

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

LENHAM FAIRS.

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Justices sitting in Petty Sessions for the Bearsted Division of the county of Kent, that Fairs have been annually held on the 6th and 7th days of June, and on the 23rd and 24th days of October, in the parish of Lenham, in the said division of the said county, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fairs should be abolished :

And whereas notice of the said representation, and of the time when I should take the same into consideration, has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1871."

And whereas on such representation and consideration it appears to me that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fairs should be abolished :

And whereas James Stoddart Douglas, Esquire, Lord of the Manor of Lenham, as lord or owner of the said Fair and the tolls thereof, has consented, in writing, that the said Fairs should be abolished :

Now, therefore, I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1871," do hereby order that the Fairs which have been annually held on the 6th and 7th days of June, and on the 23rd and 24th days of October, in the parish of Lenham, in the Bearsted Petty Sessional Division of the county of Kent, shall be abolished as from the date of this order.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 27th day of June, 1873.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

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SUTTON VALENCE FAIR.

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Justices sitting in Petty Sessions for the Bearsted Division of the county of Kent, that a Fair has been annually held on the 2nd and 3rd days of November, in the parish of Sutton Valence, in the said division of the said county, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished :

And whereas notice of the said representation, and of the time when I should take the same into consideration, has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1871."

And whereas, on such representation and consideration, it appears to me that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished :

And whereas Sir Edward Filmer, Baronet, Lord of the Manor of Sutton Valence, as lord or owner of the said Fair and the tolls thereof, has consented in writing that the said Fair should be abolished :

Now, therefore, I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1871," do hereby order that the Fair which has been annually held on the 2nd and 3rd days of November, in the parish of Sutton Valence, in the Bearsted Petty Sessional Division of the county of Kent, shall be abolished as from the date of this order.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 27th day of June, 1873.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

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HEADCORN FAIR.

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Justices sitting in Petty Sessions for the Bearsted Division of the county of Kent, that a Fair has been annually held on the 12th and 13th days of June, in the parish of Headcorn, in the said division of the said county, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished :

And whereas notice of the said representation, and of the time when I should take the same into consideration, has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1871."

And whereas on such representation and consideration it appears to me that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished :

And whereas it appears that there is no lord or owner of the said Fair and the tolls thereof.

Now therefore, I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1871," do hereby order that the Fair which has been annually held on the 12th and 13th days of June, in the parish of Headcorn, in the Bearsted Petty Sessional Division of the county of Kent, shall be abolished as from the date of this order.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 27th day of June, 1873.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT IN THE PARISH OF WOODFORD, ESSEX.

WHEREAS a resolution for the adoption of the Local Government Act, 1858, was, on the 7th day of February, 1873, passed by the owners and ratepayers of the parish of Woodford, in the county of Essex, and notice of such adoption has been given, in writing, to the Local Government Board by the persons required to give the same :

Now, therefore, we, the said Local Government Board, do hereby consent to such adoption, and give notice, that the Local Government Act has been adopted within the said parish of Woodford.

Given under our Seal of Office, this 27th day of June, 1873.



(Signed) *James Stansfeld,*
President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I, ROBERT GRANT, of 1, Leadenhall-street, E.C., hereby give notice, that in consequence of the other ships belonging to my firm being all named after names of places with the distinguishing prefix of "Inver," it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Dilkhoosh," of London, official number 48,694, of gross tonnage 815.61 tons, of register tonnage 815.61 tons, heretofore owned by John Fleming, of 18, Leadenhall-street, for permission to change her name to