CHAPTER cxxviii.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order under the Land Drainage Act 1861 relating to lands in the Parishes of Owston and West Butterwick in the County of Lincoln (Parts of Lindsey). [22nd July 1904.]

A.D. 1904.

WHEREAS the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have made the Provisional Order set forth in the schedule hereto under the provisions of the Land Drainage Act 1861:

24 & 25 Vict. c. 133. s. 2.

And whereas it is requisite that the said Order should be confirmed by Parliament:

Be it therefore enacted by the King'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:—

Order in schedule confirmed.

1. The Order set out in the schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby confirmed and all the provisions thereof shall have full validity and force.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Land Drainage Provisional Order Confirmation Act 1904.

[*Price 8d.*]

A.D. 1904.

SCHEDULE.

LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1861.

PROVISIONAL ORDER.

In the matter of the proposed Separate Drainage District of Newland (Epworth) in the parishes of Owston and West Butterwick in the county of Lincoln (Parts of Lindsey).

THE Board of Agriculture and Fisheries in pursuance of the powers vested in them do by this Provisional Order constitute the lands shown on a plan sealed by the Board and thereon coloured pink a Separate Drainage District under the Land Drainage Act 1861:

And they do further by this their Provisional Order make the following regulations with respect to the Drainage Board:—

That the Drainage Board for the said District shall consist of seven members:

That the following persons shall be members of the first Drainage Board:—

Thomas John Blaydes Epworth near Doncaster;
Richard Coggon West Butterwick Doncaster;
Samuel Temperton Kelfield Grange Owston Doncaster;
John Henry Bletcher Worlaby Lincoln;
Roland Burke Normanby Estate Office Doncaster;
William Everatt Junior Kelfield Owston Ferry Doncaster;
Stafford Edward Somerville Doncaster:

That the first meeting of the said Drainage Board shall be summoned by notice under the hands of any two or more of the said Drainage Board published in some newspaper circulated in the District and posted on the church doors of the said parishes of Owston and West Butterwick at least fourteen days before the day of meeting:

That the qualification of any subsequent member of the said Drainage Board shall be that he shall be the proprietor or the heir apparent of a proprietor of not less than ten acres of land within the said District or the occupying tenant yearly or otherwise of not less than twenty acres of land within the said District or the agent of a proprietor of an estate of not less than ten acres of land within the area of the said District such agent acting under a written appointment:

That the members of the first Drainage Board shall vacate their offices on the first Thursday in September in the year following that in which this Provisional Order shall be confirmed by Parliament:

That the electors for members of the Drainage Board shall be the persons who have during the year immediately preceding such election been rated to any drainage rate of the District hereby constituted and have paid all such rates due from them at the time of such election:

Provided that this Order shall not in anywise take away affect prejudice or diminish any rights interests powers or jurisdiction of the Commissioners of Sewers for the county of Lincoln.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their official seal this fourth day of May nineteen hundred and four.

(L.S.)

T. H. ELLIOTT
Secretary.

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