



A Guide to Lambeth Archives:

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GENERAL INTRODUCTION

Administrative history of the Lambeth area

From the sixteenth century Lambeth parish was governed by the vestry of St Marys - the rector, churchwardens and worthy inhabitants. Acts of Parliament were passed, culminating in the 'Act of Elizabeth' in 1601, making parishioners liable for relief of the poor of the parish through a rating system. This marked the beginning of the local government duties of the churchwardens and the vestry. Over the two centuries they became increasingly responsible for local administration, such as highway maintenance and street lighting. A Burial Board of 9 members was appointed in 1852.

Under the Metropolis Local Management Act of 1855 a new authority was created. The new Lambeth Vestry was a secular body, although the rector and churchwardens were ex-officio members. Vestrymen were elected for a limited period from inhabitants with property qualifications. Separate bodies of commissioners were set up as a result of the vestry's adoption of the Public Libraries Act in 1886 and The Public Baths and Wash-houses Acts in 1890. Responsibility for burials, baths and washhouses was transferred to the Vestry in 1894. Local vestries were disbanded by an Act of 1899 and superseded by twenty-eight metropolitan borough councils. The Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth consisted of the area covered by the ancient parish of Lambeth plus a small part of the adjoining parish of Camberwell.

The London Borough of Lambeth was formed in 1965 by a merger of the Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth with parts of the Metropolitan Borough of Wandsworth, namely Clapham and Streatham.

Poor Law Unions

The Lambeth Board of Guardians was constituted in 1834, covering only the parish of St Mary Lambeth, and remained until 1928. Records are held at the London Metropolitan Archives. Clapham and Streatham were part of the Wandsworth Poor Law Union and records are held at Wandsworth Local History Library and the LMA

Lambeth Archives Department

The Minet Library opened in 1890, a gift to the vestries of Lambeth and Camberwell from William Minet, a Huguenot antiquarian and philanthropist who had built the library as part of the Minet Estate. The Library was administered jointly by the vestries, and later metropolitan boroughs of Lambeth and Camberwell until 1956, when sole responsibility passed to Lambeth. William Minet donated his collection of books, prints and manuscripts relating to the history of the whole of the pre-1888 County of Surrey, which included Lambeth, Wandsworth and Southwark. His collection became known as the Surrey Collection and formed the basis of what is now Lambeth Archives Department. The contents of the collection have increased steadily over the last 100 years to form one of the largest local authority archive and local history libraries in London. The department is recognised as an official repository for council, manorial and certain public records.

Collection policy

Material relating to the whole of Surrey was collected until the 1970s when this policy was deemed no longer appropriate. Although some ephemeral local history library material relating to Surrey has been transferred to the relevant repositories, the bulk of the Surrey Collection remains at Lambeth Archives. Lambeth Archives Department now collects archive material relating solely to the area covered by the present London Borough of Lambeth. The collection policy is the same for the local history library with the exception of London books and maps that we consider relevant. A copy of the department's formal collection policy is available on request.

Scope of the collection

The archives service is split into two distinct, though related sections: the Archives and the Local History Library. Lambeth Archives Department houses the records of Lambeth Council and its predecessors from the sixteenth century onwards. The department also holds the archives of Lambeth businesses, institutions, societies, families and individuals. A legacy from the previous collection policy are the records of numerous Surrey manors dating from the thirteenth century. The collection of single deposited archives, primarily deeds of title, currently stands at 16,000 items. The Local History Library consists of printed books, a visual collection of over 30,000 items, maps, cuttings and ephemera.

Abbreviations

Throughout the guide certain abbreviations will be used as follows:

LMA London Metropolitan Archives
LCC London County Council
GLC Greater London Council

LAMBETH ARCHIVES DEPARTMENT: A GUIDE

1. BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS

Scope of the collection

The library originates from William Minet's Surrey Collection and therefore contains a considerable amount of Surrey material, although some was transferred to the Surrey Local Studies Library in the late 1980s. Because of the length of time the collection has been in existence the book and pamphlet collections are extensive, numbering over 20,000 items.

All the standard histories of Surrey, London and the Lambeth area are included. There is a general section which includes works on local and family history, palaeography, local government, guides to other repositories and to source material. Aspects of the history of Surrey and Lambeth covered include archaeology, architecture, geology, geography, militia, sport, natural history, religion, theatres, social history, biography and transport. There is a collection of bound pamphlets relating to all aspects of Surrey life (including Lambeth) of over 2000 items. We also have a separate collection on black history.

We no longer collect Surrey material. The current collection policy can be summarised as follows:

- Non-fiction material relating to the area covered by the present London Borough of Lambeth

- Fictional material set in Lambeth

- Some material relating to those areas that adjoin the borough e.g. Camberwell, Mitcham, Southwark.

- Material relating to London or South London as a whole if relevant.

- Material relating to Surrey if it complements Lambeth's history.

- Relevant general reference material such as social history, local history, family history, guides to records in other locations

Classification scheme

The current classification scheme is based on the categorical tables which precede the main tables in Brown's Subject Classification (1939). The subject numbers have a prefix indicating locality. For example, a book on a Brixton church would have the classification number 16/713 - 16 for Brixton and 713 for churches.

The books are currently being entered onto the Lambeth Libraries computer catalogue and it is likely that this classification scheme will be abandoned for something simpler.

A bibliography at the end of this guide lists the standard published works on the history of Lambeth.

PERIODICALS

The Department has a wide selection of periodicals including current issues and extensive back files of related general, London and Lambeth titles. The list includes many local history society and family history titles. Information in brackets indicates the issuing body if it is not evident in the title. Periodicals marked * or ** are taken currently.

Guide 1: periodicals cont.

Indexing

Some periodicals publish their own indexes and some of the large articles about Lambeth are listed in our book catalogue. Titles marked ** are scanned at the Lambeth Central Reference Library and major items are copied and filed there. The index therefore includes some of our periodicals and books and a copy is kept in the Search Room.

Files

Closed files of periodicals no longer taken or having ceased are shown as 1970-1978. Permanent files of titles still taken are shown as incomplete eg '1970 -'. Titles kept only for a certain period are indicated as '5 year file'. There may be gaps in some files: these are marked with a #.

**	AGE CONCERN LAMBETH NEWSLETTER	1994 -	
	ALL SAINTS AND EMMANUEL PARISH MAGAZINE	1967 - 1977	
	THE ALLEYNIAN	1873 - 1895	
	ANCESTOR	1902 - 1905	
*	ARCHIVES	1949 -	
**	ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY OF AFRICAN, CARIBBEAN AND ASIAN CULTURE AND HISTORY IN BRITAIN NEWSLETTER	1991 -	
*	BRITISH RECORDS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER	1994 -	
**	BRIXTON CHALLENGER	1993 -	
**	BRIXTON MORTAR	1982 -	#
**	BRIXTON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	1982 -	#
**	BRIXTON VILLAGE	1993 -	
	BRIXTON'S OWN BOSS	1971 - 1973	
*	BUSINESS ARCHIVES	1969 -	
*	BUSINESS ARCHIVES COUNCIL NEWSLETTER		5 year file
	BUSINESS HISTORY	1986 - 1988	
*	CALL BOY; the official journal of the British Music Hall Society	1964-	#
*	CAMBERWELL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	1970 -	
	"CARRY ON" (Official gazette of the 10th Lambeth Battalion)	1917 - 1919	
*	CENTRE FOR METROPOLITAN HISTORY	1991 -	

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	THE CHAIN (Magazine of 3 Clapham churches)	1983-1987	
	CHARLES EDWARD BROOKE SCHOOL MAGAZINE	1973 - 1974	
*	CIRCA (What's on in South London)	1995 -	

	CIRCLE; St. Thomas's Staff Magazine	1970 - 1977 1981-1991	
*	CLAPHAM ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY CLAPHAM FOCUS	1947 - MAY 1962 - OCT 1972	#
**	CLAPHAM SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	1976 -	
*	COIN STREET NEWS CONTACT (Newsletter of the Church of the Holy Spirit Clapham)	1991 - 1968 - 1974 #	
	COUNCIL FOR COMMUNITY RELATIONS IN LAMBETH NEWSLETTER/BULLETIN	1967 - 1968 + 1977 - 1982	
	CROCKFORD'S CLERICAL DIRECTORY	1858 - 1982 #	
*	CROYDON NATURAL HISTORY AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY LTD. PROCEEDINGS BULLETIN	1871 - 5 year file	
*	CRYSTAL PALACE FOUNDATION NEWS	1991 -	
*	CRYSTAL PALACE MATTERS; the journal of the Crystal Palace Foundation	1980 -	
	CRYSTAL PALACE TRIANGLE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER	1975 - 1987	
*	DIASPORA (Black Genealogical Society)	JUL 1995 -	
	ELECTRIC AVENUE	1982 - 1986	
*	FAMILY HISTORY NEWS AND DIGEST	1983 - 1987 + 1994 -	
*	FAMILY TREE MAGAZINE	1984 -	
	FANFARE ; the bulletin of the Norwood Grove Social Centre	1963 -70	#
*	FRIENDS OF BROCKWELL PARK NEWSLETTER	1991 -	
*	FRIENDS OF WEST NORWOOD CEMETERY NEWSLETTER	1990 -	
*	GENEALOGISTS' MAGAZINE	1986 -	
*	GLIAS NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
	GUILDHALL MISCELLANY	1952 - 1973	
	GUILDHALL STUDIES IN LOCAL HISTORY	1973 - 1981	
	HARLEIAN SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS	1877 - 1979	
**	HERNE HILL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	1991 -	
*	HISTORIAN	1983 -	
Guide, periodicals, cont.			
*	HISTORICAL ABSTRACTS	1955 -	
*	HOME COUNTIES MAGAZINE	1899 - 1912	
*	HUGUENOT SOCIETY OF LONDON	1885 -	
	ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS	1851 - 1853	
*	JOURNAL OF THE EAST SURREY FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY	1977 -	
*	JOURNAL OF REGIONAL AND LOCAL STUDIES	1986 -	
*	JOURNAL OF THE LONDON SOCIETY	1988 -	

*	JOURNAL OF THE SOCIETY OF ARCHIVISTS	1952 -	
*	JOURNAL OF THE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH HISTORY SOCIETY	1973 -	
	KING'S ACRE NEIGHBOURHOOD NEWS	1973 -1982	#
	KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL GAZETTE	1962 - 1965	
	KNUCKLE; a workers' and tenants' paper	1977	
**	LAMAS NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
	LAMBETH ASSOCIATION FOR THE DISABLED NEWSLETTER	1975 - 1983	
	LAMBETH BLUES; news and views on community relations in Lambeth	1975-76	
	LAMBETH CIVIL DEFENCE ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER	1948 - 1950	
	LAMBETH COUNCIL TENANTS NEWS	1979 - 1981	
	LAMBETH DIARY	1950 - 1975	#
	LAMBETH JOURNAL(official journal of the Lambeth Chamber of Commerce)	1961 - 1966	
*	LAMBETH LEISURECARD MAGAZINE	1996 -	
	LAMBETH LOCAL	1972 - 1982	
*	LAMBETH MENCAP NEWS	1996 -	
	LAMBETH NALGO CUTLET	1981	
	LAMBETH NALGO CUTS BULLETIN	1980 - 1981	#
	LAMBETH NALGO LAMB	1980, 1989 -	
		1990	
	LAMBETH NALGO NEWS	Jan-Jul 1978	
	LAMBETH NEWS SHEET (Lambeth Youth Office/Council of Youth)	1960 - 1970	
*	LAMBETH PENSIONERS FORUM NEWSLETTER	1996 -	
	LAMBETH PEOPLE	1987 - 1991	
	LAMBETH PUBLIC LIBRARIES STAFF NEWSLETTER	1958 - 1964	
**	LAMBETH PUBLIC TRANSPORT GROUP NEWSLETTER	1987 -	
*	LAMBETH STATISTICS	1991-	
*	LAMBETH TALK (Community - Police Consultative Group for Lambeth)	1996 -	
*	LAMBETH UNISON NEWS	1993 -	
	LAMBETH YOUTH AID NEWSLETTER	1984 - 1986	
	LAMBETHAN QUARTERLY	1963 - 1968	
	LARA NEWSLETTER (Lambeth Arts and Recreation)	1968	
*	LIBRARY CONSERVATION NEWS	5 year file	
	LIVING SOUTH: the magazine for Battersea, Clapham, Wandsworth & Putney	Sept 1992 - Jan 1995	*
	LOCAL HISTORIAN	1968 -	
*	LOCAL HISTORY	1984 -	
*	LOCAL HISTORY NEWS(British Association	1985 -	

	for Local History)		
*	LOCAL POPULATION STUDIES	1968 -	
	LOCAL STUDIES INDEX	1981 - 1990	
*	LOCAL STUDIES LIBRARIAN	1983 -	
	LONDON AND MIDDLESEX HISTORIAN	1965 - 1967	
*	LONDON ARCHAEOLOGIST	1968 -	
*	LONDON BIRD REPORT	1936 - 1945	
		1964 -	
*	LONDON JOURNAL	1975 -	
*	LONDON NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
*	LONDON NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY ORNITHOLOGICAL BULLETIN	5 year file	
*	LONDON NATURALIST; Journal of the London Natural History Society	1965 -	
*	LONDON RECORD SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS	1965 -	
*	LONDON TOPOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY RECORD	1900 -	
*	LONDON TOPOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
*	LONDON'S INDUSTRIAL ARCHAEOLOGY	1979 -	
*	METROPOLITAN LINES (Newsletter of the Greater London Archives Network)	5 year file	
*	MINET CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER	1985 -	#
	MORLEY COLLEGE MAGAZINE	1903 - 1906	
	NEW LAMBETHAN	1983 - 1986	
**	NORWOOD REVIEW	1961 -	
	OLD VIC AND SADLER'S WELLS MAGAZINE	1932 - 1939	
	OLD VIC MAGAZINE	1920- 1929	#
*	ORAL HISTORY	1970 -	
	ORISON (Parish magazine of Holy Trinity, Trinity Rise and St. John's Guernsey Grove)	1968	#
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	THE OUTLOOK (Parish magazine of St. John, Clapham)	1963 - 1973 1963 - 1973	
*	THE REVIEW (Magazine of the Churches Together in North Lambeth & District)	1995 -	
*	ROOT AND BRANCH (West Surrey Family History Society)	1974 -	
*	ROYAL COMMISSION ON HISTORICAL MONUMENTS NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
	S.E.1	1986 - 1991	
	ST. GABRIEL'S COLLEGE LETTER	1927- 1976	#
	ST. JAMES, CLAPHAM PARK PARISH MAGAZINE	1968- 1973	#
	ST. JAMES, KNATCHBULL ROAD PARISH MAGAZINE	1950 - 1951	
	ST MARY BALHAM CHURCH MAGAZINE	1881	
	ST. PETER'S, CLAPHAM PARISH MAGAZINE	1968 - 1974	

	ST. PETER'S, STREATHAM PARISH MAGAZINE	1876	
	ST. THOMAS'S HOSPITAL GAZETTE	1960 - 1972	
	SCENE; Magazine of the South London Theatre Centre	1977- 1990 #	
	- as SLTC Newsletter	1969 - 1977 *	
	SOCIETY OF ARCHIVISTS NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
	SOUTH CIRCULAR	1978 - 1982	
	SOUTH EASTERN NATURALIST AND ANTIQUARY	1934 - 1949	
	SOUTH LAMBETH DISTRICT NEWSLETTER (South Lambeth District Scout Council)	1971 - 1988	*
	SOUTH LONDON BOTANICAL INSTITUTE GAZETTE <i>Earlier known as Hume's SLBI</i>	1985 -	
	SOUTH LONDON ENTOMOLOGICAL AND NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY PROCEEDINGS	1892 - 1899 + 1924- 1958 #	
	SOUTH LONDON RECORD (South London History Workshop)	1985-1989	
*	SOUTHWARK AND LAMBETH ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER (SLAS)	1966 -	
	SPECTABO: The official journal of the Lambeth, Municipal Officers' Guild	1959-1970	#
**	STREATHAM PUMP	1974 -	
*	SURREY ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY BULLETIN	5 year file	
*	SURREY ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY COLLECTIONS	1858 -	
	SURREY COUNTY JOURNAL	1946 - 1959	
*	SURREY HISTORY	1973 -	
	SURREY LIFE	1964, 1971 - 1975	
*	SURREY LOCAL HISTORY COUNCIL NEWSLETTER	5-year file	

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	SURREY MAGAZINE	1899 - 1904	
*	SURREY RECORD SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS	1916 -	
*	TEACHING HISTORY	1969-1976+	
		1986 -	
	TENISON'S GAZETTE	1990 -1991	#
*	THEATRE NOTEBOOK	1964 -	
	THEATREPHILE	1983 - 1985	
	TRANSACTIONS OF THE CONGREGATIONAL HISTORY SOCIETY	1965 - 1972	
*	TRANSACTIONS OF THE LONDON & MIDDLESEX	1967 -	
	ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY		
	TRANSPORT HISTORY	1968 - 1981	
*	UPPER NORWOOD ATHENAEUM PROCEEDINGS	1887 -	
**	VALE TOPICS	1954 -	
	VAUXHALL GARDENS TENANT'S ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER	1967 - 1970	
**	VAUXHALL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	1969 -	
**	VAUXHALL VIEW	1992 -	
	VIC WELLS ASSOCIATION	1952-1972	#
*	WANDSWORTH HISTORIAN	1971 -	
*	WANDSWORTH HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER	5 year file	
	WARREN (Metropolitan Police Area 4 magazine)	1979 - 1981	
	WHAT'S ON (Streatham and Brixton cinemas)	1957 -1974	#
	WIDE AWAKE NORWOOD	1930 - 1931	
	WORKING FOR LAMBETH	1988- 1993	#

GUIDE 3: LOCAL NEWSPAPERS

The following list indicates which local newspapers are in stock permanently, in which Department, the lengths, and whether microfilm or original copy. Copying facilities are available, but generally only from microfilms. Other local papers are filed on a short term basis at Brixton Reference Library, not listed here.

There are no indices to these newspapers, but both sites have collections of newspaper cuttings on various subjects. The cuttings collection at Lambeth Archives Department dates from 1956 to 1987, and that at the Reference Department from the early 1970s to date.

O= Original, M=Microfilm Copy

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>REF</u>	<u>ARCHIVES</u>
Borough of Lambeth & Southwark Parochial Literary & Scientific Journal	See Ratepayer		
Brighter Clapham	Dec 1933 - 1970		M
Brixton Advertiser	1958 - 1970 1959 - May 1974	O	M
Brixton Citizen	Oct 1950 - Dec 1952 Feb & Mar 1953 Oct - Dec 1960		M
Brixton Free Press	Jul 1882 - 1902 1882 - 1954 1902 - 1904 1907 - 1948	M O O	M
Brixton Illustrated Press	Nov 1922 - June 1930		M O
Brixton News	Feb 1976 - Apr 1978	M	
Brixtonian/Borough of Lambeth Gazette	Sept 1891 - 1904 1905 - Nov 1915	O M	
Clapham & Lambeth News	Feb 1973 - 1982	M	
Clapham Gazette	1853 - 1871	O	
Clapham News & Observer	1966 - Feb 1973		M

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Clapham Observer, Tooting and Balham Times & Surrey Advertiser	1869 - 1965 1955 - 1966	M O	
Crystal Palace & Norwood Advertiser	1958 - 1959 Nov 1952 - May 1975 (1961 - 1966 included on film with Brixton Advertiser)	O	M
Kennington Elector	1930 - 1938 some gaps		M
Lambeth Gazette & South London Advertiser	1853 - 1854	O	
London	1893 - 1897	O	
North Lambeth Citizen	1934 - 1939 (some gaps)	M	
Norwood Observer Norwood Press and Dulwich Advertiser	1913 1887 - 1909, 1912 - 1913, 1916 - 1923, 1926 - 1927 1930 - 1937, 1889 - 1939	O O	O
Norwood Review	1880 - 1900	M	
Parochial Critic	1867 - 1874	O	
Ratepayer	June 1850 - Oct 1853		M O
South London Advertiser (incorporating Crystal Palace & Norwood Advertiser)	1959 - 1962 1962 - 1970 1949 - 1957	O M	
South London Chronicle	Nov 1859 - 1907		M
South London News (incorporating Streatham News)	Mar 1985 -		M
South London Observer	1966 - 1967	O	
South London Press	1889 - 1950, 1958 - 1970 some early gaps 1865 -	O M	

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South Western Star	1890 - 1972	O
Streatham Free Press	1905 - 1906	O
Streatham News	1951 - 1970	O
	1891 - 1965; 1984	M
	1965 - 1985	M
	(from March 1985 <u>SEE</u> South London News)	
Surrey Advertiser <u>SEE</u> Clapham Observer		
Surrey Comet	1903 - 1917 (Christmas Supplements only)	O
Tooting & Balham Times <u>SEE</u> Clapham Observer		
Wandsworth Boro News	1948 - 1949	O
West Indian Gazette	1959 - 1965 (some gaps)	M
West Norwood Times	1949 - 1952	M
Westminster & Lambeth Gazette	1881 - 1891	O

4. CUTTINGS COLLECTIONS

This contains newspaper and periodical extracts, leaflets, pamphlets and miscellaneous ephemera dating from the 18th century to the present day. It is arranged in the same subject order as the books & pictures. It also includes some very small periodical runs, sometimes only single copies, of publications of small local organisations such as neighbourhood councils and churches. These are not included in the periodicals list.

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5. DIRECTORIES

Surrey:

Pigot's Directory of Surrey 1826, 1839, 1840, 1855

Pigot's Surrey and Sussex 1834

Robson's Commercial Directory of Surrey 1838

Post Office Directory of Surrey 1855, 1882, 1891, 1905, 1909, 1911, 1913, 1915, 1918, 1922, 1924, 1927, 1930, 1934, 1938

Kelly's Surrey and Sussex 1891, 1899

London:

Dale's Inhabitants of London 1638

List of Merchants of London 1677

Court and City Register 1760

Baldwin's new complete guide to the City of London 1770

Lowndes London Directory 1787, 1791

The New Universal British Directory (facsimile, indexed) 1793-1798

Kent's London Directory 1812

Johnstone's Commercial Directory 1818

Pigot's London and Provincial Commercial Directory 1822-3 and 1823-4

Robson's London Directory 1826

Post Office London Directory 1833-38, 1840-50, 1855, 1857-58, 1860-61, 1863, 1865, 1867, 1869, 1871, 1873, 1875-77, 1879-80, 1883, 1885, 1887, 1889, 1891, 1894 (suburban only), 1895-1900, 1902-3, 1905-6, 1909-1911, 1915 (with suburban), 1919, 1920 (with suburban), 1923 (with suburban), 1926, 1934, 1936-38, 1941, 1944, 1945, 1955, 1956, 1959-87

Local:

Clapham with its common and environs 1828

The Clapham Directory

The Metallurgican Local Directory (Wandsworth)

Green's Wandsworth, Vauxhall, Kennington and South Lambeth Directory 1868

Kelly's Local Directories:

Balham 1928

Barnes 1937-38

Battersea and South Lambeth 1904-5

Brixton and Clapham 1886, 1888-1915, 1917, 1920, 1922-26, 1928

Caterham 1956

Croydon:

Gray's 1851, 1853, 1855, 1859, 1861, 1864-65; Kelly's 1910, 1926-28, 1934;

Ward's 1904, 1926, 1937; Warren's 1869, 1874, 1878, 1880, 1882, 1904, 1926

Dorking 1950

Dulwich, Denmark and Champion Hills 1884

Guide 5: directories (local), cont.

Dulwich and Tulse Hill 1909-11, 1913-14, 1916-19, 1923-26
Epsom and Ewell 1952, 1956
Epsom and Leatherhead (Andrew's) 1902, 1912, 1929, 1938
Esher 1932-36, 1939, 1951, 1954, 1956, 1958, 1960, 1962, 1967
Farnham 1947, 1971
Guildford and Godalming 1941, 1950, 1953, 1955-57, 1959, 1961
Haslemere and District 1936
Kingston 1893, 1897, 1912, 1926, 1929, 1930, 1933, 1934-35, 1939-40, 1951, 1954, 1956, 1958, 1960, 1964, 1967, 1971
Oxted and Limpsfield 1951
Peckham, Nunhead and Camberwell 1908
Putney 1929, 1931, 1933, 1937-38
Reigate and Redhill 1931, 1935, 1951, 1954, 1959
Richmond 1896-97, 1913, 1928-39, 1951, 1954, 1956, 1958, 1960, 1966-67, 1969, 1971
Southwark Trade Directory 1968
Streatham and Norwood 1909, 1911-17
Streatham, Norwood and Norbury 1922, 1925, 1926
Streatham 1930, 1932, 1934, 1938
Surbiton 1939, 1951, 1954, 1956, 1958, 1960, 1966-67, 1969, 1971
Sutton and Cheam 1927, 1935, 1937-38
Sydenham, Norwood and Streatham 1882, 1884-87, 1889, 1891-99, 1901-06, 1908
Wandsworth 1928, 1934
Wimbledon and Merton 1912-17, 1919-25, 1927-28, 1930-34, 1938-39, 1951
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6. ELECTORAL REGISTERS

Electoral registers are treated as part of the official records and are listed under section 11 with the Local Authority records

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7. ILLUSTRATIONS

The visual collection numbers over 30,000 images - Engravings, etchings, drawings, water-colours, oil paintings and photographs. The collection includes items from the Surrey Collection of William Minet and therefore a substantial portion covers the whole of the pre-1888 County of Surrey.

Some are bound in volumes but the majority are loose. There are separate indexes for Surrey and Lambeth views, both topographical and by subject. There is also an index by artist. The collection is extensive and wide-ranging and includes:

water-colours, prints and etchings of the 18th & 19th centuries by, amongst others, William Marlow, Jean Claude Nattes, Francis Grose, Paul Sandby, Schnebbelie father and son, Rowlandson, Hassell, Pugin and TH Shepherd

architectural drawings by Hawksmoor of Ockham Park, Blenheim Palace and Castle Howard; by John Yenn of houses at Putney and Peperharrow and the Temples at Kew; by Sir William Chambers of Kew Gardens and Somerset House and by William Kent of Esher and Claremont

The Woolley Collection of photographs of the Lambeth waterfront, taken in the 1860s before the construction of the Albert Embankment.

Postcard collections, notably the Johns Collection of views of the borough from 1900 to the 1930s.

GUIDE 8. MAPS

The collection includes the following: Ordnance Survey maps; parish maps; manuscript maps and plans; estate and insurance plans; transport and utility maps; deposited engineering and architectural plans and drawings; sale catalogue plans; street and district maps.

The emphasis of the collection lies in the coverage of the borough of Lambeth, which includes Vauxhall, Stockwell, Kennington, Brixton, Streatham, Norwood, Clapham, Herne Hill and Tulse Hill. London and its environs is also well covered by the collection, with Surrey represented through a series of county maps.

Access to the collection is through the map index. This is arranged chronologically by area with a surveyors index and a map subject index. Many maps, including the Ordnance Survey, are on open access in the searchroom. The following is a general description of the main holdings within the map and plan collection:

<u>Ordnance Survey Maps</u>	<u>London Borough of Lambeth</u>
25 inches to 1 mile	1870
60 " " " "	1868 - 76 Excluding Streatham, Norwood and Herne Hill.
25 " " " "	1894 - 96 Excluding most of Streatham.
60 " " " "	1894 - 96 Excluding parts of Central Streatham and Streatham Vale
60 " " " "	1906 - 21 Excluding parts of Streatham, Norwood, Stockwell, Clapham Park and Tulse Hill.
25 " " " "	1915 Excluding South and West Streatham.

<u>Ordnance Survey Maps</u>	<u>London Borough of Lambeth</u>
60 " " " "	1932 - 40 Excluding Streatham Vale.
1: 1250	Current editions, published at intervals, 1948 - to date

<u>Ordnance Survey Maps</u>	<u>London</u>
2 inches to 1 mile	1804 - 06.
1 inch " " "	1976 - 68. South West London.

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Ordnance Survey Maps Surrey (and parts of) including South London.

1 inch to 1 mile	Various revisions, 1822 - 1971.
2 1/2 inches to 1 mile	1956.
6 inches to 1 mile	1871 - 1873, 1897 - 1898, 1919, 1938, 1949.
25 " " " "	1870, 1896 - 1897, 1912 - 1915, 1932 - 1938.

Geological Maps

1: 50,000	Geological Survey. South London Drift. 1961, 1981
1: 10,000	Geological Survey. North Lambeth Solid with Drift. 1987, 1992.
1: 17,000	Geology of London 1856.

Drainage Plans

Based upon Ordnance Survey Skeleton Plans of 1848 - 49 and subsequent editions. Series showing household and main drainage runs. 60 inches to 1 mile. Editions: ca 1855, ca 1894. Covering the London Borough of Lambeth, except the Western part of Streatham Parish.

Parish and Borough Maps.

Lambeth. Various maps showing Vestry Wards, Parliamentary Divisions and Ecclesiastical Districts. 1825 - 1918.

Lambeth Manor enclosure Map.	1806
Streatham.	1843, 1852
Clapham.	1849
Camberwell.	1842
Southwark. Showing parishes.	1915
Wandsworth. Showing parishes and wards	1901

Guide 8: maps, cont.

Tithe Maps 1838 - 1841

NB. Original tithe maps and awards are held at the Public Record Office at Kew. Microfilm copies are held at Lambeth Record Office, as follows:

Lambeth Ecclesiastical Districts: Lambeth, Brixton, Kennington, Norwood & Waterloo.
Clapham, Camberwell and Streatham.

London

Various maps of London and environs including:

Agas	Cities of London and Westminster	1560
Fairthorne	London	1658
Hollar	London	1673
Rocque	London and 10 miles around	1741 - 5
Rocque	London and Westminster	1745 - 6
Horwood	London, Westminster and Southwark	1792, 1807
Milne	Land use	1800
Stanford	London and Suburbs	1862 and subsequent edition
Booth	Poverty Map of London	1889 - 90

Goad London Insurance Plans

A series of insurance plans covering parts of Lambeth, Southwark and Brixton. The plans, with added updates, show details of commercial and industrial premises.

Scales at 1 inch to 40 feet & 1 inch to 80 feet 1889, 1903, 1950s.

Council Plans

Collections of maps, plans and drawings are included in the deposited records of various council departments. These include engineering plans related to public transport, e.g. trams and railway, parks department plans of open spaces, housing estate plans, street renumbering and paving plans and sewers and drainage.

Guide 8: maps, cont.

Other Sources

Many deeds, leases and indentures carry marginal or attached plans. The principal collections for such documents are Class I and those deposited by Lambeth Legal Services. Small maps and plans can be found in sales catalogues, accessed through the sales catalogue index. Maps and plans may also be found in Manorial records (Class VI), and in the deposited records collection (Class IV).

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10. SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

The Vauxhall Gardens Collection

A substantial collection of prints, illustrations, cuttings and songsheets from the 18th and 19th centuries. A large portion of the collection has been copied onto fiche and is available in the local history reference area.

The Crystal Palace Collection

Books, programmes, illustration and related ephemera. Includes the Delamotte album of photographs of the construction of the palace at Sydenham in 1853.

The Woolley Collection

Doulton pottery, Strudwick photographs of the Lambeth riverfront in the 1860s.

Theatre bills and posters

These are catalogued as part of the local history library and include playbills and posters from:

- Astley's Amphitheatre
- Surrey Zoological Gardens
- Surrey Theatre
- Canterbury Theatre of Varieties
- Empress, Brixton
- Old Vic
- Streatham Hill Theatre

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11. LOCAL AUTHORITY RECORDS

This section contains the records of the London Borough of Lambeth and its predecessor authorities:-

11.1.1.	Parish of St Mary at Lambeth	c. 1500-1900
11.1.2.	Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth	c. 1850-1960
11.1.3.	London Borough of Lambeth	c. 1850-1990s
11.2.	Parish of St Leonard, Streatham	1672-1931
11.3.	Parish of Holy Trinity, Clapham	1694-1873

11.1.1 PARISH OF ST MARY AT LAMBETH

Vestry

P3

Minutes 1610 -1627, 1652 -1779, 1816 -1826, 1834 -1900 (1855-83 index); includes Burial Board accounts 1858-62; extract from collector for the poor accounts 1552-1571; rough accounts and bills 1787-1856 (including survey of the value and profit of the parish of Lambeth 1649); deeds and agreements 1840 -1900

Vestry Committees

Some committees ran continuously through the change from Vestry to Metropolitan Borough. Check also the committees in Section 11.1.2 for turn of the century minutes.

Assessment Committee:

P3

minutes 1870-1915; valuation lists 1870-1900; miscellaneous papers 1869-1891; statement of agricultural land 1896

Baths and Cemeteries Committee:

P12

minutes 1896-1900

Burial Board:

P12

minutes 1852-1896

Finance Committee:

P3

minutes 1856-1901; financial statements and returns 1896-1900

General Committee:

P3

minutes 1857-1859, 1887-1898, 1897-1900

General Purpose Committee:

P3

minutes 1856-1900

Lighting Committee:

P11

minutes 1856-1900; lamp registers 1870s; inspectors' reports 1881-1903

Guide, 11: Parish, Vestry Committees, cont.

<u>Lighting Committee for Brixton:</u> minutes 1832-1856	P11
<u>Sewers and Sanitary Committee:</u> minutes 1856-1900; index of drainage applications 1848-1899	P3
<u>Wharf and Cleansing Committee:</u> minutes 1870-1899; committee reports 1894-1900	P3

Vestry papers P3

Audit books 1863-1887; reports of committees to vestry 1857-1870; routine vestry business 1876; memorials reports and correspondence; 1878-1879; miscellaneous bills 1869-1882; papers relating to property 1857-1892; road improvements 1848-1878; buildings 1861-1878; health 1848-1878; sewage 1857-1870; adulteration of food 1872-1873; prosecutions 1873; street trading 1856-1874; firefighting 1852-1873; police 1848-1869; vouchers 1856-1868

Agreements and correspondence with gas and railway companies:

Crystal Palace Gas Co, South Metropolitan Gas Light and Coke Co., Phoenix Gas Co; Imperial Gaslight and Coke Co; London, Chatham Dover and South Eastern Railway; water supply; London, Brighton and South Coast Railway Co; South Eastern Railway; East London Railway; London and South Western Railway South London Gas Bill; Brixton, Clapham and Balham Extension Railways, Thames Embankment, London Gas Light Co.

Papers of Thomas Roffey; vestry clerk

Deeds; leases and agreements 1840-1900

Churchwardens P1

Minutes 1841-1867; accounts 1504 -1869; letter book 1846;
Lambeth Church Building Committee minutes 1820-21
Papers concerning construction and subsequent repairs
of St Matthew's Brixton; St Luke's West Norwood; St Mark's
Kennington and St John's Waterloo 1819-1855; collectors' bonds
1846 -1854; receipts 1831-1845; correspondence 1832 -1942.
Bonds between various parties and churchwardens 1829 -1860

Guide 11: Parish, cont.

Overseers

P2

Churchwardens and Overseers minutes 1828-1900; accounts 1552-1571; 1584-1599; 1618-1651; 1786-1787 overseer's notebook 1772-1773; Committee for the relief of the poor during inclement weather minutes 1814; settlement examinations of women in the Lying-in Hospital 1805-1807; register of workhouse children 1826-33; workhouse repairs 1826-1835; workhouse record book 1816-1820; workhouse accounts 1801 - 1810; 1816 -1820; rate books 1700-1900 (with gaps); Churchwardens and Overseers papers re rates and rating 1832-1900; leases of workhouse sites 1727 - 1858; Parliamentary Borough of Lambeth: voters lists 1832-1899

Parochial charities

P4 & IV/108

This section combines, for ease of reference, the records of the parochial charities found in the parish records with a later deposit from the Trustees of the Hayles Charity, which contained records of a number of Lambeth charities, and a deposit from the Lambeth Church Committee of Social Service. Records of Lambeth Charities can also be found amongst the parish records at the London Metropolitan Archives

Archbishop Tenison's School:

committee minute book 1825-1862

Mary Eleanor Benson Gift:

register of recipients 1911-1924;

accounts 1891- 1938

Lord Caroon's Charity:

decree and appointment of trustees

1636-1847

Hayes Fortee:

Declaration of Trust 1783

Hayles Charity:

district minute books 1856-1905; district receipt

books 1856-1940; Hayle's building committee minute books

1907-1914, trustees' attendance book 1862-1917; keys deposit

book 1898-1911; trustees attendance book 1862-1917; cash books

1856-1923; accounts 1977-1922; rent ledgers 1909-1922; wages

analysis 1931-1948

Mrs Mary Kershaw's gift:

accounts 1852-1868

Lambeth Boys' Charity School :

benefaction and subscription book 1812-1856

Guide, 11: Parish, parochial charities

P4 & IV/108 cont.

Lambeth Boys Parochial School:

minute books 1814-1853

Lambeth Church Committee of Social Service:

(closed until 2013) minutes 1912-1959, cash book 1947-1959
case files 1907 onwards, card index of gifts 1947-1949
accounts 1926-1963, application analysis book 1930-1946

Major Lawrence's Charity:

copy will and agreement 1661-1695,
letter book (inc. Spencer's Charity) 1915-1918, accounts 1777-1915

Pedlars Acre Charity:

Trustees attendance book 1880-1900;
Trustees minutes 1826-1900

Peterson's Charity:

leases 1677-1743; financial records
1837-1902; leases 1638-1877; Acts of Parliament
1814-1826; papers concerning lettings and improvements
1834-1899

Robert's Charity:

minute book 1847-1859

Scaldwell's Charity:

will extract 1678

Henry Smith's Charity:

will; acts; estate plans and particulars 1747-1810

Turbeville Charity:

mortgage 1721

United Charities Parish of Lambeth:

minute book 1893-1914; list
of trustees 1893-1919; Lewisham ground rents receipt book 1913;
pensioners receipt books 1893-1927; endowed charities pensioners'
receipt books 1927-1933; weekly rents cash book 1843-1860;
churchwardens minute book 1867-1893; commissioners report 1936; book of
extracts of charitable bequests 1622-1867

Vanderlin Charity:

leases and plans 1794-1796

Walcot Charity:

accounts 1820-1873; Trustees minutes 1828-1867; apprenticeship
indentures 1839-1851; pension applications
1844-1854; estate papers incl. leases and surveyors reports
1816-1865; Acts of Parliament 1822-1828; Chancery litigation
papers 1811-1840; St Barnabas district minute book 1853-1898; pensioners' receipt
books 1853-1930; Walcot Educational Fund-trustees attendance book 1910-1923;
Walcot Technical Fund-grants to scholars and apprentices 1913-1923; trustees cash
books 1894-1928; estate cash books 1913-1933; 1834-1918; estate ledgers 1893-
1928

Misc. parochial charities and bequests 1600-1893

Guide, 11: parish, cont.

Enclosure	P5
Manor of Lambeth: Act, map and award-1806-1810	
Boundaries and Chapelries	P6 & P7
Perambulation of parish boundary 1808	
Boundary agreements; plans and maps 1795-1896	
Papers re chapelries: St Mary the Less; Princes Road 1827-1887;	
Lambeth Thank-Offering Chapel 1855-1861; Verulam Chapel 1855-1856;	
Emmanuel Chapel 1869-1883	
Visitations	P3
1837-1852	
Incumbent	P9
Draft parish registers 1695-1710; 1755-1792; 1803-1816 and	
1854-1855; parish clerks burial fees 1811-1854; correspondence and accounts	
1703-1966	
Surveyor of the Highway	P10
Extract of vestry minutes re appointment 1734; composition for	
statute duty 1807-1856; collectors bonds 1826-1840	
Lighting and watching	P11
Minutes of the Commissioners for the Improvement of Camberwell	
New Road and Lambeth Wike Estate 1826-1837; Minutes of Lighting Committee for	
Brixton 1832-1856; Kennington Lane Commissioners minutes, accounts and	
correspondence 1846-1855; Norwood Gas Lighting Inspectors minutes 1853-1856	
Burial Ground Trustees and Burial Board	P12/P12A
Interment registers 1817-1892 (<i>for later registers see Metropolitan Borough of</i>	
<i>Lambeth</i>)	
<u>Burial Ground Trustees</u> : Act of Parliament 1814; minutes 1813-1857; papers re	
acquisition of property for enlargement 1673-1819; plans 1814; applications for	
annuities 1814-1817; accounts 1818-1852;	
<u>Burial Board</u> : Minutes 1852-1901; agenda books 1859-1901;	
attendance books 1860-1954; out letter books 1852-1891;	
Baths and Wash-houses Commissioners minutes 1891-1897; accounts 1865-1904;	
papers re acquisition of land 1854-1896; papers re upkeep 1858-1897; plans of	
Lambeth Cemetery 1854-1916; correspondence 1852-1914; papers re Lambeth	
Baths and wash houses 1875-1912	

11.1.2 METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF LAMBETH

The records of the Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth are in the process of being re-listed and therefore some committees and departments currently have two reference numbers. The guide will be revised when the re-listing is complete.

Council	MBL/C
Minutes of the council 1902-1965	
Annual reports 1900-1965	
Financial Estimates 1918-1965(gaps)	
Abstracts of accounts 1901-1965	
Medical Officer of Health reports 1900-1964	
Statistics; tables and details of tenders for council meetings 1921-1939	
Council Committees:	
<u>Advisory Committee:</u>	
minutes 1920-1925	MBL/1A
<u>Air Raid Precautions Committee:</u>	MBL/CD
minutes 1936-1939	
<u>Allotments Sub-Committee:</u>	MBL/1
minutes 1922-1933	
<u>Appeals and Rateable Valuations Committee:</u>	MBL/2
minutes 1950-1963	
<u>Assessments Committee:</u>	MBL/4 & MBL/ASS
minutes 1915-1950; valuation books 1920-1956; attendance book 1931-1950; valuation lists 1900-1956 (incomplete).	
<u>Baths and Cemeteries Committee:</u>	MBL/5 & MBL/BC
minutes 1904-1952; attendance book 1930-1952; engagement book 1935-1942; register of interments 1901-1929; poor interments account book 1901-1930; Lambeth Cemetery day books 1934-1955; clergy fees account books 1933-1955; fees paid to cashiers 1904-1906	
<u>Building Committee:</u>	MBL/6
minutes 1963-1965	
<u>Central Executive Committee: Prince of Wales National</u>	MBL/4
<u>Relief Fund:</u>	
minutes 1914-1919; accounts 1914-1915	
<u>Civil Defence Emergency Committee:</u>	MBL/9 & MBL/CD
minutes 1939-1945; pamphlets 1939-1945; address book 1940; operations bulletins 1940-1945; control room diary 1940-1945; register of occurrences 1940-1943; incident files 1940-1945; index of shelters 1940-1945; incident map; UXB incident files; war damage records 1939-1945; council employees 1938-1945; warden's allocations 1938-1945; ARP card index 1938-1944	
<u>Civil Defence Committee:</u>	MBL/CD & CD/A
minutes 1950 -1964; agendas 1948-1953; committee: papers 1950-1953; exercises 1952-1962; corps card index 1950s; corps record cards 1960s; personnel record cards 1949-1960 photographs 1934-1961	

Guide 11: MBL, Council minutes, cont.

<u>Distress Committee:</u> minutes 1905-1914	MBL/16
<u>Education Committee:</u> lists of managers for Provided and Non-Provided; county primary and voluntary schools 1904-1961 (gaps)	MBL/19 & MBL/EDU
<u>Establishment Committee:</u> minutes 1946-1965	MBL/17
<u>Finance Committee:</u> minutes 1901-1965; apportionment account book 1905-1923; attendance books 1939-1959	MBL/18 & MBL/F
<u>General Purpose Committee:</u> minutes 1901-1965	MBL/20
<u>General Committee:</u> minutes 1898-1962	MBL/19
<u>Highways and Traffic Committee:</u> minutes 1963-1965	MBL/21A
<u>Highways Committee:</u> minutes 1900-1939; attendance books 1947-1958	MBL/HIG & MBL/21
<u>Housing Management Committee:</u> minutes 1964-1965	MBL/22A
<u>Housing Committee:</u> minutes 1919-1964; attendance books 1933 -1954; cuttings book (recruitment advertisements 1942-1951; report on housing rents 1964; housing subsidies register 1930-1952	MBL/22 & MBL/HOU
<u>Joint Consultative Committee for the Building Trades :</u> minutes 1962-1966	MBL/6A
<u>Joint Works Committee:</u> minutes 1949-1973	MBL/23A
<u>Joint Unemployed Committee:</u> minutes 1904-1905	MBL/23
<u>Justices:</u> minutes 1914-1947	MBL/24:
<u>Lambeth Junior Accident Prevention Council:</u> minutes 1961-3	MBL/29A
<u>Lambeth Council and Joint Staff Committee:</u> minutes 1945-1969	MBL/25
<u>Libraries Committee</u> minutes 1893-1965	MBL/26
<u>Lighting Committee:</u> minutes 1903-1939	MBL/27
<u>Local Tribunals :</u> minutes 1915-1918	MBL/30
<u>Local Profiteering Committee:</u> minutes 1919-1920	MBL/28
<u>Local Safety Council :</u> minutes 1948-1965	MBL/29

Guide 11: MBL, Council minutes, cont.

<u>Maternity Home Management Committee:</u> minutes 1926-1946	MBL/32A
<u>Maternity and Child Welfare Committee:</u> minutes 1919-1939	MBL/32
<u>Metropolitan Boroughs Standing Joint Committee:</u> minutes 1925-1927	MBL/32B
<u>Minet Public Library Committee:</u> minutes 1936-1956	MBL/26A
<u>Prince of Wales National Relief Fund :</u> minutes 1914-1919	MBL/7
<u>Public Control Committee:</u> minutes 1963-1965	MBL/33
<u>Public Relations Committee:</u> minutes 1946-1965	MBL/34
<u>Public Services Committee:</u> minutes 1939-1965	MBL/35
<u>Public Health Committee:</u> minutes 1901-1965; attendance book 1946-1960; petition and evidence 1902-1904	MBL36 & MBL/PH
<u>Street Trading Committee:</u> minutes 1949-1952	MBL/37
<u>Superannuation Fund Committee:</u> minutes 1899-1955	MBL/38
<u>Town Planning Committee:</u> minutes 1935-1965	MBL/40
<u>Twinning Committee:</u> minutes 1962-1965	MBL/41
<u>Wharf and Cleansing Committee:</u> minutes 1900-1947	MBL/43

Records of council departments

<u>Borough Engineers Department</u> <i>Deposited plans:</i> tramway and light railway plans 1880-1924; Other plans including bridges; open spaces; buildings; road widening etc 1862-1955 <i>Plans and drawings:</i> Lambeth Burial Ground; Lambeth Cemetery; Vestry Hall; Lambeth Town Hall; Lambeth Workhouse Infirmary and Norwood Schools 1853-1911	MBL/ENG
<u>Ratings Department</u> Particulars of proceedings in cases of bankruptcy 1904-1962	MBL/F/R

Guide 11: MBL, Council minutes, cont.

Town Clerks Department

MBL/TC

Papers relating to Pedlars Acre: relating to the development of the site for County Hall and ensuing litigation over compensation and claims of ownership 1820-1913

Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence records:

ARP files 1938-1945; Civil defence Emergency Committee rough minute books 1939-1942; civilian war dead files 1940-1944; civilian personal injuries scheme files 1939-1945; Defence Medal applications 1946-1947; Lambeth Civil Defence Comfort Fund cash book 1940-1948; claim register for lost furniture 1942-1950; register of electricity used in public shelters 1943-1950; account of civil defence in Lambeth 1939-1945; Lambeth Civil Defence Association newsletters 1948-1952; town clerk's files 1936-1966

Cemetery Records:

Deeds re Lambeth Cemetery; Blackshaw Road 1789-1910; schedule of Lambeth Burial Board documents 1896; papers re tithe redemption 1903-1919; agreements and contracts 1873-1943; reburial of bodies 1906-1909; death registration certificates 1873; internment fees 1901-1949; plans of cemetery 1853-1895; correspondence with Burial Board 1852-1853

Town Twinning

Correspondence and files 1954-1978

Town Clerks Election Files:

Parliamentary elections 1918-1945; borough council election 1959; LCC election 1961; correspondence 1907-1952

Papers of Henry James Smith Vestry Clerk/Town Clerk:

Contracts; licences; reports; agreements and correspondence 1870-1900

Housing:

Printed parliamentary papers relating to the provision of housing by local authorities 1913-1920

Town Clerks Files:

1921-1974 (arranged by subject)

Voters lists:

1900-1965

Town Planning Department

MBL/TP

Plans (index) 1880-1924; planning applications (index) 1891-1911; committee attendance book 1937-1952; Metropolitan Board of Works and LCC planning applications 1857-1911; street renaming and renumbering details 1957-1963

11.1.4 LONDON BOROUGH OF LAMBETH

Council

Minutes 1966-1980 (unlisted)

Unbound sets of council committee agendas and minutes 1970s to present (incomplete) are held, unlisted at Lambeth Archives.

Signed minutes of the council and its committees are currently held by the Committee Division at Lambeth Town Hall. They will shortly be transferred to Lambeth Archives.

Records of council departments

Directorate of Borough Development

LBL\BDD

Development brochures (alphabetically by site) 1958-1984;

borough development plans and area development plans 1975-1987;

Photographs of Lambeth buildings c1965-1980; slide library of plans, models and views (index) c1965-1980

Borough Valuers Department

LBL/BV

Valuation lists (alphabetically by street) 1955, 1962; valuation list amendments 1963-1975, property files relating to the acquisition of sites for the creation of parks and open spaces 1905-1977

Chief Executives Office

LBL/CE

Community plans 1971 -1980

Public Relations Dept: records of the Empire Windrush celebrations 1988; public relations photographs 1948-1966

Directorate of Administration and Legal Services

LBL/DALS

Pre-registration Deeds of Title

This is a substantial collection of title deeds of property owned at some point by Lambeth. The deeds are not all fully listed but are indexed in the main archive indexes in the searchroom by place, person and subject.

Former GLC records relating to road building; bridge building and street widening in Lambeth

Directorate of Amenity Services

LBL/DAS

Library Service:

Reference Library Cuttings books 1830-1960

The majority of the records of Lambeth Library Service were transferred to Lambeth Archives in the 1960s and listed with the Class IV series of deposited records. Under present practice they would be listed with the local authority records and are therefore included in this section.

Libraries Committee attendance book 1928 - 1953;

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agendas and correspondence 1946 - 1965; minutes 1959 - 1961; papers 1961 - 1963; Public Relations; Libraries and Twinning Committee: agendas 1965 - 1968;

Libraries Sub-committee: minutes 1965 - 1968; records of Lambeth Library Service 1888-1981;

Guide 11.1: LBL (Libraries), cont.

Records of individual libraries, including stock and staff records:

Carnegie Library, Herne Hill, 1904-1969, Tate Library, Brixton 1892 - 1972; Clapham Library, 1912 - 1921, Durning Library, 1889-1970;

Reference Library, Brixton, 1887-1966; Gramophone Library, 1948-1966; Minet Library, 1890-1970; North Lambeth Library 1891 - 1972; South Lambeth Library, 1887-1958; South Island Place Library, 1962-1971; Tate Library, Streatham 1890-1970; Streatham Vale Library, 1938 - 1970; West Norwood Library, 1888 - 1976; St Martins Library, Tulse Hill, 1961-1973; Jeffreys Library, Stockwell, 1953-1969

Papers concerning exhibitions in Lambeth libraries

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Directorate of Civil Engineering and Public Services

LBL/DCEPS

Drainage Section:

Drainage Plans 1848 -1936; sewer and drainage drawings 1850 -1934;

Highways Structures Section:

Highways structures drawings, 19th and 20th centuries

Street naming, apportionments and works:

Street naming and renumbering files 1870 -1965; apportionment accounts 1880 -1902; apportionment files 1870 -1965

Highways files, Metropolitan Borough of Wandsworth:

Paving; drainage; frontages; lighting 1880 -1962

Directorate of Education

Aspen House School

LBL/ED/AH

Governor's records 1980-1995; log books 1944-1954;

staff records 1963-1977; admission registers 1949-1995;

punishment book 1949-1968, stock records 1951-1974; photographs 1980-1995;

minutes of the Consultative Committee of Head Teachers of Day Open Air Schools 1935-1984

Caldecot Primary School

LBL/ED/CAL

Schoolkeeper's diary 1914-1926; log book 1935-1968; punishment book 1946-1956; admission register 1991-1993; photographs 1978-1996

Dick Sheppard School, Tulse Hill

LBL/ED/DS

School management 1971-1995; closure 1991; staff c.1990; pupil records 1955-1999; extra curricular activities 1956-1999; videos and photographs 1955-1999

Hyde Farm School

LBL/ED/HF

Admission register 1965-1995 (closed); pupil's work 1976-1990; school publications 1990s; photographs 1975-1995

Guide 11.1: Directorate of Education, cont.

St John the Divine CE School

LBL/ED/STJ

Log books 1872-1973; admission registers 1872-1973; punishment book 1966-1974

Santley School

LBL/ED/SAN

Log book 1937-1973; governor's minutes 1988-1997; OFSTED records 1992-1997; admission registers 1968-1997; publications 1993-1997; photographs 1977-1997

Directorate of Environmental Health and Consumer Services

LBL/DEHCS

Entertainments Licensing

Plans of premises no longer licensed for entertainment 1935-1980

Peace and Nuclear Affairs Unit

Photographs, publicity, correspondence 1983-1988

Directorate of Environmental Services

LBL/DES

Parks Department :

plans of parks and open spaces (draft list only)

Civil Engineering, drainage and sewers section:

Register of sewers plans 1855-1939; record of combined drainage

1893-1901; register of plans 1920-1965; register of approved drainage plans for new buildings 1952-1965; MBL list of streets 1935; reports on flooding 1911-1956;

drainage and sewer plans 1856-1987

Civil Engineering Group:

Microfilm plans and drawings of the former Borough Engineers

Department and Civil Engineering Directorate ca1800-1977

Environmental Health Department:

Daily record of disinfection 1925-1966; registers of notification of

infectious diseases 1915-1965; bacteriological registers 1919-1945

Directorate of Finance

LBL/DOF

Financial Estimates 1965-1987

Directorate of Social Services

LBL/SS

Records of Shirley Oaks Children's home(closures)

Directorate of Town Planning

LBL/DTP

Town Planning Applications 1913-1977

Information and Research Group:

Research memoranda and publications 1971-1983

Urban Design Group:

Files and photographs of study areas and conservation areas 1967-1989;

publications 1965-1980; planning legislation 1975; Acts of Parliament 1942-1981;

LCC Development Plan 1951; Engineers' Department: photos, 1929-58

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11.2 PARISH OF ST LEONARD STREATHAM

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Vestry

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Electoral registration papers 1832-1850; population abstracts 1811 - 1831; vestry papers 1785 - 1860 ; parish returns 1821; population returns 1831.

Charities

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Streatham Armed Association minutes 1799- 1803; militia lists 1796 - 1804; Window Tax assessment 1783; Hair Powder and Armorial Bearings Duty assessments 1796 - 1800; papers re substitutes 1794 - 1811

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11.3 PARISH OF HOLY TRINITY CLAPHAM

These records were formerly in the custody of the Metropolitan Borough of Wandsworth and were transferred to Lambeth Archives when Clapham became part of the London Borough of Lambeth in 1965. The majority of the records of this parish are held at the London Metropolitan Archives.

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Camberwell parish boundaries: maps and papers relating to ecclesiastical boundary
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Immanuel Church, South Streatham**IV/214**

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St Matthew, Brixton**IV/77**

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17.2 CONGREGATIONAL, PRESBYTERIAN AND UNITED REFORM CHURCHES

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St Cuthbert's United Reform Church, West Norwood **IV/168**

Diaconate minutes 1945-1972; AGM minutes 1968-1972; Elders and managers meeting minutes 1972-1982; church meeting minutes 1972-1990; joint meeting minutes (with Upper Norwood URC) 1987-1988; communicants roll 1963-1990

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Diaconate, management committee and elders minutes 1846-1985; church meeting minutes 1908-1986; annual reports 1909-1954 (gaps); membership and communion registers 1869-1974; accounts 1865-1980; correspondence and papers relating to property and repairs 1811-1975; Stockwell Educational Institute committee minutes 1847-1888; Stockwell Independent Benevolent Society minutes 1850-1861; YPSCE minutes 1893-1910; *Sunday School*: minutes 1905-1976; annual reports 1889-1934; register 1950-1971; *Men's Own Coal Club*: minutes 1904-1909; annual reports 1905-1906; membership registers 1905-1911; ledgers 1905-1910; Band of Hope: minutes 1876-1909; annual report 1923; attendance registers 1923-1927; *Drapery Club*: account book 1909-1930; *Youth Club*: minutes 1963-1964; Miscellaneous books and photographs 1880-1980

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China Terrace baptism register 1845-1915; Waterloo Road baptism register 1848-1910; Stamford Street baptism register 1852-1896, 1911; Sunday School minutes 1816-1930; Mill Street Sunday School teachers roll 1834-1852; Lambeth Chapel Sunday School teachers roll 1853-1929; Lambeth Chapel Sunday School admission books 1837-1885; Lambeth Society accounts 1809-1875; Stamford Street Trustees accounts 1846 -1910; journals 1887-1954; Circuit schedule books 1835 -1940; Slate Club minutes 1887-1910; Benevolent Society case reports 1864-1865; Lambeth Band of Hope 1896-1923; Lambeth Christian Workers Association minutes 1886-1903; Lambeth Wesleyan Teachers Institute 1845-1847; Methodist books and periodicals

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Clapham Athenaeum

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Clapham Liberal Association

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Reports and accounts 1876 - 1939; papers relating to Loughborough Park Chapel 1860 - 1890; case book 1911-1939; trust papers 1990-1996, correspondence 1900-1995

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Clapham Divisional Labour Party: General Management Committee minutes 1937-1958; members register 1940; Women's Section minutes 1957-1961; Young Socialists correspondence 1959-1961
Lambeth Central Labour Party: Attendance 1971 -1972; correspondence 1971-1972

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Deeds relating to public houses in South London; 18th and 19th century

Waterloo International Terminal

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Plans, drawings, slides and articles relating to the construction of the terminal, 1990-1993

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A substantial amount of the documents relate to Surrey and there is a separate index of Surrey place names. All these indexes are on public access. Initially each item was given a separate continuous number in order of accession. The present policy is to group related documents together under one number.

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Marriages 1825-1852; burials 1825-1880
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Microfilm

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(London Metropolitan Archives)
Microfilm

Quaker registers: London and Middlesex **TR/165-167**
Births 1644-1719; marriages 1657-1719; burials 1661-1699
(London Metropolitan Archives)
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