

DEEPING FEN  
GENERAL DRAINAGE WORKS.

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Deeping Fen General Works  
of Drainage.

ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS

For the Year ending April, 1887.

Annual Meeting, 13th April, 1887.

BONNER & CALTHROP,

Clerks.

Appleby, Printer, Spalding.

Mr. Holland	+
Mr. Eastwick	+
Mr. G. Carter	+
Mr. Shillaker	
B. E. Giffitt	
Robt. Smith	
Eastland	
Mr. Cotterson	
Ward	+
Mr. Whallham	
S. Congreve	
Warrard	
A. Campain	+
B. Campain	+
J. Andrew	
J. - Goodale Dugate	
Wm. G. Johnson	
E. Mattoff	
Atkinson - Barr	
Andrew Dent	
Mr. Kingston	
Mr. Calthrop	



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THE EARL OF LINDSEY.

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MR. ALFRED HARRISON, Little London, Spalding.

**Treasurer.**

T. C. GARFIT, Esq., Boston.

**Clerks.**

MESSRS. BONNER & CALTHROP, Spalding.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF LANDS

IN DEEPING ST. NICHOLAS.

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

We forward, by order of the Trustees of the Deeping Fen Drainage Act, 1856, an Abstract of their Accounts as prepared for the ensuing Annual Meeting, which will be held at the Corn Exchange, in Spalding, on Wednesday, 13th April instant, at Twelve o'clock at noon.

We are,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your very obedient Servants,

**BONNER & CALTHROP,**

Clerks to the Trustees.

Spalding, 31st March, 1887.



# DEEPING FEN GENERAL

From the Annual Meeting, 1886,

IN RESPECT OF THE

## CHARGE AND RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Bank Rents, brought forward from last Account .. .. .	85	15	3
„ Taxes, Harvey's Collection, ditto .. .. .	547	14	11
„ Wash Lands, ditto .. .. .	111	4	2
„ Taxes, Sharpe & Son's Collection, ditto .. .. .	200	1	4½
Amount of Counter Drain Wash Tax on Earl Lindsey's Wash Land for years 1874 to 1879, both inclusive, and received of him .. .. .	47	0	7
Of the First District, Amount of Rate now debited to them, remitted for the years 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884 and 1885 .. .. .	247	4	2
„ the Second District the like .. .. .	305	7	1
„ the Fifth District, the like for the years 1881, 1882 and 1883 .. .. .	361	2	3

## GENERAL WORKS TAX:—

	£	s.	d.
Deeping St. Nicholas. To amount of one years' Tax, at 1/6 an acre, charged on 15412a. 2r. Op., due 10th October, 1886 .. .. .	1155	19	5
Ditto. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 424a. Or. 16p. of Wash Land .. .. .	31	16	2
Ditto. The like at 6d. an acre, charged on 235a. 1r. 38p. of Wash Land .. .. .	5	17	9
First District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 988a. 2r. 31p. .. .. .	74	2	6
Second District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 1221a. Or. 23p. .. .. .	91	11	2
Third District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 1383a. Or. 6p. .. .. .	103	15	5
Fourth District. The like at 6d. an acre, charged on 1423a. 1r. 17p. .. .. .	35	11	9
Fifth District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 2407a. 1r. 30p. .. .. .	180	11	1
Sixth District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 2658a. 1r. 8p. .. .. .	199	7	5
Ditto. The like at 6d. an acre, charged on 295a. 2r. 18p. above the Gravel Drain .. .. .	7	7	10
Crowland Common. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 1064a. 2r. 34p. .. .. .	79	17	3
Monk's House Farm. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 220a. Or. Op. .. .. .	16	10	0
Duck Hall District. The like at 1/6 an acre, charged on 231a. 2r. 18p. .. .. .	17	7	6
	1999	15	3

## THE ADVENTURERS TAX.

Deeping St. Nicholas. To amount of one year's Tax at 1/6 per acre, charged in perpetuity on 10063a. 3r. 13p. of Adventurer's Taxable Land .. .. .	754	15	11
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## RENTS, &c.

To amount of one years' Rent of Public Houses and Land, (late Estates of the Adventurers) due Michaelmas, 1886 .. .. .	488	14	8
Of Matilda Beeken, half-year's Rent of Bank due Michaelmas, 1885, omitted from last year's Account .. .. .	3	0	0
„ Hooson, Rev. W., the like .. .. .	0	2	6
„ Charles Walker, one year's Rent of House .. .. .	2	5	0
„ Thomas Aitken & Co., one year's Acknowledgment for use of Waterway .. .. .	0	2	6
„ J. G. Calthrop, one year's Rent of Bank, due Lady Day, 1886 .. .. .	2	15	0
„ Edmund Pawlett Executors, one year's Rent, due Lady Day, 1886 .. .. .	0	10	0
„ Great Northern Railway Company, one year's Allowance for Clearing Railway Bridges, &c. .. .. .	5	0	0
„ Ditto, for permission to pump water from their Ballast Pits, to 9th March, 1887 .. .. .	65	8	0
„ Plowright, C. H., Fine, for Stocking Banks with heavy Stock .. .. .	2	10	0
„ Holland, T. P., for Oak for use at his Tunnel .. .. .	1	2	0
„ A. Harrison, for Hay sold .. .. .	8	10	0
„ „ for Rent of Glen Slipe occupied by Twelves .. .. .	2	0	0
„ Brown, W., for Ashes sold .. .. .	2	3	6

Carried forward .. £5244 4 1½

# WORKS OF DRAINAGE,

to the Annual Meeting, 1887.

GENERAL WORKS.

## PAYMENTS AND DISCHARGE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance ascertained at Annual Meeting, 1886 .. .. .	973	1	4			
PODE HOLE ENGINES.						
Hotchkin & Co., (Firemen) Labor at Engines .. .. .				141	11	10
Asling, for Oil, Paint, &c. .. .. .	3	7	5			
Bell & Son and Johnson & Co., Oil .. .. .	20	13	7			
Robinson, Williamson and Inkley, Tallow, &c. .. .. .	9	17	4			
Wright, Ironmonger, &c. .. .. .	12	13	10			
Dobson, Timber Merchant .. .. .	4	8	2			
Royal Exchange Insurance .. .. .	12	6	0			
Benner, Granite to Bridges .. .. .	12	0	6			
Roe, W., Carpenter .. .. .	6	2	5			
Paling, Blacksmith .. .. .	1	16	2			
Salter, Bricklayer .. .. .	19	9	8			
Hames, Spun yarn .. .. .	1	13	4			
Bell & Son, Packing .. .. .	1	2	0			
York, Sweeping Flues .. .. .	0	16	0			
Miscellaneous .. .. .	2	15	6			
Wombwell Main, for 703 Tons, 17 Cwt. Coals, at 14/3 .. .. .	501	9	6			
				610	11	5

*Estimated Stock in hand at Annual Meeting, 1887	Coals 110 Tons.
Ditto ditto	Tallow 3 Stones.
Ditto ditto	Engine Oil 11 Gallons.
Ditto ditto	Lamp Oil 1 Gallon.
Ditto ditto	Spun Yarn 5 Stones.

## COUNTER DRAIN.

Miller & Co., Roading 6¾ miles at £1 6s. 0d. .. .. .	8	15	6
Ditto ditto 6¾ miles at £1 2s. 0d. .. .. .	7	8	6
Ditto ditto 3¾ miles at £1 11s. 0d. .. .. .	5	16	3
Miller and others, Labor .. .. .	22	8	6
Roe, W. Carpenter .. .. .	1	4	8
Miller and others, Setting out and Cleansing part of Drain .. .. .	10	1	6
Westmoreland, Jno., for Cleansing part of Drain .. .. .	196	16	3
Ditto, Trimming Earth on Banks .. .. .	64	1	0
Reynolds, W. S., Horsework .. .. .	0	17	0
Grooby, R., Engine Tenter .. .. .	6	16	6
Dobson, J., Timber .. .. .	4	9	1
Grassam, C., Use of Strap .. .. .	1	5	0
Lane, Mole catcher .. .. .	1	15	0
	331	14	9

## VERNATT'S DRAIN.

Taylor & Co., Roading, 6½ miles at £1 5s. 0d. .. .. .	8	2	6
Ditto Sundry Expenses on Materials .. .. .	0	3	6
Fovargue & Co., Roading 6½ miles, at £0 16s. 0d. .. .. .	5	4	0
Ditto ditto 6½ miles, at £0 15s. 6d. .. .. .	5	0	9
Ditto ditto 6½ miles, at £2 8s. 0d. .. .. .	15	12	0
Ditto Cutting Weeds, 5 miles at £0 11s. 0d. .. .. .	2	15	0
Ditto Cotting .. .. .	21	0	0
Grooby and others, Working Dredger .. .. .	51	2	10
Fovargue & Co., Labor, Dredging at new Railway Bridge .. .. .	10	17	0
Wombwell Main, Coals for Dredger .. .. .	11	9	6
Dring & Co., Carpenters work .. .. .	17	15	8
Jackson, Jno., Blacksmith .. .. .	0	8	6
Wade and Dobson, Timber .. .. .	7	9	8
Sly and Loughton, Fagots, &c. .. .. .	5	1	6
Fovargue & Co., Fascine Work .. .. .	10	1	0
Reynolds, W. S., Horsework .. .. .	2	4	0
Spalding Improvement Commissioners, for Granite, &c., for Sharp's Bridge .. .. .	2	11	1
Huskisson, Lantern for Sluice Keeper .. .. .	0	4	0
Lane, Mole catcher .. .. .	2	15	0
Buck, Sluice Keeper, Wages .. .. .	43	10	0
	223	7	6

Carried forward .. £2280 6 10



**CHARGE AND RECEIPTS.**

Brought forward £ s. d.  
5244 4 1½

Carried forward £5244 4 1½

**PAYMENTS AND DISCHARGE.**

Brought forward £ s. d. £ s. d.  
.. .. 2280 6 10

**RIVER GLEN.**

Brown, T., for Roading part .. .. .	14 0 0
Miller and others, Roading, 9 miles at £5 0s. 0d. .. .. .	45 0 0
Ditto Forking Cot, 9 miles .. .. .	5 5 0
Taylor, Geo., Roading, 4½ miles at £3 0s. 0d. .. .. .	13 10 0
Ditto 15½ miles at £4 4s. 0d. .. .. .	65 2 0
Ditto Mowing Slopes .. .. .	2 10 0
Fovargue & Co., Roading, 167 chains at 3d. .. .. .	2 1 9
Turner & Co., Roading Soak Dyke, Woolley's Mill to Baston Hedge .. .. .	1 10 0
Miller and others, Cotting .. .. .	55 5 10
Ditto Labor .. .. .	21 1 6
Lane and Davis, Mole and Rat catchers .. .. .	1 4 0
Miller & Co., Fascine Work .. .. .	9 10 0
Buck, Reynolds and others, Cartage, Horsework, &c. .. .. .	13 2 6
Buck and others, Haymaking and Leading .. .. .	4 19 0
Dring and others, Carpenters .. .. .	9 15 10
Dobson, J., Timber .. .. .	7 12 2
Grooby and others, Working Dredger .. .. .	22 6 10
Wombwell Main Co. and Bilsby, Coals for Dredger .. .. .	3 4 3
Jackson and others, Blacksmiths .. .. .	8 7 11
Collitt & Co., Foundry Work .. .. .	4 10 6
Symes & Co., Painting .. .. .	3 12 6
Ward, J., Attending Tunnels .. .. .	2 2 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	3 16 2
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	319 9 9

**RIVER WELLAND.**

Fovargue & Co., Roading, 7 miles at £2 2s. 6d. .. .. .	14 17 6
Ditto ditto the River from Town End Tunnel to Hives End .. .. .	3 0 0
Ditto ditto 7½ miles at £2 2s. 6d. .. .. .	15 8 1
Plowright and others, Roading Soak Dyke twice .. .. .	2 6 8
Ditto ditto from Town End to the end of the Hives .. .. .	6 0 0
Fovargue & Co., Roading Soak Dyke from the Locks to Four-mile Bar .. .. .	4 18 0
Plowright & Co., do. Soak Dyke, Deeping Slipes .. .. .	1 8 0
Plowright and others, Labor .. .. .	41 16 4
Neaverson, C., for Materials for Bank .. .. .	16 1 0
Ward, Labor and Salary .. .. .	11 0 0
Wade and Dobson, Timber .. .. .	21 6 4
Reynolds, Horsework .. .. .	4 15 0
Lane and Davis, Mole and Rat catchers .. .. .	5 11 8
Wombwell Main Co. and others, Coals for Dredger .. .. .	16 1 0
Grooby and others, Working Dredger .. .. .	49 4 11
Miscellaneous .. .. .	1 10 6
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**ROADING AND CLEANING SOUTH DROVE, NORTH DROVE, AND OTHER**

**INTERIOR DRAINS, AND GENERAL WORKS, AND REPAIRS.**

Fovargue & Co., Roading South Drove Drain, 8½ miles at £0 18s. 6d. .. .. .	7 12 7
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £0 18s. 6d. .. .. .	7 12 7
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £1 8s. 6d. .. .. .	11 15 2
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £1 18s. 0d. .. .. .	15 13 6
Ditto ditto North Drove Drain, 5½ miles at £0 18s. 6d. .. .. .	5 6 4
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £0 18s. 6d. .. .. .	5 6 4
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £1 8s. 6d. .. .. .	8 3 10
Ditto ditto ditto ditto at £1 18s. 0d. .. .. .	10 18 6
Ditto ditto Basin four times .. .. .	2 0 0
Miller & Co. and Taylor & Co., Roading Delph .. .. .	15 17 6
Plowright & Co., Roading Interior Drains .. .. .	45 17 9
Fovargue & Co., Cotting .. .. .	14 0 0
Miller, Fovargue, Taylor and others, Labor .. .. .	54 11 1
Plowright, Cleaning Gravel Drain .. .. .	19 3 0
Brittain and others, Thorn Kids .. .. .	9 7 8
Waite and others, Ironmongers and Blacksmiths .. .. .	60 12 7
Ellis & Everard and Curtis, Granite and Stone .. .. .	2 12 4
Hunt, W., Bricks .. .. .	2 14 3
Salter, J., Builder .. .. .	26 12 7
Dobson and others, Timber Merchants .. .. .	57 6 9
Dring and others, Carpenters .. .. .	48 9 1
Ditto Boatwright .. .. .	68 3 6
Reynolds and others, Horsehire .. .. .	25 19 6
Hames, W., Ropemaker .. .. .	16 9 1
Watkinson and Appleby, Printing and Stationery .. .. .	3 9 6
Driffill, Thos., Plumber .. .. .	8 19 0
Lane and Burgess, Mole and Rat catchers .. .. .	4 0 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	16 17 9
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