

CHAPTER cxxviii.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local A.D. 1885. Government Board relating to the Local Government Districts of Barking Town, Brentford and Ealing (two), the Hartlepool Joint Hospital, the Local Government District of Oldbury, the Rural Sanitary District of the Penzance Union, the Borough of Swansea, and the Local Government District of Swinton. [31st July 1885.]

WHEREAS the Local Government Board have made the Provisional Orders set forth in the Schedule hereto, under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875:

38 & 39 Vict.

And whereas it is requisite that the said Orders should be c. 55. confirmed by Parliament; and that the provisions herein contained should be enacted with reference thereto:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. The Orders set out in the schedule hereto shall be and the The Orders same are hereby confirmed, and all the provisions thereof shall, in schedule confirmed. from and after the dates therein respectively mentioned, have full validity and force.

2. The sanitary authorities mentioned in the said Orders shall Special not under the powers of this Act or of those Orders, without the provision as to houses of consent of the Local Government Board, purchase or acquire in any labouring city, borough, or other urban sanitary district, or in any parish or classes. part of a parish not being within an urban sanitary district, ten or more houses which, after the passing of this Act, have been or on the fifteenth day of December last were occupied either wholly or partially by persons belonging to the labouring class as tenants or lodgers.

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A.D. 1885. For the purposes of this section, the expression "labouring class" includes mechanics, artizans, labourers, and others working for wages, hawkers, costermongers, persons not working for wages, but working at some trade or handicraft without employing others except members of their own family, and persons other than domestic servants, whose income does not exceed an average of thirty shillings a week, and the families of any of such persons who may be residing with them.

Short title. 3. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 6) Act, 1885.

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SCHEDULE.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF BARKING TOWN.

Barking Town Order.

Provisional Order for extending the Local Government District of Barking Town, and for other purposes.

To the Barking Town Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Barking Town, in the County of Essex;—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Romford Union, in the same County, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government District of Barking Town, in the County of Essex, which comprises the Town Ward of the Parish of Barking, is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Barking Town Local Board (herein-after referred to as "the Local Board") are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the Ripple Ward of the said Parish of Barking is comprised in the Rural Sanitary District of the Romford Union, in the same County, and immediately adjoins the Local Government District of Barking Town;

And whereas by a sanction of the Local Government Board dated the Thirtieth day of April, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, the Guardians of the Poor of the Romford Union, as the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union, were empowered to borrow, under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, the sum of eighteen thousand two hundred pounds for works of sewerage and sewage disposal for so much of the Parish of Barking as is not comprised in any Urban Sanitary District; and it was ordered that the expenses incurred or payable by the said Rural Sanitary Authority in respect of the works of sewage disposal aforesaid should be deemed to be special expenses within the meaning of the said Public Health Act, 1875, and should be charged as such upon the said part of the said Parish:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 270 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby declare that, from and after the commencement of this Order, the Ripple Ward of the Parish of Barking, which is comprised in the Rural Sanitary District of the Romford Union, shall be included in, and form part of, the Local Government District of Barking Town.

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Barking Town Order. And We do hereby Order as follows; viz.,---

Art. I. This Order shall come into operation on the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (herein referred to as "the commencement of this Order").

Art. II. For the purposes of the election of members of the Local Board the Local Government District of Barking Town as extended by this Order shall be divided into two Wards, which shall be termed respectively the Town Ward and the Ripple Ward.

Art. III. The Town Ward shall consist of the area which, before the commencement of this Order, formed the Local Government District of Barking Town, and the Ripple Ward shall consist of the part of the Parish of Barking which is hereby included in the said Local Government District.

Art. IV. One person, who shall have the qualification prescribed by the law in force for the time being with regard to the election of members of a Local Board, shall be elected as a member of the Local Board by the persons qualified to vote in the Ripple Ward.

Art. V. For the purposes of the first election for such last-mentioned Ward, the Chairman of the Local Board, or if the Chairman be unable or unwilling to act, or the office of Chairman be vacant, such person as the Local Government Board shall, by their Order, appoint, shall be the Returning Officer.

Such election shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules, excepting Rule 55, contained in Schedule II. to the Public Health Act, 1875, as if it were the first election of a Local Board constituted after the passing of that Act, and the member then elected shall come into office on the day on which the first meeting of the Local Board shall be held after the Returning Officer shall have made his certificate of election in accordance with Rule 42 or Rule 52, as the case may require, of the said Schedule, and such member shall continue in office until the day herein-after fixed for his retirement.

Provided that the Returning Officer shall publish notice of the said election, in accordance with Rule 36 of the said Schedule, within fourteen days after the commencement of this Order, and shall specify in such notice the dates on which the several proceedings necessary to complete such election shall be taken.

Art. VI. The member so elected for the Ripple Ward shall go out of office on the Fifteenth day of April, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Art. VII. The members representing the Local Board at the commencement of this Order, or their successors in office, shall, after the person to be elected to represent the Ripple Ward shall have come into office, represent the Town Ward, and thenceforth the number of members constituting the Local Board shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 2 of Schedule II. to the Public Health Act, 1875, be ten.

Art. VIII. Notwithstanding anything contained in the said sanction, the Ripple Ward shall not be liable for the repayment of any part of the said sum of eighteen thousand two hundred pounds which may be borrowed by the Rural Sanitary Authority of the Romford Union.

Art. IX. The Local Board shall repay to the Surveyor of Highways of the part of the Parish of Barking hereby included in the said Local Government

District, all expenses reasonably incurred by that Surveyor in the repair of the highways in such part of the said Parish between the Twenty-fifth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and the commencement of this Order.

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Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.s.)

CHARLES W. DILKE, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICTS OF BRENTFORD AND EALING.

Brentford and Ealing Order.

Provisional Order for extending the Local Government Districts of Brentford and Ealing.

To the Brentford Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Brentford, in the County of Middlesex;—

To the Ealing Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Ealing, in the same County;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government District of Brentford, in the County of Middlesex (herein-after called "the Brentford District"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Brentford Local Board are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the Local Government District of Ealing, in the same County (herein-after called "the Ealing District"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Ealing Local Board are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the parts of the Ealing District, described in Schedule A. to this Order, immediately adjoin the Brentford District, and the part of the Brentford District, described in Schedule B. to this Order, immediately adjoins the Ealing District:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 270 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Declare that, from and after the date when this Order shall come into operation, all those parts of the Ealing District which are described in the said Schedule A. shall be included in, and form part of, the Brentford District, and all that part of the Brentford District which is described in the said Schedule B. shall be included in, and form part of, the Ealing District.

And We hereby Order as follows; viz.:-

Art. I. This Order shall come into operation on the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Art. II. The number of members to be elected for the Brentford District and the Ealing District respectively, as hereby altered, shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 2 of Schedule II. to the Public Health Act, 1875, be the same as before the date of this Order.

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The SCHEDULES above referred to.

Brentford and Ealing Order.

SCHEDULE A.

All those parts of the Ealing District which are coloured purple on the map marked A. sealed with the official seal of the Local Government Board, and deposited in their office, copies whereof, sealed in like manner, are deposited in the offices of the Ealing Local Board and of the Brentford Local Board respectively.

SCHEDULE B.

All that part of the Brentford District which is coloured green on the said map marked A. and the said copies thereof.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.S.)

CHARLES W. DILKE, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

Ealing Order.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF EALING.

Provisional Order to enable the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Ealing to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts.

To the Ealing Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Ealing, in the County of Middlesex;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Ealing Local Board, as the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Ealing, in the County of Middlesex, require to purchase and take the lands described in the Schedule hereto, for the purpose of being used as public walks or pleasure grounds:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 176 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the Ealing Local Board, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the continuance of any existing public rights of highway, and for the purpose aforesaid, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

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Parish of Ealing, in the County of Middlesex.

Colours and Numbers on deposited Plans.	Description of Lands.	Owners or reputed Owners and Occupiers.	
Red, 1 -	All that piece of land containing by admeasurement 3a. Or. 20p., or thereabouts, bounded on the south and west sides thereof by land belonging, or reputed to belong to, the Ealing Local Board, on the north side thereof by land belonging, or reputed to belong to, the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, and on the east side thereof by land belonging, or reputed to belong to, Henry Harris.	Edward Weatherley, William Cleal, Ruff, Deans, Joseph Gant, C. Saunders, and all other persons having rights of common or pasturage, or grazing, and other rights, easements, and privileges.	
Green, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.	All those pieces of land containing together by admeasurement 25a. 2r. 38p. or thereabouts.	The Ealing Local Board and Stephen Walker, Thomas Layton, Alexander McNae, I. R. Eden, Daniel Brill, William Wallis, Edward Weatherley, William Cleal, Ruff, Deans, Joseph Gant, C. Saunders, and all other persons having rights of common or pasturage, or grazing, and other rights, easements and privileges.	

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Eleventh day of May, in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.S.)

Charles W. Dilke, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

HARTLEPOOL JOINT HOSPITAL.

Hartlepool Order.

Provisional Order for altering a Confirming Act.

To the Hartlepool Port Sanitary Authority; --

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hartlepool, in the County of Durham, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

To the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of West Hartlepool, in the same County;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the First day of April, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and duly confirmed by the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation

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(Bath, &c.) Act, 1881 (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order of 1881" and "the Confirming Act of 1881"), the Joint Board, called the Hartlepool Port Sanitary Authority (herein-after called "the Port Sanitary Authority"), was formed and constituted the Port Sanitary Authority for so much of the Port of Hartlepool as was therein described (which part of the Port is herein-after referred to as "the Port Sanitary District"), and it was ordered that the Port Sanitary Authority should have, exercise, perform, and be subject to all the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations of a Local or Urban Sanitary Authority under the sections of the Public Health Act, 1875, therein mentioned;

And whereas by virtue of Section 10 of the Hartlepool Borough Extension Act, 1883 (herein-after referred to as "the Local Act"), the Port Sanitary Authority now consists of nine representative members of the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, and of six representative members of the Urban Sanitary Authority of the Borough of Hartlepool (which Commissioners and Urban Sanitary Authority are herein-after referred to as "the Urban Sanitary Authorities");

And whereas by Section 7 of the Local Government Board's Provisional Order Confirmation (No. 2) Act, 1883, being an Act for confirming a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the Third day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, it was enacted that nothing in the Local Act contained should lessen, prejudice, or interfere with the power of the Local Government Board, upon application by the Corporation of Hartlepool, or the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, or without application, to repeal, alter, or amend, by Provisional Order, the Confirming Act of 1881, so far as it related to the Hartlepool Port Sanitary Authority:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 297 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Confirming Act of 1881 shall be altered so as to provide as follows:—

- (1.) The Port Sanitary Authority shall, in addition to the powers conferred upon them by the Order of 1881, have the powers of a Joint Board under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, as if the same were a Joint Board for an United District constituted under Section 279 of that Act for the purpose of the provision, maintenance, and management of a hospital or hospitals for the reception of cases of infectious diseases occurring in the Urban Sanitary Districts of Hartlepool, and West Hartlepool, and the Port Sanitary District.
- (2.) Persons shall be admitted into a hospital provided by the Port Sanitary Authority in any of the following modes, and not otherwise, except with the consent of the Urban Sanitary Authorities; viz.:
 - a. By an order of the Port Sanitary Authority or either of the Urban Sanitary Authorities.
 - b. By an order of a Medical Officer of Health of either of the Urban Sanitary Authorities.
 - c. By an order of a Medical Officer appointed by the Port Sanitary Authority.
 - d. By an order of a justice made under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875.

Provided that if the Guardians of the Poor of the Hartlepool Union and the Port Sanitary Authority agree for the reception into the hospital of persons in the receipt of relief from the said Guardians, any such person may be admitted into the hospital in such manner as such agreement shall prescribe.

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- (3.) A copy of Section 132 of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall be hung up in a conspicuous place at the principal entrance of the hospital, and in each of the wards of the hospital.
- (4.) The expenses incurred by the Port Sanitary Authority of and incidental to the providing, erecting, furnishing, and fitting up a hospital or hospitals, all establishment charges, including the remuneration of the treasurer, clerk, medical officer or medical officers, and other officers and servants, and all other expenses, other than expenses of the care and maintenance of patients, repaid by or for such patients, or paid by the Urban Sanitary Authorities under Sub-division (5) of this Order, but including the expenses of the cost and maintenance of patients received from the Port Sanitary District, shall be defrayed out of the Common Fund, to be contributed by the Urban Sanitary Authorities under Article XII. of the Order of 1881.
- (5.) The expenses of the maintenance and care in hospital of patients from the Urban Sanitary Districts, so far as such expenses are not recovered from or repaid by or for such patients, shall be paid by the Urban Sanitary Authority from whose District such patients shall be received into the hospital, and shall be included in the precepts which the Port Sanitary Authority issue to the Urban Sanitary Authorities respectively under Section 290 of the Public Health Act, 1875, being added to the sums to be contributed by the Urban Sanitary Authorities as Riparian Authorities towards the said Common Fund; and, in case of default, shall be recovered in like manner as the other sums to be contributed towards such Common Fund.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.S.)

CHARLES W. DILKE, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF OLDBURY.

Provisional Order for altering a Local Act.

To the Oldbury Local Board of Health, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Oldbury, in the County of Worcester;— And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government District of Oldbury, in the County of Worcester, is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Local Board of Health (herein-after referred to as "the Local Board") are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the Oldbury Local Board of Health Act, 1876 (herein-after referred to as "the Local Act"), is in force in the District;

And whereas by Section 25 of the Local Act the Local Board are empowered to borrow on mortgage of the gas rates and other rates, rents, and revenue arising

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under that Act from the supply of gas and sale of residual products, and also on mortgage of the general district rates leviable by the Local Board under the Public Health Act, 1875, or any such securities or revenues, either together or separately, such sum or sums as may be required for the purchase of the gas undertaking therein mentioned (including all costs, charges, and expenses in reference thereto), and the sum of forty thousand pounds, being the estimated cost of the permanent works by the Local Act authorised, and also, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, such further sums as they may from time to time think requisite for any of the purposes of that Act, not exceeding the sum of fifty thousand pounds; and after having paid off, otherwise than by the sinking fund, any moneys so borrowed, to re-borrow the amount so paid off, and so from time to time;

And whereas by Section 27 of the Local Act it was provided that the whole of the money borrowed under that Act, whether as a loan or as several loans, should be discharged within a period not exceeding sixty years from the date of the first advance of any money made on account of any loan under that Act, but that it should not be obligatory to set apart or appropriate any moneys for that purpose until the expiration of five years from the passing of that Act;

And whereas by Section 28 of the Local Act it was provided that the Local Board might, if they saw fit, in manner provided by the Local Loans Act, 1875, and, subject to the provisions thereof, discharge any loan or part of any loan under the Local Act by a sinking fund, and that in that case the prescribed rate of interest should be three and a half per centum per annum;

And whereas the Local Board borrowed, under the powers of Section 25 of the Local Act, on the Ninth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and eighty, the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds; on the Sixth day of February, One thousand eight hundred and eighty, the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds; and on the Nineteenth day of July, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the sum of twenty thousand pounds (which said sums are herein-after referred to as "the principal sums"), and which principal sums the Local Board have covenanted to repay by equal annual instalments of one fiftieth part of the principal money for thirty years from the respective dates of borrowing, and the balances at the expiration of such respective periods of thirty years;

And whereas in consequence of the principal sums having been borrowed on the terms of repayment mentioned in the preceding recital, the amounts to be annually raised by the Local Board to meet such repayments during the several periods of thirty years for which the principal sums have been respectively borrowed, are larger than would have been required if the principal sums had been borrowed on terms of repayment within sixty years from the date of the first advance by means of a sinking fund;

And whereas questions have arisen whether the accounts of the Local Board under the Local Act are liable to audit in the same manner as accounts of the Local Board under the Public Health Act, 1875:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order (herein-after referred to as "the

commencement of this Order"), the following provisions shall take effect; namely,—

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Art. I. Section 25 of the Local Act, from the words "as they may from time to time think requisite" to the end of the section shall be repealed, and in lieu thereof the following words shall be substituted: "not exceeding the sum of fifty "thousand pounds, as they may from time to time think requisite, for the purposes of the Oldbury gasworks, including the provision of working capital."

Art. II. Sections 27 and 28 of the Local Act shall be repealed, and in lieu thereof the following provisions shall take effect:—

- (1.) The principal sums shall be repaid within the period of sixty years from the Ninth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and eighty, and any further moneys borrowed by the Local Board under the powers of the Local Act as hereby altered shall be repaid within such period, not exceeding sixty years, as the Local Board, with the consent of the Local Government Board, shall, in each case, determine, which said periods respectively shall be deemed to be "the prescribed period" within the meaning of the Local Loans Act, 1875, and are herein-after respectively referred to as "the prescribed period."
- (2.) The Local Board shall repay the moneys borrowed under the powers of the Local Act, or of the said Act as hereby altered, other than money borrowed under the provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875, either by equal annual instalments of principal, or of principal and interest, or by setting apart in every year as a sinking fund such a sum or sums as the Local Board, with the consent of the Local Government Board, shall from time to time determine to be sufficient, after payment of all expenses, to pay off the money so borrowed within the prescribed period, and shall invest such sinking fund and the income thereof in the purchase of Exchequer bills or other Government securities, or in securities in which trustees are by law for the time being authorised to invest, or in mortgages, debentures, debenture stock, or other securities issued by any Local Authority, as defined by Section 34 of the Local Loans Act, 1875, other than the Local Board, the Local Board being at liberty from time to time to vary and transpose such investments.
- (3.) The Local Board may at any time apply the whole or any part of such sinking fund in or towards the discharge of the money for the repayment of which the fund is established: Provided, that the Local Board pay into the fund each year, and accumulate until the whole of the money borrowed is discharged, a sum equivalent to the interest which would have been produced by the sinking fund, or the part of the sinking fund, so applied.
- (4.) The discharge of any moneys borrowed under the powers conferred by the Local Act as hereby altered and the provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875, may be secured by the establishment of a sinking fund, and the application thereof in manner in that Act mentioned.
- (5.) The Local Board may from time to time re-borrow any money borrowed by them under the Local Act, or of the said Act as hereby altered, and paid off otherwise than by instalments or appropriations, or by means of a sinking fund, or out of the proceeds of the sale or disposition of land, or out of other moneys received on capital account: Provided always, that all moneys so

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Provided further, that any repayments of principal in respect of the principal sums which the Local Board may have made before the commencement of this Order, or may make between the commencement of this Order and the expiration of the respective periods of thirty years limited as herein-before recited for the repayment of the said principal sums, shall be deemed to have been payments made into sinking funds set aside and applied by the Local Board in manner herein provided for repayment of the principal sums; and if at any time prior to the expiration of the said respective periods of thirty years, the total amount of the repayments of principal so made as aforesaid in respect of the principal sums shall be in excess of the total amounts which should be standing to the credit of the sinking funds in respect of the principal sums, reckoning the rate of accumulation for such sinking funds at three pounds per centum per annum, the amount for the time being so in excess may be re-borrowed by the Local Board subject to the provisions of this Article as if the same had not been repaid by instalments.

- (6.) The Clerk to the Local Board shall, within twenty-one days after the expiration of each year ending on the Twenty-fifth day of March in which any sum is required to be paid as an instalment or to be set apart for a sinking fund, under the provisions of this Order, transmit to the Local Government Board a return in such form as may be prescribed by that Board, and verified by statutory declaration, if so required by them, showing the amounts which have been paid as instalments and the amounts which have been invested or applied for the purpose of such sinking fund, during the year next preceding the making of such return, and the description of the securities upon which any investment has been made, and the purposes to which any portion of the sinking fund or investment or of the sums accumulated by way of interest has been applied during the same period, and the total amount (if any) remaining invested at the end of the year, and in the event of any wilful default in making such return, such Clerk shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, which shall be paid to the Local Government Board, and shall be recoverable by that Board in the same manner as penalties recoverable under the Public Health Act, 1875, in a summary manner, may be recovered by parties aggrieved within the meaning of that Act.
- (7.) If it appear to the Local Government Board, by that return or otherwise, that the Local Board have failed to pay any instalment required to be paid, or to set apart any sum required for any sinking fund, or have applied any portion of the moneys set apart for any sinking fund, or of the sums accumulated by way of interest, to any purpose other than those authorised, or have re-borrowed under Sub-division (5) of this Article a larger sum or larger sums than they are thereby authorised to re-borrow, the Local Government

Board may by Order direct that a sum, not exceeding double the amount in respect of which default has been made, shall be paid by way of instalment or be set apart and invested or applied as part of the sinking fund, and any such Order shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

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Art. III. The Local Act shall be further altered so as to provide that the provisions of Sections 245, 247 (except so much thereof as has been repealed by the District Auditors Act, 1879), 249, and 250 of the Public Health Act, 1875, relating to accounts and their audit, and the provisions of the District Auditors Act, 1879, so far as the same are applicable, shall apply to the accounts of the Local Board under the Local Act as hereby altered for the year ending the Twenty-fifth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and every subsequent year, and to the audit of such accounts.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.S.)

Charles W. Dilke, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

RURAL SANITARY DISTRICT OF THE PENZANCE UNION.

Penzance Union Order.

Provisional Order to enable the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of the Penzance Union to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Penzance Union, in the County of Cornwall, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Guardians of the Poor of the Penzance Union, in the County of Cornwall, as the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union, require to purchase and take the land described in the Schedule hereto, for the purpose of supplying with water the Parish of Paul, in their District:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 176 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the said Sanitary Authority, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the land described in the Schedule hereto, and for the purpose aforesaid, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

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The SCHEDULE above referred to.

Parish of Paul, in the County of Cornwall.

No. and Colour on deposited Plans.	Description of Land.	Owner or reputed Owner.	Occupier.
4 Red	A piece of land, being part of a field called Park-an- Sheeta.	Annie Ellen Dennis	Thomas Hare.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

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CHARLES W. DILKE, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

Swansea Order.

BOROUGH OF SWANSEA. .

Provisional Order for altering certain Local Acts and a Confirming Act.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan (hereinafter referred to as "the Borough"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by a Local Act of Parliament passed in the seventh and eighth years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for "paving, lighting, cleansing, watering, regulating, and otherwise improving the "Town and Borough of Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan, and for removing "and preventing nuisances and annoyances therein" (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1844"), the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors for the time being of the Borough of Swansea, and their successors, together with twelve other persons, were appointed Commissioners (herein-after referred to as "the Commissioners") for carrying that Act into execution;

And whereas by virtue of a Provisional Order of the General Board of Health dated the Twenty-eighth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and fifty, and duly confirmed by the Public Health Supplemental Act, 1850 (No. 2), (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order" and "the Confirming Act"), certain parts of the Act of 1844 were repealed, and all the lands, messuages, buildings, and other property belonging to or vested in the Commissioners, including the site of the slaughter-houses provided by the Commissioners, became transferred to and vested in the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors of the Borough as the Local Board of Health for the District of the Borough;

And whereas by Section 34 of the Swansea Municipal Corporation Act, 1863 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1863"), the Corporation were (inter alia) empowered, if and when they might think fit, to make, establish, and maintain public slaughter-houses, either upon the lands called the Dyvatty Field, or upon such other lands as the Corporation might think proper, and might from time to time possess or acquire by agreement:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby order that, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the following provisions shall take effect; viz.,

Art. I. The Confirming Act, so far as it relates to the Order, shall be altered so as to empower the Corporation to pull down or remove the slaughter-houses provided by the Commissioners as aforesaid, and to sell or otherwise dispose of the site of such slaughter-houses; and to apply the proceeds of any such sale, after deducting the expenses connected therewith, towards the discharge of the principal of any money borrowed under the Public Health Act, 1875, for the purpose mentioned in Sub-division (2) of Article II. of this Order.

Art. II. The Act of 1863 shall be altered so as to provide as follows; viz.,—

- (1.) The Corporation may use the lands called Dyvatty Field, or part of such lands, or any of the other lands referred to in Section 34 of the Act of 1863, for the provision of slaughter-houses under the powers of Section 169 of the Public Health Act, 1875.
- (2.) The Corporation may defray, out of money borrowed under the Public Health Act, 1875, the cost of providing slaughter-houses upon the lands mentioned in Sub-division (1) of this Article.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-second day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.S.)

Kimberley, One of the Ex-officio Members of the Local Government Board. S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF SWINTON.

Provisional Order for extending the Local Government District of Swinton.

To the Swinton Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Swinton, in the West Riding of the County of York;—

To the Rawmarsh Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Rawmarsh, in the same Riding;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government District of Swinton, in the West Riding of the County of York (herein-after called "the Swinton District"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Swinton Local Board are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

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And whereas the Local Government District of Rawmarsh, in the same Riding (herein-after called "the Rawmarsh District"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Rawmarsh Local Board are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the part of the Rawmarsh District described in the Schedule to this Order immediately adjoins the Swinton District:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 270 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Declare that, from and after the date when this Order shall come into operation, all that part of the Rawmarsh District which is described in the said Schedule shall be included in, and form part of, the Swinton District.

And We hereby Order as follows; viz :--

Art. I. This Order shall come into operation on the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

Art. II. The number of members to be elected for the Swinton District and the Rawmarsh District respectively, as hereby altered, shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 2 of Schedule II. to the Public Health Act, 1875, be the same as before the date of this Order.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

All that part of the Rawmarsh District which is edged with dark green on the map marked A., sealed with the official seal of the Local Government Board, and deposited in their office, copies whereof, sealed in like manner, are deposited in the offices of the Swinton Local Board and of the Rawmarsh Local Board respectively.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twenty-second day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(L.s.)

Kimberley, One of the Ex-officio Members of the Local Government Board.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

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