acting by the Council (hereinafter referred to as "the Local Authority"), being the Urban Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Stoke-on-Trent (hereinafter referred to as "the District"), have, in pursuance of section 3 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1907"), applied to Us, the Local Government Board, to declare section 30 of the Act of 1907 to be in force in the District;

And whereas proof has been given to Our satisfaction of the advertisement required by sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Act of 1907, and at least one month has elapsed after the date of that advertisement:

NOW THEREFORE, in the exercise of Our powers in that behalf, We by this Order declare, specify, and direct as follows; that is to say:—

ARTICLE I.—On and after the day on which this Order comes into operation, section 30 of the Act of 1907 shall be in force in the District subject to the following condition and adaptation, namely,—

Unless and until We, by a further Order made on such application and after compliance with such requirements as are described and set forth in section 3 of the Act of 1907, otherwise declare, specify, and direct the said section, in its application to the District and in relation to the exercise of the powers and to the discharge of the duties of the Local Authority under that section, shall have effect as if the words following were added to and formed part of the section, that is to say:—

"Nothing in this section shall apply to any wall or other structure in so far as the same is used either for the support of any street or public footpath, or for the protection of any street or public footpath from damage or obstruction, by reason of the surface of the street or footpath being above or below the level of the surface of the adjoining land, unless the wall or other structure was built after the street or footpath became a highway repairable by the inhabitants at large by or at the expense of a person other than the highway authority responsible for the repair of the street or footpath."

ARTICLE II.—Within the period of three weeks immediately following the date of this Order, or, where in Our opinion the circumstances so require, within such later period as We by Order prescribe, the Local Authority shall cause this Order to be published by advertising the same once at least in one or more of the newspapers circulating in the district, and shall also cause a statement of the effect of this Order to be published in the London Gazette.

ARTICLE III.—This Order shall come into operation on the fourth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Given under the seal of office of the Local
Government Board, this seventeenth day of October, in the
year one thousand nine hundred
and eleven.

John Burns, President.

Walter T. Jerred, Assistant Secretary.

THE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL OF BROMYARD.

OTICE is hereby given, that by an Order made by the Local Government Board on the 17th day of October, 1911, it was declared as follows; that is to say:—On and after the 4th day of December, 1911, sections 35 and 50, comprised in Part III; and sections 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68, comprised in Part IV of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907, shall be in force in the several contributory places within the rural district of Bromyard, in the county of Hereford, subject nevertheless to the conditions and adaptations appearing in the Schedule hereto as regards the sections mentioned therein.

SCHEDULE.

Parts and Sections.

Conditions and Adaptations.

1.

2.

PART III. Section thirtyfive.

"This section, so far as it relates to the deposit of material, shall have effect subject to the first proviso to section ninety-one of the Public Health Act, 1875

"Bye-laws made in pursuance of section sixteen of the Local Government Act, 1888, for the prevention and suppression of nuisances shall not, in relation to any subject-matter of this section, be of any force or effect in any contributory place within the district."

PART IV. Section fiftynine.

"(6) Nothing in this section shall apply to a public or circulating library which is not in any contributory place within the district."

Dated this 25th day of October, 1911.

F. W. NICHOLL,

Clerk to the Bromyard Rural District Council.

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to section 242 (5) of 8 Edw. 7, ch. 69 [Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908], that the names of the undermentioned Companies have been this day struck off the Register, and such Companies are hereby dissolved:—

Acme Laundries Limited.

African and General Exploration Company Limited.