at-Law, to be a Commissioner to prepare a scheme for determining the boundaries of, and apportioning the Councillors among, the wards of the said borough of Harwich, the number of such wards having been so fixed as aforesaid.

"Now I the said Charles Neve Cresswell do hereby in pursuance of the said Warrant and appointment determine the boundaries of the two wards into which the said borough shall be divided, which wards are hereinafter numbered and named as follows, that is to say :-

"Ward No. 1 otherwise 'Harwich' Ward.

"Ward No. 2 otherwise ' Dovercourt' Ward.

"And I do hereby determine that Ward No. 1, otherwise 'Harwich' Ward shall comprise so much of the area of the borough of Harwich as is contained within a line commencing from a point in the boundary of the parish of Saint Nicholas, and of the parish of All Saints, and in the centre of the Great Eastern Railway, distant fifty-seven linear feet in a south-westerly direction from the centre of Dovercourt foot-bridge, thence in a north-westerly direction along the boundary of the parish of Saint Nicholas (as marked upon the Ordnance map, 25.344 scale) to the boundary of the borough in mid-channel of the River Stour, thence in an easterly, southerly and westerly direction along the boundary of the borough to the end of the breakwater known as 'the Beacon,' thence in a north-westerly direction along the Breakwater to Blackman's Head, thence in a westerly direction along the southern boundary of the borough to the eastern entrance of Dovercourt Spa, thence in a north-westerly direction to the fence separating the 'Barrack Field' from Cliff House Garden, thence in a north-westerly direction along the said fence to a point in the centre of the Harwich and Dovercourt main road, thence in a northerly direction along the centre of the said road to a point opposite to the centre of 'Second Cross-road,' thence to and along the centre of 'Second Cross-road' to the centre of the Great Eastern Railway, thence in a south-westerly direction along the centre of the said railway to the point of commencement (in the boundary of the parishes of Saint Nicholas and All Saints) aforesaid.

"And I do hereby determine that Ward No. 2 otherwise 'Dovercourt' Ward shall comprise so much of the area of the borough of Harwich as is contained within a line commencing from the said point in the boundary of the parishes aforesaid, thence in a north-westerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 1 to the said point in the northern boundary of the borough in the midchannel of the River Stour, thence in a westerly direction along the said boundary to the western boundary of the borough, thence in a southerly, south-westerly, north-westerly, south-westerly, southerly, westerly, south-easterly, north-easterly, south-easterly, easterly, south-easterly, and northeasterly direction along the boundary of the borough to the boundary of Ward No. 1 at Dovercourt Spa, thence in a northerly, westerly and south-westerly direction along the boundary of Ward No. 1 to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"And I the said Charles Neve Cresswell by virtue of the power given to me by the said Warrant of appointment and in accordance with the provisions of the thirtieth section of the Municipal Corporations Act 1882 do hereby assign and apportion to each of the said two wards hereby determined six Councillors in the order of their rotation of retirement, or in the event of a casual or other vacancy before this my scheme shall have been published in the London Gazette to the I on the Exhibitioner either being elected to the

successor of each one of them duly elected, that is to say :-

"To Ward No. 1 otherwise Harwich Ward.

"No. 1. Alfred Wells Dunningham who retires 1897.

" No. 2. William Went who retires 1897.

"No. 3. Samuel Evans who retires 1898.

"No. 4. Robert Hill who retires 1898. "No. 5. William Blenkinsop McLearon who retires 1899.

"No. 6. Harry George Everard who retires 1899.

" To Ward No. 2 otherwise Dovercourt Ward.

"No. 1. Thomas Sutcliffe who retires 1897.

"No. 2. Robert John Goodman Hull Thackeray who retires 1897. "No. 3. William John Nalborough who retires.

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" No. 4. James Norman who retires 1898.

"No. 5. Henry Warren who retires 1899.

"No. 6. Edward Saunders who retires 1899.

"Dated this eleventh day of August one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

"C. N. CRESSWELL." Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said scheme of the said Commissioner and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly. C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, October 13, 1897. "

HEREAS the New Governing Body of Eton School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," did, on the sixth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, make an amendment of Statute XXV of the existing Statutes of the School.

And whereas the said amendment has this day been laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette in pursuance of the said Act.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do in that Act, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such amendment. ,

Amendment of Statute XXV made by the New Governing Body of Eton School under the provisions of "The Public Schools Act 1868" submitted by the said Governing Body for the approval of Her Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by "The Public Schools Act 1868 " Section eleven the Governing Body of any School to which that Act applies is empowered from time to time to repeal or alter any Statute made in exercise of the powers of that Act subject to certain conditions and restrictions therein specified. And whereas the said Governing Body of Eton School in exercise of the aforesaid powers made a Statute under the head of "H" Scholarships other than on the Foundation and Exhibitions (a) tenable at the School numbered XXV which Statute was on the third day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one approved by Her Majesty in Council. And whereas the said Statute is as follows :--- There shall be established as soon as the funds of the College will allow Exhibitions of the value of fifty pounds per annum tenable at the School during good behaviour and open by voluntary competition to all boys between their fourteenth and sixteenth birthdays. Any such Exhibition shall be vacated