

North-Eastern Railway.

(Power to construct Lanchester Valley Railway; to purchase additional Lands for general purposes; to raise further Money; and to hold Shares in the Dearness Valley Railway Company; Amendment of Acts.)

WHEREAS a Bill has been introduced into the Honourable the House of Commons, intituled "A Bill to enable the North-Eastern Railway Company to make a branch from their Bishop Auckland Branch Railway to the Conside Iron Works; to acquire additional lands; and for other purposes;" which Bill has, under the Standing Orders of the House of Commons, been suspended, and will be proceeded with in the next session of Parliament.

Now notice is hereby given, that it is proposed to apply to Parliament, in the next session, for leave to introduce into the said Bill clauses and provisions for the purchase by the North-Eastern Railway Company, and the sale by the Dearness Valley Railway Company, of the Dearness Valley Railway, and the lands, works, and conveniences connected therewith, either before or after the completion thereof respectively; and for transferring all the powers, rights, privileges, authorities, liabilities, and obligations of the Dearness Valley Railway Company in relation thereto, to the North-Eastern Railway Company; and for empowering the North-Eastern Railway Company to complete the said railway, and the works connected therewith, either by means of their authorised corporate funds, or of money to be raised by them under provisions to be contained in the said Bill for that purpose; and for dissolving and winding up the affairs of the Dearness Valley Railway Company, and for altering, amending, extending and enlarging, so far as may be necessary for effecting the purposes aforesaid, "The Dearness Valley Railway Act, 1855," and "The North-Eastern Railway Company's Act, 1854," and the several Acts or some of them therein recited or referred to, relating to the North-Eastern Railway Company, and its undertaking.

Dated the 20th day of March, 1857.

Richardson and Gutch, Solicitors, York.

IN conformity with an Act, passed in the session held in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to regulate Joint Stock Banks in England," notice is hereby given, that an application has been made to Her Majesty to grant letters patent under the said Act incorporating a certain Company, called "The Agra and United Service Bank," for the term of 20 years, for the purpose of carrying on the business of Bankers in England, or elsewhere, as the Court of Directors may from time to time appoint, subject to such provisions and stipulations as Her Majesty in Her royal wisdom might see fit; and that the said application has been referred by Her Majesty to the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.—Dated this 24th day of March, 1857.

Lacy and Bridges, Solicitors, 19, King's Arms-yard.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and in pursuance of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the 5th and 6th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for amending

the laws relating to letters patent for inventions," and of another Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending an Act passed in the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and power,'" that a petition will be presented to Her Majesty in Council, by and on behalf of William Scott, of Raneleigh House, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Arthur Eden, of Candover House, Micheldever, in the county of Southampton, Esquire, and the Patent Fuel Company (limited), of No. 15, St. Mary-axe, in the city of London, and of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, praying Her Majesty to grant them prolongations of the several terms of sole using and vending of the invention of Ferdinand Charles Warlich (a foreigner), intituled "improvements in the manufacture of fuel," granted to the said Ferdinand Charles Warlich, for England, by letters patent under the Great Seal, on the 5th day of October, 1843; to the said William Scott, for Scotland, by letters patent under the seal used in lieu of the Great Seal of Scotland, on the 10th day of April, 1844; and to the said William Scott, for Ireland, under the Great Seal of Ireland, on the 20th day of May, 1844; and which said first mentioned letters patent have been assigned to, and are now vested in, the said intended petitioners, William Scott and Arthur Eden. And notice is hereby further given, that an application will be made to the Right Honourable the Lords of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on the 30th day of April next, or on the then next day of sitting of the said Committee, to fix an early day for the hearing of the matters contained in the said petition; and any person being desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition, must enter a caveat to that effect in the Privy Council Office, on or before the said 30th day of April next.—Dated this 20th day of March, 1857.

Wordsworth, Greathead and Blake, South Sea House, Threadneedle-street, London, Agents for the Petitioners.

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