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DEEPING FEN  
GENERAL DRAINAGE WORKS.

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*Deeping Fen General Works  
of Drainage.*

ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS

For the Year ending April, 1916



*Annual Meeting 12th April, 1916.*

CALTHROP & LEOPOLD HARVEY,  
*Clerks.*

Appledy, Printer, Spalding.



TO THE PROPRIETORS OF LANDS

IN DEEPING ST. NICHOLAS.

**Trustees and Committee.**

The MARQUESS of LINCOLNSHIRE	Trustee for Common Lands
Mr. RICHARD PICK,	" " "
Mr. FRANK H. COOKE,	" " "
Mr. FRANK W. DENNIS,	" " "
Mr. A. J. PRESTON,	" " "
Mr. E. M. E. WELBY,	Trustee for Adventurers Lands.
Mr. SAMUEL FREIR,	" " "
Mr. WILLIAM DENNIS,	" " "
Mr. W. EDWARD PORTER,	" " "
The MARQUESS OF EXETER,	Trustee for Free Lands.
Mr. JONATHAN WARD,	" " "

**Superintendent.**

Mr. HENRY BAIN, King's Road, Spalding.

**Engineer.**

Mr. A. TATE, Engine House, Pode Hole, Spalding.

**Receivers of Rents & Taxes.**

Messrs. HARVEY & SON, Spalding.  
Messrs. SHARPE, WADE & WHITTOME, Market Deeping.

**Treasurer.**

Mr. T. C. GARFIT, Kenwick Hall, Louth.

**Auditor.**

Mr. C. SCRAGG, Spalding.

**Clerks.**

Messrs. CALTHROP & LEOPOLD HARVEY, Spalding.

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, 12th April next, at Twelve o'clock at noon.

We are,

Your very obedient Servants,

**CALTHROP & LEOPOLD HARVEY,**

Clerks to the Trustees.

Spalding, 24th March, 1916.



# ABSTRACT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE DEEPING FEN GENERAL WORKS OF DRAINAGE.

From the Annual Meeting, 1915, to the Annual Meeting, 1916.

IN RESPECT OF THE GENERAL WORKS.

## CHARGE AND RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Arrears of Rents—Messrs. Harvey & Son's Collection ... ..	61	2	6			
„ „ Taxes—Messrs. Sharpe, Wade and Whittome's Collection ... ..	87	10	8½			

### GENERAL WORKS TAX.

Deeping St. Nicholas.	To Amount of one year's Tax at 4/- an acre charged on 15446a. 2r. 10p., due 10th October, 1915	3089	6	2
Ditto	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 412a. 3r. 4p. of Counter Drain Wash Land ... ..	82	11	1
Ditto	The like at 6d. an acre charged on 235a. 1r. 38p. of Counter Drain Wash Land ... ..	5	17	9
First District.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 981a. 3r. 30p.	196	7	4
Second District.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 1229a. 0r. 36p.	245	16	10
Third District.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged 1382a. 3r. 30p.	276	13	1
Fourth District.	The like at 6d. an acre, charged on 1477a. 2r. 18p.	36	18	11
Fifth District.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 2407a. 1r. 30p.	481	9	9
Sixth District.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 2658a. 1r. 8p.	531	13	2
Ditto	The like at 6d. an acre, charged on 295a. 2r. 18p. above the Gravel Drain ... ..	7	7	10
Crowland Common.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 1076a. 3r. 33p.	215	7	10
Monk's House Farm.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 220a. 0r. 0p.	44	0	0
Duck Hall Farm.	The like at 4/- an acre, charged on 231a. 2r. 18p.	46	6	5
	—————	5259	16	2

### THE ADVENTURERS TAX.

Deeping S. Nicholas.	To amount of One Year's Tax at 1/6 an acre, charged in perpetuity on 10,063a. 3r. 1p. of Adventurer's Taxable Land ... ..	754	15	10
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### RENTS, &c.

To amount of One Year's Rent of Public Houses, Lands and Fishery (late Estate of the Adventurers), due Michaelmas, 1915 ... ..	730	8	0
Of Coddington, W., One Year's Rent of Garden ... ..	0	10	0
„ M. & G.N. Railways, Joint Committee, for a landing stage at North Drove Bank due Michaelmas, 1915 ... ..	0	5	0
„ Pick, Richard, Exors., for maintenance of fence under edge of the Deeping High Bank ... ..	0	1	0
„ Great Northern Railway Company, One Year's Allowance for clearing bridges, &c. ... ..	5	0	0
„ Ditto for permission to pump water from the Ballast Pits, to February, 1916 ... ..	102	1	3
„ Reynolds, J. S., for placing plank over the Welland ... ..	0	1	0
„ Bealby, C. W., year's acknowledgment for placing Foot Bridge over the Glen at Surfleet, due 6th April, 1915 ... ..	0	0	6

Carried forward ... £7001 11 11½

## PAYMENTS AND DISCHARGE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance due at the Annual Meeting, 1915 ... ..	3881	8	6½			

### LABOUR IN WORKING PODEHOLE ENGINES.

Woolsey and others, Firemen ... ..	156	6	3
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### EXPENDITURE AT PODEHOLE ENGINES.

Woolsey, R., Sweep ... ..	2	8	0
Green, V. G., Bricklayer ... ..	4	12	7
Fairbanks, T., Blacksmith ... ..	2	3	9
Roe, and others, Carpenters ... ..	21	18	3
Williamson, and others, Engine Stores, and Oil ... ..	90	17	4
Butterfield, and others, for Tanks ... ..	3	12	6
Stanton, C., Ironfounder ... ..	3	18	0
Sharpe, J. W., Boiler preservative ... ..	7	8	6
Bell's United Asbestos Co., Packing ... ..	15	0	6
Walker & Co., Labour ... ..	9	6	10
Atton & Son, Painting ... ..	9	5	0
M. & G.N. Railway Co., Carriage ... ..	10	7	3
George, F., Plumber ... ..	5	16	0
Glenn, & Son, for Coal ... ..	967	19	3
Royal Exchange Fire Insurance Premiums ... ..	32	1	0
Miscellaneous ... ..	4	18	7
	—————	1191	13 4
		1347	19 7

Estimated Stock in hand at the Annual Meeting, 1916, Coal 100 tons	
Ditto ditto Engine Oil, 140 gallons.	
Ditto ditto Lamp Oil, 60 gallons.	
Ditto ditto Spun Yarn, 20 lbs.	
Ditto ditto Cotton Waste, 50 lbs.	
Ditto ditto Fuel Oil, 1000 gallons.	

### COUNTER DRAIN.

Walker & Co., Roding ... ..	39	3	7
Ditto Colching ... ..	135	3	3
Ditto Labour ... ..	163	7	3
	—————	337	14 1

### WORKING DREDGER IN COUNTER DRAIN.

Glenn & Son, Coal ... ..	31	3	0
Chapman, and others, Labour ... ..	106	1	8
	—————	137	4 8
		474	18 9

### VERNATTS DRAIN.

Walker & Co., Roding ... ..	43	12	9
Ditto Labour ... ..	130	4	1
Ditto Colching ... ..	146	19	1
Buck, J., Sluice Keeper ... ..	45	13	0
Buck, M., Rat catcher ... ..	0	10	0
	—————	366	18 11

### WORKING DREDGER IN VERNATTS.

Chapman, and others, Labour ... ..	63	19	7
Glenn & Son, Coal ... ..	24	0	9
	—————	88	0 4
		454	19 3

Carried forward ... £6159 6 1½



### Charge and Receipts.

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	7001	11	11½
Of Harvey, H., year's rent of House and Land, due Michaelmas, 1915	8	0	0
„ Ward, J., Whitfield, G., Preston, A. J., year's rent due Lady Day, 1915	6	0	0
„ Glenn, Richard, year's rent of Land at Podeshole, due 11th October, 1915	0	10	0
„ Dennis & Sons, Ltd., year's Bank Rent for Light Railway, due 6th April, 1915, (North Drove)	7	7	0
„ Ditto, One year's ditto, (South Drove)	7	7	0
„ Holden, J., year's rent of Slupe at Lock's Mill	0	2	6
„ Buck, M., year's rent of Land at Reservoir	7	0	0
„ Gresswell, R., year's rent of site of Slupe for Boats at Reservoir	0	5	0
„ Deeping St. James Parish Council, one third cost of Roding the River Welland twice from Town End to Low Locks	4	9	2
„ Fletcher, R., year's, Rent of Garden at Podeshole	0	2	6
„ Woolsey, R., ditto	0	2	6
„ Various Acknowledgments	0	15	0
„ Tickets for Boating	0	17	6
„ The Spalding and Pinchbeck Drainage Trustees for Ash Stakes	2	10	0
„ Tate, A., for Ashes	2	13	3
„ Turner, J., half-year's rent of Counter Drain Wash Land, due 11th October, 1915	4	10	0
„ Whatoff, Jos., one year's rent do. do.	55	0	0
„ Peake, J., for hire of Pile Driving Frame	3	0	0
„ Deeping St. Nicholas Drainage Washes Board for removal of Tunnel near Woolsey's Mill	1	8	0
„ Edmonds, G., for removal of Willow Trees in Counter Drain	0	16	0
„ Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, allowance to Turner	1	2	6
„ Preston A. J., Neal Peter, Neal Archer, for placing New Slacker in Cross Drain	14	8	3
„ Crowland Rural District Council, Contribution towards Repair of Deeping High Bank	150	0	0
„ Balance	2019	13	10½

Carried forward ... £9299 12 0

### Payments and Discharge.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				6159	6	1½
RIVER GLEN.						
Walker & Co., Roding	102	10	6			
„ Ditto Labour	77	0	6			
Fisher, T., and others, Tunnel Attendance	3	9	6			
Roe, and others, Carpenters	7	14	5			
Green, V. G., Bricklayer	31	7	0			
Groom, W., Timber	2	1	3			
Ward, E. H., Year's Rent of Bridge	1	0	0			
Hackford, J., Blacksmith	0	14	0			
George, F., Plumber	0	19	8			
				226	16	10

#### WORKING DREDGER IN GLEN.

Bilsby, and others, Coal	7	11	0			
Creasey, and others, Labour	36	18	3			
				44	9	3
				271	6	1

#### WELLAND.

Walker & Co., Roding	112	13	0			
„ Ditto and others, Labour	102	10	10			
Ashling, J., Carpenter	8	4	6			
Chapman, T., Tunnel Attendance	0	7	6			
Frisby, Bros., Horse hire	7	11	3			
Elsom, G., Grass Seeds	0	11	0			
				231	13	1

#### WORKING DREDGER IN WELLAND.

Tabor, and others, Labour	26	18	6			
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				258	16	7

#### RODING & CLEANING SOUTH DROVE, NORTH DROVE, & OTHER INTERIOR DRAINS, & GENERAL WORKS & REPAIRS.

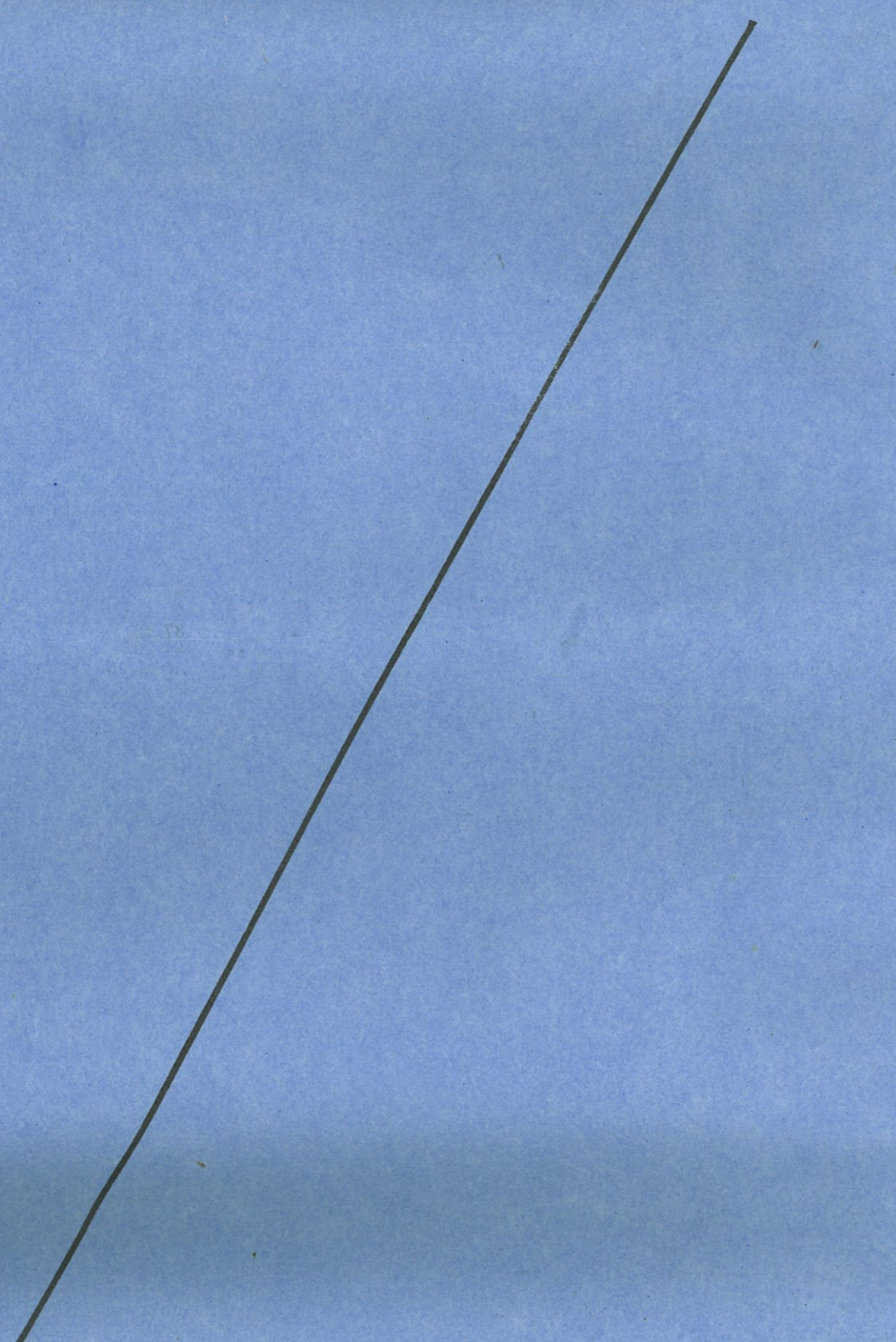
Walker & Co., Roding North and South Drovers and Delph	97	12	5			
„ Ditto and others, Labour	86	13	7			
Wright & Co., Roding Drains	73	15	11			
„ Ditto Labour	40	3	9			
Elsom, Ropemaker, &c.	6	18	9			

Carried forward .. £305 4 5 £6689 8 9½



Charge and Receipts.

Brought forward ... £ s. d.  
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Payments and Discharge.

RODING & CLEANING SOUTH DROVE, NORTH DROVE, &c.—continued. £ s. d. 6689 8 9½

	Brought forward	£305 4 5
Roe, and others, Carpenters .. .. .	.. .. .	55 3 6
Glenn, and others, Horse hire .. .. .	.. .. .	11 17 0
Fairbanks, and others, Blacksmiths .. .. .	.. .. .	25 9 6
Green, and others, Bricklayers, &c. .. .. .	.. .. .	33 9 7
Bain, H., Miscellaneous .. .. .	.. .. .	20 8 6
Beales, A., Petrol and Motor Repairs .. .. .	.. .. .	31 11 10
Wright, and others, Ironmongers .. .. .	.. .. .	8 14 11
National Health Insurance Premiums .. .. .	.. .. .	18 8 6
Buck, and others, Fagots .. .. .	.. .. .	4 8 0
Stewardson, R., Molecatching .. .. .	.. .. .	17 10 0
Elsom, G., Grass Seeds .. .. .	.. .. .	17 15 9
Groom, W., Timber .. .. .	.. .. .	3 2 2
Hutchinson & others, Expenses .. .. .	.. .. .	3 15 0
George F., Plumber .. .. .	.. .. .	0 15 8
Turner, J., Accident Allowance .. .. .	.. .. .	1 2 6
Miscellaneous .. .. .	.. .. .	5 5 8
		<u>564 2 6</u>

EXPENSES IN CONNECTION WITH THE DREDGERS.

Tabor, and others, Labour .. .. .	.. .. .	55 7 3
Gresswell, R., Packing .. .. .	.. .. .	1 9 7
Wright, and others, Stores, &c. .. .. .	.. .. .	19 8 6
Pannell, and others, Carpenters .. .. .	.. .. .	78 2 8
M. & G.N. R. Co. Carriage .. .. .	.. .. .	1 6 11
Massey, and others, Engineers .. .. .	.. .. .	136 9 8
Glenn, & Son, Coal .. .. .	.. .. .	17 6 2
Tomlin, W. M. Oilskins .. .. .	.. .. .	0 13 6
George, F., Plumber .. .. .	.. .. .	0 3 11
		<u>310 8 2</u>
		874 10 8

SALARIES.

Tate, A., Engineer, year's Salary .. .. .	.. .. .	120 0 0
Bain, H., Superintendent, (£300 proportion) .. .. .	.. .. .	225 0 0
Harvey & Son, Tax Receivers, (£85 ,, ) .. .. .	.. .. .	63 15 0
Sharpe, Wade & Whittome, Tax Receivers (£50 proportion) .. .. .	.. .. .	37 10 0
Calthrop & Leopold Harvey, Clerks (£150 ,, ) .. .. .	.. .. .	123 15 0
Scragg, C., Auditor, year's Salary .. .. .	.. .. .	10 0 0
		<u>580 0 0</u>

MISCELLANEOUS.

Glen Bank Rate .. .. .	.. .. .	201 13 2
Rivers, and others, Meetings .. .. .	.. .. .	54 7 11
Spalding Urban District Council, for use of Room .. .. .	.. .. .	1 1 0
Allowance to Tenants (by Messrs. Harvey & Son) Property & Land Taxes .. .. .	.. .. .	30 16 3
Stationery, &c., Messrs. Harvey & Son .. .. .	.. .. .	7 8 0
Ditto, Messrs. Sharpe, Wade & Whittome .. .. .	.. .. .	3 0 0
Appleby, R., Exors., Printing .. .. .	.. .. .	9 10 0
Fress Press, Advertising .. .. .	.. .. .	16 11 3
Spalding Guardian, ditto .. .. .	.. .. .	2 2 0
Stamford Mercury, ditto .. .. .	.. .. .	10 11 6
Atlas Fire Insurance Co., and Aircraft Premiums .. .. .	.. .. .	5 4 9
Postages, &c., by Clerks .. .. .	.. .. .	5 6 5
Pinchbeck & Spalding Poor Rates .. .. .	.. .. .	3 9 2
Spalding Property Tax .. .. .	.. .. .	77 12 8
Deeping St. Nicholas Tax on Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	8 14 5
Pinchbeck Property Tax .. .. .	.. .. .	2 14 10
Deeping St. Nicholas Washes Drainage Rate .. .. .	.. .. .	2 9 8
General Tax on Slipes in Crowland Common & Counter Drain Washes .. .. .	.. .. .	18 11 9
Welland Tax on Banks and Slipes .. .. .	.. .. .	9 0 3
Ocean Accident Co., Premium on Workmen's Policies .. .. .	.. .. .	39 17 6
Ditto Premium on Insurance of Boilers .. .. .	.. .. .	13 5 0
Ditto Premium on New Engines .. .. .	.. .. .	18 10 0
Ditto Premium on New Pumping House and Fixtures .. .. .	.. .. .	9 4 0
On account of Parliamentary Fees, Glen Improvement Bill .. .. .	.. .. .	200 0 0
Clerks costs of Elections .. .. .	.. .. .	4 4 0
Black Sluice Commissioners, contribution towards repair of Glen Bank .. .. .	.. .. .	18 0 0
Amount of Compensation allowed Tenant (Farrow) .. .. .	.. .. .	5 1 3
Amount ordered to be struck out (Woolley's Rent) .. .. .	.. .. .	3 5 0
Bank Charges .. .. .	.. .. .	289 4 6
		<u>1070 13 6</u>
Arrears of Bank Rents—Messrs. Harvey & Son's Collection .. .. .	.. .. .	59 0 0
Ditto Taxes—Ditto .. .. .	.. .. .	2 8 6
Ditto Taxes—Messrs. Sharpe, Wade & Whittome's Collection .. .. .	.. .. .	23 7 9½
		<u>84 16 3½</u>

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