the fourth of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, numbered 117.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

Arthur Helps.

#### Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

#### No. CXVII.

# THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

#### BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANRUG SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of an order sent by the Education Department, a School Board for the parish of Llanrug was duly elected on the 29th day of March, 1871. Now, at a meeting of the School Board of the said parish of Llanrug, held at the said Board-room, in the said parish, on Thursday, the 4th day of October, 1871, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the foresaid powers, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:--

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living and residing within the parish of Llanrug.

1. The parent of every child not less than five nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the said parish shall cause such child to attend some efficient Elementary School, which the parent may choose, not less than 300 times during the school year.

The date at which the school year closes is fixed upon, in the notice given to the parent by the officer of the Board. See schedule to these Byelaws.

2. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

3. A child shall not be required to attend school-

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner; or
- (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school from sickness, or any unavoidable cause; or
- (c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

4. If any parent who has been served with a notice under these Bye-laws, requiring him or her to cause his or her child to attend school, satisfies the Board that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit the whole, or such part of the fees, as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period to be fixed by the Board,

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not exceeding six calendar months, provided the amount of fees to be remitted shall not exceed either the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent, or the following scale :---

For any child under Standard I.,  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ . per week.

For any child between Standard I.-III., 2d. per week.

For any child above Standard III., 3d. per week. 5. An officer shall be appointed by the Board who shall, at the beginning of the school year, deliver notice to every parent requiring him or her to cause his or her child to attend school according to Bye-law 1st.

The form of notice is given in a schedule to these Bye-laws.

6. The Board shall, if they see proper, from the report of the attendance officer, take proceedings against the parents whose children have not attended the required number of times, but not without giving previous notice of their intention to do so, and affording the parent an opportunity to state to the Board his or her reason for not complying with the said notice.

7. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that no penalty imposed for the breach of any bye-law shall exceed such a sum as, with the costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

8. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order in Council.

(Signed)	
(Signed) H. Bayley Williams, Chairman.	L.S.
the presence of	

J. Eiddon Jones, Clerk.

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#### FORM OF NOTICE.

Parish of Llanrug. Notice to Attend School. To

TAKE Notice, that you are required to cause your child , who is now between five and thirteen years of age, to attend and continue to attend an Elementary School 300 times (the morning and afternoon considered as two attendances) during the school year ending the day of , 187.

Dated this day of 187. Clerk to the Board.

The officer serving this notice will explain the same, and the consequences of refusing to comply therewith, and will also give you any information relating thereto, or to the schools which your child may attend.

### Council Office, June 25, 1872.

WHEREAS the New Governing Body of Westminster School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, make a Statute for the Management of Bishop Williams' Foundation :

And whereas the said Statute has been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the said Act, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the