CHAPTER cxcv.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made by the Education Department under the Elementary Education Act, 1870, to enable the School Boards for Barry United District, Brotherton, Hornsey, Low Leyton, Liverpool, Sutton (Surrey), West Ham, Willesden, and York to put in force the Lands Clauses Acts. A.D. 1894.

[17th August 1894.]

WHEREAS the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have made certain Provisional Orders under the authority of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, on behalf of the School Boards for Barry United District, Brotherton, Hornsey, Low Leyton, Liverpool, Sutton (Surrey), West Ham, Willesden, and York, and it is requisite that the same should be confirmed by Parliament: 33 & 34 Vict. c. 75.

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 Orders.

1. The following Orders as set out shall be and are hereby confirmed, and from and after the passing of this Act shall have full validity and force.

Saving with respect to houses of labouring class.

2. The School Boards for Barry United District, Brotherton, Low Leyton, Sutton (Surrey), Willesden, and York shall not, under the powers of this Act, or of the said Orders, purchase or acquire ten or more houses which on the fifteenth day of December last were occupied either wholly or partially by persons belonging to the labouring class as tenants or lodgers, or, except with the consent of the Local Government Board, ten or more houses which were not so occupied on the said fifteenth day of December but have been or shall be subsequently so occupied.

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Special provisions as to Hornsey, Liverpool, and West Ham, in respect to houses of labouring class.

3. The following provisions shall apply to the School Boards for the districts of Hornsey, Liverpool, and West Ham :—

(1.) The School Boards shall not, under the powers of this Act, purchase or acquire in their respective districts ten or more houses included in the Schedules to the Orders relating to the districts hereby confirmed, 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, unless and until—

(*a.*) They shall have obtained the approval of the Local Government Board to a scheme for providing new dwellings for such number of persons as were residing in such houses on the fifteenth day of December last, or for such number of persons as the Local Government Board shall, after inquiry, deem necessary, having regard to the number of persons on or after that date residing in such houses and working within one mile therefrom, and to the amount of vacant suitable accommodation in the immediate neighbourhood of such houses, or to the place of employment of such persons, and to all the circumstances of the case; and

(*b.*) They shall have given security to the satisfaction of the Local Government Board for the carrying out of the scheme.

(2.) The approval of the Local Government Board to any scheme under this section may be given either absolutely or conditionally, and after the Local Government Board have approved of any such scheme they may from time to time approve either absolutely or conditionally of any modifications in the scheme.

(3.) Every scheme under this section shall contain provisions prescribing the time within which it shall be carried out, and shall require the new dwellings proposed to be provided under the scheme to be completed fit for occupation before the persons residing in the houses in respect of which the scheme is made are displaced :

Provided that the Local Government Board may dispense with the last-mentioned requirement, subject to such conditions, if any, as they may see fit.

(4.) Any provisions of any scheme under this section, or any conditions subject to which the Local Government Board may have approved of any scheme, or of any modifications of

any scheme under this section, or subject to which they may have dispensed with the above-mentioned requirement, shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of the High Court.

(5.) If the School Boards acquire or appropriate any house or houses for the purposes of this Act or of the Orders hereby confirmed in contravention of the foregoing provisions, or displace or cause to be displaced the persons residing in any house or houses in contravention of the requirements of the scheme, they shall be liable to a penalty of five hundred pounds in respect of every such house, which penalty shall be recoverable by the Local Government Board by action in the High Court, and shall be carried to and form part of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom:

Provided that the Court may, if it think fit, reduce such penalty.

(6.) For the purpose of carrying out any scheme under this section the School Boards may appropriate any lands for the time being belonging to them, or which they have power to acquire, and may purchase such further lands as they may require, and for the purpose of any such purchase sections 176 and 297 of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall be incorporated with this Act, and shall apply to the purchase of lands beyond the Metropolis by the School Boards, for the purposes of any scheme under this section, in the same manner, in all respects, as if the School Boards were local authorities within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the scheme were one of the purposes of that Act.

(7.) The School Boards may, subject to such approval as aforesaid, on any lands belonging to them, or purchased or acquired under this section, erect such dwellings for persons of the labouring class as may be necessary for the purpose of any scheme under this section, and may sell, demise, or let, or otherwise dispose of such dwellings and any lands purchased or acquired as aforesaid.

(8.) All lands on which any buildings have been erected or provided by the School Boards in pursuance of any scheme under this section shall, for a period of twenty-five years from the date of the scheme, be appropriated for the purpose of dwellings, and every conveyance, demise, or lease of such lands and buildings shall be endorsed with notice of this enactment.

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(9.) The Local Government Board may at any time dispense with all or any of the requirements of sub-sections six, seven, and eight, subject to such conditions, if any, as they may see fit.

(10.) The School Boards shall pay to the Local Government Board a sum to be fixed by that Board in respect of the preparation and issue of any Provisional Order in pursuance of this section, and any expenses incurred by that Board in relation to any inquiries under this section, including the expenses of any witnesses summoned by the inspector holding the inquiry, and a sum to be fixed by that Board, not exceeding three guineas a day, for the services of such inspector.

Definition of labouring class.

4. For the purposes of sections two and three of this Act 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.

5. This Act may be cited as the Education Department Provisional Orders Confirmation (Barry, &c.) Act, 1894.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE BARRY UNITED SCHOOL DISTRICT, COUNTY OF GLAMORGAN.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 28th day of April 1894.

Whereas the School Board for the Barry United School District, in the county of Glamorgan, require to purchase a piece 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 Acts, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the land so required to be purchased is 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 piece 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 28th day of April 1894.

(Signed) Wm. Tucker,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

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SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

A piece of land in the parish of Cadoxton, in the county of Glamorgan, containing by admeasurement one acre more or less, being a part of the common known as Cadoxton Common, in the same parish and county, and which said common is one of the commons or waste lands held of the Manor of Cadoxton, in the county of Glamorgan, whereof Laura Frances Jenner, of Wenvoe Castle, in the said county of Glamorgan, is lady.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR BROTHERTON, ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTY OF THE WEST RIDING OF YORK.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 5th day of April 1894.

WHEREAS the School Board for the parish of Brotherton, in the administrative county of York, W.R., require to purchase a piece 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 Acts, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the land so required to be purchased is 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 piece 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 5th day of April 1894.

(Signed) G. MILLER,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER. A.D. 1894.

A field of grass land, known as Vicar's Croft, in the parish of Brotherton, in the occupation of the Rev. George Haslam. Quantity 28,674 square feet or thereabouts.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR HORNSEY, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 19th day of February 1894.

Whereas the School Board for the parish of Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, require to purchase certain 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 Acts, 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 lands are 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 19th day of February 1894.

(Signed) J. W. J. Stephenson,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

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SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

Parish of Hornsey.—Thirteen houses, outbuildings, gardens, and premises, situated on the west side of Woodstock Road, Stroud Green Road, in the parish of Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, being Nos. 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, and 86 in the said road (No. 86 being at the corner of Woodstock Road and Perth Road).

Eight houses, outbuildings, gardens, and premises, situated on the south-east side of Perth Road, Stroud Green Road, in the parish of Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, and being Nos. 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, and 33 in the said road.

Six houses, outbuildings, gardens, and premises, situated on the east side of Ennis Road, Stroud Green Road, in the parish of Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, and being Nos. 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, and 52 in the said road.

Also all appurtenances connected with the said houses, hereditaments, and premises (which comprise together 27 houses, as above stated).

Area 47,204 square feet, or thereabouts.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR LOW LEYTON, COUNTY OF ESSEX.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 16th day of February 1894.

WHEREAS the School Board for the parish of Low Leyton, in the county of Essex, require to purchase certain 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 Acts, 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 lands are situate as to the propriety of the proposed Order: A.D. 1894.

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 16th day of February 1894.

(Signed) G. Miller,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

A piece of vacant land, bounded on the north by Goodall Road, on the south by other land (lately belonging to the British Land Company, Limited, and by them sold to various purchasers), on the east by Elmore Road, and on the west by Webster Road, and which piece of land formed lots 58 to 78 and 90 to 98 (all inclusive) of the British Land Company's "Leyton Station" Estate. Area, about 66,226 square feet.

A piece of vacant land, bounded on the north-east by Bickley Road, on the north-west by land belonging to the British Land Company, Limited, on the south-east by Capworth Street, and on the south-west by Shortlands Road, and which piece of land formed lots 162A to 176 and 302 to 319 (all inclusive) of the British Land Company's "Leyton Hall" Estate. Area, about 65,884 square feet.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR LIVERPOOL, COUNTY BOROUGH OF LIVERPOOL.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 2nd day of May 1894.

Whereas the School Board for Liverpool, in the County Borough of Liverpool, require to purchase certain 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 Acts, 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

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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 lands are 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:

The School Board for Liverpool shall, before commencing to erect any buildings on the land situate in Stanhope Street and Grafton Street, to which this Order relates, stop up or remove all existing sewers of the Corporation thereon, or otherwise deal with the same to the satisfaction of the city engineer of the Corporation; and save as aforesaid the Board shall not injure nor interfere with any sewer of the Corporation:

The Board shall, before commencing to erect any buildings on the said land, pay to the Corporation the value of any water pipes belonging to the Corporation which may be upon the said land.

Signed this 2nd day of May 1894.

(Signed) F. C. HODGSON,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

EXTRA-PAROCHIAL PLACE OF TOXTETH PARK.

Corner of Stanhope and Grafton Streets.

A piece of land on the south side of Stanhope Street and east side of Grafton Street, abutting east on the Liverpool School Board Harrington Schools, and south on the property of the Liverpool Cartage Association, and occupied by five houses or shops and premises in Stanhope Street, eight houses or shops and premises in Grafton Street, and seven houses and premises in No. 5 Court Grafton Street, together with the whole of all yards and passages, and of No. 5 Court. Area about 1,266 square yards, as the same is described in the plan No. 1, and distinguished by the Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8A, 9, 10, 11, 11A,

12, 12A, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, and 22, with all and singular the messuages and tenements and buildings now standing or being thereon, with their appurtenances.

PARISH OF WEST DERBY.

Sterne Street.

A piece of land on the east side of Sterne Street, abutting east and south on the Liverpool School Board Butler Street Schools, abutting north on a passage at the back of houses fronting Boaler Street, which land is occupied by 12 houses in Sterne Street, with their yards and premises, and by a passage along the east and south sides thereof. Area about 1,024 square yards, as the same is described in the plan No. 2, and distinguished by the Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, with all and singular the messuages and tenements and buildings now standing or being thereon, with their appurtenances.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR SUTTON, COUNTY OF SURREY.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 22nd day of March 1894.

WHEREAS the School Board for the Parish of Sutton, in the County of Surrey, require to purchase a piece 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 Acts, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the land so required to be purchased is 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

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proper, and do hereby order accordingly, that the said Board be authorised to put in force, with reference to the piece 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 22nd day of March 1894.

(Signed) J. W. J. STEPHENSON,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

A triangular piece of land, situate in the Belmont District of Sutton, Surrey, on the west side of a road called Banstead Road, Sutton, aforesaid, and having a frontage to such road of 130 feet or thereabouts, and bounded on the north by land belonging to the Sutton Local Board, and on the south by land belonging to W. Gibbons, and containing 1 rood, 20 poles, 19 yards, or thereabouts.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR WEST HAM, COUNTY OF ESSEX.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 26th day of February 1894.

WHEREAS the School Board for West Ham, in the county of Essex, require to purchase certain 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 Acts, 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 lands are 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: Provided that if and when the said Board shall have acquired the site K described in such schedule, they shall, before commencing to erect any building on the said site, widen Whalebone Lane on its south side for the entire frontage of that site to the satisfaction of the engineer of the borough of West Ham to the extent of 20 feet measured from the centre of the said lane:

When and so soon as the School Board have acquired all the properties the owners or occupiers whereof have rights of way over Carter Road, Plaistow, the School Board may permanently stop up and discontinue for public or other traffic the said road and all rights of way over and all liabilities to repair the same shall thereupon be absolutely extinguished and the site and soil thereof shall vest in the School Board freed and discharged from such rights and liability.

Signed this 26th day of February 1894.

(Signed) G. Miller,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

Carter Road, Plaistow, Site.

A.—A piece of vacant land on the south side of Queen's Road, Plaistow (situate between Park Road and Carter Road, Plaistow), abutting north on Queen's Road aforesaid, and south on land immediately herein-after described. Area about 20,160 square feet.

B.—A piece of vacant land on the west side of a new road called (or intended to be called) Carter Road, Queen's Road, Plaistow, abutting east on Carter Road aforesaid, and west on the yards or gardens in rear of premises in Park Road, Queen's Road, aforesaid. Area about 45,000 square feet.

C.—A private road or way called or intended to be called Carter Road, leading from Queen's Road aforesaid to St. Mary's Road, Plaistow, and to the land lastly herein-before described, abutting north on Queen's Road aforesaid, and south on St. Mary's Road aforesaid. Area about 20,920 square feet.

D.—A plot of vacant land on the east side of Park Road, Queen's Road, Plaistow, abutting west on Park Road aforesaid, and east on the rear of a portion of the land secondly herein-before described. Area about 1,500 square feet.

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E.—A plot of vacant land on the south side of Queen's Road, Plaistow, abutting north on Queen's Road aforesaid, and south on other vacant land next herein-after described. Area about 7,300 square feet.

F.—A piece of vacant land on the west side of Carter Road, Plaistow, abutting east on Carter Road aforesaid, and west on gardens or yards in the rear of premises in St. Mary's Road, Plaistow. Area about 32,760 square feet.

Tunmarsh Lane, Plaistow, Site.

G.—A piece of vacant land on the south-westerly side of New City Road, Plaistow, abutting north-east on New City Road aforesaid, and south on Tunmarsh Lane, Plaistow. Area about 74,862 square feet.

Knox Road, Forest Gate, Site.

H.—A piece of vacant land on the north side of proposed continuation of Knox Road to Alice Road, Forest Gate, abutting south on proposed new road as aforesaid, and north on a stable mews running at the rear of Belgrave Villas, Romford Road, Forest Gate. Area about 52,172 square feet.

Whalebone Lane, West Ham, Site.

K.—A piece of vacant land on the south side of Whalebone Lane, West Ham, abutting north on Whalebone Lane aforesaid, and south on other vacant land. Area about 65,340 square feet.

Three Mills, West Ham, Site.

L.—A piece of vacant land on the west side of Abbey Lane, West Ham, abutting east on Abbey Lane aforesaid, and west on other vacant land. Area about 65,340 square feet.

Water Lane, Stratford, Site.

N.—A piece of vacant meadow land and garden ground (with gardener's cottage, barn, cowshed, and chicken-house, situate on portion thereof) on the west side of Water Lane, The Green, Stratford, abutting east on Water Lane aforesaid, and west on the rear of the premises herein-after described as being the site of the proposed offices for the board. Area about 101,802 square feet.

O.—A tenement dwelling-house on the south side of Manby Street, Water Lane, Stratford, abutting north on Manby Street aforesaid, and south on a portion of the premises immediately above described. Area about 1,280 square feet.

Site for Board's Offices.

P.—Two dwelling-houses, passage or way adjoining, and range of stabling and sheds at the rear, situate on the east side of The Grove, Stratford,

abutting west on The Grove, Stratford, and east on the meadow land and garden ground in Water Lane, Stratford, above described. Area about 20,829 square feet. A.D. 1894.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR WILLESDEN, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 5th day of March 1894.

Whereas the School Board for Willesden, in the county of Middlesex, require to purchase a piece 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 Acts, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the land so required to be purchased is 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 piece of land set forth in the schuedle 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 5th day of March 1894.

(Signed) J. W. J. Stephenson.
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the Education Department.

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SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

Parish of Willesden.—A piece of vacant land, bounded on the north-west by land vested in the Official Liquidator of the Conservative Benefit Building Society, on the south-east by Leopold Road, on the north-east by Goodson Road, and on the south-west by Northcote Road, and being plots 136 to 158 (both inclusive) of the estate of the Conservative Benefit Building Society, called the Church Road Estate No. 1. Area about 36,294 square feet.

THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR YORK, COUNTY BOROUGH OF YORK.

Provisional Order for putting in force the Lands Clauses Acts.

At the Council Chamber, the 28th day of April 1894.

WHEREAS the School Board for York, in the county borough of York, require to purchase a piece 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 Acts, which apply to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement:

And whereas the land so required to be purchased is 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 piece 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 28th day of April 1894.

(Signed) G. MILLER,
One of the Assistant Secretaries of the
Education Department.

SCHEDULE TO THE FOREGOING ORDER.

All that piece of land situate in the city of York and at the north-east corner of Micklegate Stray, commonly called Scarcroft, and bounded on the north side by property belonging to Messrs. Pennyman, Bond, Richardson, Brown, Hastings, and Cowper, and the end of Dale Street, on the east side by property belonging to Messrs. Lamb and Preston, and the end of Nunthorpe Road, on the south and west sides by Micklegate Stray. Area about 7,000 square yards.

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