

prevent the exercise at any time, for any sufficient cause, of the power of deprivation conferred by the Statute hereinafter numbered XXVI, or of the power of inflicting any fines or penalties less than deprivation under any bye-law of the House for the time being in force.

2. The election to Open Scholarships shall be held on a stated day or stated days in each year to be appointed by the Governing Body (subject to the provision for postponement hereinafter contained); and notice of such intended election, and of the conditions of election, shall be given by the Dean, in such manner as he shall deem best adapted to ensure publicity, thirty days at least before the day of election. The Candidates shall be examined in such subjects and manner as the Governing Body shall determine, but so that in at least one election to an Open Scholarship in every year the subject of examination shall be Mathematics and in another Natural Science, and in a third History; and that Candidate shall be elected who, after such examination, shall appear to the Electors to be of the greatest merit and most fit to be a Scholar of the House.

3. No person shall be admissible as a candidate for any Open Scholarship who shall have exceeded the age of nineteen years on the day of election (except as hereinafter provided) or who shall not have produced testimonials of his moral character satisfactory to the Dean: provided that in the case of candidates for the Open Scholarships for which the subjects of examination are Natural Science and History there be no limitation of age; but no one shall be allowed to compete for these Scholarships who shall have exceeded eight terms from his matriculation, nor shall any one elected to either of these Scholarships hold it for more than five years from his matriculation.

[The remaining clauses of Statute XXII are unaltered.]

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1885.*

THE following Statute, passed on the 29th day of April, 1885, by the Governing Body of the House of Christ Church in the University Oxford, has been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of its having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions contained in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877:—

Christ Church, Oxford.

THE Governing Body of the House, at a meeting specially summoned on Wednesday, 29th April, 1885, by the votes of not less than two-thirds of the number of persons present and voting, did by Statute, alter the third paragraph of the clause inserted in Statute XVI., on 20th April, 1883, as follows:—"A Student elected under this clause shall take rank as to seniority with the Official Students, and shall be re-eligible."

L. S.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1885.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been addressed to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors of the Town of Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, praying that a CHARTER may be granted; whereby the powers and provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act may be extended to that Town; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Peti-

tion will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1885.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Petitions have been addressed to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors of the district of West Ham, in the county of Essex, and others, praying that a CHARTER may be granted, whereby the powers and provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act may be extended to that district; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petitions will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1885.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been addressed to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitants, Householdors, and Ratepayers within the Local Government District of Morley, in the West Riding of the county of York, praying that a CHARTER may be granted, whereby the powers and provisions of the Municipal Corporation Acts may be extended to the Town of Morley (comprising the District of the Local Board); and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 13th day of May, 1885.

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

PRESENT:

Mr. Chamberlain.

Mr. Mundella.

Mr. Osborne Morgan.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a letter to the Clerk of the Council from the Secretary of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain, dated the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in the words following:—

"I have to acquaint you that at a meeting of the Council of this Society held last Wednesday the Pharmaceutical Chemists whose names appear on the other side were appointed Examiners for England and Wales in place of Messrs. Ekin and Southall, resigned, and I am requested to submit their names to the Privy Council for approval, in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Society.

"Neither of the persons appointed has held office as Member of the Council of the Society during the year preceding the date hereof."

John William Bowen.

William Arthur Harrison Naylor.

And whereas by the sixth section of "The Pharmacy Act, 1868" (31 and 32 Victoria, cap. cxxi), it is provided that no person shall conduct any examination for the purposes of that Act until his appointment has been approved by the Privy Council:

And whereas it appears that the persons ap-