Metropolitan Board of Works.

THE Metropolitan Board of Works, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Session of Parliament holden in the 18th and 19th years of Her Majesty, "For the Better Local Management of the Metropolis," and of the Act of the 2nd Session of Parliament holden in the 21st and 22nd years of Her Majesty, "To alter and amend the Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855," do hereby give notice, that they propose, with all convenient speed, to construct, under the powers vested in them by the said Acts, certain Main Drainage Works, being a portion of the works authorized and directed by the said Acts for the improvement of the main drainage of the metropolis, and for preventing, as far as may be practicable, the sewage of the metropolis from passing into the river Thames within the metropolis, which works so to be constructed and executed are as follows; that is to say:-

Certain outfall culverts, enclosed generally within a raised embankment of earth, to extend from a certain field in the parish of West Ham, and county of Essex, near Abbey-Mill-lane, in the said parish and county, and in the occupation of Mr. John Honck, and to proceed thence, in a generally easterly direction, across Abbey Creek and Channelsea river, and through certain private lands to the North Woolwich Branch of the Eastern Counties Railway, crossing the said railway at its intersection with Marsh-lane, and proceeding thence, through and along other private lands, across the Bow and Barking Railway, Balaam-street, Plaistow, the Barking-road, Prince Regent-lane, Blind-lane, and East Ham Manorroad, which they will cross at a point about 500 feet south of East Ham Church, and will proceed thence, to a reservoir to be constructed at the outlet of the said culverts, into the river Thames, at Barking-creek.

The whole of the lands, roads, streams, and places through or across which the said sewer and works will pass, are situate, respectively, in the counties of Essex and Kent, and in the several parishes of West Ham, East Ham, Barking, and Woolwich.

In connection with the culverts and works above described, the said Board will erect a pumping station, comprising steam engines, pumps, and other machinery, and all necessary buildings and works appertaining thereto, in and upon lands situate in the parish of West Ham, and in the county of Essex, in the occupation of Mr. John Honck, and near to Abbey Milis, in the said parish and county.

In connection with the same works, the said Board will also construct a covered reservoir in and upon lands situate in the parishes of Woolwich and Barking respectively, and in the respective counties of Kent and Essex, adjacent to Barking creek and the river Thames, and in the occupation of Mr. — Offin.

In connection with the aforesaid works, the said Board also intend to cross, raise, lower, divert, or otherwise affect the several roads, public and private, and also to bridge over, divert, or otherwise affect the several streams, watercourses, and drains across which the sewers or works will pass, as shown on the plan hereinafter referred to, and also to Lower West Ham Abbey-lane, in the parish of West Ham aforesaid, at or near the point at which the said lane crosses the North Woolwich Railway.

The said Metropolitan Board of Works will require to take and purchase, and do intend to take and purchase, for the purposes of the abovementioned works, the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and premises shown upon the said plan, and next hereinafter severally described; that is to say:—

In the Parish of West Ham, in the County of Essex.

Description of Property. Certain meadow land	Owners, or Reputed Owners. The Ironmongers'	Lessees or Reputed Lessees. Mr. Philip Wm. Mure	Occupiers. John Honck	Estimated Quantities.		
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Certain land adjacent to the permament way of the North Woolwich Railway, near the point of intersection of the said railway with Marsh-lane, in the same parish	Company The Eastern Counties Railway Company		The Eastern Counties Railway Company	0		
Certain garden ground, near to the last mentioned land	Ditto		The servants of the said Com- pany	U	0	1
Certain market-garden ground with cart track thereon	The Trustees of James Richard- son	William Burton	William Burton	6	8	10
Certain land adjacent to the permanent way of the Bow and Barking Railway	The Eastern Counties and London and Blackwall Railway Com-	*** ***	The Eastern Counties and London and Blackwall Railway Com-		0	18
Certain market-garden ground	panies William Tite, Esq.	***	panies Mrs. Elizabeth Ire- land and Joseph Ireland	-1	1	37
Certain arable ground, with	Ditto	•••	Ditto	5	0	9
Part of a certain ozier bed	Ditto Rebecca Robinson, widow	*** ***	Ditto Robert Johnson	0	0	9 18