

way appertaining to the said harbour, and of and in all offices and other property therein described, were thereby absolutely vested in the Commissioners for the time being executing that Act, and by sections seventy-three to seventy-seven, both inclusive, of the said Act, powers were conferred on the said Commissioners to make an annual assessment or rate of not less amount than four piers rates (as the same had been anciently and usually estimated) and to be laid upon and raised by the proprietors of hereditaments in Bridlington liable to contribute towards the repairs of the said piers and harbour; and it was enacted that the Justices of the East Riding of Yorkshire, in Quarter Sessions assembled, should make an order for the levying and raising of such rate, and direct the order to the Lords Feoffees for the time being, who were to collect such rate and pay the same to the said Commissioners, to be applied by them to the purposes of the now reciting Act; and provision was made for ascertaining what premises were liable to be rated, and for settling the amount of the rates, and it was provided that the rates were to be recoverable by distress:

And whereas the said Lords Feoffees and their Assistants still levy and collect from certain inhabitants of Bridlington the said rate, and pay the proceeds thereof to the present Commissioners acting under the said last-mentioned Act:

And whereas by a scheme for the management of certain charities in Bridlington, established by an Order of the Board of Charity Commissioners for England and Wales, made under the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1869, on the fourth February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, it was provided that one of the body of Trustees thereby constituted should be the Chairman for the time being of the Local Board for the District of Bridlington, and that in case the said Chairman should in any other capacity be or become a Trustee of the Charities, the said Local Board should elect some other member of such Board to be a Trustee as the case required.

And whereas by a scheme under the Endowed Schools Acts, 1869, 1873, and 1874, approved by Her Majesty in Council on the twenty-ninth January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, there were made into one Foundation under the name of "The Bridlington Grammar School," certain charitable foundations and funds in Bridlington, including an annual sum of fifty pounds, contributed by the said Lords Feoffees for five years from the opening of the school; and amongst other provisions in the said scheme is one enabling the Local Board to appoint two Representative Governors to assist in administering the said Foundation:

And whereas by a scheme established by an Order of the said Board of Charity Commissioners made under the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1894, on the seventeenth May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, it was provided that the said Lords Feoffees and Assistants as the Trustees of the Charity known as the Town Trust or Lords Estate in Bridlington, should pay out of the endowment of the Charity to the Governors of the Bridlington Grammar School as a permanent grant in aid of the School—

- (a.) A yearly sum of sixty pounds; or
- (b.) In the event of the sale of the Market and Fair Tolls of the Manor of Bridlington belonging to the said Charity known as the Town Trust or Lords Estate, a capital sum of not less than one thousand eight hundred pounds:

And whereas by a scheme established by an

Order of the said Board of Charity Commissioners made under the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1894, on the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, altering the said scheme of the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, regulating the Bridlington Grammar School, it was provided that the payment of the said yearly sum of sixty pounds or of the said capital sum of one thousand eight hundred pounds should be in substitution for the aforesaid annual sum of fifty pounds for five years:

And whereas, in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting of the Vestry of the parish of Bridlington, Her Majesty's Secretary of State did on the ninth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, signify his approval under and by virtue of the powers contained in twenty and twenty-one Victoria chapter eighty-one (section nine), and thirty-four and thirty-five Victoria chapter thirty-three (section one), of the appointment of a Burial Board for a district in such parish consisting of the townships of Bridlington, Buckton, Easton, Hilderthorpe, Speeton, Wilsthorpe, and such part of Sewerby-cum-Marton as was then in the Ecclesiastical District of Christ Church Bridlington Quay, each of which townships maintained its own poor; and a Burial Board was duly formed accordingly:

And whereas no portion of the above-mentioned townships of Buckton, Easton, Speeton, and Wilsthorpe, are situate or included in the said Urban District of Bridlington:

And whereas, since the formation of the said Burial Board (namely by the hereinbefore mentioned Provisional Order of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and by the hereinbefore mentioned Order of the County Council for the East Riding of Yorkshire), portions of the beforenamed townships or parishes of Sewerby-cum-Marton and Hilderthorpe respectively, have been included in the Urban District, and the remaining portions of those two townships are in the jurisdiction of the Rural District Council of Bridlington:

And whereas by virtue of "The Local Government Act, 1894," section fifty-three (subsections two and three) the powers and duties of the said Burial Board or authority together with its property debts and liabilities were thereby transferred to and were thenceforth to be exercised by and credited and charged to a joint committee appointed by the District Council and the parish councils or parish meetings of the rural parishes wholly or partly comprised within the area of the said Burial Authority:

And whereas it is expedient that provision should be made for continuing in the said Burial Authority all the powers and duties together with its property debts and liabilities heretofore exercised and held by the said Burial Authority as by this Scheme mentioned:

And whereas the Bridlington Gas Company under the provisions of "The Bridlington Gas Act, 1886" (forty-nine and fifty Victoria chapter thirty-five) are empowered to manufacture and supply gas within the District of the Local Board as existing at the date of the said Act:

And whereas under and by virtue of an Act for incorporating and conferring powers on the Bridlington Water Company fifty-eight and fifty-nine Victoria cap. one hundred and fifteen (hereinafter called "the Water Act of 1895") the Company so incorporated were empowered to maintain waterworks and to supply water within the limits defined in the said Act, and they have