

pounds, or should be so resident and rated to the relief of the poor of some parish, township, or place, of which some part is within the said district, upon an annual value of not less than five pounds.

"6. That at the first election of the said Local Board, George Spencer, Esq. Clerk to the Guardians of the Keighley Union, should have the powers and perform the duties vested in or imposed upon the Chairman of the Local Board of Health by the Public Health Act, 1848, in relation to the election by owners of property and rate-payers, and should perform all other duties which it might be requisite for him to perform in conducting and completing the said first election; and in case the said George Spencer, from illness, or other sufficient cause, should be unable to exercise or discharge such powers or duties, or should be absent, or should refuse to act, then that Mr James Driver, of Haworth, should exercise and perform such of the said powers and duties as then remain to be exercised or performed.

"7. That the fourteen days' notice of qualification required by the Public Health Act, 1848, to be given by owners of property, in order to entitle them to vote at the said first election, should be given to the said George Spencer, at the residence of Mr Joseph Redman, West Lane, Haworth, within the district aforesaid; or in case he should refuse, or be unable to receive the same, then to the said James Driver, at his residence in West Lane, Haworth, likewise within the aforesaid district.

"Given under our hands, and under the seal of the General Board of Health, this twenty-third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

(Signed) SHAPTESBURY.

(L. S.) EDWIN CHADWICK."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Report into consideration, is pleased to approve thereof, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby, under and in pursuance of the Public Health Act, 1848, order and direct:

1. That from and after the date of this Order, the Public Health Act, and every part thereof, except the section numbered 50 in the copies of that Act, printed by Her Majesty's printers, shall be applied to, and be in force within and throughout the entire area, places, and parts of places comprised within the boundaries of the town of Haworth, in the county of York; and that such area, places, and parts of places, shall be and constitute a district for the purposes of the said Public Health Act accordingly.

2. That the Local Board of Health, to be elected under the said Public Health Act, shall consist of nine persons, and that the entire number shall be elected for the whole of the said district.

3. That the first election of the said Local Board of Health shall take place on the fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

4. That one-third in number of the said Local Board shall go out of office on the twenty-fifth day of March in each year subsequently to that in which the said election takes place; but in case the day so appointed shall fall on a Sunday, or on a day appointed for public fast or thanksgiving, then such one-third shall go out of office on the day next following.

5. That every person shall, at the time of his election as member of the said Local Board, and

so long as he shall continue in office by virtue of such election, be resident, as in the said Public Health Act, 1848, is required, and be seized or possessed of real or personal estate, or both, to the value or amount of not less than two hundred pounds, or shall be so resident or rated to the relief of the poor of some parish, township, or place, of which some part is within the said district, upon an annual value of not less than five pounds.

6. That at the first election of the said Local Board, George Spencer, Esq. Clerk to the Guardians of the Keighley Union, shall have the powers and perform the duties vested in or imposed upon the Chairman of the Local Board of Health by the Public Health Act, 1848, in relation to the election by owners of property and rate-payers, and shall perform all other duties which it may be requisite for him to perform in conducting and completing the said first election; but in case the said George Spencer, from illness, or other sufficient cause, shall be unable to exercise or discharge such powers or duties, or shall be absent, or shall refuse to act, then that Mr James Driver, of Haworth, shall exercise and perform such of the said powers and duties as then remain to be exercised and performed.

7. That the fourteen days' notice of qualification required by the Public Health Act, 1848, to be given by owners of property, in order to entitle them to vote at the said first election, shall be given to the said George Spencer, at the residence of Mr. Joseph Redman, West Lane, Haworth, within the district aforesaid; or in case he shall refuse, or be unable to receive the same, then to the said James Driver, at his residence in West Lane, likewise within the aforesaid district.

WM. L. BATHURST.

WINDSOR-CASTLE, October 23, 1851.

This day had audience of Her Majesty:—

The Count de Lavradio, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Portugal and the Algarves, to deliver his credentials:

To which he was introduced by Viscount Palmerston, G.C.B. Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

WINDSOR-CASTLE, October 23, 1851.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Richard Torin Kindersley, Esq. a Vice-Chancellor.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon James Parker, Esq. a Vice-Chancellor.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Joseph Paxton, Esq. Fellow of the Linnæan Society, Horticultural Society, and the Society of Arts.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Charles Fox, Esq. of New Street, Spring Gardens, in the county of Middlesex.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Cubitt, Esq. Fellow of the Royal Society.