the said officer shall read over and explain such notice, and the consequences of neglecting to comply therewith, to the parent at the time of service.

Requiring Particulars of Notices to be recorded.

8. The particulars of all such notices served upon parents shall be recorded by the officer serving the same in a book to be provided by the Board, which shall be laid before the Board at each meeting; but the officer shall not, without the consent of the Board, disclose the fact of service of any such notices, or any information relating thereto, to any person, not a member or officer of the said Board.

Providing that no Proceeding be Taken until after Fourteen Days from Service.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

10. Any parent committing an offence in breach of any of these Bye-laws shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding, including the cost of conviction, the sum of five shillings for each offence.

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into Operation.

11. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the 1st day of March, 1872, if the same shall then have received the sanction of Her Majesty in Council, or from and after any day after such last-mentioned day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order in Council.

Unanimously agreed to, and signed by each member of the School Board of the parish of Boughton Monchelsea present, this 20th day of March, 1872.

Thomas Hayes, Chairman.

John Hadlow, Vice-Chairman.

Francis J. C. May, Clerk.



[SCHEDULE.]

SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE PARISH OF BOUGHTON MONCHELSEA, TO WIT.

To Mr.

TAKE Notice, that you are hereby required to cause your child , to attend and continue to attend a Public Elementary School.

You are further to take notice, that unless you cause your said child to attend school as aforesaid, that you are hereby required to attend a meeting of the said School Board, to be held at on the day of , at o'clock in the noon, and give your reason or reasons why your said child does not attend school as aforesaid. And herein if you fail, you will be

liable to be proceeded against according to law.

Dated this day of , in the year of our Lord, 187 .

Clerk to the said Board.

METROPOLIS WATER.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 10th day of August, 1872.

PRESENT:

The Right Honourable Chichester Fortescue, M.P.

HEREAS it is provided by the Metropolis Water Act, 1871 [section 17], that every Company subject to the provisions of that Act, shall, within six months after the passing of the said Act, make regulations for the purposes for which regulations may be made under the authority of section 26 of the Metropolis Water Act, 1852, and that the provisions of that section shall apply also to the preventing of undue consumption or contamination of water. And whereas by the said Metropolis Water Act, 1871 [section 22], it is further provided that no such regulation shall be of any force or effect unless and until the same be submitted to and confirmed by the Board of Trade, who may institute such inquiry in relation thereto as they shall think fit, and who, at such inquiry, shall hear the Metropolitan Authority and the Company, if desiring to be heard, and the said Board shall, if they think fit, or if requested, nominate and have present at such inquiry to advise and assist them, a competent and impartial waterworks engineer. And whereas it is by the said last-mentioned Act also provided, that no such regulation shall be confirmed by the Board of Trade unless notice in that behalf shall have been given by the Company to which the same relates, or by such person as the Board of Trade direct, in the London Gazette, and in two daily morning newspapers circulated within the limits of the said Act, one month at least before the enquiry, and that one month at least before any such inquiry is held, a copy of the regulations in question shall be sent by such Company, or person, to the office of the Metropolitan Authority, and the same shall for one month be kept open during office hours at the respective offices of the Metropolitan Authority and of the said Company, to the inspection of all persons without fee or reward. And whereas the Metropolitan Water Companies and the Tottenham Local Board made regulations, in accordance with the provisions of the above-named Act, and submitted the same to the Board of Trade for confirmation, and duly advertized and deposited the same with the Metropolitan Authorities. And whereas the Metropolitan Board of Works and the Corporation of the city of London, being Metropolitan Authorities under the said last-mentioned Act, submitted objections to the said regulations, and it was deemed expedient that an inquiry should be held in relation thereto. And whereas by the Board of Trade Inquiries Act, 1872, it is provided that wherever in any Act of Parliament it is directed that an inquiry shall be held or instituted by the Board of Trade, the same shall be deemed to have been duly held or instituted, if conducted by any person or persons duly authorised in that behalf by the President of the said Board, by writing under his hand or under the hand of one of the Secretaries of the said Board. And whereas the Board of Trade under the powers conferred upon them as aforesaid, appointed the Right Honourable Lord Methuen, Henry Whatley Tyler, Esquire, late Captain Royal Engineers, and Mr. Robert Rawlinson, C.E., C.B., to hold an enquiry in relation to the regulations so submitted to them by the Companies, and by the Tottenham Local Board. And whereas the said inquiry has been held, and the said Metropolitan Authorities,