

the county of Lancaster, at his office at Preston; and with the Clerk of the Peace for the city of Liverpool, at his office in Liverpool; and with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Chester, at his office at Chester; and on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference as relates to each parish in or through which the intended railways, subways, and works will be made, or in which any lands or other property intended to be taken are situate; and a copy of this notice, published as aforesaid, will be deposited with the parish clerk of each such parish, at his residence, and in the case of any extra-parochial place with the parish clerk of some adjoining parish, at his residence.

Printed copies of the Bill for the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1884.

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Selby Dam Drainage,

(Repeal of Drainage Act, 1805: Dissolution of the Trustees appointed under that Act: Incorporation of Commissioners: Definition of district: Transfer to Commissioners of the property and obligations of the trustees: Purchase of lands by agreement: New drainage works: Maintenance of existing drains and works: Levying of rates in proportion to benefits under an award: Chief Commissioner: Borrowing of money: Extinction of existing tolls, rights and privileges: Confirm agreement with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners: Contracts: Bye laws: Penalties: Voting Powers: Qualification, election and retirement of Commissioners: Incorporation of General Acts, and other purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing session for an Act to effect the following or some of the following among other purposes, that is to say:—

To repeal wholly or partially the Act passed in the 45th year of the reign of George the Third, 1805, entitled

“An Act for draining and improving certain
“Low Grounds and Carrs within the
“Parishes, Townships, and Places of Selby,
“Brayton, Thorp Willowby, Hambleton,
“Wistow, Scalm Park, Cawood, Sherburn,
“Lennerton, Rest Park, South Milforth, and
“Barkston Ash, in the West Riding of the
“County of York,”

and any other Act or Acts relating to the drainage of such Low Grounds and Carrs.

To dissolve the Trustees appointed under the powers of that Act for putting into execution the powers and authorities of the said Act and to constitute and incorporate a Board of Commissioners to be entitled “The Selby Drainage Commissioners” (hereafter referred to as “the Commissioners”) with perpetual succession and a common seal. For the more effectual drainage of the said Low Grounds and other Lands in the Parishes, Townships, or Places of Selby, Brayton, Thorpe Willoughby, Hambleton, Wistow, Scalm Park, Cawood, Sherburn, Lennerton, Rest Park, South Milford, Barkston, Monkfryston, Lumby, Church Fenton, Little Fenton, Biggin, Ulleskelf, and Ryther in the West Riding of the County of York, and which said Lands are for the better

definition thereof delineated upon a map hereinafter referred to.

To transfer to the said Commissioners all the lands, houses, buildings, cuts, channels, drains, water-courses, dams, sluices, cloughs, works, and property of every other description, together with the duties, obligations, and liabilities belonging or appertaining to the Trustees aforesaid.

To authorise the said Commissioners to appropriate or set apart, any of the existing drains or works as public drains, and to maintain, repair, cleanse, scour, enlarge, widen, deepen, strengthen or close up any existing cuts, channels, drains, watercourses, dams, sluices, cloughs, and other works, and to construct and maintain on any or the lands within the Parishes, Townships and Places aforesaid any new cuts, channels, drains, watercourses, dams, sluices, cloughs, and other works which may be necessary for the effectual draining thereof, and to do all such other acts and things as may be necessary for or incidental to the purposes of the intended Act.

To purchase and hold lands by agreement or take on lease any lands or easements over or under the same within the Parishes, Townships, and Places aforesaid so far as may be necessary for any of the purposes aforesaid.

To appoint an Engineer or Surveyor as a special Commissioner to make an award and therein to prescribe which of the existing drains and works shall be taken over by the said Commissioners and set apart as public drains, and also the new drains and other works to be constructed under the powers of the intended Act for the general benefit of the district, and to define the proportionate benefits conferred upon the several lands and apportion the amount upon which they shall thereafter be respectively assessed.

The said award when ratified by the Commissioners under their common seal to be final and binding upon all persons liable to be rated for the purposes of the said intended Act within the Parishes, Townships, and other Places aforesaid.

To levy rates upon all the owners, lessees and occupiers of the lands within the said several Parishes, Townships, and other Places in proportion to the benefits conferred as defined by the award, and pending the making of the said award and the construction of the works prescribed therein to levy a rate on account.

To borrow money on the security of the rates by mortgage or bonds, and to provide for the redemption of such mortgages or bonds by annual payments over a term of years or otherwise, as may be determined by the Bill.

To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges that may interfere or be inconsistent with the objects and purposes of the said intended Act.

To confirm any agreement already made or hereinafter to be made with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for the sale and purchase of certain lands, buildings, drains, and hereditaments, situate in the Parishes, Townships, or Places of Cawood, Biggin, Rest Park, Lennerton, Sherburn, and Barkston, in the West Riding of the County of York.

To enter into Contracts and Agreements in perpetuity with the owners or occupiers for the time being of any adjoining lands for the discharge of the waters from their lands into any of the drains of or belonging to the Commissioners, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon, and to prohibit such owners or occupiers from discharging the waters from their lands into the drains of the Commissioners without the Commissioners' consent.

To enable the Commissioners to make bye-laws for all or any of the purposes specified in the