

**Lees and Hebden Bridge Road.**

WHEREAS the trustees of the Lees to Hebden Bridge Turnpike Road, acting under the powers of the Local Act of the 54th of George the 3rd, cap. 62, have made application to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Act of the session holden in the 14th and 15th years of Her present Majesty, cap. 38, for a Provisional Order upon the terms following:

To reduce the rate of interest on the mortgage debt charged or secured on the tolls or revenues of the said road from the sum of five pounds per centum per annum to the sum of one pound five shillings per centum per annum, and to extinguish the whole of the arrears of interest due upon the said debt.

And whereas the said application, dated the twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, is signed by six of the said trustees, who therein certify that the persons entitled to two-thirds of the money charged or secured on the tolls of the said road, and remaining unpaid, have signified their consents in writing under their hands to the said application.

And whereas it appears desirable to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department that the aforesaid application should be granted upon the terms herein set forth.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the power and authority of the said Act of the 14th and 15th of Victoria, cap. 38, given to me as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, I do by this Provisional Order under my hand declare, subject to the confirmation hereof by Parliament, that from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, the rate of interest shall be reduced from five pounds to one pound five shillings per centum per annum upon the mortgage debt of nine thousand eight hundred and four pounds, charged or secured upon the tolls of the said road, and that the whole of the arrears of interest due and remaining unpaid upon the said debt, at that date, shall be extinguished.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord, 1853

(Signed) *Palmerston.*

*Copyhold Commission, 7, Whitehall Gardens,  
February 17, 1853.*

The Copyhold Commissioners having, on the 3rd of February, 1853, appointed Nathan Wetherell, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be an Assistant-Commissioner under the Copyhold Acts; the said Nathan Wetherell did, on the 16th of February, 1853, make a declaration before Sir Thomas Noon Talfourd, Knight, one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, for the due execution of his duties under the said Acts.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the parish of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham;

To the Clerk or Clerks to the Justices of the Petty Sessions held for the division or divisions in which the said parish is situate;

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons:

And whereas, at a meeting of the Vestry of the

said parish, held, after public notice in that behalf, at the Town Hall, on Friday, the twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, it was unanimously resolved,—

That the Poor Law Board be requested to issue an Order under their seal of office, directing that the Act, passed on the 5th August, 1850 (13 and 14 Vict. c. 57), entitled "An Act to prevent the holding of Vestry or other Meetings in Churches, and for regulating the Appointment of Vestry Clerks," shall be applied to, and put in force within this parish, as regards that portion of it only which relates to the providing of accommodation for holding Vestry Meetings.

And whereas the Churchwardens of the said parish have made their application in writing to the Poor Law Board, pursuant to the above resolution.

Now, therefore, we, the said Poor Law Board, under the authority of the several Statutes in that behalf made and provided, do hereby order and direct, as follows; that is to say:—

Art. 1. That so much of the aforesaid Act, as relates to the providing of a room for the purpose of holding vestry and other meetings, for the transaction of any business of or relating to the said parish of Mansfield, shall forthwith be applied to and be put in force within the said parish.

Art. 2. That a copy of this order shall be published in the London Gazette.

Given under our hand and seal of office, this tenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

*M. T. Baines, President.*

*Courtenay, Secretary.*

**THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,**

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 15th day of February, 1853,

Is *Twenty-five Shillings and Six Pence Halfpenny* per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

No Return has been made of the Sale of BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR, the Produce of the MAURITIUS in the Week ending as above.

**THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,**

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is *Twenty-five Shillings* per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the two foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is *Twenty-five Shillings and Four Pence Halfpenny* per Hundred Weight.

*By Authority of Parliament,*

HENRY BICKNELL,

*Clerk of the Grocers' Company*

*Grocers'-Hall, February 18, 1853.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the Act of Parliament seventh and eighth William the Fourth, and first Victoria, chapter 73, intituled "An Act for better enabling Her Majesty to confer certain powers and immunities on trading and other Companies," an application has been made to Her Majesty to grant a Charter of In-