

AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 26th day of *April* 1832,

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the second year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the prevention, as far as may be possible, of the disease, called the cholera, or spasmodic, or Indian cholera, in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the Lords and others of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, or any two or more of them: (of whom the Lord President of the Council, or one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State for the time being, shall always be one), by any Order or Orders to be by them from time to time made, to establish, and again, from time to time, by any such Order or Orders, to revoke, renew, alter, and vary all such rules and regulations, or to substitute any such new rules and regulations, as to them may appear necessary or expedient, for the prevention, as far as may be possible, of the said disease, called the cholera, or spasmodic, or Indian cholera, in England or Wales, or any part thereof, or for the relief of any persons suffering under, or likely to be affected by, the said disease:

And whereas it is further enacted by the said Act, that all and every the expences which may be reasonably or properly incurred, in carrying into effect any Order of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, made as aforesaid, shall, under and by virtue of an order in writing of one justice of the peace, dwelling in or near the parish or division (and which said order any such justice is thereby empowered and directed to make), commanding the churchwardens, overseers, or guardians of the poor, for the time being, to pay a certain sufficient sum of money for such purpose, to be defrayed out of the rates for the relief of the poor of the parish, township, or extra parochial place maintaining its own poor, in which the same shall be incurred, and, in other extra parochial places, out of the poor's rate of the parish nearest adjoining:

And whereas the said disease hath extended to different parts of Great Britain, and other parts and places may be affected with the same disease:

And whereas by an Order, made on the sixth day of March last past, by the Lords and others of His Majesty's Privy Council (of whom the Lord President of the Council was one), it was amongst other things ordered and directed that every Board of Health, constituted by an Order of the Lords of the Privy Council, should and might apply to the select or parish vestry of the parish or place, for authority and powers to carry into effect the purposes of the Act above recited, and the measures of precaution in the said Order described, and to provide a certain sufficient sum of money for the discharge of the necessary expences thereof, of which the amount should be declared and fixed by the said vestry:

And whereas it hath been shown, to the satisfaction of their Lordships, that application for such powers and provisions as aforesaid, together with an

estimate and accounts of all the necessary expences, and a request for the funds to meet them, amounting in the whole to the sum of four hundred and sixty pounds, hath been made by the Board of Health of the parish of Birmingham, to the vestry of the said parish, and such vestry hath declined or avoided to give any authority or directions to the Board of Health, and to provide for the expences of carrying into effect the purposes of the Act before recited, and of the Order of their Lordships founded thereon:

It is therefore ordered by the Lords and others of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council (of whom the Lord President of the Council is one), in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the before recited Act, that so much of the Order of the sixth day of March last past, as requires the amount of the sum to be defrayed in discharge of the necessary expences to be fixed and declared by such vestry as aforesaid, be, and it is hereby revoked and altered in so far as respects the said parish of Birmingham, and the said sum of four hundred and sixty pounds; and that the said Board of Health for the parish of Birmingham shall and may, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to make application, by their chairman or secretary, to some justice of the peace living in or near the parish or division, to make an order, in writing, upon the parish officers, guardians of the poor, or district churchwardens of the said parish of Birmingham, commanding them to pay the said sum of four hundred and sixty pounds for the purposes aforesaid, out of the rates levied, or next hereafter to be levied, for the relief of the poor of such parish; which order such justice of the peace is hereby required and enjoined to make, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the before recited Act; and the said parish officers, guardians of the poor, or district churchwardens, are hereby ordered and commanded to pay such sum of money in obedience to the order of such justice, in the manner therein directed, or they will incur the penalties consequent upon disobedience to such before recited Act, and to the present Order:

And the Lords and others of the Privy Council (of whom the Lord President of the Council is one) do hereby declare, that for all acts, deeds, matters, and things properly done by any such Board of Health, justice of the peace, overseers, churchwardens, district churchwardens, guardians of the poor, and others of His Majesty's subjects, in execution and furtherance of the present Order of the Lords and others in Council, or of any order so to be made by any such justice as aforesaid, this Order shall be their full and sufficient warrant.

W. L. Bathurst.

AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 27th day of *April* 1832,

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the second year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the prevention, as far as may be possible, of the disease, called the cholera, or spas-