

CHAPTER xciii.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order under the Land A.D. 1896. Drainage Act 1861 relating to the Langley Chedgrave and Toft Monks Marshes in the Parishes of Langley Chedgrave Toft Monks Stockton Haddiscoe Loddon Raveningham and Reedham in the County of Norfolk.

[2nd July 1896.]

WHEREAS the Board of Agriculture have in pursuance of the Land Drainage Act 1861 and the Board of Agriculture Act 24 & 25 Vict. 1889 duly made the Provisional Order contained in the schedule 6.133. Vict. to this Act annexed and it is by the said Land Drainage Act c. 30. provided that no such Order shall be of any validity whatever until such Order shall have been confirmed by Parliament and it is expedient that the said Order should be so confirmed:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:—

1. The Provisional Order contained in the schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby confirmed.

Order in schedule confirmed.

2. This Act may be cited for all purposes as the Land Drainage Short title. Supplemental Act 1896.

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SCHEDULE to which this Act refers.

LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1861.

Provisional Order.

In the matter of Langley Chedgrave and Toft Monks Marshes situate in the parishes of Langley Chedgrave Toft Monks Stockton Haddiscoe Loddon Raveningham and Reedham in the county of Norfolk.

The Board of Agriculture in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Board of Agriculture Act 1889 and the Land Drainage Act 1861 do by this Provisional Order under their seal constitute the lands which are delineated on a map authenticated under their seal as the map referred to in this Provisional Order and intituled the Langley Chedgrave and Toft Monks Marshes Separate Drainage District Map and a copy of which is deposited in the office of the Board of Agriculture a separate drainage district under the said Land Drainage Act 1861:

And they do further by this their Provisional Order make the following regulations with respect to the drainage board:—

That the drainage board for the said district shall consist of fifteen members.

That the following persons shall be the members of the first drainage board Sir Reginald William Proctor Beauchamp of Langley Park Norfolk Baronet J. Edwin Crisp of Beccles in Suffolk Esquire John Macalister Dodds Esquire Bursar of Peterhouse College Cambridge Charles Eustace Grant Esquire Bursar of King's College Cambridge Garrett Taylor of Trowse Newton in Norfolk land agent Charles Bidwell of Ely in the county of Cambridge land agent John E. Sayer of Thurlton in Norfolk farmer Michael Falcon of Horstead in Norfolk land agent George Durrant of Harleston in Norfolk land agent Charles C. Boycott of Flixton in Suffolk land agent Isaac Hallam of Fritton in Suffolk farmer Charles J. Hornor of the city of Norwich land agent Nelson Hylton Hayward of Claxton in Norfolk farmer John Robert Crisp of Geldeston in Norfolk Esquire and Robins Cook of St. Faiths in Norfolk farmer.

That the first meeting of the said drainage board shall be summoned by notice under the hands of any two or more of the said drainage board published in some newspaper generally circulated in the district and posted on the church doors of the above-mentioned parishes at least fourteen days before the day of meeting.

That the qualification of any subsequent member of the said drainage board shall be that he shall be the proprietor of not less than twenty acres of land within the area of the said district or secondly the heir-apparent of the proprietor of an estate of not less than twenty acres in extent within the area of the said

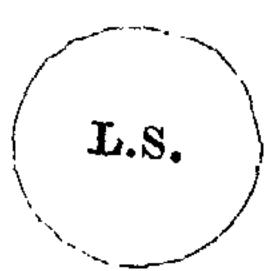
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district or thirdly the occupying tenant yearly or otherwise of not less than twenty acres within the area of the said district or fourthly the agent of a proprietor of an estate of not less than twenty acres of land within the area of the said district such agent acting under a written appointment.

That the members of the first drainage board shall vacate their offices on the last Thursday in September in the year following that in which this Provisional Order shall be confirmed by Parliament.

That the electors for members of the drainage board shall be the persons who have during the year immediately preceding such election been rated to any drainage rate of the district hereby constituted and have paid all such rates due from them at the time of such election.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their official seal this seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.



RICHARD DAWSON
Assistant Secretary.

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