CHAPTER cxxxix.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order made by the Education Department under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," to enable the School Board for the parish of Merthyr Tydfil to put in force "The Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845," and the Acts amending the same. A.D. 1873.

[21st July 1873.]

WHEREAS the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have made a Provisional Order under the authority of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, on behalf of the School Board for the parish of Merthyr Tydfil, and it is requisite that the same should be confirmed by Parliament:

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:

Confirmation of Order.

1. The following Order shall be and is hereby confirmed, and from and after the passing of this Act shall have full validity and force.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Education Department Provisional Order Confirmation Act (No. 6), 1873.

A.D. 1873.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

At the Council Chamber, the 10th day of June 1873.

Whereas the School Board for the parish of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, require to purchase several pieces of land for the purposes of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and, not having been able to purchase the same by agreement, require to put in force the provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, and the Acts amending the same, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the lands so required to be purchased are set forth in the schedule hereunder written:

And whereas the said Board have made due publication of the notices, and have duly served the same, according to the requirements of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and have presented a petition to the Education Department praying that an Order may be made authorising the said School Board to put in force the powers of the said Acts with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, in which petition were stated all the matters required by the said Elementary Education Act to be stated therein, and the same hath been supported by such evidence as the said Education Department required:

And whereas the said Department, having considered the said petition and the proofs of the publication and service of the proper notices, have thought fit to proceed with the case, and have caused inquiry to be made in the district of the said Board wherein the said land is situate as to the propriety of the proposed Order:

Now, therefore, the said Department, having received a report after such inquiry, and having duly considered the same, do hereby declare that it is proper, and do hereby order accordingly, that the said Board be authorised to put in force, with reference to the pieces of land set forth in the schedule hereunder written, the powers of the said Acts for the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

Signed this 10th day of June 1873.

F. R. Sandford,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE to the foregoing Order.

1. All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Troedyrhiw, in the parish of Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid, and part whereof now forms the site of the Troedyrhiw Schools, and now carried on by the said Merthyr Tydfil School Board, and which said piece of land is bounded on the north by Cross Yew Street, Troedyrhiw aforesaid, on the east by cottages and gardens leased to John

Roderick, of Troedyrhiw aforesaid, and by the Taff Vale Railway, on the south by gardens leased to D. R. Williams, of Troedyrhiw aforesaid, tailor, and also by cottages and gardens leased to Thomas Beddoe, of Duffryn, near Troedyrhiw aforesaid, ostler, and on the west by Yew Street, Troedyrhiw aforesaid, and containing by admeasurement one rood and eleven square yards, be the same more or less; and such portion of the said piece of ground as is not covered by the said schoolhouse and premises is used as garden ground, and held under lease by the said Thomas Beddoe.

2. All that piece or parcel of pasture land or ground situate in George Town aforesaid, and bounded on the north by the road leading from Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid to Aberdare in the said county, and by a garden in the occupation of Mr. Hansard, on the west by a road leading to Llwyncelyn, George Town aforesaid, and on the south by a brook called Cwmpant Bach Brook, and on the east by a piece of land belonging to or in the occupation of Robert Thompson Crawshay, Esquire, and containing by estimation one acre and twenty-nine perches, be the same more or less, and now or late in the occupation of Robert Thompson Crawshay, Esquire, or his under-tenant.

3. All that piece of pasture land or ground being the north or end or part of a field called Cae Plas, situate at Ynysowen, in the said parish of Merthyr Tydfil, and which field is bounded on the north by an occupation road branching from the turnpike road leading from Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid to Cardiff in the said county, such occupation road running in a westerly direction and in front of some cottages belonging to Mr. Humphrey Pugh, on the east by the said turnpike road, on the south by a public house in the occupation of Henry Roberts, and on the west by a tramway running from Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid to Navigation in the said county, and containing by estimation two roods, be the same more or less, and now or late in the occupation of Richard Fothergill, Esquire, M.P.

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