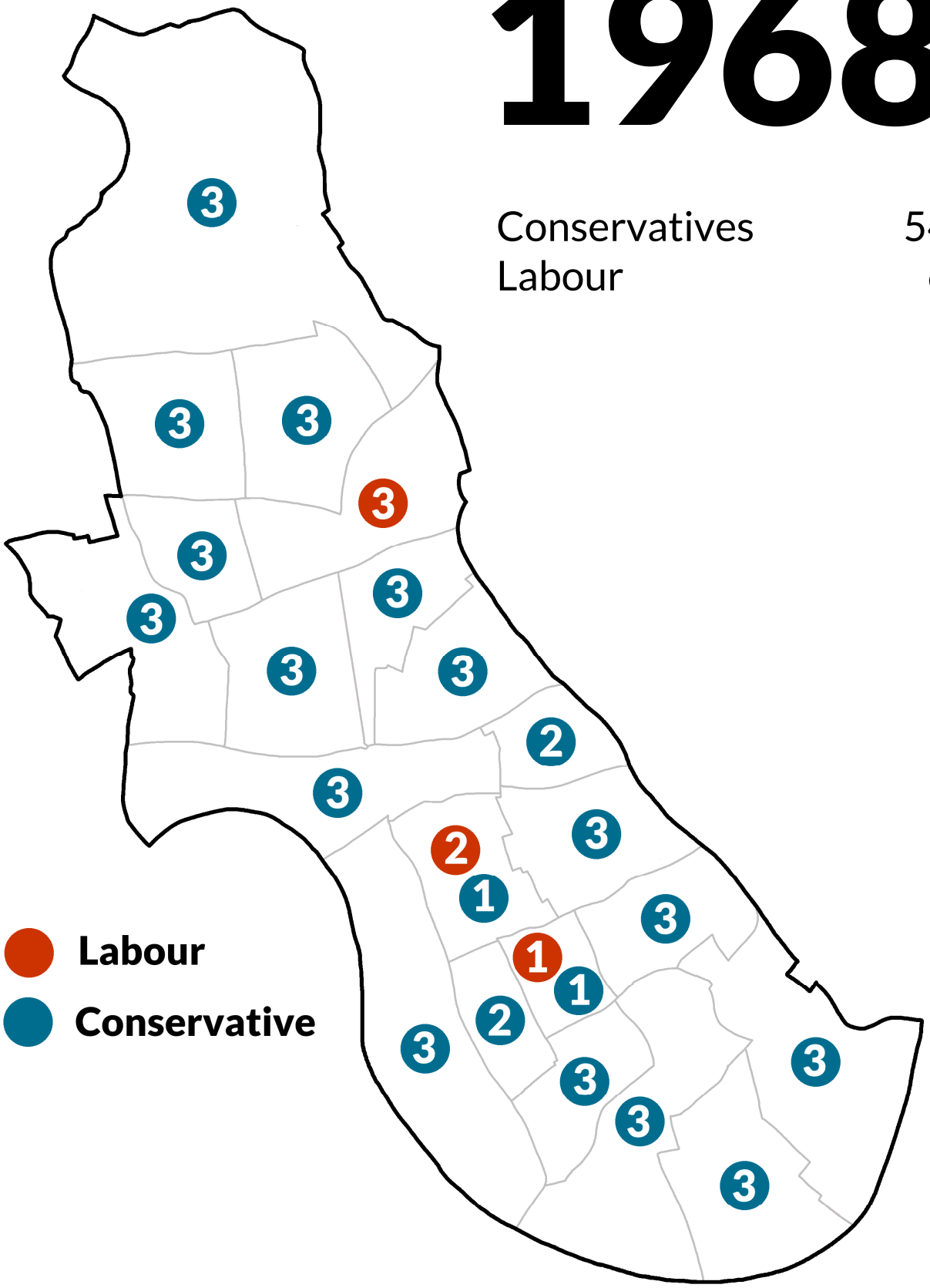
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Conservatives	54
Labour	6





SIX Communists contesting seats on Hammersmith Council posed together before starting out on their election campaign. A seventh candidate, Harry Goulding, was not available at the time.

In our picture (from left to right) are Chris Birch, the Hammersmith Communist Party secretary, who will be contesting Parson's Green A journalist specialising in local government, he has travelled all over the world and worked in two Communist countries. He lives in Blake Gardens, Fulham.

Then comes Mr. George Hicks, also from Fulham, who will fight Colehill ward. Mr. Val Boulton, who learnt his politics in the Welsh mines' struggle, will be standing in Sandford ward.

Mr. Peter Robson, an electrical worker and a G.L.C. candidate in last year's elections, will be contesting Halford ward.

Mrs. Tanya Ritchie, a 23-year-old mother of two and daughter of Mr. Boulton, will be fighting Sherbrooke ward.

Last in the line-up is Mr. John Gould, father of four, who is standing in White City ward. He is President of the Amalgamated Society of Woodworkers and at 29 is one of the younger candidates.

Labour fighting 60 seats

SIXTY seats on Hammersmith Council are all being contested by Labour candidates as well as by the Conservatives.

Labour has favoured a shuffle of some candidates which brings new names into several wards. In all Labour has 23 new candidates standing for seats.

Labour's line-up for the borough elections next Thursday is:

College Park and Old Oak Ward: Cllr. Frank Ing, laundry charge hand; Cllr. Harry Perlin, paper merchant; Cllr. Melvyn Silverman, clerk.

White City: Cllr. Randoph Beresford, carpenter; Cllr. David Murray, retired university teacher; Mr. Brian Powell, trade union official.

Wormholt: Cllr. Alan G. Breeze, clerk; Cllr. Arthur A. Ingram, postman; Mr. Alan J. Martin, film technician.

St. Stephen's: Mr. Dennis P. Brooker, draughtsman; Cllr. Roy Hunt, works convenor; Cllr. Leslie Jones, teacher.

Coningham: Cllr. Mrs. E. Freeman, housewife; Cllr. Len Freeman, clerk; Cllr. Mrs. Maria Havelka, housewife.

Starch Green: Cllr. James C. D. Bull, hospital engineer; Mr. William A. H. Coventry, gardener; Mrs. R. M. Johnson, housewife.

Grove: Cllr. E. Gosling, clerk-typist; Cllr. Francis Keppel, office supervisor; Cllr. Tom Morris, catering manager.

Addison: Miss Pearl Alston, retired civil servant; Mr. Albert Braggins, civil servant; Mr. Patrick J. Martin, garage foreman.

Brook Green: Mr. Robert C. Bowles, technical representative; Mr. John W. Lewington, storekeeper; Mr. J. Philpott, marketing assistant.

Margravine: Cllr. Eric L. Hill, postal and telephone officer; Cllr. Jack J. Ireland, civil servant; Cllr. Leonard W. Stanley, cost accountant.

Gibbs Green: Mr. George A. Gollinson, clerk; Mrs. Edna Moodie, factory worker; Mrs. Phyllis Perlin, housewife.

Halford: Cllr. James C. Beckett, engineering inspector; Mr. Rolley T. Lashley, structural engineer; Mr. Harry Dyer, wholesale greengrocer.

Crabtree: Cllr. Frank W. Banfield, insurance representatipe; Mr. John G. Evans, civil servant; Cllr. Mrs. E. Sears, legal secretary.

Colehill: Cllr. George W. Dimmick, chartered patent agent; Cllr. Mrs. Gladys I. Dimmick, housewife.

Sherbrooke: Cllr. Malcolm A. Hall, bank clerk; Cllr. Sydney A. Matthews, shop assistant.

Town: Mr. T. H. Champion, electrical fitter; Cllr. Thomas N. Cox, unit operator; Cllr. Ian Gray, student.

Sulivan: Cllr. Mrs. Cicely J. Liardet, housewife; Mr. Anthony F. W. Powell, solicitor's clerk; Mr. Terence Wheeler, script copy writer.

Parson's Green: Cllr. H. D. Duff, rubber work inspector; Cllr. Donald T. King, teacher; Cllr. Mrs. Birte Little, welfare supervisor.

Sandford: Cllr. Percival James Barton, retired teacher; Cllr. John M. Browning, retired grocer's manager; Cllr. Miss Phyllis M. Cooper, clerk.

Broadway: Mrs. Marie L. Clarke, secretary; Cllr. Charles W. Howard, accountant; Cllr. George E. C. Simpson, coach painter.

Avonmore: Mr. Frank A. Foes, justices clerk assistant; Mr. Ian McCourt, clerk.

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TORIES READY FOR COUNCIL BATTLE



ADDISON WARD

Arthur Belsham: Member of Hammersmith Council, of Hammersmith Chamber of Trade and Rotary Club. A Master Printer, he has lived in the borough for many years.



Mrs. Frances Belsham: Chairman of Addison Ward Committee, and a school manager. She is a British Red Cross officer and a voluntary and social worker.



Douglas Ward: Hammersmith resident since 1936, married with two children. A school manager, he is a traffic officer for a large manufacturing company.

STARCH GREEN

Patrick Perry: Married with two children. He is technical translator - interpreter. Has been a resident of Starch Green for eight years and is former ward chairman.



Myra Sexton: Has lived in the borough for 12 years. A member of the executive council of Barons Court Conservative Association. A governor of Hammersmith County School.



William Smith: Born in Hammersmith, married with two children. Conservative housing leader on Hammersmith Council since 1953. Served on local schools for 20 years, chairman of governors of Christopher Wren and Hammersmith County Schools, chairman of West London Youth Employment Committee. First Conservative alderman in borough since 1934.



CONINGHAM

Hugh Barker: Has lived in the borough for 10 years. A manager of four primary schools, he works for an international chemical company.



Irene York: She is clerk in charge at the local sub-post office. A governor of Hammersmith County School and has always lived in the borough.



Richard Hammond: A London Transport Executive official and member of the Transport and General Workers' Union.

ST. STEPHEN

Nicholas Bryce-Smith: An insurance broker, he was educated at the Royal Belfast Academical Institution.



John Duff: A master builder living in the ward. Married, he has four daughters and a son. He spent three years in the Society of St. Vincent doing welfare work for the poor and needy.



Gabrielle Fallner: Married with two children, she has lived in the borough for three years. Manager of Wedgwood primary school and secretary of Normand Park pre-school playgroup.

GROVE WARD

George Boyce: A television design engineer and teaches radio and television at an evening institute. Has lived in Hammersmith for some time.

Christopher Gibbons: Married, with three daughters and lives in Hammersmith. He is a solicitor, being a partner in a City firm. A member of Hammersmith History Group and Queen's Club.

Stuart Godwin: Born in Hammersmith, educated at Cardinal Vaughan Grammar School. Is personal assistant to the managing director of a large property company. He has business interests in Grove Ward.

COLLEGE PARK—OLD OAK

Katherine Boughton: A retired government official. Has taught in L.C.C. evening schools and is a manager of Bentwood Road, Kenmont and Old Oak junior mixed infants schools, Wood Lane open air school and John Aird School for partially sighted children.



Rodney Bowler: Married and has four children. Formerly a student of the Hammersmith College of Art with diplomas in sanitary and domestic engineering.



Francis Cherry: An Oxford University graduate, married with two children. Is a construction supervisor with a national contractor.

GIBBS GREEN

Cyril Arnold: A member of Hammersmith Council from 1962 until the amalgamation with Fulham in 1965. Is a manager of several schools and has lived in the borough for many years.

Mrs. Margaret James: Married to a local businessman. Has four daughters at local schools. She has lived in what is now Gibbs Green since 1951. Member of the ward committee and manager of several schools.

Ken Patterson: A research assistant to the Director of the Conservative Political Centre. A committee member of the Greater London Area Young Conservatives, a Hyde Park Tory and a member of the Bow Group. Resident of the ward for some years.

WORMHOLT

Derek Carter: An estimator-surveyor with a national firm of building contractors. Married with two children, he has lived in the borough for eight years. A governor of Christopher Wren School.



Jack Rose: Married with three children, he has been a medical practitioner in the borough for 22 years. He serves on the committees of several welfare organisations.



Albert Simpson: A representative for an insurance company. He is married with four children and has always lived in Hammersmith. He is a manager of several schools and has been actively associated with youth clubs.

WHITE CITY

Richard Lockey: Works for a timber company. Was educated at Oswestry School and spent three years in Nigeria. Is a member of North Hammersmith Young Conservatives.

Adam Puckle: An insurance broker and a member of Lloyds of London. Education at Eastbourne College. Is also a Young Conservative.

Cedric Sands: A sound recording engineer. Educated at Latymer Foundation School, he has always lived in Hammersmith. A former chairman of North Hammersmith Young Conservatives.

BROOK GREEN

Gordon Field: A development engineer, born in Hammersmith and has been a councillor for the ward since 1959. He is the Opposition Whip and has been a school manager for 11 years.

Leslie Heading: A sitting councillor for the ward, Leader of the Tory Opposition on Hammersmith Council for 12 years. He has been in business in Hammersmith all his life.

Gavin Tait: Married with two children. He is chairman of Olympia branch of Brook Green ward where he has lived for some years. Interested in education and is a manager of several schools.

ELECTION

Both sides say 'we will win'

AS the borough council election campaign entered its final phase this week, both Labour and Conservatives reported a quickening of interest among electors.

And both parties confidently forecast that they were going to win. Polling is taking place today (Thursday) as we go to press.

But generally, despite the efforts being made by the party organisations to contact every elector by canvass or literature, there has been little sign on the surface to show that we are about to choose who will rule us locally for the next three years.

Particularly noticeable up to this week, has been the relative absence of window bills.

Even the appearance on the scene last weekend of loudspeaker vans and the arrival on Saturday of Fulham's MP, Mr. Michael Stewart, to support the Labour team failed to produce much obvious response.

INTEREST

But at their headquarters the campaign "generals" were reporting a real interest being expressed by many electors in local affairs.

Labour is fighting the election largely on its past achievements locally and on the extension of its programme into the future.

The Conservatives are pointing to what they call "the complete mismanagement of local affairs for many years by Labour" and are promising a new housing policy, including the sale of council homes.

Commented Ald. Leslie Hilliard, Labour agent: "There is a wide recognition that this election is about the borough; about what the council is doing and might do—not about Westminster and the nation as a whole.

"All the evidence from our canvass is that there is no hard core dissatisfaction with the council," he said and described the indications as very satisfactory. "I think we will retain control of the council."

CREDITABLE

And he added: "It is to the credit of both parties that none of them has attempted to exploit this racial subject, as is being done in some other boroughs."

And at Conservative headquarters agent Mr. Richard Booker said: "We are finding considerable interest among electors over our proposals to sell council houses."

In Fulham, he said, canvassers had met with a "wonderful result."

"I think we are going to win. I think the Socialists are in for a thrashing on Thursday."

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BIG BLAZE WARNING

POLICE warned residents in Moore Park Road and Cedarne Road to stay inside their homes because of the danger of explosions from gas cylinders when fire gutted the upper part of a two storey wooden building on the Moore Park Road development site.

The building is used by council staff on the site. People who had been watching Chelsea play Queens Park Rangers at Stamford Bridge joined the crowds which watched the firemen fight the flames, which shot many feet into the air.

It was feared that plans in connection with the Moore Park Road development scheme may have been destroyed in the blaze but the "Chronicle" was assured by a council spokesman that there were duplicate plans at the town hall.

TORY LEADER HAS SECOND THOUGHTS

Cllr. Leslie Heading, Tory leader on the borough council, is having second thoughts about his decision to give up the party leadership.

Last week he announced that he would not seek the "leadership of the council" if the Tories win on Thursday. The reason he gave was his age—he is 70.

But on Tuesday, Cllr. Heading told the "Chronicle": "I have had so many phone calls, letters and personal callers urging me to carry on for a little while and see the party through the next few months that I am reconsidering my decision. I am giving the matter much thought."

Cllr. Heading said he had had dozens and dozens of requests to continue — from Conservative councillors, election candidates and other members of his party.

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Tory avalanche at the polls

ONLY THREE SEATS FOR LABOUR IN THE LOCAL WARDS

LABOUR reached the end of the road on Thursday—the long road of power stretching back 34 years.

Conservatives 54 seats:
Labour six seats:
Conservatives 47 gains:
Labour 46 losses:
Liberals one loss.

This was the tally when they finished counting the votes at the town hall after the borough council election.

On the outgoing council there were 53 Labour councillors, seven Conservatives and one Liberal, so the new position is almost a complete reversal.

The 9th of May, 1968, will long be remembered as the day Fulham went Tory: the day when the people, like those in most other parts of London, gave Labour a jolt and decided to let Conservatives control their borough for the next three years.

FORECAST

The change of control was not so surprising: it had been forecast for several weeks.

What was astounding was the extent of the avalanche, the depth of the Tory advance.

Almost everywhere in the borough Labour was put to flight. Even Sandford Ward, regarded as a Socialist stronghold, fell beneath the onslaught.

Only in Margravine Ward, where retiring aldermen Jack Ireland and Eric Hill narrowly avoided defeat, and in Sherbrooke, where Sydney Matthews managed to hold one of the three seats by six votes, did Labour candidates survive.

And in the Hammersmith White City Ward, which returned three Labour members and which, with only 195 votes separating one of them from his nearest Tory opponent, is now the nearest thing in the borough to a safe Labour area.

DEFEATED

Labour councillors, many of them with many years' service to the borough, went down before the onslaught. One victim was the mayor, Mrs. Cicely Liardet, who lost her seat in Sulivan Ward by 316 votes.

Another was Percy Barton, a former mayor of Fulham, who had been a local councillor continuously since 1934. And another, John Browning, whose intermittent membership of old Fulham Council goes back to 1919.

Over in the Hammersmith Ward named Broadway the council's only Liberal member, Simon Knott, who was one of the only two Liberal councillors in Inner London, was also defeated, despite a recount.

The Tories received news of their victory with surprising quietness. There were cheers and a little waving of rosettes when their triumph in some of the marginal areas was announced, but none of the excited jubilation which attended their success at last year's GLC election count.

VICTORY SPEECH

Tory group leader Cllr. Leslie Heading delivered a short speech of victory.

With a touch of emotion in his voice, he commented: "Thank you all for everything."

And there followed, in less happy tone, a short speech from George Simpson, former housing committee chairman, defeated in Broadway Ward.

He said: "I sincerely hope that the new council will give to the electorate the service which we Socialists have given for so many years. I promise you we will be back in a few years' time."

Conservatives were meeting on Friday evening to choose a leader, and to nominate a mayor and aldermen.

VICTORS



Mr. Peter Faue, successful Tory in Town Ward, is a leading figure in the Moore Park Road Residents Association, formed to oppose the compulsory purchase of property in the area.



Sheira Trehearne, who was one of three Conservatives who won a shock victory in the Labour stronghold of Sandford Ward.

MARGRAVINE

Elected

*J. Ireland (Lab.) 1,099
*E. Hill (Lab.) 1,087
R. Holroyd (Cons.) ... 1,057

Not elected

W. Wearmouth (Cons.) 1,041
*L. Stanley (Lab.) 1,040
Miss I. Emanuel (Cons.) 1,039

SULIVAN

Elected

Miss C. Wagner (Cons.) 1,681
Mrs. C. Ground (Cons.) 1664
S. De Voghelaere (Cons.) 1,650

Not elected

*Mrs. C. Liardet (Lab.) 1,334
A. Powell (Lab.) 1,316
T. Wheeler (Lab.) ... 1,271

SANDFORD

Elected

E. Ibbett (Cons.) 1,282
T. Moody (Cons.) 1,238
Sheira Trehearne (Cons.) 1,224

Not elected

*J. Browning (Lab.) ... 1,148
*Miss P. Cooper (Lab.) 1,127
*F. Barton (Lab.) 1,109
Mrs. V. Boulton (Comm.) 238

TOWN

Elected

P. Dwyer (Cons.) 1,735
P. Fane (Cons.) 1,688
S. Lilley (Cons.) 1,696

Not elected

* I. Gray (Lab.) 1,107
*T. Cox (Lab.) 1,085
T. Champion (Lab.) ... 1,019

CRABTREE

Elected

D. Ashby (Cons.) 2,216
Mrs. D. Joseph (Cons.) 2,208
C. Horne (Cons.) 2,203

Not elected

*F. Banfield (Lab.) 1,235
*Mrs. E. Sears (Lab.) ... 1,197
J. Evans (Lab.) 1,190

COLEHILL

Elected

K. Howe (Cons.) 1,056
Mary Porter (Cons.) ... 1,021

Not elected

*Mrs. G. Dimmick (Lab.) 705
*G. Dimmick (Lab.) ... 696
G. Hicks (Comm.) 78

HALFORD

Elected

W. Griffin (Cons.) 1,197
Mrs. M. Jarvis (Cons.) 1,163
Cmdr. N. Parkinson (Cons.) 1,154

Not elected

H. Dyer (Lab.) 942
*J. Beckett (Lab.) 916
R. Lashley (Lab.) 907
P. Robson (Comm.) ... 117

PARSONS GREEN

Elected

J. Akerman (Cons.) ... 1,865
R. Ground (Cons.) ... 1,858
Ann Paltridge (Cons.) 1,846

Not elected

*H. Duff (Lab.) 1,028
*D. King (Lab.) 1,012
*Mrs. B. Little (Lab.) ... 995
C. Birch (Comm.) 145

AVONMORE

Elected

*Lieut.-Col. H. Brightley (Cons.) 1,622
R. Simmerson (Cons.) 1,609

Not elected

I. McCourt (Lab.) 443
F. Foes (Lab.) 435

GIBBS GREEN

Elected

Mrs. M. James (Cons.) 1,769
C. Arnold (Cons.) 1,760
B. Patterson (Cons.) ... 1,760

Not elected

G. Collinson (Lab.) ... 780
Mrs. E. Moodie (Lab.) 762
Mrs. P. Perlin (Lab.) 735

SHERBROOKE

Elected

Mrs. J. Godwin-Austen (Cons.) 830
*S. Matthews (Lab.) ... 816

Not elected

*M. Hall (Lab.) 810
W. Burland (Cons.) ... 807
Mrs. T. Ritchie (Comm.) 42

Asterisk denotes a member of the last council.

Conservative majority could be 48

ALTHOUGH the election of borough councillors is over, the final state of the parties will not be confirmed until the new council meets for the first time to elect a mayor and five aldermen.

Labour now has six councillors, plus five aldermen, which brings their effective strength to 11.

The Conservatives, with 54 councillors, have decided to fill the five additional aldermanic vacancies with members of their own party, and as four of these are selected from non-councillors the total Tory strength will be 59—giving the Conservatives an overall majority eventually of 48.

WE'LL BE BACK

Ald. Leslie Hilliard, Labour agent, told the "Chronicle" after the count: "We are not very happy with the result but we will be back with an increased majority next time.

"I think it was the national factors that affected the result. We will be an effective opposition and give the Tories a difficult year or two."

Cllr. Leslie Heading, leader of the Tory group, said: "It has been a clean fight. We have done better than we dared to hope."

Polling percentage was 39.6 per cent.

VANQUISHED



Defeated in Sulivan Ward was the mayor, Mrs. Cicely J. Liardet. She will remain mayor until later this month when the Conservatives will elect a new mayor.



Percy Barton, popular Labour stalwart, who has been a member of Fulham and Hammersmith Councils for 34 years, lost his seat in Sandford Ward.



Miss Phyllis Cooper, who lives in Sands End, and a former mayor, was also defeated in Sandford Ward.

ELECTION CANDIDATE IN ROAD ACCIDENT

ONE Labour candidate for whom polling day provided a particular shock, was Mr. Charles Howard, who was seeking re-election for Broadway Ward. For him, election day ended in hospital.

Mr. Howard had been canvassing electors in his ward and was crossing Fulham Palace Road near Guinness Buildings, when he was involved in an accident with a car.

His head was cut.

IN HOSPITAL

Dr. John Dunwoody, MP for Falmouth and Camborne, who was also helping with the Labour election campaign and who was nearby at the time attended Mr. Howard until an ambulance arrived.

On Monday Mr. Howard's son David told the "Chronicle": "My father is still in Fulham Hospital. The hospital says he is not seriously injured but requires plenty of rest.

"It seems that after being struck by the car he hit his head on some railings."

Municipal choir

Under the capable baton of Mr Richard Sim and the wizardry of the London Guild Theatre Orchestra, the Fulham Municipal Choir once again swayed their audience at the Old Town Hall with the ever popular Gilbert and Sullivan.

A selection from HMS Pinafore, Mikardo, and Yeomen of the Guard was given. The soloists, Dennis Jones, Christopher Francis, John Carter, Marion Paines and Prudence Whelon were more than competent and held the audience captive from the start.

The deputy mayor, Cllr. Thomas Morris said how he had enjoyed the concert and thanked everyone who had taken part.

Miss Dorothy Cross who gives the choir much valuable help was warmly commended by Mr. Richard Sim.

Anyone who is interested in good music and would like to participate vocally are asked to contact the secretary Mrs. Kay Pincott, Tel. 01-949 0758.

Christian Science Churches

The subject for this week's Lesson-Sermon, which will be read in all Christian Science churches this Sunday, is "Mortals and Immortals."

The Golden Text is from Romans: "Be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."

Passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following: "We must form perfect models in thought and look at them continually, or we shall never carve them out in grand and noble lives."

FULHAM HIGHER

The percentage of polling in the Fulham wards was higher than in the Hammersmith wards at the borough council elections.

In the 11 Fulham wards, 41.9 per cent of the electorate cast their votes, while in the ten Hammersmith wards only 36.82 per cent did so. The overall percentage of polling was 39.6.

The lowest ward percentages of polling were also in Hammersmith—30.2 in College Park and Old Oak and 30.5 in White City. The lowest percentage in Fulham was Margravine with 37.5.

The highest Fulham percentage was recorded at Crabtree—50.7—while the highest Hammersmith percentage was Broadway with 44.4.

TEEN-AGE TOPICS
by Chris Aked

"THIS is the biggest dance we have attempted," said Martin Morgan, chairman of the local youth council, referring to the "Nuts in May Hop" at Hammersmith Town Hall on May 27.

"But I am sure it will be a success," he added.

The council hope that at least 600 people will pack out the Town Hall from 7.30 p.m. until 11. The "Out of Order" will provide the music at the dance for which the admission is 5s.

The money raised—£100 is the target—will go towards the youth council's £1,000 "Hamybus" project on behalf of a local children's home.

A dance as large as this will obviously help to familiarise the young people of the area with the youth council. But they are taking further steps to get youth clubs interested.

Three members of the council — Martin Morgan, John Wright and Linda Spencer—together with the borough youth officer, are visiting clubs with the idea of increasing club representation on the council.

These "salesmen" explain why there is a council and how it works, and then invite the club to nominate representatives.

One of the strangest comments about young people I have seen for some time appears in this month's edition of the Walham Grove Methodist Church's newsheet.

The Minister, Rev. E. Oliver Sutton, writes: "I walked down King's Road the other day—again on my lawful occasions. The sun was shining. The mini-skirted pranced along like thoroughbreds, a glorious sight with their dilated eyes and nostrils.

"Many peacocks strutted with glancing beady eyes. Pleasant chatter swirled around—'no, really?' 'Well, I never,' 'I didn't half larf.' This was England, the envy of the world. Well, that's all a little exaggerated. It was all very pleasant, well-mannered and quite good fun. But I wish we could get more publicity for the good things young people do."

Surely, Minister, if you're going to criticise young people, you should be honest and come right out with it, instead of saying that it was just your little joke.

And if you really would like to get more publicity for the good things young people do, why waste so much time writing about King's Road junkies, who are in a minority anyway?

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I hear that once again the Fulham Cadet Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade held a social evening for its members and friends.

Despite bad weather, over 50 people attended and the evening was a great success.

Although the division always seem to have marvellous socials, their real aim, is, of course, to become proficient at first-aid for the benefit of the public.

The latest boys to pass the first-aid examination to become cadets are W. Lombardi and M. O'Hare. I. Boulton, J. Evans and J. Collins have also passed their Home Nursing examinations.

Membership of the division has increased over the last few months but there is still room for more members who should contact Mr. J. E. Gribble, No 147 Claxton Grove, Hammersmith.

The Labour heads roll

LABOUR heads rolled on Thursday evening at Hammersmith. Almost all the chairmen of the various committees, including housing, welfare and building maintenance, fell from power at the local elections.

Even the Mayor, Cllr. Mrs. Cicely Liardet, was narrowly defeated and lost her seat.

Labour lost 46 of the seats they held at the 1964 election.

But Labour were not the only losers on the night. Before the election the Liberals had launched their "spring offensive," and even Liberal Party leader, Mr. Jeremy Thorpe, travelled to Hammersmith to try to sway the electorate.

But even the Liberals were doomed to disappointment when their lone Councillor, Simon Knott, lost his seat.

Big names

But the real surprises were the Labour big names who fell. Some of them had been in local Government almost as long as Hammersmith has been held by Labour—nearly 34 years.

Cllr. F. Keppel, chairman of the Establishments Committee, was not re-elected, neither was the vice-chairman, Mr. F. W. Ing.

The Mayor Cllr. Mrs. Cicely Liardet, commented after the election: "It is a really great pity that people do not vote for individuals. Some of the people voted out tonight have spent most of their working lives on Hammersmith Council.

"But then again it is not what these people have or have not done that caused them to be voted out, it is the Party ticket."

The only ward to be completely held by the Labour Party was White City, and even there the vote was low, with the Liberals and the Conservatives netting between them more than the Labour vote.

Each Liberal candidate polled more than 300 votes and the Tories gained over 500. The top Labour vote was just over 820.

A really bad day for him

COUNCILLOR Charles Howard, who sought re-election for Labour in Broadway Ward, was injured in an accident with a car on his way to Hammersmith Town Hall on Thursday.

He was walking with Labour M.P. Dr. John Dunwoody when the accident occurred. He was taken to Hammersmith Hospital where he was detained until Friday suffering from shock.

Mr. Howard lost his seat at the election, gaining 736 votes against the Conservative's 1,048.

Lyons Head to be Tory Mayor

THE president of J. Lyons and Company, Sir Samuel Salmon, is to be the new Tory Mayor of Hammersmith, and Alderman Bill Smith the Leader of the new Council.

Hammersmith Council's triumphant Tories decided on Friday — the day after they swept into power — to make Sir Samuel Mayor at the annual meeting of the council on May 22.

He will first be made an alderman.

Sir Samuel is a former Deputy Chairman of the old London County Council and was a member of its successor, the Greater London Council until last year.

'Tasks ahead'

Ald. Bill Smith said after he was elected leader: "It is a great honour to be called to lead the council and I look forward with confidence to receiving the full support of my colleagues in dealing with the tasks ahead and in serving the community in this very important London borough."

Ald. Smith has been a member of Hammersmith Council for 16 years and represents Hammersmith on the G.L.C. He is also on the Inner London Education Authority and has served local schools for 20 years.

The four, in addition to Sir Samuel, to be elected aldermen are: Ald. Bill Smith, Mr. Seton Forbes-Cockell, who was elected Deputy Leader of the Council, and a member of the G.L.C., Mr. Stuart Leishman and Mr. John Putman.

Addison

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		5,668	35.9	+ 8.6
***Arthur Belsham**	**Con**	**1,244**	**61.9**	**+20.0**
Eleanor F.J. Belsham	**Con**	**1,223**	**60.8**	**+20.2**
Douglas G. Ward	**Con**	**1,192**	**59.3**	**+19.1**
Pearl Alsten	Lab	708	35.2	- 18.4
Paul Martin	Lab	693	34.5	- 18.9
Arthur F. Braggins	Lab	683	34.0	- 17.8
Harry T. Goulding Jr	Comm	96	4.8	- 1.4
Lab to Con swing: 19.1%	Maj	536	26.7 ●	
		515	25.6 ●	
		484	24.1 ●	

Avonmore

1968 electorate %turnout		5,224	39.9	+17.7
***Harold E. Brandon-Brightly**	**Con**	**1,622**	**78.9**	**+17.6**
Reginald Simmerson	**Con**	**1,609**	**78.3**	**+17.5**
Ian McCourt	Lab	443	21.6	- 17.8
Frank A. Foss	Lab	435	21.2	- 17.3
Lab to Con swing: 17.5%	Maj	1,179	57.3 ●	
		1,166	56.7 ●	

Broadway

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		6,140	44.5	+ 1.8
Sir George Bull	**Con**	**1,128**	**43.4**	**+20.3**
Elizabeth Gooden	**Con**	**1,038**	**39.9**	**+17.8**
John P. Gould	**Con**	**1,020**	**39.3**	**+17.8**
*Simon H.J.A. Knott	L	962	37.0	- 0.3
*George E.C. Simpson	Lab	793	30.5	- 16.1
Marie-Louise Clarke	Lab	780	30.0	- 16.4
*Charles W. Howard	Lab	736	28.3	- 15.1
Emlyn R. Warren	L	683	26.3	- 4.1
Richard J. Groves	L	656	25.2	- 4.0
L to Con swing: 10.8%	Maj	166	6.4 ●	
Lab to Con swing: 17.3%		76	2.9 ●	
		58	2.3 ●	

Brook Green

1968 electorate %turnout		6,189	39.6	+ 3.5
Gavin Tait	**Con**	**1,533**	**65.1**	**+12.5**
***Robert G. Field**	**Con**	**1,521**	**64.6**	**+13.9**
***Leslie W. Heading**	**Con**	**1,520**	**64.5**	**+14.5**
John W. Lewington	Lab	845	35.9	- 13.5
Raymond J. Philpot	Lab	827	35.1	- 13.7
Robert C. Bowles	Lab	821	34.9	- 13.5
Lab to Con swing: 13.6%	Maj	688	29.2 ●	
		676	28.7 ●	
		675	28.6 ●	

Colehill

GAIN 2

1968 electorate %turnout		4,565	40.3	+ 2.0
Kim G.F.B. Howe	**Con**	**1,056**	**58.1**	**+23.1**
Mary E. Porter	**Con**	**1,021**	**56.2**	**+22.4**
*Gladys I. Dimmick	Lab	705	38.8	- 26.9
*George W. Dimmick	Lab	696	38.3	- 27.3
George F. Hicks	Comm	78	4.4	
Lab to Con swing: 25.1%	Maj	351	19.3 ●	
		316	17.4 ●	

College Park & Old Oak

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		5,964	30.2	+ 8.0
Rodney W. Bowler	**Con**	**937**	**54.2**	**+40.2**
Francis Cherry	**Con**	**934**	**54.0**	**+42.7**
Katherine Boughton	**Con**	**911**	**52.7**	**+41.4**
*Frank W. Ing	Lab	818	47.3	- 41.3
*Melvyn Silverman	Lab	799	46.2	- 42.4
*Harry H. Perlin	Lab	790	45.7	- 42.3
Lab to Con swing: 42.0%	Maj	119	6.9 ●	
		116	6.7 ●	
		93	5.4 ●	

Coningham

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		5,351	33.5	+11.2
Irene York	**Con**	**852**	**55.8**	**+32.9**
Harry Hammond	**Con**	**848**	**55.6**	**+33.0**
Hugh C. Baker	**Con**	**840**	**55.0**	**+33.2**
*Ena C. Freeman	Lab	683	44.8	- 33.2
*Leonard W. Freeman	Lab	679	44.5	- 33.0
*Maria A. Havelka	Lab	676	44.3	- 33.0
Lab to Con swing: 33.1%	Maj	169	11.0 ●	
		165	10.8 ●	
		157	10.2 ●	

Crabtree

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		6,888	44.8	+ 2.1
David G. Ashby	**Con**	**2,216**	**64.9**	**+22.3**
Delphine M. Joseph	**Con**	**2,208**	**64.6**	**+22.0**
Christopher M. Horne	**Con**	**2,203**	**64.5**	**+22.9**
*Frank W. Banfield	Lab	1,235	36.1	- 16.4
*Elizabeth Sears	Lab	1,197	35.0	- 17.5
John G. Evans	Lab	1,190	34.8	- 20.1
Lab to Con swing: 33.1%	Maj	981	28.8 ●	
		973	28.5 ●	
		968	28.4 ●	

Gibbs Green

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		6,762	38.3	+ 3.1
Margaret James	**Con**	**1,769**	**70.1**	**+23.7**
Cyril E. Arnold	**Con**	**1,760**	**69.8**	**+23.5**
George Patterson	**Con**	**1,760**	**69.8**	**+24.4**
George A. Collinson	Lab	780	30.9	- 21.8
Edna Moodie	Lab	762	30.2	- 21.2
Phyllis Perlin	Lab	735	29.1	- 22.1
Lab to Con swing: 22.8%	Maj	989	39.2 ●	
		980	38.9 ●	
		980	38.9 ●	

Grove

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		6,772	34.4	+ 3.6
Christopher Gibbons	**Con**	**1,433**	**58.7**	**+20.8**
George A. Boyce	**Con**	**1,422**	**58.3**	**+21.3**
Stuart R. Godwin	**Con**	**1,420**	**58.2**	**+21.3**
*Eric R. Gosling	Lab	1,026	42.0	- 21.1
*Francis E. Keppel	Lab	1,012	41.5	- 21.5
*Thomas Morris	Lab	1,010	41.4	- 20.7
Lab to Con swing: 21.1%	Maj	407	16.7 ●	
		396	16.3 ●	
		394	16.2 ●	

Halford

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		5,840	38.0	+ 5.3
William E. Griffen	**Con**	**1,197**	**54.2**	**+25.5**
Marjorie M. Jarvis	**Con**	**1,163**	**52.6**	**+24.0**
Nigel G. Parkinson	**Con**	**1,154**	**52.2**	**+23.8**
Henry E. Dyer	Lab	942	42.6	- 29.3
*James C. Beckett	Lab	916	41.4	- 30.1
Lashley T. Rolley	Lab	907	41.0	- 29.9
Peter T. Robson	Comm	117	5.3	
Lab to Con swing: 27.1%	Maj	225	11.6 ●	
		221	10.0 ●	
		212	9.6 ●	

Margravine

GAIN 1

1968 electorate %turnout		5,867	37.5	+ 2.4
Jack J. Ireland	**Lab**	**1,099**	**51.7**	**- 28.0**
Eric L. Hill	**Lab**	**1,087**	**51.2**	**- 28.1**
Roger Holroyd	**Con**	**1,067**	**50.2**	**+29.3**
William H. Wearmouth	Con	1,041	49.0	+28.2
*Leonard W. Stanley	Lab	1,040	49.0	- 29.9
Isobel M. Emmanuel	Con	1,039	48.9	+28.6
Lab to Con swing: 28.7%	Maj	59	2.7 ●	
		47	2.2 ●	
		27	1.2 ●	

Parson's Green

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		7,006	43.0	+ 5.6
John F. Akerman	**Con**	**1,865**	**65.0**	**+22.2**
Patrick R. Ground	**Con**	**1,858**	**64.8**	**+22.0**
Anne Patridge	**Con**	**1,846**	**64.4**	**+21.6**
*Hugh D. Duff	Lab	1,028	35.8	- 21.5
*David T. King	Lab	1,012	35.3	- 21.9
*Birte Little	Lab	1,012	35.3	- 21.9
Christopher B. Birch	Comm	145		
Lab to Con swing: 21.9%	Maj	837	29.2 ●	
		830	29.0 ●	
		818	28.6 ●	

St Stephen's

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		4,910	34.3	+15.2
Nicholas Bryce-Smith	**Con**	**970**	**60.9**	**+31.1**
John Duff	**Con**	**942**	**59.1**	**+29.7**
Gabrielle M. Faulkiner	**Con**	**931**	**58.4**	**+29.5**
*Leslie S.A. Jones	Lab	653	41.0	- 30.0
Dennis P. Brooker	Lab	646	40.5	- 30.2
Edward R. Hunt	Lab	634	39.8	- 30.4
Lab to Con swing: 30.1%	Maj	317	19.9 ●	
		289	18.1 ●	
		278	17.4 ●	

Sandford

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		6,750	38.0	+ 8.9
Ernest C. Ibbott	**Con**	**1,282**	**54.0**	**+37.1**
Terence Moody	**Con**	**1,238**	**52.1**	**+35.2**
Sheira Trehearne	**Con**	**1,224**	**51.5**	**+34.8**
*John M. Browning	Lab	1,148	48.3	- 26.7
*Phyllis M. Cooper	Lab	1,127	47.4	- 27.4
*Percy J. Barton	Lab	1,109	46.7	- 27.5
Valentine I. Boulton	Comm	238		
Lab to Con swing: 31.2%	Maj	134	5.7 ●	
		90	3.8 ●	
		76	3.2 ●	

Sherbrooke

GAIN 1

1968 electorate %turnout		4,441	38.6	+ 5.9
Jennifer J. Godwin-Austin	**Con**	**830**	**49.6**	**+29.7**
Sidney A. Matthews	**Lab**	**816**	**48.8**	**- 32.1**
*Malcolm A. Hall	Lab	810	48.4	- 31.5
William A. Burland	Con	807	48.2	+28.9
Tanya A. Ritchie	Comm	42	2.5	
Lab to Con swing: 30.6%	Maj	20	1.2 ●	
		9	0.6 ●	

Starch Green

GAIN 2

1968 electorate %turnout		6,297	44.4	+10.8
William C. Smith	**Con**	**1,849**	**69.0**	**+19.1**
Patrick C. Perry	**Con**	**1,841**	**68.7**	**+19.8**
Myra E. Sexton	**Con**	**1,832**	**68.4**	**+19.8**
Rosina M. Johnson	Lab	850	31.7	- 20.0
*James C. Bull	Lab	834	31.1	- 19.5
William A. Coventry	Lab	834	31.1	- 19.2
Lab to Con swing: 19.6%	Maj	999	37.3	
		991	37.0	
		982	36.7	

Sulivan

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		7,153	43.2	+ 8.5
Christine Wagner	**Con**	**1,681**	**56.6**	**+23.2**
Caroline Ground	**Con**	**1,664**	**56.0**	**+22.7**
Simon H. De Vogheleare	**Con**	**1,650**	**55.5**	**+23.4**
*Cecily J. Liardet	Lab	1,334	44.9	- 22.9
Anthony F.W. Powell	Lab	1,316	44.3	- 22.5
Terence Wheeler	Lab	1,271	42.8	- 23.8
Lab to Con swing: 22.4%	Maj	347	11.7	
		330	11.1	
		316	10.6	

Town

GAIN 2

1968 electorate %turnout		6,182	46.5	+11.8
Paul G. Dwyer	**Con**	**1,735**	**62.5**	**+23.7**
Sidney F. Lilley	**Con**	**1,696**	**61.1**	**+23.0**
Peter W.Fane	**Con**	**1,688**	**60.8**	**+24.0**
*Ian Gray	Lab	1,107	39.8	- 18.8
Thomas M. Cox	Lab	1,085	39.0	- 17.9
Thomas H. Champion	Lab	1,019	36.7	- 18.9
Lab to Con swing: 15.5%	Maj	628	22.7	
		589	21.3	
		581	21.0	

White City

1968 electorate %turnout		6,147	30.5	+ 4.8
Brian T. Powell	**Lab**	**850**	**45.5**	**- 35.1**
***David R.P. Murray**	**Lab**	**821**	**44.0**	**- 36.0**
***Randolph Beresford**	**Lab**	**805**	**43.1**	**- 36.0**
Cedric T. Sands	Con	610	32.7	+19.5
Adam C. Puckle	Con	607	32.5	+19.4
Richard S. Lockey	Con	604	32.4	+19.6
Ronald J. Clark	L	330	17.7	
Violet E. Coombes	L	323	17.3	
John L. Playle	L	316	16.9	
John Gould	Comm	81	4.3	- 2.8
Lab to Con swing: 27.6%	Maj	240	12.8	
		211	11.3	
		195	10.4	

Wormholt

GAIN 3

1968 electorate %turnout		5,676	38.0	+11.1
Jack H. Rose	**Con**	**1,141**	**55.4**	**+29.3**
Derek Carter	**Con**	**1,126**	**54.7**	**+28.9**
Albert W. Simpson	**Con**	**1,060**	**51.5**	**+26.5**
*Arthur A. Ingram	Lab	973	47.3	- 27.6
*Alan G. Breeze	Lab	943	45.8	- 28.8
Alan J. Martin	Lab	933	45.3	- 28.3
Lab to Con swing: 28.3%	Maj	168	8.1	
		153	7.4	
		87	4.2	

Summary of election results

	Date	Elec	%Poll	Con	Lab	Lib	Comm
Addison	1968	5,668	35.9	60.7	34.5	4.8	
	1964	6,892	27.3	40.9	52.9		6.2
Avonmore	1968	5,224	39.9	78.6	21.4		
	1964	5,327	22.2	61.1	38.9		
Broadway	1968	6,140	44.5	40.9	29.6	29.5	
	1964	6,471	42.7	22.2	45.5	32.3	
Brook Green	1968	6,189	39.6	64.7	35.3		
	1964	6,666	36.1	51.1	48.9		
Colehill	1968	4,565	40.3	57.2	38.5	4.3	
	1964	5,082	27.3	34.3	65.7		
College Park & Old Oak	1968	5,964	30.2	53.6	46.4		
	1964	7,025	22.2	11.6	88.4		
Coningham	1968	5,351	33.5	55.5	44.5		
	1964	6,195	22.3	22.4	77.6		
Crabtree	1968	6,888	44.8	64.7	35.3		
	1964	7,682	42.7	42.3	52.2	5.5	
Gibbs Green	1968	6,762	38.3	69.9	30.1		
	1964	7,568	35.2	45.5	51.3		3.2
Grove	1968	6,772	34.4	51.4	41.6		
	1964	7,201	30.8	37.3	62.7		
Halford	1968	5,840	38.0	53.0	41.6		
	1964	6,515	32.7	28.6	71.4		
Margravine	1968	5,867	37.5	49.4	50.6		
	1964	6,674	35.1	20.7	79.3		
Parson's Green	1968	7,006	43.0	64.7	35.3		
	1964	7,615	37.4	42.8	57.2		
St Stephen's	1968	4,910	34.3	55.6	44.4		
	1964	6,379	19.1	29.4	70.6		
Sandford	1968	6,750	38.0	52.5	47.5		
	1964	7,922	29.1	16.8	74.2		
Sherbrooke	1968	4,441	38.6	48.9	48.6	2.5	
	1964	5,249	32.7	19.6	80.4		
Starch Green	1968	6,297	44.4	68.7	31.3		
	1964	6,904	33.8	49.3	50.7		
Sulivan	1968	7,153	43.2	56.0	44.0		
	1964	7,372	32.9	32.9	67.1		
Town	1968	6,182	46.5	61.5	38.5		
	1964	6,971	34.7	43.5	51.4	5.1	
White City	1968	6,147	30.5	32.5	44.2	17.3	4.3
	1964	6,943	25.7	13.0	79.9		7.1
Wormholt	1968	5,676	38.0	53.9	46.1		
	1964	6,228	26.9	25.6	74.4		

Majorities and the wards in order of margin

1.	Sid Matthews	Sherbrooke	9	0.6
2.	Jennifer Godwin-Austin	Sherbrooke	20	1.2
3.	Roger Holroyd	Margravine	26	1.2
4.	Eric Hill	Margravine	47	2.2
5.	John Gould	Broadway	58	2.3
6.	Jack Ireland	Margravine	59	2.7
7.	Elizabeth Gooden	Broadway	76	2.9
8.	Sheira Trehearne	Sands End	76	3.2
9.	Terence Moody	Sands End	90	3.8
10.	Albert Simpson	Wormholt	87	4.2
11.	Kathleen Boughton	College Park	93	5.4
12.	Ernest Ibbott	Sands End	134	5.7
13.	Sir George Bull	Broadway	166	6.4
14.	Francis Cherry	College Park	116	6.7
15.	Rodney Bowler	College Park	119	6.9
16.	Derek Carter	Wormholt	153	7.4
17.	Jack Rose	Wormholt	168	8.1
18.	Nigel Parkinson	Halford	212	9.6
19.	Marjorie Jarvis	Halford	221	10.0
20.	Hugh Barker	Coningham	157	10.2
21.	Randy Beresford	White City	195	10.4
22.	Simon de Vogheleare	Sulivan	316	10.6
23.	Henry Hammond	Coningham	165	10.8
24.	Irene York	Coningham	169	11.0
25.	Caroline Ground	Sulivan	330	11.1
26.	David Murray	White City	211	11.3
27.	William Griffen	Halford	225	11.6
28.	Christine Warner	Sulivan	347	11.7
29.	Bryan Powell	White City	240	12.8
30.	Stuart Godwin	Grove	394	16.2
31.	George Boyce	Grove	396	16.3
32.	Christopher Gibbons	Grove	407	16.7
33.	Gabrielle Faulkener	St Stephen's	278	17.4
34.	Mary Porter	Colehill	316	17.4
35.	John Duff	St Stephen's	289	18.1
36.	Kim Howe	Colehill	316	17.4
37.	Nicholas Bryce-Smith	St Stephen's	317	19.9
38.	Peter Fane	Town	581	21.0
39.	Sidney Lilley	Town	589	21.3
40.	Peter Dwyer	Town	628	22.7
41.	David Ward	Addison	484	24.1
42.	Frances Belsham	Addison	515	25.6
43.	Arthur Belsham	Addison	536	26.7
44.	Christopher Horne	Crabtree	968	28.4
45.	Delphine Joseph	Crabtree	973	28.5
46.	Leslie Heading	Brook Green	675	28.6
47.	Ann Partridge	Parson's Green	818	28.6
48.	Robert Field	Brook Green	676	28.7
49.	David Ashby	Crabtree	981	28.8
50.	Patrick Ground	Parson's Green	830	29.0
51.	Gavin Tait	Brook Green	688	29.2
52.	John Akerman	Parson's Green	837	29.2
53.	Myra Sexton	Starch Green	982	36.7
54.	Patrick C. Perry	Starch Green	991	37.0
55.	William C. Smith	Starch Green	999	37.3
56.	George Patterson	Gibbs Green	968	38.9
57.	Cyril E. Arnold	Gibbs Green	980	38.9
58.	Margaret Jones	Gibbs Green	989	39.2
59.	Reg Simmerson	Avonmore	1,166	56.7
60.	Harold Brandon-Brightley	Avonmore	1,179	57.3

Labour: 6 seats

White City	3 Labour	215	11.5
Margravine	2 Labour	53	2.5
Sherbrooke	1 Labour	9	0.6

Conservative majority: 48 seats

Sherbrooke	1 Conservative	20	1.2
Margravine	1 Conservative	26	1.2
Broadway	3 Conservative	100	3.9
Sandford	3 Conservative	100	4.2
College Park and Old Oak	3 Conservative	109	6.3
Wormholt	3 Conservative	136	6.6
Halford	3 Conservative	229	10.4
Coningham	3 Conservative	164	10.7
Sulivan	3 Conservative	331	11.1
Grove	3 Conservative	399	16.4
Colehill	2 Conservative	334	18.4
St Stephen's	3 Conservative	295	18.5
Town	3 Conservative	599	24.5
Addison	3 Conservative	512	25.5
Crabtree	3 Conservative	974	28.6
Brook Green	3 Conservative	680	28.8
Parson's Green	3 Conservative	828	28.9
Starch Green	3 Conservative	991	37.0
Gibbs Green	3 Conservative	979	39.0
Avonmore	2 Conservative	1.173	57.0

Conservatives: 54 seats

Breakdown of results

Shepherds Bush				Con	Lab	L	Comm	Others	Total
1968	Electorate	34,345	Votes	6,359	4,827	330	81	0	11,597
	%Turnout	35.2	Votes%	54.8	41.6	2.8	0.7	0.0	99.9
	%Swing	29.1	Councillors	15	3	0	0	0	18
	Lab to Con		Candidates	18	18	3	1	0	40
1964	Electorate	39,750	Votes	2,673	7,131	0	130	0	9,934
	%Turnout	25.0	Votes%	26.9	71.8	0.0	1.3	0.0	100.0
			Councillors	1	17	0	0	0	18
			Candidates	18	18	0	1	0	37
			Change	+27.9	- 30.2	+ 2.8	- 0.6	0	

College Park & Old Oak, Coningham, St Stephen's, Starch Green, White City, Wormholt

Hammersmith				Con	Lab	L	Comm	Others	Total
1968	Electorate	24,769	Votes	5,338	3,372	962	48	0	9,720
	%Turnout	38.6	Votes%	54.9	34.7	9.9	0.5	0.0	100.0
	%Swing	16.2	Councillors	12	0	0	0	0	12
	Lab to Con		Candidates	12	12	3	1	0	28
1964	Electorate	27,386	Votes	3,680	4,857	1,004	118	0	9,659
	%Turnout	34.2	Votes%	38.1	50.2	10.4	1.2	0.0	99.9
			Councillors	3	9	0	0	0	12
			Candidates	12	12	3	1	0	28
			Change	+16.8	- 15.5	- 0.5	- 0.7	0	

Addison, Broadway, Brook Green, Grove

North Fulham				Con	Lab	L	Comm	Others	Total
1968	Electorate	39,587	Votes	11,290	6,020	0	237	0	17,547
	%Turnout	40.0	Votes%	64.3	34.3	0.0	1.4	0.0	100.0
	%Swing	27.5	Councillors	15	3	0	0	0	18
	Lab to Con		Candidates	18	18	0	3	0	39
1964	Electorate	44,058	Votes	5,817	9,777	184	99	0	15,877
	%Turnout	32.6	Votes%	36.6	61.6	1.2	0.6	0.0	100.0
			Councillors	2	16	0	0	0	18
			Candidates	18	18	3	1	0	40
			Change	+27.7	- 27.3	- 1.2	+ 0.8	0	

Avonmore, Colehill, Crabtree, Gibbs Green, Halford, Margravine, Sherbrooke

South Fulham				Con	Lab	L	Comm	Others	Total
1968	Electorate	27,091	Votes	6,563	4,617	0	0	0	11,180
	%Turnout	41.6	Votes%	58.7	41.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	%Swing	21.6	Councillors	12	0	0	0	0	12
	Lab to Con		Candidates	12	12	0	0	0	24
1964	Electorate	30,132	Votes	3,739	6,444	129	217	0	10,529
	%Turnout	33.5	Votes%	35.5	61.2	1.2	2.1	0.0	100.0
			Councillors	1	11	0	0	0	12
			Candidates	12	12	3	1	0	28
			Change	+23.2	+19.9	- 1.2	- 2.1	0	

Parson's Green, Sandford, Sulivan, Town

Incoming and outgoing councillors

Councillors newly elected (55)

- John Akerman (Parson's Green)
- Cyril Arnold, Gibbs Green
- David Ashby, Crabtree
- Hugh Barker, St Stephen's
- Arthur Belsham, Addison
- Frances Belsham, Addison
- Randy Beresford, White City
- Kathleen Boughton, College Pk & Old Oak
- Rodney Bowler, College Pk & Old Oak
- George Boyce,, Grove
- Nicholas Bryce-Smith, St Stephen's
- Sir George Bull, Broadway
- Derek Carter, Wormholt
- Francis Cherry, College Park & Old Oak
- Simon de Vogheleare, Sulivan
- John Duff, St Stephen's
- Peter Dwyer, Town
- Peter Fane, Town
- Gabrielle Faulkener, St Stephen's
- Christopher Gibbons, Grove
- Stuart Godwin, Grove
- Jennifer Godwin-Austin, Sherbrooke
- Elizabeth Gooden, Broadway
- Caroline Ground, Sulivan
- Patrick Ground, Parson's Green
- John P. Gould, Broadway
- William Griffen, Halford
- Henry Hammond, Coningham
- Eric Hill, Margravine
- Roger Holroyd, Margravine
- Christopher Horne, Crabtree
- Kim Howe, Colehill
- Ernest Ibbott, Sandford
- Marjorie Jarvis, Halford
- Margaret Jones, Gibbs Green
- Delphine Joseph, Crabtree
- Sidney Lilley, Town
- Terence Moody, Sandford
- David Murray, White City
- Nigel Parkinson, Halford
- Ann Partridge, Parson's Green
- George Patterson, Gibbs Green
- Patrick Perry, Starch Green
- Mary Porter, Colehill
- Bryan T. Powell, White City
- Jack Rose, Wormholt
- Myra Sexton, Starch Green
- Reginald Simmerson, Avonmore
- Albert Simpson, Wormholt
- William Smith, Starch Green
- Gavin Tait, Brook Green
- Sheira Trehearne, Sandford
- David Ward, Addison
- Christine Warner, Sulivan
- Irene York, Coningham

Councillors standing down (23)

- Betty Boothroyd, Gibbs Green
- Tony Chapman, Sulivan
- Jack Clark, Halford
- John Collins, Starch Green
- Vera Freeman, Wormholt
- Violet Grant, Coningham
- Dorothy Heaks, White City
- Barry Hill, Town
- Rose Hounsome, Wormholt
- Max House, Town
- Arthur Ingram, White City - elected in a 1967 by-election
- Leslie Jones, Gibbs Green
- Ian Jordan, Parson's Green
- Sidney Matthews, Sherbrooke
- Dennis Noel, Crabtree
- Margo Noyes, Sherbrooke
- Robert Oak, College Park & Old Oak
- Charles Parsons, Addison
- Florence Pusey, Margravine
- Ben Sawbridge, Addison
- John Tagg, Avonmore
- Charles Van Gelderen, Wormholt
- Spencer Ward, Addison

Councillors defeated (31)

- Frank Banfield, Margravine - standing in Crabtree
- Percy Barton, Sandford
- James Beckett, Halford - elected in a 1965 by-election
- Alan Breeze, Starch Grn - standing in Wormholt
- John Browning, Sandford
- James Bull, St Stephen's - standing in Starch Green
- Phyllis Cooper, Sandford
- Thomas Cox, Halford, standing in Town
- George Dimmick, Colehill
- Gladys Dimmick, Colehill
- Hugh Duff, Parson's Green
- Ena Freeman, Coningham
- Leonard Freeman, Coningham
- Eric Gosling, Grove
- Ian Gray, Town
- Malcolm Hall, Sulivan, standing in Sherbrooke
- Maria Havelka, Starch Grn, standing in Coningham
- Charles Howard, Broadway
- Frank Ing, College Park & Old Oak
- Leslie Jones, St Stephen's
- Frank Keppel, St Stephen's, standing in Grove
- David King, Parson's Green
- Simon Knott, Broadway, elected in a 1967 by-election
- Cecily Liardet, Sulivan
- Birte Little, Crabtree, standing in Parson's Green
- Thomas Morris, Grove
- Harry Perlin, Gibbs Green, standing in College Park and Old Oak
- Elizabeth Sears, Crabtree
- Melvyn Silverman, College Park and Old Oak
- George Simpson, Broadway
- Len Stanley, Margravine, elected in a 1964 by-election

Councillors deparing during term (4)

- Henry Babstock, Halford (deceased)
- Jean Henry, Broadway (resigned)
- Florence Pusey, Margravine (disqualified)
- Fred Williams, White City (deceased)

By-elections: 1968-1971

Starch Green

Thursday 27th June 1968
elevation to Alderman of Cllr William Smith, Conservative
No change

1968 electorate %turnout		6,384	26.1	- 18.3
Victor Dessimore	**Con**	**1,018**	**61.0**	**- 7.7**
Rosina Johnson	Lab	651	39.0	+ 7.7
Con to Lab swing: 7.7%	Maj	367	22.0	

White City

Thursday 7th November 1968
death of Cllr Brian Powell, Labour
No change

1968 electorate %turnout		6,384	26.1	- 18.3
Cecily J. Liardet	**Lab**	**908**	**55.3**	**+11.1**
Gordon W. Brierley	Con	350	21.3	- 11.2
Violet E. Coombes	L	258	15.7	- 1.6
Arthur A. Ingram	Ind	72	4.4	
John Gould	Comm	54	2.3	- 2.0
Con to Lab swing: 11.2%	Maj	558	34.0	

St Stephen's

Thursday 6th February 1969
death of Cllr John Duff, Conservative
No change

1969 electorate %turnout		4,956	25.3	- 9.0
William Wearmouth	**Con**	**698**	**55.6**	**- 3.9**
Leslie S.A. Jones	Lab	558	44.4	+ 3.9
Con to Lab swing: 3.9%	Maj	140	11.2	