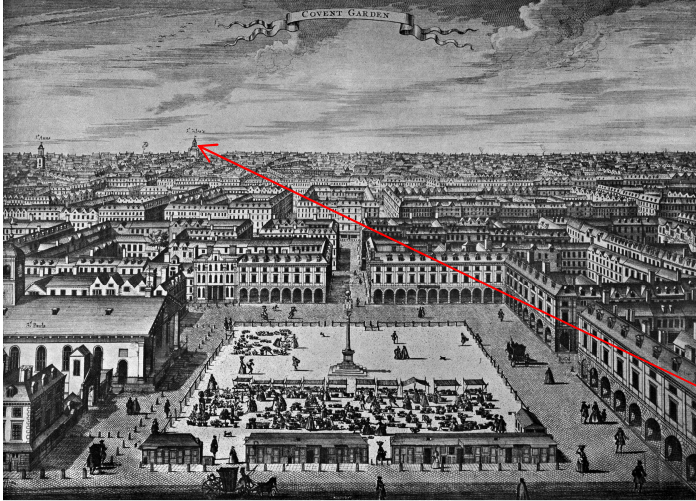


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## APPENDIX 2: Illustrations relating to the history of the area



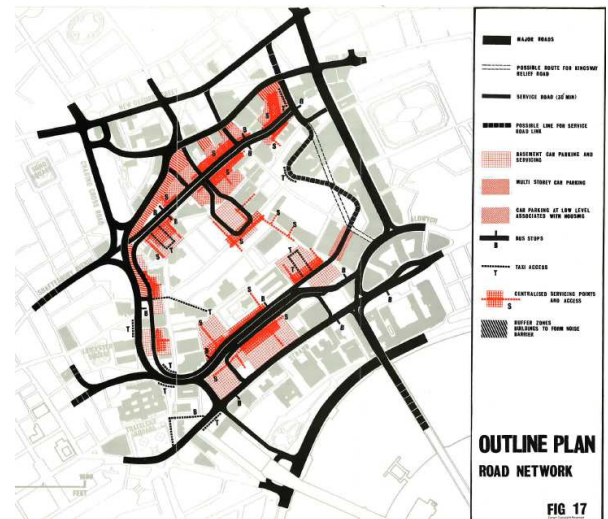
An engraving by Sutton Nicholl's showing Covent Garden built up by 1720.

The view stretches up from the Piazza to St. Giles, long before Shaftesbury Avenue was cut through in the 1880's as a philanthropic act of vandalism and community displacement.

St. Giles church.

A map from 'Covent Garden's Moving', the Area Plan Draft of 1968 published by the Consortium of the Greater London Council, City of Westminster and London Borough of Camden.

It shows the proposed destruction of two thirds of the area to make way for 4 lane roads, multi-storey car parks and the displacement of the old community.



Dudley Court and Odhams Walk, just two among many new blocks of public housing secured in the area by the action of the CGCA in its early days.