

Charge and Receipts.

		IN RESPECT OF	
		£	s. d.
Balance in hand at the Annual Meeting, 1898	.. .. .	98	12 8
Arrears of Rents from last Account	.. .. .	7	15 0
One Year's Rent of Banks and Slipes, due Michaelmas, 1898	.. .. .	38	19 6

£145 7 2

IN RESPECT OF

		£	s. d.
Arrears of Rents from last Account	.. .. .	26	15 0
One year's Rent of Banks and Slipes, due Michaelmas, 1898	.. .. .	64	10 0
One year's Interior Rate at 6d. an acre on 1220a. 1r. 37p.	.. .. .	80	19 10
Balance	.. .. .	5	6 4½

£127 11 2½

IN RESPECT OF

		£	s. d.
Arrears of Rents from last account	.. .. .	6	0 0
One year's Rent of Banks and Slipes, due Michaelmas, 1898	.. .. .	35	3 0
One year's Interior Rate at 1/- an acre on 1383a. 1r. 20p.	.. .. .	69	3 0
Balance	.. .. .	54	16 4½

£165 2 4½

Payments and Discharge.

		THE 1st DISTRICT.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Fovargue & Co., Roading	.. .. .	6	0 0	✓			
Ditto Labour	.. .. .	2	7 6	✓			
Pick, Dyking	.. .. .	1	11 6	✓			
Glen Bank Rate	.. .. .	9	17 6	✓			
General Tax on Slipes	.. .. .	2	16 0	✓			
Welland Tax	.. .. .	1	8 2	✓			
Proportion of A. Harrison, Superintendent's Salary	.. .. .	5	12 4	✓			
Ditto Mr. Harvey, Receiver of Taxes, ditto	.. .. .	5	16 10	✓			
Ditto Calthrop & Bonner, Clerks, ditto	.. .. .	1	19 4	✓			
						37	9 2
Arrears of Rents	.. .. .					5	14 6
Balance	.. .. .					102	3 6
							<u>£145 7 2</u>

THE 2nd DISTRICT.

		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Balance at the Annual Meeting, 1898.	.. .. .			64	6 6½
Fovargue & Co., Roading	.. .. .	2	5 6	✓	
Ditto Labour	.. .. .	4	5 0	✓	
Chappell and others, Bricklayers	.. .. .	11	6 6	✓	
Dring, Boat Hire	.. .. .	1	0 0	✓	
Glen Bank Rate	.. .. .	11	19 4	✓	
Welland Tax	.. .. .	2	3 9	✓	
Proportion of A. Harrison, Superintendent's Salary	.. .. .	6	15 0		
Ditto Mr. Harvey, Receiver of Taxes, ditto	.. .. .	7	4 6		
Ditto Calthrop & Bonner, Clerks, ditto	.. .. .	2	7 3		
					49 6 10
Arrears of Tax	.. .. .				3 7 10
Rents	.. .. .				10 10 0
					<u>£127 11 2½</u>

THE 3rd DISTRICT.

		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Balance at the Annual Meeting, 1898	.. .. .			101	9 3½
Fovargue & Co., Roading	.. .. .	6	3 0	✓	
Ditto Labour	.. .. .	4	7 0	✓	
Rob, Carpenter	.. .. .	8	14 4	✓	
Chappell, Bricklayer	.. .. .	3	17 3	✓	
Swann, Tunnel attendance	.. .. .	0	2 6	✓	
Glen, Bank Rate	.. .. .	13	8 10	✓	
General Tax on Slipes	.. .. .	0	4 3	✓	
Welland Tax	.. .. .	1	6 4	✓	
Proportion of A. Harrison, Superintendent's Salary	.. .. .	7	8 8	✓	
Ditto Mr. Harvey, Receiver of Taxes, ditto	.. .. .	8	3 8	✓	
Ditto Calthrop & Bonner, Clerks, ditto	.. .. .	2	12 0	✓	
					56 7 10
Arrears of Tax	.. .. .				1 5 3
Rents	.. .. .				6 0 0
					<u>£165 2 4½</u>



Charge and Receipts.

IN RESPECT OF THE 5th DISTRICT.

	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand at the Annual Meeting, 1898 .. .. .	22	16	6½
Arrears of Interior Tax from last Account .. .. .	31	2	11
The like Rents .. .. .	30	17	6
One Year's Rent of Banks and Land, due Michaelmas, 1898 .. .. .	57	15	0
One Year's Interior Tax at 6d. an acre, on 2407a. 1r. 30p. .. .. .	60	5	4
One Year's Rent of House due Michaelmas, 1898 .. .. .	2	10	0

£205 7 3½

Payments and Discharge.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wright & Co., Roading .. .. .	32	12	9	✓		
Ditto, Labour .. .. .	10	13	6			
Ditto, Tunnel attendance .. .. .	1	10	0	✓		
Fardell, Bricklayer .. .. .	5	15	6	✓		
Lake, Carpenter .. .. .	11	6	11	✓		
Neaverson, Granite .. .. .	1	10	9	✓		
York, Ratecatching .. .. .	0	10	0	✓		
Allen, Cottage .. .. .	1	15	0	✓		
Fovargue, Mole-catching .. .. .	4	0	0	✓		
Glen Bank Rate .. .. .	23	13	6	✓		
Welland Tax .. .. .	2	8	4	✓		
Allowance to Tenants .. .. .	2	19	3	✓		
Proportion of A. Harrison, Superintendent's Salary .. .. .	13	8	8	✓		
The like, Sharpe and Wade, Receivers of Taxes, ditto .. .. .	5	12	2	✓		
The like, Calthrop & Bonner, Clerks, ditto .. .. .	4	14	0	✓		
<b>Arrears of Bank Rents .. .. .</b>					122	10 4 ✓
<b>Ditto, Interior Tax .. .. .</b>					19	15 2 ✓
<b>Balance .. .. .</b>					21	16 1½ ✓
					41	5 8

£205 7 3½

IN RESPECT OF THE 6th DISTRICT.

	£	s.	d.
Arrears of the Interior Tax from last Account .. .. .	5	10	3½
One Year's Interior Rate at 6d. an acre, on 2658a. 1r. 8p. .. .. .	66	11	6
One Year's Rent of Banks and Land, due Michaelmas, 1898 .. .. .	22	0	0
One Year's Rent of Land, occupied by J. Huffer, due Michaelmas, 1898 .. .. .	12	0	0
One Year's Rent of House, due Michaelmas, 1898 .. .. .	2	10	0
Of Mr. Ward, for Rent of Fishery .. .. .	1	0	0
Balance .. .. .	176	13	11½

£286 5 9

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance at the Annual Meeting, 1898 .. .. .	27	11	4	✓	64	1 11½ ✓
Wright & Co., Roading .. .. .	84	16	1	✓		
Ditto, Labour .. .. .	2	9	0	✓		
Neaverson, Gravel .. .. .	1	11	0	✓		
Lyon and others, Tunnel attendance .. .. .	25	4	6	✓		
Lake, J. and others, Carpenters .. .. .	2	2	0	✓		
Charity, Horsehire .. .. .	5	6	9	✓		
Chappell, Bricklayer .. .. .	3	16	4	✓		
Lambert, Blacksmith .. .. .	0	5	0	✓		
Dring, Boat Hire .. .. .	4	5	6	✓		
General Works Trustees, for Bricks .. .. .	29	0	10	✓		
Glen Bank Rate .. .. .	2	10	9	✓		
Welland Tax .. .. .	0	3	5	✓		
Allowances to Tenants .. .. .	16	15	4	✓		
Proportion of A. Harrison, Superintendent's Salary .. .. .	6	17	10	✓		
The like, Sharpe & Wade, Receivers of Taxes, ditto .. .. .	5	17	5	✓		
<b>Arrears of Interior Tax .. .. .</b>					218	13 1 ✓
					3	10 8½ ✓

£286 5 9

SUMMARY BALANCES.

	£	s.	d.
Balance from General Account .. .. .	521	4	7
First District .. .. .	102	3	6
Fifth District .. .. .	41	5	8
	£664	13	9

	£	s.	d.
Balance from Second District .. .. .	5	6	4½
Ditto Third District .. .. .	54	16	4½
Ditto Sixth District .. .. .	176	13	11½
Balance in the hands of Mr. Garfit, the Treasurer .. .. .	427	17	0½

£664 13 9

TIMES OF WORKING THE ENGINES FROM THE 28th MARCH 1899,  
TO THE 27th MARCH, 1899.

The Holland Engine, 47 days 7 hours, at 12 hours per day.  
The Kesteven Engine, 59 days, at 12 hours per day.

Rain fall for the same period 21½ inches.

I have examined the above Accounts with the Books and Vouchers and find the same correct.

W. A. SOUTHWELL, Auditor.



Podehole Annual Rainfall from 1829 to 1887.

Year.	Inches.	Remarks.	Year.	Inches.	Remarks.
1829	30.25		1858	17.50	Similar to 1854.
1830	34.38	Glen Bank broke.	1859	25.25	
1831	24.32	Glen Bank broke.	1860	30.37	
1832	28.87		1861	25.75	
1833	24.95		1862	24.87	"Holland" engine wheel lowered 14in., first time.
1834	18.10	Dry, July excepted.	1863	22.87	
1835	24.20		1864	17.62	Dry year; similar to 1854.
1836	26.65		1865	29.12	
1837	23.90	Glen Bank broke.	1866	26.75	Welland landed up by Tides.
			1867	23.37	
1838	21.10		1868	24.75	Hot dry spring! Pastures burnt up May, June, July, [Rainfall 3 in.
1839	31.65		1869	27.87	May Flood.
1840	21.30		1870	16.87	Lowest yet recorded.
1841	29.45	Coal used—1,350 Tons.—Several new drainage steam engines [erected in the Fens.	1871	25.50	
1842	32.10		1872	32.50	Glen Bank broke into Bourne North Fen.
1843	29.45		1873	19.62	Holland engine wheel lowered 18in.
1844	22.20	Low rainfall	1874	16.25	Another 10 years since 1864 dry.
1845	27.25		1875	34.25	Great change set in in July this year.
1846	26.10	18 Years' average—27 inches.	1876	31.00	North and South Drove drains cleaned out.
1847	25.62	"Kesteven" engine wheel lowered 14in, first time.	1877	24.25	Glen Bank broke into Bourne North Fen, Great Flood in Cowbit Wash, Water at Duck Hall 18in. deep on Road.
1848	34.30		1878	25.62	
1849	27.45		1879	24.375	A most wretched harvest, Glen New Sluice opened.
1850	20.93		1880	37.12	Glen Bank broke into Bourne South Fen, Flood in Cowbit Wash 4in.
1851	22.25		1881	26.12	1881 "Kesteven" wheel lowered 18in. [higher than 1877.
1852	31.00	Great Floods in the Fens and in Cowbit Wash.	1882	30.50	Glen Bank broke South side, water at Pode Hole 6ft. 10 in. gauge [in Fen, 8ft. 4in. in Vernatt's.
1853	26.62		1883	30.87	Low Water in Welland 1 1/2 in. below Sill of Glen New
1854	17.75	Slightly below 1834—Dry.	1884	16.75	Ten years again and dry.
1855	22.00		1885	23.87	
1856	22.62		1886	30.25	May Flood.
1857	27.87	Vernatt's New Sluice opened.	1887	15.12	The lowest recorded. Crossgate Bridge re-built.

Podehole Annual Rainfall from 1888 to 1899.

1888	21.56		1888	26.73										
1889	19.97	No rain in February	1889	19.97										
1890	25.08	Holland wheel lowered 4in, total 3ft. since 1825, new Dredger launched.	1890	25.08										
1891	18.32	Very dry Summer.	1891	18.32										
1892	22.35	Welland again heavily landed up by Tides.	1892	22.35										
1893	22.23	Feb. 9th, 35 degrees of Frost in Spalding.	1893	22.23										
1894	22.73		1894	22.73										
1895	23.59	Glen North Bank broke at Guthram, highest known [Flood in Glen.	1895	23.59										
1896	23.59		1896	23.59										
1897	23.59		1897	23.59										
1898	23.59		1898	23.59										
1899	23.59		1899	23.59										
Total depth for each month 1829 to 1899.	133.23		111.41	104.17	119.30	131.33	161.99	188.82	186.67	164.26	181.30	152.36	127.77	Total Depth in inches.

No. of Days the Engines Worked, at 12 Hours per Day.

1885	Holland	152 days.	1890	Holland	46 days	1895	Holland	49 days, 6 hours.
"	Kesteven	194	"	Kesteven	35	"	Kesteven	29
1886	Holland	272	1891	Holland	186	1896	Holland	181
"	Kesteven	242	"	Kesteven	111	"	Kesteven	177
1887	Holland	26	1892	Holland	142	1897	Holland	31
"	Kesteven	83	"	Kesteven	110	"	Kesteven	41
1888	Holland	86	1893	Holland	33	1898	Holland	47
"	Kesteven	73	"	Kesteven	23	"	Holland	47
1889	Holland	156	1894	Holland	107	"	Kesteven	59
"	Kesteven	199	"	Kesteven	87	"	"	"



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 Cash Jan 250  
 Vermack 140  
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 " Wellen 275  
 G. Werten 610  
 D. Gosper 275-

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