

and perform the duties vested in or imposed upon the Chairman of the Local Board of Health by the Public Health Act, 1848, in relation to the election by owners of property and ratepayers, and shall perform all other duties which it may be requisite for him to perform in conducting and completing the said first election; and in case the said Thomas Allen, from illness, or other sufficient cause, shall be unable to exercise or discharge such powers or duties, or shall be absent, or shall refuse to act, then Mr. William Lander, Farmer, of the South End aforesaid, shall exercise and perform such of the said powers and duties as then remain to be exercised or performed.

"7. That the fourteen days' notice of qualification required by the Public Health Act, 1848, to be given by owners of property, in order to entitle them to vote at the said first election, shall be given to the said Thomas Allen, at his residence at South End, within this district of Thurmaston aforesaid; or in case he shall refuse, or be unable to receive the same, then to the said William Lander, at his residence, situate in South End, likewise within the district aforesaid.

"Given under our hands, and under the seal of the General Board of Health, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.



(Signed) *Edwin Chadwick.*
T. Southwood Smith."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said report into consideration, is pleased to approve thereof, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby, under and in pursuance of the Public Health Act, 1848, order and direct that, from and after the date of this Order, the Public Health Act, and every part thereof, except the section numbered 50 in the copies of that Act, printed by Her Majesty's printers, shall be applied to and be in force within and throughout the entire area, places, and parts of places comprised within the boundaries of the parish of Thurmaston, in the county of Leicester, and that such area, places, and parts of places shall be and constitute a district for the purposes of the said Public Health Act accordingly.

2. That the Local Board of Health, to be elected under the said Public Health Act, shall consist of twelve persons, and that the entire number shall be elected for the whole of the said district.

3. That the first election of the said Local Board of Health shall take place on the twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

4. That one-third in number of the said Local Board of Health shall go out of office on the twenty-sixth day of February in each year subsequently to that in which the first election of that Local Board takes place; but in case the day so appointed shall fall on a Sunday or on a day appointed for public fast or thanksgiving, then such one-third shall go out of office on the day next following.

5. That every person, at the time of his election, as member of the said Local Board, and so long as he shall continue in office by virtue of such election, be resident, as in the said Public Health Act, 1848, is required, and be seized or possessed of real or personal estate, or both, to the value or amount of not less than three hundred pounds; or shall be so resident and rated to the

relief of the poor of some parish, township, or place, of which some part is within the said district, upon an annual value of not less than fifteen pounds.

6. That at the first election of the said Local Board, Thomas Allen, Esq. Lord of the Manor of the South End of Thurmaston, shall have the powers and perform the duties vested in or imposed upon the Chairman of the Local Board of Health by the Public Health Act, 1848, in relation to the election by owners of property and ratepayers, and shall perform all other duties which it may be requisite for him to perform in conducting and completing the said first election; and in case the said Thomas Allen, from illness or other sufficient cause, shall be unable to exercise or discharge such powers or duties, or shall be absent, or shall refuse to act, then Mr. William Lander, Farmer, of the South End aforesaid, shall exercise and perform such of the said powers and duties as then remain to be exercised or performed.

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C. C. Greville.

Downing-Street, January 13, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Dowland, Esq. to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the Island of Mauritius.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of the Right Honourable John Hume Egerton, commonly called Viscount Alford, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Bedford, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 13th day of January 1851.

CHARLES SHAW LEFEVRE, Speaker.

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