that the Southampton Town and County Bank and the Southampton and Hampshire Bank have become united, we, the undersigned, two of the Commissioners aforesaid, do hereby certify that the authorized amount of the bank notes to be issued by George Atherley, Robert Chatfield Hankinson, and William Erasmus Darwin, who are carrying on the business of the United Banks at Southampton, under the name or title of the Southampton Town and County Bank, is twentyfive thousand three hundred and fifty-nine pounds, being the aggregate of the average amounts of the bank notes of the Southampton Town and County Bank and the Southampton and Hampshire Bank in circulation during a period of twelve weeks preceding the 27th day of April, 1844, according to the returns made by such banks, in pursuance of the Act passed in the 4th and 5th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to make further provision relative to the returns to be made by banks of the amount of their notes in circulation.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1869.

W. H. Stephenson. Alex. Duff Gordon.

To Messrs. Maddison, Atherley, Hankinson, and Darwin.

Basford Union .- Parish of Basford.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Basford, in the county of Nottingham;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Basford, 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 at the vestry room in the said parish pursuant to public notice in that behalf, on Thursday, the 25th day of March last, it was resolved:—

"That the Poor Law Board be requested to "issue an Order under their seal of office,

- "directing that so much of the Act (13 and 14 Vict., c. 57), as relates to the holding of
- "Vestry or other Parochial Meetings in
- "Churches or Chapels be put in force in this parish."

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 Poor Law Board, under the authority of the several Statutes in that behalf made and provided, hereby order and direct as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—That so much of the Act passed in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act to prevent the "holding of Vestry or other Meetings in Churches, "and for regulating the Appointment of Vestry "Clerks," as relates to the providing of a room for the purpose of holding any Vestry or other Meetings for the transaction of any business of, or relating to, the said parish of Basford, shall forthwith be applied to, and be put in force within the said parish.

ARTICLE II.—That a copy of this Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

Given under our hand and seal of office, this sixteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

George J. Göschen, President.

Arthur W. Peel, Secretary.

Board of Trade. - Session 1870.

Penryn Harbour. Provisional Order.

Application for Provisional Order for Powers to levy Tolls; to define, improve, widen, and deepen the Harbour of Penryn, in the county of Cornwall; to constitute a Harbour Authority; to borrow Money; make Bye-laws; and other purposes.

OTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade, on or before the 23rd day of December next, by the mayor, aldermen, and burgesses of the borough of Penryn, in the county of Cornwall (hereinafter called "The Corporation"), for a Provisional Order under "The General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861," and "The General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, Amendment Act," for all or some of the following purposes:—

1. To empower the Harbour Authority hereinafter mentioned to levy tolls, rates, and duties within the Harbour of Penryn, as defined by the proposed Order, to alter any existing tolls, rates, and duties, to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from tolls, rates, and duties, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

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2. To constitute the Corporation the Harbour

Authority for the Harbour of Penryn.

3. To define the Harbour of Penryn as all that part of the Penryn River lying to the north-west of an imaginary line drawn from Boyer's Cellars to Sely's Creek, commonly called Sailors' Creek, in the parish of Mylor, being the line forming the north-western boundary of the municipal borough of Falmouth, and to enable the Harbour Authority to improve, widen, and deepen the same, and the channel leading therefrom.

4. The works for the above purposes will be executed within the limits of the harbour as defined by the proposed Order, and will be situate in the bed or on the foreshores of the Penryn River, and in the parishes of St. Gluvias, Mylor, Budock, and the borough of Penryn, in the county of

Cornwall

5. To empower the Harbour Authority to borrow money for the purposes of the above works, and other purposes of the harbour, on the security of the above rates, and any other tolls or dues now derived or derivable from the harbour.

6. To enable the Harbour Authority to make bye-laws, appoint a Harbour Master, and to do all such acts and things as may be necessary for the general regulation of the harbour.

7. To constitute the Harbour Board the Pilotage

Authority for the harbour.

8. To incorporate with the proposed Order in whole, or in part "The Harbours Docks and Piers Clauses Act, 1847," "The Harbours Passing Tolls Act, 1861," "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1855," and "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862."

9. On or before the 30th day of November next, proper plans and sections of the proposed