Sub-Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

J. Nanson. 20th May 1924.

Midshipmen to be Sub-Lieutenants. E. C. Streatfield-James. 15th Oct. 1924. M. H. St. L. Nott. 15th Oct. 1924.

HUDDERSFIELD.

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Huddersfield (hereinafter called the Corporation), being the Urban Sanitary Authority for the said Borough, have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, alter or amend the Huddersfield Corporation Act, 1906, so as:—

(1) To provide that, notwithstanding anything contained in the said Act of 1906 or in the Regulations made thereunder or in any Agreement, the sum to be paid by a trader to the Corporation for the reception and disposal of his trade refuse and/or clean waters shall from the 1st January, 1925 to the 31st December, 1929, be in every case at the rate of 2d. per thousand gallons and thereafter at such rate as may from time to time be agreed between the Committee of the Traders and the Corporation or as failing agreement may from time to time be determined by the Minister of Health:

Minister of Health;

(2) To provide for the formation of a Traders' Committee and to enable the Corporation by agreement with that Committee or failing agreement by reference to the Ministry of Health to alter or amend the regulations made under the Act of 1906; the said Committee to be in lieu of any Committee of Traders referred to in the Act of 1906 or in the regulations made thereunder;

(3) To amend section 13 (Reference of questions in dispute) of the Act of 1906 so as to provide that reference to the Minister of Health shall be the sole method of determination of questions in dispute, and to provide that the section so amended shall apply only to cases where the section is specially referred to in the Act or in the regulations made thereunder;

(4) For the several purposes of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act or of any other Local Act or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, and in force in the said Borough as may be necessary or desirable:

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance with the

said Application;

Notice is hereby given that H. T. Calvert, M.B.E., D.Sc., Ph.D., and L. G. Dawson. Solicitor, Inspectors of the Ministry of Health, will attend at the Town Hall, Huddersfield, on Tuesday, the tenth day of February, 1925, at half-past ten o'clock in the forencon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject-matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

I. G. Gibbon,

Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 20th January, 1925.

BIRSTALL.

Whereas the Urban District Council of Birstall have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, elter, or amend the Birstall Local Board Act, 1872, so as:—

(1) To repeal Section 66 of and the Fourth Schedule to the said Local Act relating to regulations as to new streets, sewers and buildings within the district of the said Council; and

(2) For the purpose of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act, or of any other Local Act or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, and in force in the said District as may be necessary or desirable;

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance

with the said Application;

Notice is hereby given, that A. E. Joll, Esq., one of the Inspectors of the said Ministry will attend at the Council Offices, Birstall, on Friday, the thirteenth day of February, 1925, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject-matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given, that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional

Order.

I. G. Gibbon,

Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 20th January, 1925.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT, 1875. SWINDON.

Whereas the Council of the Borough of Swindon have presented a Petition to the Minister of Health to issue a Provisional Order to empower the said Council to put into force the powers of the Lands Clauses Acts with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement with reference to certain lands required by them for

(1) the widening and improvement of Victoria Road and Bath Road;

(2) purposes of public walks and pleasure grounds: