

LONDON ELECTORAL HISTORY – STEPS TOWARDS DEMOCRACY

1.6 SCHOLARLY CONVENTIONS

The following scholarly conventions are used throughout the website:

1.6.1 Dates

Dates throughout are given in New Style: that is, taking each year to start on 1 January.

1.6.2 Spelling

For all personal names, surname and forename spellings have been standardised.

1.6.3 Place of publication

For all publications, place of publication is London unless otherwise stated.

1.6.4 Quotations from original sources

All quotations from original sources are given in their original form, with the exception of some very minor corrections to regularise spelling, punctuation, and capitalisation.

1.6.5 Conventions within electoral tables

1.6.5.1 Elected candidates are shown in SMALL CAPITALS.

1.6.5.2 Blank sections indicate categories for which no evidence has been found among the sources consulted to date. Examples include candidates' first names; livery companies; ward precincts. All further information, discovered by continuing research, will be added to the tables when the website is regularly updated.

1.6.6 Computer commands

Computer commands and printout are set in `Courier` font. Database table names and entities are in **Courier bold**, and field names are in *Courier italic*.

1.6.7 Computer software

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