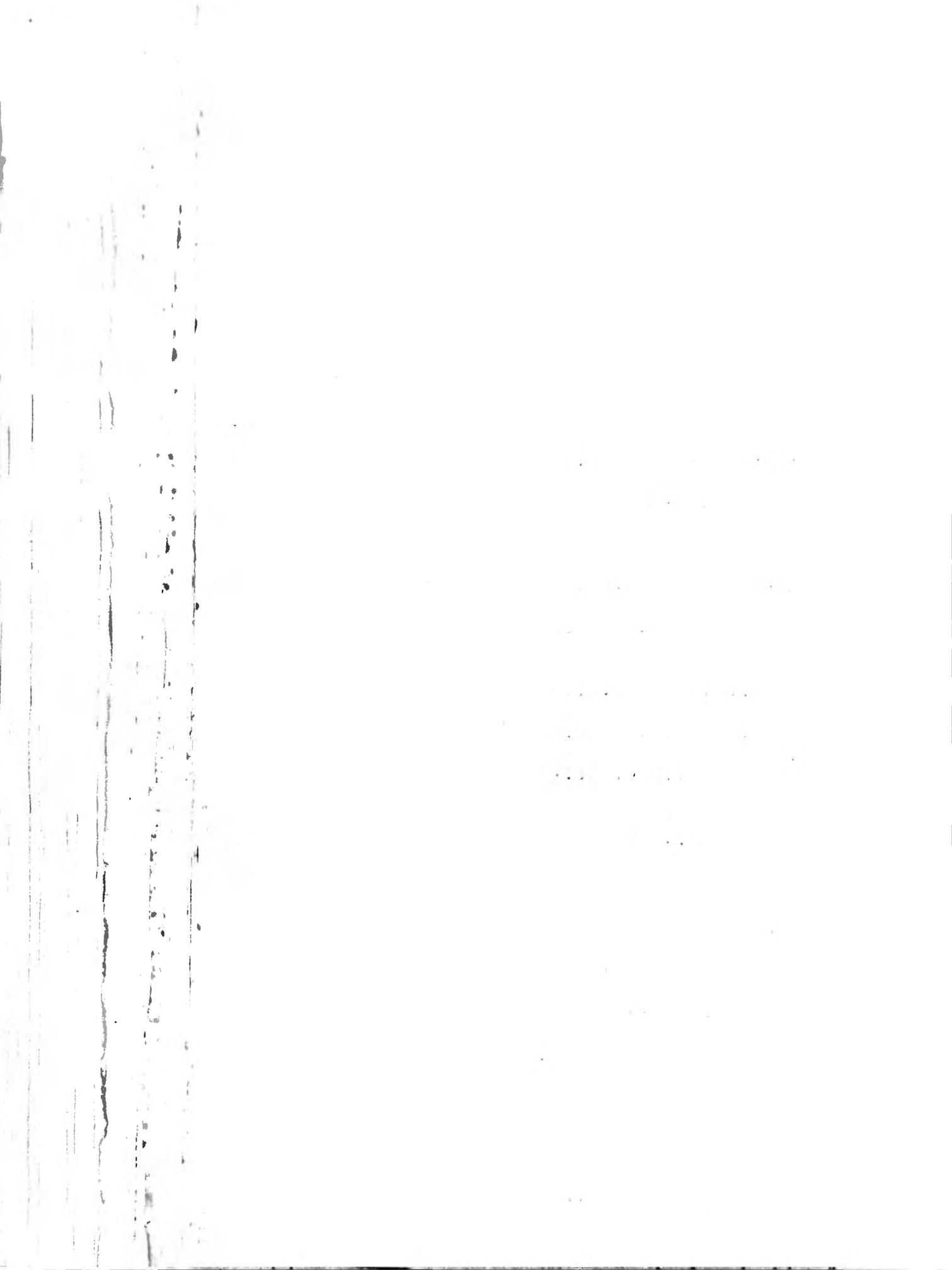
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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL - EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

EXPENDITURE

- Cost per head -

	Estimate 1928/29.	Cost per head (estimated average attendance 3,800).		
		£	s	d
Salaries of teachers (incl. 5% superannuation contribution by Authority - new item of expenditure)	57,900	9	19	6
Books, stationery, apparatus, & furniture.....	1,625		8	6
Rent, rates, & taxes.....	1,350		5	6
Upkeep of buildings, & insurance.....	1,685		8	7
Fuel, light, & cleaning.....	3,150		16	7
Swimming - use of bath, &c.....	400		2	2
Other expenses of maintenance of schools.....	200		1	1
Special schools.....	1,516		8	-
Industrial schools.....	50			3
To other Local Education Authorities.- Border children.....	560		3	-
Institutional children.....	175			11
School Medical Service.....	2,440		12	10
Administration.....	2,445		12	10
Loans.....	4,171		1	1 11
Superannuation contributions (caretakers & administrative staff).	255		1	4
	£57,572	£15	3	-
Estimated net cost from Rates per head on average attendance.....		£ 7	15	4

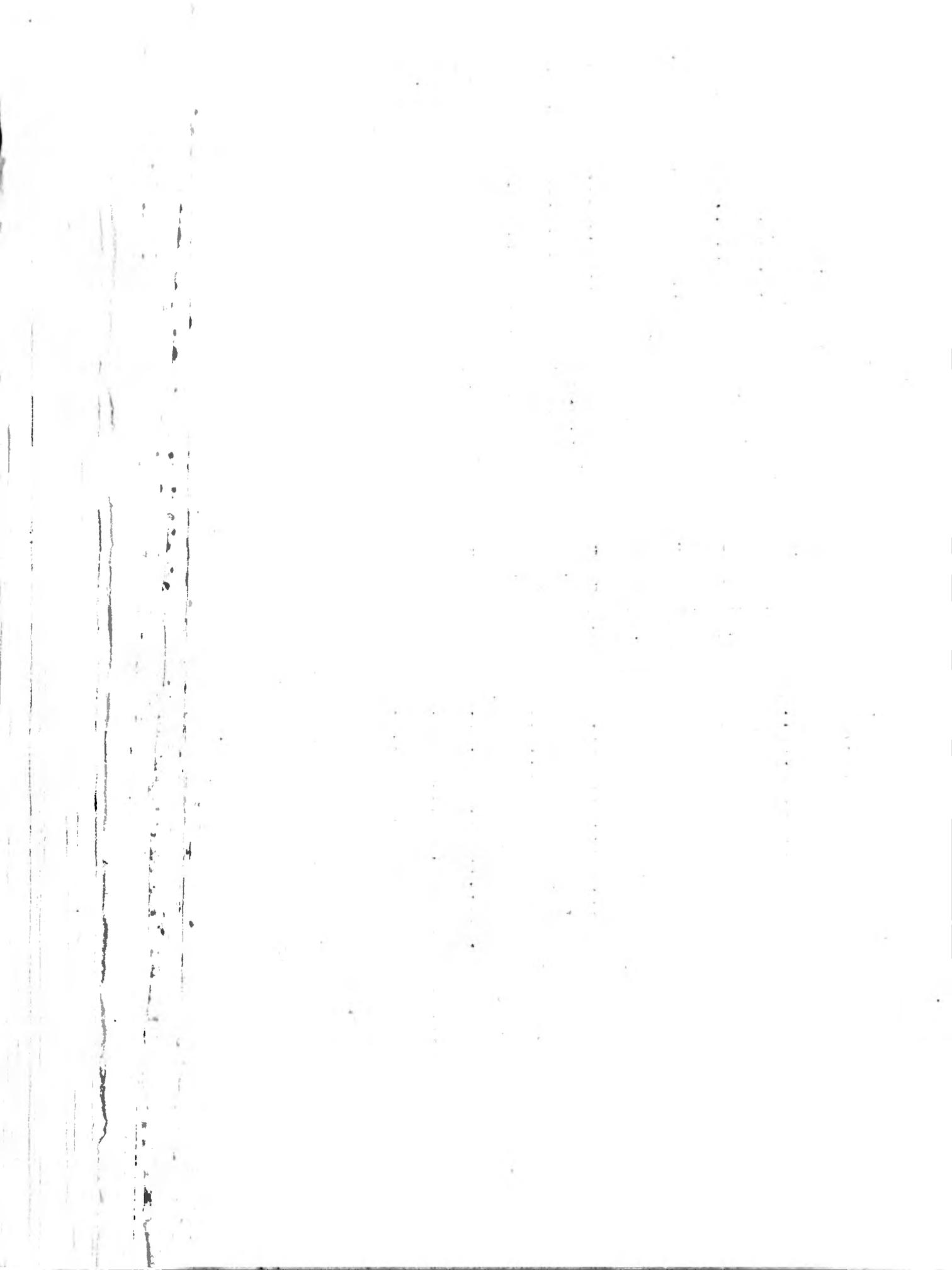


FINCHLEY HIGHER EDUCATION - ESTIMATES.

Statement for year ending 31st March, 1928.

Receipts				Expenditure			
	£	s	d		£	s	d
From Middlesex County Council:				Balance (deficit) 1/4/27.....	145	-	-
(a) Refund of Loan Charges -				Loan Charges:			
County School... £ 894.19. 9				County School... £ 894.13. 6			
Christ's College £ 366. 4.11				Christ's College £ 362.11. 6			
Woodhouse..... £1,092. -. -	2,353	4	8	Woodhouse..... £1,091. 3. 2	2,348	8	
(b) Administrative expenses connected with Higher Education.....	150	16	6	Administration - Higher Education:			
(c) Expenses in connexion with medical inspection of secondary schools..	63	-	-	To Secretary..... £75. -. -			
(d) Salary of special subjects teacher.	178	4	-	Propn. of salary of clerical staff..... £40. -. -			
Grant from Board of Education (Choice of Employment - Juvenile Employment Bureau).....	75	-	-	Propn. of establishment expenses..... £55.16. 6	150	16	
From Ministry of Labour -				Medical			
In respect of administration.....	55	4	3	Cost of/Inspection of secondary schools:			
Refund of Unemployment Insurance Benefits paid.....	30	-	-	To School Medical			
From Rates.....			Nil	Officer..... £37.16. -			
Balance (deficit) 31/3/28.....	227	19	10	Propn. of salary of clerical staff..... £12.12. -			
				Propn. of establishment expenses..... £12.12. -	63	-	
				Salary of special subjects teacher....	178	4	
				Choice of Employment & Unemployment Insurance (Juveniles).....	220	-	
				Unemployment Insurance Benefits.....	30	-	
	£3,133	9	3		£3,133	9	3

February, 1928.



FINCHLEY HIGHER EDUCATION.

Estimate for year ending 31st March 1929.

r e c e i p t s				E x p e n d i t u r e			
	£	s	d		£	s	d
From Middlesex County Council:				Balance (deficit) 1/4/28.....	227	19	10
(a) Refund of Loan Charges -				Loan Charges:			
County School... £ 875. 1.10				County School... £ 874.15. 8			
Christ's College £ 115. 7. 6				Christ's College £ 114.17. 8			
Woodhouse..... £1,076.18.11	2,067	8	3	Woodhouse..... £1,076.18.11	2,066	12	3
(b) Administrative expenses connected with Higher Education.....	150	16	6	Administration - Higher Education:			
(c) Expenses in connexion with medical inspection of secondary schools.	63	-	-	To Secretary..... £75. -- -			
(d) Salary of special subjects teacher	60	-	-	Propn. of salary of clerical staff..... £40. -- -			
(9) Grant from Board of Education (Choice of Employment - Juvenile Employment Bureau).....	75	-	-	Propn. of establishment expenses..... £35.16. 6	150	16	6
From Ministry of Labour -				Cost of Medical Inspection of secondary schools:			
In respect of administration.....	55	-	-	To School Medical Officer..... £37.16. -			
Refund of Unemployment Insurance Benefits paid.....	30	-	-	Propn. of salary of clerical staff..... £12.12. -			
From Rates.....	500	-	-	Propn. of establishment expenses..... £12.12. -	63	-	-
				Salary of special subjects teacher...	60	-	-
				Choice of Employment & Unemployment Insurance (Juveniles).....	225	-	-
				Unemployment Insurance Benefits.....	30	-	-
				Balance in hand 31st March, 1929.....	177	16	2
	£3,001	4	9		£3,001	4	9



COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1899 POOR RATE.—

RESOLVED, unanimously, on the motion of Councillor Agar, seconded by Councillor Grocott—

- (a) that a Poor Rate for the relief of the Poor of the Parish of Finchley and for other purposes chargeable on the said rate according to law, of six shillings and eight pence in the pound be made and approved for the Rating Area and Parish of Finchley, for raising the money required for the period commencing 1st April, 1928, and ending on the 31st March, 1929, according to the estimate now submitted and approved by this Council; that such rate be payable by two equal instalments of three shillings and four pence in the pound respectively, the first thereof on the eleventh day of April, 1928, and the second on the first day of October, 1928;
- (b) that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Poor Rate written in the books now produced;
- (c) that the estimate, as under-printed, be recorded on the Minutes of the Council:—

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1900 TENDERS.—

- (a) Motor Fire Engine.—
- (b) Motor Ambulance.—

RESOLVED—

- (1) that the tenders in respect of the above be referred to the Highways and Fire and Water Committee for consideration and report to the Annual Meeting of the Council;
- (2) that a special meeting of that Committee be held on a date to be fixed prior to the Annual Meeting of the Council;
- (3) that the under-mentioned matters be placed on the agenda for consideration at such meeting :—
 - (a) Fire Hydrants—Water Pressures;
 - (b) Application for sanction to loan in respect of certain Re-surfacing Works.

1901 ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—A letter, dated 2nd April, 1928, was submitted from the Electricity Commissioners stating that Colonel T. C. Ekin, M.Inst.C.E., their Chief Engineering Inspector, would hold an Inquiry at the Council Offices on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1928, at 10.30 a.m., in connexion with the Council's application for sanction to the borrowing of the sum of £24,000; further that the Commissioners required the Council to make arrangements at their own expense for the taking of a verbatim shorthand note of the proceedings at the Inquiry and for the Commissioners to be furnished with a transcript thereof free of charge.

A letter, dated 31st March, 1928, was also submitted from the Clerk to the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, forwarding copy of a letter which had been forwarded to the Central Electricity Board regarding the Council's application to the Electricity Commissioners for consent to the installation of additional generating plant and a cooling tower in its generating station and the alternative suggestion that the Council should take a bulk supply.

RESOLVED that the two communications above mentioned be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

175 19 2	Jury List	175 0 0
452 16 6	General Expenses, funds, etc.—	
	Rating	£250
	Valuation	£150
	Costs, Re-	400 0 0
	ESTIMATED SURPLUS	
148407 9 11		£154012 0 0
4300 0 5		760 0 5
152707 10 4		£154772 0 5

The Assessable Value of the District for Poor Rate purposes is estimated at £468,971. A Rate of 1d. in the £ is estimated to produce £154,772 0 5. BALANCE FORTHWARD. Accountant.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1902 TRAVELLING FACILITIES.—A letter, dated 20th March, 1928, was submitted from the Federation of Ratepayers' and Kindred Associations of Middlesex forwarding copy of the following resolution which had been transmitted by the Federation to the Chairman of the London and Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee:—

"We understand that there is a proposal before the L. & H.C.T.A. Committee to reduce the number of omnibuses on the section—Hampstead Road tramway terminus and Enfield. This Federation protests most emphatically against any such reduction **during** the **peak-hours** named (7 to 10 a.m. and 4 to 8 p.m.) Saturdays 12 to 3 p.m.) knowing by the daily experience of thousands of the travelling public that the **increasing** difficulties of getting to and from business at these times demand **additional** rather than diminished facilities. Indeed, the inadequacy of present means proves the absolute necessity for Tubes Extensions, for, now that surface road-traffic has become so menacingly congested, especially at peak-times, the only solution is a resort to underground transit. Until these alternative facilities are provided, our daily experience demonstrates that no diminution of present means—at peak-times—can be made without increased danger to health and limb, added anxiety of mind, and shameful waste of time."

"The necessity for increased facilities has been admitted by your Committee and the Minister of Transport."

1903 AVENUE HOUSE—OPENING OF.—A letter, dated 27th March, 1928, was submitted from Rear-Admiral Basil Brook, C.V.O., R.N., as follows:—

"Sir Arthur Crosfield has forwarded me your letter of March 7th in which you, on behalf of your Council, inquire whether it would be possible for the Duke and Duchess of York to attend an Exhibition Match between the Finchley and Barnet Rugby Football Clubs on April 14th, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the Fund which the Finchley Playing Fields Appeal Committee are raising: also, if His Royal Highness would declare 'Avenue House' and the grounds belonging to it open to the public.

The Duke is very much pleased to hear of a local authority which has taken the initiative of forming a branch in such a thickly populated area and congratulates those concerned on their most praiseworthy efforts.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

Their Royal Highnesses, however, regret very much that they will be unable to go to Finchley for this purpose as it is quite impossible for them to attend all the functions connected with the National Playing Fields Association in different parts of the country, and it would be invidious to make an exception in this case. I am sure you will realise the necessity of very strict discrimination being made in these matters."

RESOLVED, in the above circumstances, that the formal opening of the grounds to the public be fixed for Thursday, the 3rd May, 1928, as originally proposed; that the arrangements for the occasion be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Council, the Clerk and the Surveyor; and that the relatives of the late Mr. Stephens be invited.

1904 PETROLEUM (AMENDMENT) BILL.—The Clerk reported as to the action which had been taken in regard to this matter since the last meeting of the Council and submitted a letter, dated 2nd April, 1928, from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association and also a letter, dated 2nd April, 1928, from Captain Wallace;

RESOLVED—

- (a) that the thanks of the Council be accorded to Captain Wallace for the action taken by him;
- (b) that the matter be left to the Urban District Councils' Association to deal with.

1905 LICENCE—STANDPOST FOR PETROLEUM—NORTH FINCHLEY MOTOR COMPANY.—A letter, dated 4th April, 1928, was submitted from the North Finchley Motor Company, making application for the transfer to them of the licence granted by the Council to the North Finchley Motors & Metals, Ltd., in respect of a standpost for petroleum;

RESOLVED that such application be granted.

1906 CHARITY TRUSTEES—APPOINTMENT OF.—A letter, dated 29th March, 1928, was submitted from the Revd. S. B. Mayall, thanking the Council for re-electing him as a Charity Trustee.

COUNCIL MINUTES (*continued*).

1907 ACCOUNTS — YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1928,—TRANSFERS.—It was reported that the Treasurer had made the necessary transfers on the 31st March, 1928 ;

RESOLVED that the action taken be approved.

1908 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY COMPANY'S ACTS, 1900—1920—PROPOSED CABLE—WOODHOUSE ROAD.—A letter, dated 29th March, 1928, was submitted from the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company stating that the above cable was required to augment the supply to the existing distributor cables, already laid in Woodhouse Road, and the roads branching out of this road on the North side and that, therefore, all the premises which would take a supply from this new main were in the Friern Barnet Urban District.

1909 LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY—CASUAL VACANCY.—A letter, dated 29th March, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk to the London & Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority stating that a casual vacancy on the Authority had occurred and inviting this Council, together with the other Authorities affected, to take the necessary steps to fill the vacancy.

The Chairman of the Council intimated that, in the event of action being taken by the Hornsey Council in the matter, arrangements would be made for a representative from this Council to attend any meeting which might be convened by them.

1910 SWIMMING BATH.—A letter, dated 29th March, 1928, from the Honorary Secretary of the Finchley Swimming Club as follows was submitted :—

“I am obliged by your letter as to early morning swimming, but my Committee fear that the omission of Sundays and Bank holidays from the arrangement would seriously handicap us in disposing of two thousand tickets in the Season. Of course it is an experiment and might result in far more than this number being used.

If however these days are omitted, would the Council then allow us to use next Season any tickets left over from this.”

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RESOLVED—

- (a) that, in the above circumstances and as an experiment, the Club be informed that the Council will be prepared to allow them to return any tickets which may remain unsold at the end of the Season, and on the understanding that the tickets will not be available for use on Sundays and on Bank holidays;
- (b) that the resolution already passed by the Council be modified to the above extent.

1911 LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES JOINT ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY—PROPOSED REGISTER OF AUTHORITIES ENTITLED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE JOINT AUTHORITY.—A letter, dated 30th March, 1928, was submitted from the Clerk to the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority hereon;

RESOLVED that same be referred to the Electricity Committee for consideration.

1912 DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the under mentioned documents :—

- (a) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. H. Andrews to the Council *re* No. 72, Woodlands Avenue (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (b) Vacating Receipt on Mortgage from Mr. W. E. Pechey to the Council *re* No. 33, Clarence Gardens (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (c) Assignment of No. 52, Summerlee Avenue to Mr. H. W. Johnson (Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts);
- (d) Endorsement on Licence for Stand-post for Petroleum granted to the North Finchley Motors and Metals, Ltd., transferring same to the North Finchley Motor Company.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

1913 COUNCIL CHAMBER—DECORATIONS.—

RESOLVED that the Surveyor be authorised to arrange for the frieze and the filling of the walls in the above to be re-decorated prior to the Annual Meeting of the Council.

1914 CROSSING—139, HIGH ROAD, N. 2.—Reference was made to correspondence which had taken place with Messrs. Shield and Mackarness in regard to the above;

RESOLVED that the Clerk reply on the lines suggested.

1915 ELECTRICITY LOAN—£16,574.—

RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Order for Certificate and that the Stamp Duty on the Mortgage and Declaration and the fee of the Public Works Loan Board be paid by the Council.

1916 COUNCIL IN COMMITTEE.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now go into Committee.

1917 ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKING—PLANT.—

(a) The letter, dated 2nd April, 1928, from the Electricity Commissioners hereon, previously referred to, was considered;

RECOMMENDED—

- (1) that the Clerk be directed to communicate forthwith with the Commissioners asking them to be good enough to arrange for the date of the Inquiry to be postponed, owing to the fact that the Easter holidays intervened and that the present Council would go out of office on the 15th instant and to point out that these facts would seriously hamper the Council in taking the necessary steps in connexion with the Inquiry, the preparation for which would necessitate the getting out of volumes of figures and information, the briefing of Counsel and the engagement of experts, for which the date fixed for the Inquiry would not allow sufficient time. Further, that it be pointed out to the Commis-

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sioners that, owing to the delay in dealing with the Council's application for sanction to the loan of £24,000 for the 3,000 K.W. Set, the Council had felt itself compelled, in order to cope with the next Winter's load, to take steps to replace one of the smaller sets at the Electricity Works out of the Reserve Fund; and that the Council had been able to make arrangements for the 3,000 K.W. Set to be substituted for this smaller set, provided that instructions were given to the makers within the next few days;

- (2) that authority be given to retain Counsel, and technical and financial experts, to represent the Council at the Inquiry.

- (b) The letter of the 31st March, 1928, from the Clerk to the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, previously referred to, was submitted and considered.

1918 SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACTS—No. 43, BIRLEY ROAD.—The Clerk reported that the Accountant had received form of application for the transfer of the above property to Mr. J. Blumenthal, subject to the existing mortgage;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be referred to the Finance Accounts Sub-Committee for consideration at its special meeting to be held on the 11th instant.

1919 NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER (CONSOLIDATION) BILL.—The Clerk reported as to the action taken in regard to this matter since the last meeting of the Council and submitted a letter, dated 30th March, 1928, from Captain Wallace, and also a letter, dated 31st March, 1928, from Colonel Fremantle on the subject;

RECOMMENDED that the Opinion of Sir Lynden Macassey be obtained on the matter and that whatever course he may advise be followed by the Council.

1920 AVENUE HOUSE—WAR COMPENSATION CLAIMS.—The Clerk reported that Messrs. Lees & Co. had intimated that they had now completed negotiations with Messrs. Mills & Morley with regard to the amounts due to the executors upon the joint claim

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which had been made by the Council and the Executors before the War Compensation Court and that the amounts due to the executors were as follows :—

	£	s.	d.
Electrical fittings	29	16	10
Linoleum account	55	7	0
Missing furniture	32	13	0
Surveyor's fees	144	0	0
Removal of furniture	160	0	0
Proportion of Costs	2	2	0
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	£423	18	10

The Clerk pointed out that this amount included the sum of £157 8s. 8d. which had already been paid, and also that there would be interest on the said amounts until the date of payment ;

RECOMMENDED that the amounts above mentioned (Less £157 8s. 8d.) together with interest thereon, be paid.

1921 INSURANCE OF WORKMEN—ACCIDENT—DISINFECTOR W. EVANS.—Councillor Briant reported hereon ;

RECOMMENDED that the matter be taken up with the Insurance Company and that, with their approval, a sum of £3 a week, repayable on demand, be granted to Evans from the date of his accident pending settlement of his claim against the third party.

1922 VOTES OF THANKS.—

(a) Chairman of the Council.—

RECOMMENDED that the thanks of the Council be tendered to Councillor Henry Oliver Syrett for his services during the past year as Chairman of the Council and for the untiring efforts that he has at all times shown in the interests of the District at large.

COUNCIL MINUTES (continued).

(b) Vice-Chairman of the Council.—

RECOMMENDED that a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to Councillor Edwin Toyne for the efficient way in which he has carried out his duties as Vice-Chairman during the past year.

(c) Chairmen of Committees.—

RECOMMENDED that the best thanks of the Council be accorded to the Chairmen of the several Committees for their services during the past year, coupled with the name of Councillor Knowlman.

(d) Co-opted Members.—

RECOMMENDED that the thanks of the Council be accorded to the co-opted Members on the Valuation, Allotments, Maternity and Child Welfare, Education, Electricity and Old Age Pensions Committees for the services rendered by them during the past year.

(e) Retiring Members of the Council.—

RECOMMENDED that the thanks of the Council be and they are hereby accorded to Councillor J. England, Councillor A. Knowlman, Councillor C. S. Syrett and Councillor N. C. Wade severally for the valuable services which they have given to the Council and to the District during their respective years of office.

1923 RESUMPTION OF COUNCIL.—

RESOLVED that the Council do now resume and that the recommendations above set forth be adopted.


Chairman.

16th April 1928.

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