

W LOCAL BOARD

of the two rows, moving the gutter of both rows further back, and traps introduced at regular intervals; the bottom privies should be removed further from the drains. None of these defects (with the exception of Inkerside) have been attended to; and in regard to Inkerside, I believe they have been considered by the committee, and are still under consideration. The pig-sties have been removed from Ridley's House, and a new drain has been removed on Ridley's property, and replaced (from pipes) as replaced the faulty sewer in Dan's Castle.

THE SECOND INFRACTION.

Your Inspector and myself have only completed this week, owing to the snowstorms and frosty weather, and were unable to finish it before. and Bridget Street—Ashes need removing from the houses; middens and manure heaps need

1434 - Trap stopped up; manure
 and ashes require to be removed.
 1435 - Wear Street - Landreth's houses - the cellars are
 full of water.
 1436 - Washington Road - Ashes need removing; the
 pipes should be covered over; the back channel
 bad repair.
 1437 - Thornley Lane Ends - Spouting defective;
 ashes need removing. No 704
 1438 - Richardson's Houses - Drain stopped; sewerage
 running into the fields.
 1439 - Bailey's Houses - All right.
 1440 - Watling Street - One defective trap.
 1441 - High Street - Half's yard trap defective;
 back of High Street manure heap all over; yard
 in trap; ashes need removing; trap stopped in
 public-house yard; ashes need removing - a trap
 up in same yard; at public-house, midden

High Street East—First block, ashes need moving; second block, untidy and dirty yard; third block, all right; fourth block, ashes and new needs removing; the back channel is very poor.

Albion's Street—Trap defective; faults of drains and closets still remain.

Campbell Street East—Back channel useless, and traps require to be altered; traps defective; one road in very bad repair, and spouting defective.

Campbell Street West—Spouting defective; one trap requires attention.

Railway Street—Defective trap; ashes need

Brickstate—In fair order.

North Cottages South—Ashes and manure heaps and cleaning up; back channel needs cleaning. **North—Dirty repairs.**
Dun's Castle East—Scott's houses, defective gutters; **ashes and manure** heaps require attention, **East—Ashes** need removing; stopped trap in **peeweed's** yard.
Stores—Under repairs.
Grove Road—Ashes need removing; bad gutter, **Wemy's Street—Back channel** in very bad repair. **Back channel** in **Wemy's Street** needs cleaning.
Smith Street—Spouting defective; great improvement in channel; **ashpits** should be covered etc. **1-4-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-**

to be made in an imperfect manner.

For the year, as I have already told you, the catch-rate has been very heavy, and it behoves us to try and get all our sanitary matters in good order.

I think your Board should now take over the whole of the back streets; the back channelling in most all the streets are in very bad order, and some cases there is no grating to receive the water.

Again, the improvement gained by covering the pits in Baring Street and Kepler's Row has been very great, and I think the Board should now take steps to cover all the pits in a like manner.

Hoping that your Board will take all these matters into their serious consideration.—Yours
GEOFFREY HOBBS, M.D.

THE BOARD decided to give Mr. Landreth notice against a nuisance caused by the accumulation of water in his cellars; also the Weardsale Iron Company as to a like nuisance in the cellars of Scott's house.

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Mr Hillary submitted the following monthly report—

To the Chairman and Members of the Tow Law and Local Board.

GENTLEMEN,—We have received and used the stone chippings on the sides of the streets, and I should be glad of your sanction to increase the trucks more; it is the best thing we have used for the purpose. I am proposing to repair

As we are often struck by a few sanitary pipes, I have submitted a small list to be made up by me.

I present a pencil sketch of Mr W. Madlins's proposed shed at Inghermann.

I have tacked during the month the following list:—

	£	s.	d.
Gas	205	1	0.
General district rate	190	10	4.
Residuals	16	18	0.
Burial fees	4	4	6.
Rent of office	2	3	4.
Total	£ 400	12	10.

I should have had the pleasure of closing the account with your arrears but for one case. The general district rate I have thought it better to close for this meeting to prevent arrears, or though there is not much to come in, I have to adjust between outgoing and incoming tenan's inlets or two cases.

Monthly Wages Bill.

	£ s. d.
Gasworks.....	7 19 4
Public Lighting.....	11 2 -
Establishment.....	0 8 0
Cemetery.....	2 8 8
Manorial labour.....	-
Main roads.....	2 14 11
Other roads.....	2 2 2
Team labour.....	-
Main roads.....	0 5 8

Total.....£17 4 0
Leaving £4 16s 10d in my custody.
Yours, &c., JOHN HILLARY.
Town Hall, Feb. 10th, 1892.
The report was adopted.

ORDERING LIMESTONE CHIPPINGS.
The Surveyor was empowered to get what limestone chippings he required for the sides of the dyke.

PLAN.
A plan of a proposed building by Mr. McMillan was unanimously rejected.

DAMAGES.
The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Ribboun that Mr. Ridley's estimate of the damage to his country in Dept.'s Cause was

MONTHLY PAYROLL.
Mr. TRANDALE proposed, and Mr. WHERLEY seconded, a payroll for £112 14s 4d, and the same was passed.

NEW SEWER.
The Chairman, with Messrs. Tansdale and Wherley, were appointed a committee to inspect the property adjoining Smalley's as to the proper place to commence the proposed sewer.

REPAIRING CHANTRY.
The Surveyor was instructed to do the repairs to the trap-chamber, &c., in Campbell Street, reported by the Inspector, and charge the cost to the owners.

SPECIAL MEETING.
It was decided to hold a special meeting on Wednesday, 24th inst., at 8 p.m.

The Rev G. Jepson, vicar of Stanmore, preached:

The SECRETARY explained that he dated the letter for Tanfield simply because he took it to be the wrong one and for the convenience of

aydon people.

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During the late festive season, a band of darkies are perambulating the farmhouses around Stanhope.

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during the Summer Months.
Coffins and every necessary supplied on

the Shortest Notice. The strictest regard to Economy being especially observed.

Drinks, Warrmags, and Seals.

DIGESTS

SUNDAY—10th inst., the wife of John Ball, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES

LANCASTER—Register Office, 6th inst., G. Malins, Orhill, to M. D. Dixon, Stanley; W. Young, W. Loftham, Wm. Stanley, to J. Young, W. Loftham, same day; J. Hargrave to M. Pigg, both of Quebec.—Same day, H. Hargrave, Orhill, to H. Pallister, Arnsfeld Park.

WEST—Fifth Church, 4th inst., James Henry Dawson, Westwood, to Sarah Ann Smith, Lumsley Sixth Pk.

DEATHS.

ROBERT—Delores Lane, 12, Boyd Street, 10th inst., aged 21, Mary Elizabeth, beloved wife of Joseph Whitford, and their daughter, of Jane and Thomas Wilkinson. To be interred on Sunday, 11th at 2 P.M. Friends, please accept this intimation.

of Henry Hayes, and only daughter of William Carruthers. 68th

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MELTON FELL—3rd inst., aged 58, John Brown.
HILL TOP—Bird Inn, near Ushaw College. 7th inst.

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A voice we loved is silent."

A place is vacant in our hours
That never can be filled." 7048

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