

by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

Arthur Helps.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. LXXIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Llanbeblig.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANBEBLIG SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Guardians of the Carnarvon Union, a School Board for that part of the parish of Llanbeblig that is outside the borough of Carnarvon, was duly elected on the 24th day of May, 1871.

Now, at a meeting of the School Board of the said parish of Llanbeblig, held at the Board Room, Llys Elen, Waenfawr, in the said parish of Llanbeblig, on Tuesday, the 14th day of November, 1871, at which meeting a quorum of the members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the aforesaid powers and subject to the approval of the Education Department hereinafter mentioned, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "Parish of Llanbeblig" or "Parish" means "That part of the Parish of Llanbeblig that is outside the Borough of Carnarvon."

The term "Llanbeblig School Board" or "School Board" or "Board" means the "School Board of that part of the parish of Llanbeblig that is outside the Borough of Carnarvon."

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the above-named Act, and includes a free school but not an Industrial School.

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and residing within the parish.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the said parish, shall cause such child to attend school within the said parish.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal by the parent of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that on child shall be required—

a. To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

b. To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.

c. To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school and the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school—

a. If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

b. If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

c. If there is no Public Elementary School within reasonable distance from the residence of such child.

The following scale of distances for children of different ages shall be hold to be reasonable distances:—

For children five and six years of age, half a mile.

For children seven and eight years of age, one mile and a half.

For children nine and ten years of age, two miles.

For children eleven, twelve, and thirteen years of age, three miles.

The distance to be measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

(d.). Or any other reason that will satisfy the Board.

6. If the parent of any child satisfies the said School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

7. No proceeding against any parent for breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be taken until, after the expiration of fourteen days from the service of a notice, nor until such parent has had an opportunity of attending a meeting of the Board, or of a Committee thereof, or of the managers of a school, to state his or her reasons for not complying with the said notice.

8. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence, and that no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

9. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and