

Dated
1st May
1904.

Dean Forest.

Lightmoor
and Foxes
Bridge
Collieries

E. Stafford
Howard Esq
C.B. the
Commissioner
of the
Forest of
Dean

Messrs H.
Browshay
& Co. Ltd
and others.

License to
work part
of barriers
and to work
certain coal
in the
Lightmoor
Colliery
through the
Foxes Bridge
Colliery.

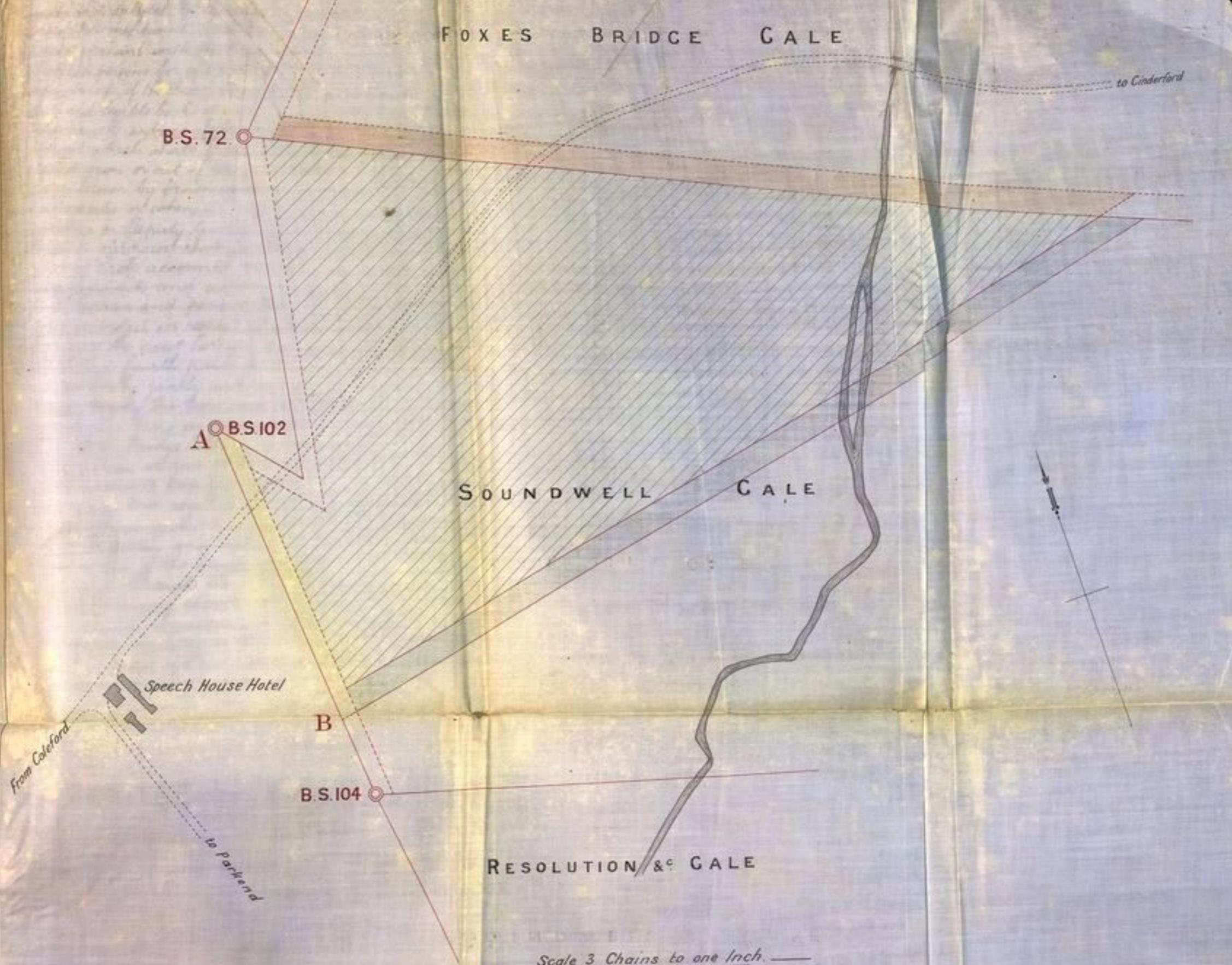
This Indenture made the seventeenth day of May One thousand nine hundred and four Between the King's Most Excellent Majesty of the first part Edward Stafford Howard Esquire C.B. the Commissioner of Woods in charge of the Forest of Dean and Gaveller of the Forest of the second part The Foxes Bridge Colliery Company limited of the third part ^{and} Messrs Henry Browshay & Company limited of the fourth part Whereas the parties hereto of the third part are the Registered Owners of the Gale or Colliery in the said Forest called or known as the Foxes Bridge Colliery in the Churchway High Delf Vein and other Veins and by the Award of Coal Mines dated the eighth day of March One thousand eight hundred and forty one and made by the Dean Forest Mining Commissioners a barrier of coal of the width of thirty yards is directed to be left all round the said in charge and Colliery And whereas the Foxes Bridge Colliery Gale at its southern end adjoins the Soundwell Colliery Gale hereinafter mentioned And whereas the parties hereto of the fourth part are the Registered Owners of the Gale or Colliery in the said Forest called or known as the Soundwell Gale in the Churchway High Delf Vein and other Veins above the same And whereas the parties hereto of the fourth part have lately sold or assigned or agreed to sell or assign to the parties hereto of the third part the portion of coal in the Twenty Inch seam of the Soundwell Gale which is indicated and shown by green cross hatched colour on the plan annexed to these presents And whereas the parties hereto of the third and fourth parts have applied to the said Edward Stafford Howard as such Commissioner and Gaveller as aforesaid for permission to work the coal which may be found in the portion herein after described of the said Barrier of Coal so directed to be left in the said Foxes Bridge Colliery and for permission to carry and convey to land through any pit or pits belonging to the Foxes Bridge Colliery coal gotten from the Soundwell Gale within the limits hereinafter described which permission the said Edward Stafford Howard has agreed to grant subject to the covenants conditions and

stipulations

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stipulations hereinafter contained And whereas a notice
has been published for three consecutive weeks in the
"Dean Forest Guardian" and "Dean Forest Mercury" newspapers
circulating in the Forest of Dean of the intention to license
the removal of the portion of the said barrier which is the
subject of this license in pursuance of the Act 24th and
25th Victoria Chapter 40 and no person has claimed to be
affected thereby Now this Indenture witnesseth
that he the said Edward Stafford Howard as such com-
missioner and Surveyor as aforesaid in exercise of the
powers and authorities for this purpose given to or vested
in him by the said Act of the 24th and 25th Victoria Chapter
40 and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in
this behalf Both by these presents ~~depose~~ give and grant
to the parties hereto of the third part their successors
and assigns his license and authority First to
remove work and dispose of the coal which may be
found in so much and such parts of the said barrier
of coal in the Twenty Inch vein directed to be left
round the said Foxes Bridge Colliery as is shown by
brown colour on the said plan subject nevertheless to
the like royalties and payments as the coal in the
Foxes Bridge Colliery And secondly to carry away
and convey to land through the Foxes Bridge Gale
and any pits or pits belonging thereto all or any
part of the coal which may be found in that part of
the Twenty Inch ~~Kid~~ seam of the Sowndwell Gale
which is cross hatched green on the said plan and
is bounded on the north east by the line of boundary
stones 71 and 72 on the west by a portion of the
deep boundaries of Rose in Hand and Royal Forester
gales and on the south by the proposed new barrier
coloured blue on the said plan Subject as aforesaid
to the like royalties and payments as the coal in the
Sowndwell Gale is or shall for the time being be subject
And this Indenture further witnesseth that
he the said Edward Stafford Howard as such commiss
and Surveyor as aforesaid in exercise of all statutory

and



Scale 3 Chains to one Inch.

and other powers hereunto enabling him Doth hereby declare
that the licenses hereby granted are and shall be at all times
under and subject to the royalties conditions and regulations
hereinafter mentioned And the parties hereto of the third part
hereby covenant with the Kings Majesty His Heirs and successors
that the persons for the time being in possession or receipt of
the proceeds of the Foxes Bridge colliery shall and will keep
fair and legible books of account containing true regular
and exact entries of the weight measure and quantity
of coal which shall from time to time be gotten and
raised from or out of the said barrier in the Twenty Inch
seam shown by brown colour on the said plan and will
half yearly or whenever required so to do render to the
Gaveller or Deputy Gaveller of the Forest of Dean or the
Receiver of Brown rents for the said Forest true and correct
copies of such accounts And will keep similar plans
measurements and sections in respect of the workings in
such barrier and permit them to be inspected as herein
after provided in respect of the workings in the Soundwell
Gale and the said barrier And the parties hereto of the
third and fourth parts for themselves their successors and
assigns hereby jointly and severally covenant with the
Kings Majesty His Heirs and successors that the persons
for the time being in possession or receipt of the proceeds
of the Foxes Bridge colliery or the persons for the time being
in possession or receipt of the proceeds of the Soundwell Gale
shall and will keep fair and legible books of account
containing true regular and exact entries of the weight
measure and quantity of coal which shall from time to
time be gotten and raised from or out of the Twenty
Inch seam of the Soundwell Gale and be carried and
conveyed through the Foxes Bridge colliery or any pit
or pits belonging thereto And shall and will half yearly
or whenever required so to do render to the said Gaveller
or Deputy Gaveller or the Receiver of Brown rents for
the said Forest of Dean true and correct copies of such
accounts And will at all times hereafter keep at or upon
the said collieries or one of them true and correct plans

measurements and sections of all workings and explorations
in the Sowndwell Gale or Colliery or in the said barrier
hereby licensed to be worked All such plans measurements
and sections to be plotted to a scale of three chains to an
inch and kept fully dialled up every three months And
will at all times if required so to do produce and show
such books of account plans measurements and sections to
the Deputy Surveyor of or to the Receiver of Crown rents for the
Forest of Dean and permit and suffer them or either of them
to examine the same and take any extracts from or copies
of the same or any of them and also will give any explanation
that may be required in relation to the same or any of them
And further that no part of the accumulated shortworkings
now or at any time hereafter standing to the credit of the
Sowndwell Gale shall be made up out of the workings of
coal in any portion of that part of the Sowndwell Gale
hereinbefore described and cross hatched green on the said
plan and brought to land through the Foxes Bridge Colliery
or any pit belonging thereto And the parties hereto of the
fourth part for themselves their successors and assigns do
hereby further covenant and agree with the King's Majesty
His Heirs and Successors that a Barrier of coal thirty yards
in width shall at all times hereafter be left at the Southern
end of that part of the Sowndwell Gale hereinbefore described
and cross hatched green on the said plan and which
barrier is coloured blue on the said plan And further
that the persons for the time being in possession or receipt
of the proceeds of the Sowndwell Gale or Colliery and the
Foxes Bridge Colliery or some of them shall at all times
hereafter pay to the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors
a royalty or tonnage duty equal to the royalty or tonnage
duty for the time being payable upon coal raised and
gotten from that part of the Sowndwell Gale hereinbefore
described and cross hatched green on the said plan
and brought to land through the Foxes Bridge Colliery
or any pit belonging thereto Provided always
and it is hereby declared and agreed
and these presents are upon this express condition

that

that no coal shall at any time without further license in
 writing of the Gaveller of the said Forest in that behalf be
 carried or conveyed through the said Foxes Bridge Gale or Colliery
 except coal gotten from such Gale or Colliery or from the portion
 of the Sowndwell Gale hereinbefore described and cross hatched
 green on the said plan and except coal so carried and conveyed
 under the authority of some license already or that may hereafter
 be granted by the Gaveller or Deputy Gaveller of the said Forest
 And it is hereby agreed and declared that the several
 provisions conditions and clauses hereinbefore contained so far
 as they in any manner relate to the working of or leaving
 unworked any coal in the Foxes Bridge Gale or Colliery (including
 the portions coloured brown of the said Barrier hereby licensed
 to be worked) shall be deemed to be conditions rules and
 regulations of that Gale or Colliery And whereas by an
 Indenture dated the twenty third day of July One thousand
 nine hundred and three and made between the said Edward
 Stafford Howard of the one part and Henry Crawshay & Co.
 limited of the other part the said Edward Stafford Howard as
 such Commissioner and Gaveller as aforesaid granted to the
 said Henry Crawshay & Co license and authority to remove
 work and dispose of (inter alia) the coal which might be
 found in the Sowndwell Gale in the Churchway High Delf
 Rockey Starkey Lowrey and Twenty Inch seams in the Barrier
 against the Royal Forester Colliery which extends along the
 line of Boundary Stones between the boundary stones Nos. 104
 and 102 which barrier was directed by the grant of the Sowndwell
 Colliery Gale dated the twenty seventh day of June One thousand
 eight hundred and forty three to be left and which Barrier
 so licensed to be worked was shown on the plan annexed to the
 said Indenture and shown by yellow colour. And whereas
 it has been agreed between the said Edward Stafford Howard
 and Henry Crawshay & Co limited that in view of the premises
 and of the agreements entered into between the said Foxes
 Bridge Colliery Company limited and Henry Crawshay & Co
 limited as hereinbefore mentioned the same dated the
 twenty third day of July One thousand nine hundred and
 three shall be revoked as regards that portion of the

said

said barrier lying between the Boundary Stones numbered 104 and 102 and shown by yellow colour on the plan to such license which lies in the Twenty Inch seam between the points marked A and B on the said plan annexed to these presents Now these presents further witness that in pursuance of such agreement the said Edward Stafford Howard as such commissioner and gaulee as aforesaid doth hereby revoke and annul the said license dated the twenty third day of July One thousand nine hundred and three but so far only as regards that portion of the said barrier lying between the said boundary stones numbered 104 and 102 and shown by yellow colour on the plan to such license as aforesaid which lies in the Twenty Inch seam between the points marked A and B on the said plan annexed to these presents And the said Henry Brawshay & Co Limited do hereby for themselves and their successors covenant with the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors that they the said Henry Brawshay & Co Limited their successors grantees assigns tenants servants agents or workmen will not at any time hereafter work cut or in any way interfere with that portion of the said barrier lying between the Boundary Stones 104 and 102 and shown by yellow colour on the said plan which lies in the Twenty Inch seam between the points marked A and B on the said plan annexed to these presents or any part thereof And the said Edward Stafford Howard doth hereby direct that this Deed shall be deemed to be fully and sufficiently enrolled by the deposit of a duplicate thereof in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Enrolments and the filing or making an entry of such deposit by the Keeper of the said Records and Enrolments In witness whereof the said Edward Stafford Howard has hereunto set his hand and seal and The Foxes Bridge Colliery Company Limited and Messrs Henry Brawshay & Co Limited have caused their respective common seals to be hereunto affixed the day and year first above written.

Signed

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Edward }
Stafford Howard in the presence }
of Chas. C. Howlett.

E. Stafford Howard. (S)

Office of Woods
1 Whitehall Place
London. S.W.

The common Seal of the above
named Foxes Bridge Colliery }
Company Limited was affixed
hereto in the presence of ----

David Arthur Davies } Directors.
J.R. Bennett
Wm Morgan Secretary.

(S.S.)

The common Seal of the above
named Henry Brawhay and }
Company Limited was affixed
hereto in the presence of ----

Wm Brawhay. } Directors.
J.C. Washburn
Edwin W. Morgan Secretary.

(P.D.)

I certify that a duplicate of this Deed has been deposited in
the Office of Land Revenue Records and Enrolments and an entry
thereof made or filed by me.

June, 1901. Assistant to the Keeper of the Records.

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Dated
31st May 1904

County of
Monmouth.

C. Stafford
Howard Esq. C.B.
a Commissioner
of Woods &c.

to
The Rev. A.W.
Washington
Palmer, and
others.

lease
of messuage or on behalf of His Majesty both hereby demise and
School House lease unto the Trustees All that piece or parcel of
at Chapel Hill ground containing seventeen perches or thereabouts
situate in the Parish of Chapel Hill aforesaid together

From with the messuage or School house erected thereon and

29 September 1903 used and occupied as a National School which

Term 35 premises are more particularly delineated in the
Copies plan drawn in the margin of these presents and are

29 September 1938 thereon coloured red Together with the appurtenances

Reserving to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors all

minerals and mineral substances in and under

the said premises with power to get work and

remove the same To hold the said premises unto

the Trustees from the twenty ninth day of September

One thousand nine hundred and three for the term

of Thirty five years Paying therefor to His Majesty

His Heirs and Successors during the said term the

clear yearly rent of Two shillings and six pence

And also paying in manner aforesaid a further

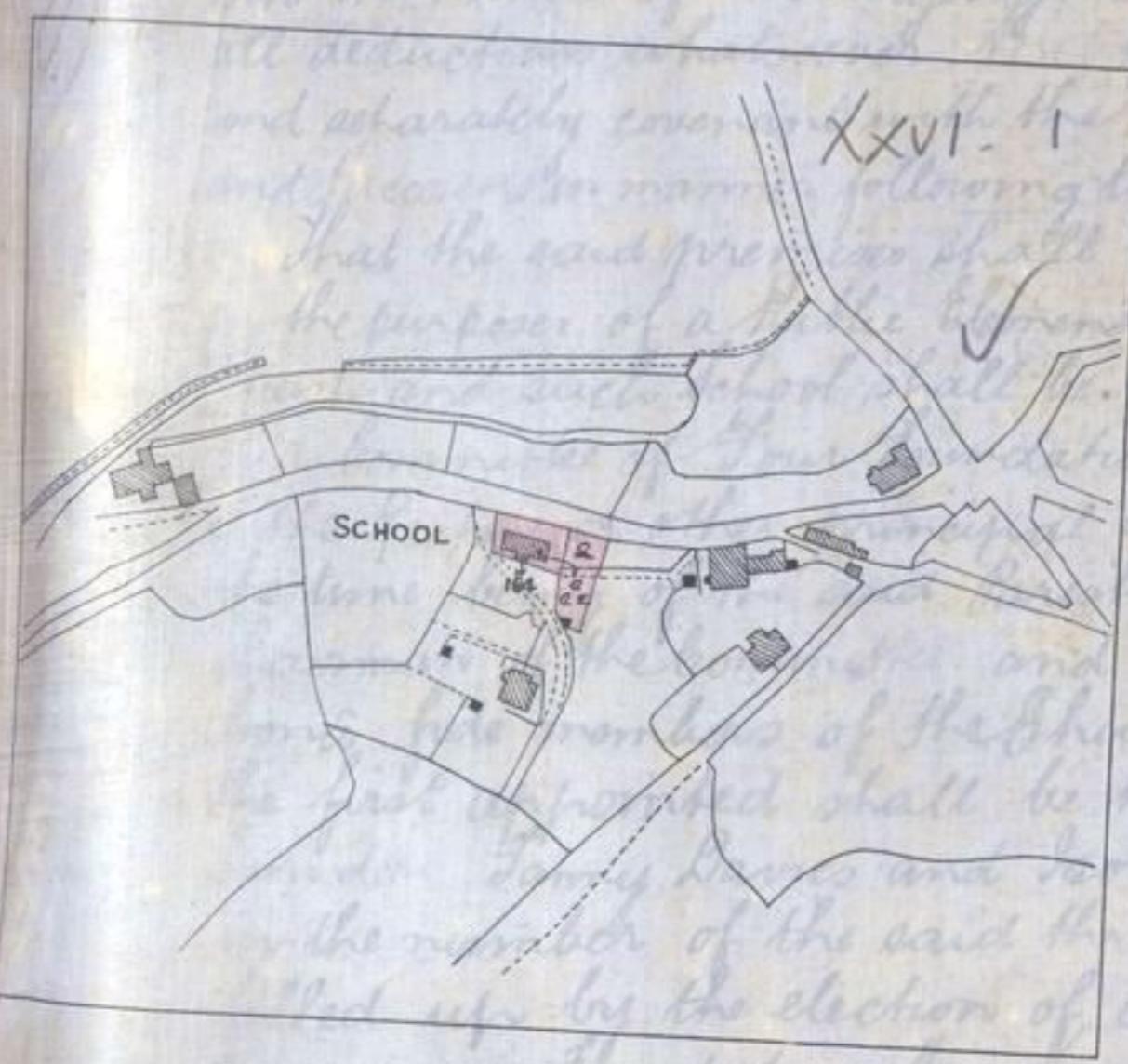
yearly rent equal to five per cent upon all monies and

expenses laid out or incurred by His Majesty His Heirs

Rent 2/6 per annum and percentage on outlay.

and

and successors at the request of the Trustees or incidental to the improvement of the premises any such rent payable in respect of such improvement to commence after the completion of such improvement And it is agreed that as to the amount of the monies and expenses laid out or incurred as aforesaid and as to the purposes for which and the dates when the same were laid out or incurred and as to the date of completion of any improvement the certificate in writing of His Majesty's Receiver for the time being of the rents and profits of the premises shall be conclusive and the said rents hereby reserved or such of them as may from time to time be payable shall be paid on the twenty ninth day of September in each year of the said term



charge of the Land Revenues of the Crown in the County

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Washington Palmer in the places of Miss Davis and Mr. Saunders
(approved by letter of the 13th November 1907), and Mr. Smith
in place of Miss Roberts (letter of 28th April 1909.)

See Appendix 9th 56)

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1. That the said premises shall be kept and used as and for the purposes of a Public Elementary School for the said Parish and such school shall be managed and controlled by a Committee of Four Foundation Managers consisting of the Rector or other principal officiating Minister for the time being of the said Parish who shall be ex-officio chairman of the Committee and three others persons being bona fide members of the Church of England of whom the first appointed shall be the said William John Saunders Fanny Davies and Isobel Roberts and vacancies in the number of the said three other persons shall be filled up by the election of a person by the three remaining foundation managers subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Woods for the time being in charge of the Land Revenues of the Crown in the County of Monmouth or another person or persons qualified as aforesaid +
2. That the religious instruction given at the said School shall be in accordance with the principles of the Church of England Provided always that if any question shall arise as to whether the character

and successors at the request of the Trustees or incidental to the improvement of the premises any such rent payable in respect of such improvement to commence after the completion of such improvement And it is agreed that as to the amount of the monies and expenses laid out or incurred as aforesaid and as to the purposes for which and the dates when the same were laid out or incurred and as to the date of completion of any improvement the certificate in writing of His Majesty's Receiver for the time being of the rents and profits of the premises shall be conclusive and the said rents hereby reserved or such of them as may from time to time be payable shall be paid on the twenty ninth day of September in each year of the said term into the hands of His Majesty's said Receiver free from all deductions whatsoever And the Trustees hereby jointly and separately covenant with the King's Majesty His Heirs and successors in manner following that is to say

1. That the said premises shall be kept and used as and for the purposes of a Public Elementary School for the said Parish and such school shall be managed and controlled by a Committee of Four Foundation Managers consisting of the Rector or other principal officiating Minister for the time being of the said Parish who shall be ex-officio chairman of the Committee and three others persons being bona fide members of the Church of England of whom the first appointed shall be the said William John Saunders Tanny Davies and Isobel Roberts and vacancies in the number of the said three other persons shall be filled up by the election of a person by the three remaining Foundation Managers subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Woods for the time being in charge of the Land Revenues of the Crown in the County

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- of the religious instruction given at the school is or is not in accordance with the provisions of these presents such question shall be referred to the Bishop of the Diocese whose decision shall be final
3. That the user of the school premises when not required for purposes of Public Elementary Education or for such purposes as are ~~required~~ by section 7 subsection (1) (e) of the Education Act 1902 shall be controlled by the Foundation Managers.
 4. That the Foundation Managers shall appoint a person who may or may not be one of their own number to act as their official correspondent and clerk and shall also appoint a Treasurer who shall keep a separate account on their behalf at a local Bank.
 5. That the Trustees will pay the said rents when and as they shall become due upon the days and in manner aforesaid and all rates taxes assessments and other impositions in respect of the said premises (except landlords Property Tax) and keep the said premises in good and tenable repair and condition and keep and use the said premises ~~in good and tenable repair and condition and~~ ~~keep and use the said premises for purposes in~~ accordance with this Agreement only and keep all buildings for the time being on the said land insured in the Ecclesiastical Insurance Company or in the County Fire Insurance Offices in Monmouth in the joint names of His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and of the Rector for the time being of the said Parish in a sum or sums equal to three fourths at the least of the full value thereof respectively and whenever required so to do to show to His Majesty's said Receiver the policy or policies of such insurance and the receipt or receipts for the premium or premiums of insurance in respect thereof for the current year and not to erect any additional building upon the said land other than such as have been previously

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approved of in writing by the Board of Education or the local Educational Authority and by the Commissioners of Woods and not to assign these presents or the premises hereby demised or any part thereof without the consent in writing of the Commissioners of Woods and at their own charges to cause all assignments which with such consent as aforesaid shall be made of these presents or of the said premises or any part thereof within six months of the respective dates thereof to be lodged in the Office of the Commissioners of Woods in order that minutes or dockets thereof respectively may be entered and on demand to pay the usual fees therefor provided always that if the rents shall not be paid within twenty days after the same shall become due or if the said Trustees shall not observe and perform the covenants herein contained then and in any such case it shall be lawful for His Majesty His Heirs and Successors or for the Commissioners of Woods on his or their behalf to reenter and retain possession of the said premises as if these presents had not been made And the said Edward Stafford Howard doth hereby direct that this Deed shall be deemed to be fully and sufficiently enrolled by the deposit of a duplicate thereof in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Informants and the filing or making an entry of such deposit by the Keeper of the said Records and Informants In witness whereof the said parties to these presents of the second and third parts have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Edward } E. Stafford Howard (L.S.)
Stafford Howard in the
presence of

Chas. E. Howlett.

Office of Woods,

1 Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Signed sealed and delivered by
the above named Alfred William } A.W. Washington Palmer (D)
Washington Palmer in the presence of

Henry H. Trivett,

Grogn House
Waiter

Signed sealed and delivered by
 the above named Fanny Davis } Fanny Davis L.J.
 in the presence of
 Elizabeth Davis
 The Glyn, Tintern
 Occupation - None.

Signed sealed and delivered by
 the above named Isobel Roberts in } Isobel Roberts L.J.
 the presence of
 Maria Roberts,
 Woodlands, Tintern
 Widow.

Signed sealed and delivered by
 the above named William John } William John Saunders R.J.
 Saunders in the presence of
 Henry H. Trivett
 Gwyn House
 Warden.

I certify that a duplicate of this Deed has been
 deposited in the Office of Land Revenue Records and
 Enrolments and an entry thereof made or filed by me.
 W. J. Green.
 Assistant to the Keeper of the Records

4 June 1902
 T. J. Green

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Dated This Indenture made the thirtieth day of May One
 May 1902 thousand nine hundred and four Between the Kings
 Most Excellent Majesty of the first part Edward
 Staffor Howard Esquire CB the Commissioner of Woods
 in charge of the premises hereinafter described of the
 second part and Constance Ellen Douglas
 Marshall of Buckstone Lodge Stanton in the County
 of Gloucester Widow (hereinafter called "the Lessee") of the
 third part witnesseth that in consideration of the rent
 unison covenants and agreements hereinafter reserved and
 contained in the said Edward Stafford Howard as
 such Commissioner as aforesaid in exercise of the powers
 of the Crown Lands Acts 1829 to 1894 Both on behalf of
 His Majesty and with the consent of the Lords Commissioners
 of His Majesty's Treasury signified by their Warrant
 dated the eleventh day of February One thousand nine
 hundred and four Demise and lease unto the lessee
 All that piece or parcel of land with the messuage or
 tenement erected thereon and known as Buckstone Lodge
 and buildings situate in the Parish of Stanton in the
 County of Gloucester containing one rood and twenty
 eight perches or thereabouts and more particularly
 delineated and shown on the plan drawn in the margin
 thereof and thereon coloured red Together with the use
 and enjoyment during His Majesty's pleasure of the
 gateway in the fence on the north west side of the said
 premises into and from the plantation hatched red on the
 said plan and of the paths and rides in such plan-
 tation as a Wilderness Garden Except and always reserved
 unto the Kings Majesty His Heirs and Successors all timber
 and other trees and all mines and substrata whatsoever
 in under or upon the said demised land and premises
 To hold the said premises hereby demised unto the lessee
 from the second day of May One thousand nine hundred
 and three for the term of five years Yielding and
 paying therefor during the said term Unto the Kings
 Majesty His Heirs and Successors the clear yearly rent
 of Twenty seven pounds five shillings and
 eight pence by equal half yearly payments on the
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second day of November and the second day of May
in every year except the last half yearly payment thereof
which is to be made on the second day of November next
preceding the expiration or determination of the said
term and also paying in manner aforesaid a further
yearly rent equal to five pounds per centum per annum
on all monies and expenses laid out or incurred
by His Majesty His Heirs or successors at the request of
the lessee on additions and improvements to the
premises such rent to commence from the quarter
day next after the completion of such improvement
such respective rents to be paid to His Majesty's Deputy
Surveyor of the Forest of Dean free from all deduction
except Property Tax and Tithe rent charge And the
lessee doth hereby covenant with the King's Majesty His
Heirs and successors

1. To pay unto the King's Majesty His Heirs and successors
the said yearly rents hereby reserved upon the days and
in manner hereinbefore appointed for payment
thereof.
2. To pay the Land Tax (if any) and all other rates
taxes charges ~~rates~~ assessments and impositions whatsoever
now or at any time hereafter to be rated taxed charged
assessed or imposed upon or in respect of the said
premises (Landlords Property Tax and Tithe rent charge
alone excepted).
3. From time to time as occasion may require to well and
sufficiently repair and keep in good and substantial
repair the said messuage or tenement and buildings
together with all fixtures therein and all the walls gates
stiles posts pales rails hedges ditches and fences thereto
belonging main walls and main timbers excepted.
4. During the last year of the said term at her own
costs to paint in a proper and workmanlike manner
the inside of the said messuage or tenement buildings
and premises where painted before twice over with good
oil paint and wash stop and whiten the ceilings of the
said messuage and paint or tar where painted or

tarred



or in case of any part thereof shall be destroyed or damaged by fire then to lay out the insurance money immediately after the same shall have been received in rebuilding or reinstating the same to the full satisfaction of the said Commissioner or Commissioners as aforesaid or his or their Architect.

6. To permit the said Commissioner or Commissioners as aforesaid or his or their Agent at all reasonable times in the day time to enter into and upon the said premises and to examine the state of repairs and condition thereof and in case the said premises or any part thereof shall upon such examination be found defective out of repair or not in a proper state or condition and notice thereof in writing shall be given to the lessee or left for her on the same premises and within the space of three calendar months next after any such notice shall have been so given or left as aforesaid to supply and make good all such defects and wants of repair and amend the same to the satisfaction in all respects of the said Commissioner or Commissioners first obtained.
7. To cause or procure every assignment which shall with such consent as aforesaid be made of these presents or of the right hereby granted and all Orders

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pared before all the outside wood and iron work gates
posts pales and rails belonging to the said premises.

5. To insure and keep insured the said messuage or tenement
and buildings hereby demised during the said term from
loss or damage by fire in the joint names of His Majesty
His Heirs and successors and of the lessee in some Insurance
Office in London or Westminster to be approved of by the said
Edward Stafford Howard or other the Commissioner or
Commissioners of Woods for the time being hereafter referred
to as the said Commissioner or Commissioners in the sum
of £500 at the least and whenever required so to do to
show to the said Commissioner or Commissioners or to His
Majesty's Deputy Surveyor aforesaid the receipt for the premium
for the current year and in case the said messuage tenement
or building or any part thereof shall be destroyed or
damaged by fire then to lay out the insurance money
immediately after the same shall have been received in
rebuilding or reinstating the same to the full satisfaction
of the said Commissioner or Commissioners as aforesaid or
his or their Architect.
6. To permit the said Commissioner or Commissioners
as aforesaid or his or their Agent at all reasonable
times in the day time to enter into and upon the said
premises and to examine the state of repairs and
condition thereof and in case the said premises or any
part thereof shall upon such examination be found
defective out of repair or not in a proper state or con-
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within the space of three calendar months next after
any such notice shall have been so given or left as
aforesaid to supply and make good all such defects
and wants of repair and amend the same to the
satisfaction in all respects of the said Commissioner
or Commissioners first obtained.
7. To cause or procure every assignment which shall
with such consent as aforesaid be made of these
premises or of the right hereby granted and all Orders

of Court Probates of Wills and letters of Administration affecting these premises to be within six calendar months from the respective dates thereof lodged in the Office of the Commissioners of Woods in order that minutes or dockets thereof respectively may be entered and to pay the usual fees therefor.

8. At the expiration or other sooner determination of the said term hereby granted to surrender and yield up the quiet and peaceable enjoyment of the said messuage and premises to the King's Majesty His Heirs or Successors or the said Commissioner or Commissioners or to whom he or they may direct or appoint to receive the same in good and substantial repair order and condition in all respects.

Provided lastly and these presents are upon this express condition that if the said yearly rents hereby reserved or any part of the same shall be unpaid for the space of twenty days next after either of the days hereinbefore appointed for payment of the same or if the lessee shall make default in the observance and performance of the covenants and conditions hereinbefore contained or any of them then it shall be lawful for the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors or the said Commissioner or Commissioners for the time being as aforesaid on behalf of His Majesty His Heirs and Successors to reenter into and upon the said demised premises and to take and retain possession thereof as fully and effectually in all respects as if these presents had never been made.

And the said Edward Stafford Howard doth hereby direct that this Deed shall be deemed to be fully and sufficiently enrolled by the deposit of a duplicate thereof in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Inrolments and the filing or making an entry of such deposit by the Keeper of the said Records and Inrolments. In witness whereof the said parties to these presents of the second and third parts have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above.

written.

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Edward } C. Stafford Howard. L.S.
Stafford Howard in the presence }
of

Chas. E. Howlett.

Office of Woods,
1 Whitehall Place.
London. S.W.

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Constance } Constance Ellen
Ellen Douglas Marshall in } Douglas Marshall L.D.
the presence of

A. J. Olive.

The Cedars,
Datchett.

I certify that a duplicate of this Deed has been
deposited in the Office of Land Revenue Records and
Involvements and an entry thereof made or filed by me.

T. J. Green.

Assist: to the Keeper of the Records.

30 June 1907.

LJ

Memorandum. It is hereby agreed and declared
that as from the fifth day of August 1906 an additional
rent of £6. 5. 0 per annum has become payable for the
premises now held under the within written Indenture in
respect of outlay made by the Crown in repairs and
improvements to the said premises.

Dated 8th day of October 1906.

(M) Edith E. Parker. Lessee.

" C. Stafford Howard. Commissioner
of Woods

Dated
27th May 1907.

County
of Monmouth.

Tintern Estate.

The Tintern
Abbey National
School.

Declaration
of
Forfeiture of
Lease dated
20th December
1839.

Whereas by an Indenture of Lease dated the twentieth day of December One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine and made between The Most Noble Henry Duke of Beaufort of the one part and the Reverend Charles Henry Morgan Clerk Incumbent of the Parish church of Chapel Hill in the County of Monmouth Jeremiah Sharpe Brown and Charles Roberts Churchwardens of the said Parish of Chapel Hill The Reverend John Haig Clerk Incumbent of the Parish church of Tintern Parva in the said County of Monmouth and Thomas Vigors and Thomas Iles Churchwardens of the said Parish of Tintern Parva of the other part (hereinafter referred to as the said Trustees) All that piece or parcel of ground containing seventeen perches or thereabouts situate in the Parish of Chapel Hill in the County of Monmouth together with the newly erected messuage or schoolhouse erected thereon then in the occupation of the said Trustees and used and occupied by them as a National School as the same premises were more particularly described on the Map or ground plot thereof drawn in the margin of the Indenture now in recital and thereon coloured blue together with the appurtenances thereto belonging was demised unto the said Trustees their executors administrators and assigns from the twenty ninth day of September then last past for the term of Ninety nine years at the yearly rent of One shilling payable yearly on the twenty ninth day of September in every year of the said term unto the said Lord Duke his Heirs and assigns without any deduction or abatement whatsoever And the said Trustees did thereby for themselves their heirs executors and administrators covenant and agree with the said Lord Duke his heirs and assigns that they the said Trustees their executors administrators and assigns should and would yearly and every year during the said term of Ninety nine years thereby granted well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Lord Duke his heirs and assigns the said rent of One shilling at the times and in manner hereinafore limited for payment

hereof

thereof without any deduction or abatement whatsoever And it was by the said Indenture provided and it was thereby agreed and declared that if the said yearly rent thereby reserved or any part thereof should be in arrear for the space of thirty days after the same should become due and payable or if the said Trustees their executors administrators or assigns should not well and truly fulfil and keep the several covenants and agreements therein contained and to be by them observed or performed it should be lawful for the said Lord Duke his heirs or assigns in the name of the whole to reenter upon the said premises and the same to have again repossess and enjoy as in his or their former estate And whereas in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty seven an Agreement was entered into between the Duke of Beaufort and the then Trustees of the said National School for a tenancy by the Trustees supplemental to the tenancy created by the said recited lease of One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine of an adjoining piece of land containing twenty perches or thereabouts to be held with and as part of the premises demised by the said lease of One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine at an additional rent of one shilling and six pence and in other respects upon the covenants and conditions of the said lease of One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine And whereas the property devised by the above recited Indenture of lease and under the said Agreement is now vested in His Majesty in right of His Crown as part of the Land Revenues of the Crown in the County of Monmouth And whereas the Trustees or their representatives have not paid the said rents due to His Majesty under the said lease and Agreement for the year ended the twenty ninth day of September One thousand nine hundred and three or either of them and they still refuse or neglect to pay such rents whereby or in consequence whereof His Majesty is now entitled to reenter upon and retain possession of the premises devised by the before recited Indentures of lease and the said Agreement Now

566.

I the undersigned Edward Stafford Howard the Commissioner of Woods in charge of the Land Revenues of the Crown in the County of Monmouth on behalf of the King's Most Excellent Majesty do hereby signify the exercise on behalf of His Majesty of the power or right of reentry so as aforesaid accrued to His Majesty and do hereby declare the before recited lease and the interest of the Tenants under the said Agreement to be forfeited to His Majesty.

Dated this twenty seventh day of May One thousand nine hundred and four.

Dated
27th May
1902.

Highmead
Woods.

Charlotte
Rawhams
1902
to
The King
Most
Excellent
Majesty

Witness

E. Stafford Howard

George Howell Williams
Dornbury, Gloucestershire.
Accountant.

Office of Woods

Whitehall Place
London S.W.

I certify that a duplicate of this Declaration of Forfeiture has been deposited in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Wrodments and an entry thereof made or filed by me,

30th May 1902, W. J. Green

Assistant to the Keeper of the Records.



Dated.
1st May
1902.

Highmeadow
Woods.

Charlotte
Brawshay
1902

The Kings
two and by his will dated the twenty ninth day of September

of
Surrender
of
Highmeadow
1902

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of
Highmeadow
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of
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Highmeadow
1902

This Indenture made the thirty first day of May One thousand nine hundred and two Between Charlotte Brawshay of the Yore Bathaston near Bath in the County of Somerset Widow Edwin Hole Brawshay of Oakfield Bumbray in the County of Monmouth Esquire and John Wright Esq'le of Newnham in the County of Gloucester Esquire (hereinafter called "the Surrendors") of the first part Edward Stafford Howard Esquire CB the Commissioner of Woods in charge of the wiffins-monhored premises of the second part and The Kings Most Excellent Majesty of the third part Whereas the within named Edwin Brawshay died on the eighteenth day of January Nineteen hundred and two and by his will dated the twenty ninth day of November One thousand nine hundred he appointed the Surrendors Excellent executors thereof who duly proved the same in the Principal Probate Registry on the first day of March One thousand nine hundred and two And whereas the messes and premises devised by the within written Indenture of Lease which is dated the Twenty eighth day of September One thousand eight hundred and eighty three and is made between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria of the first part Sir Henry Brougham K. C. B. then a Commissioner of Woods of the second part and Edwin Brawshay of the third part are vested in the Surrendors for all the residue of the term of years thereby granted except as to so much thereof as was surrendered by the said Edwin Brawshay under an Indenture dated the fourteenth day of November One thousand eight hundred and eighty five made between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria of the first part George Bulley Esquire then a Commissioner of Woods of the second part and the said Edwin Brawshay of the third part and endorsed on the within written Indenture And whereas the Surrendors have requested the said Edward Stafford Howard as such Commissioner as ~~expressed~~ above mentioned to accept on behalf of His Majesty a Surrender as from the first day of July One thousand nine hundred of the same premises which the said Edward Stafford Howard with the consent of the said Commissioners of His Majestys Treasury signified by their Warrant dated the fifteenth day of January

One Thousand One hundred and Two has agreed to do
 now this Indenture witnesseth that in pursuance
 of the premises they the Surrendors as Beneficial owners
 with the consent of the said Edward Stafford Howard
 testified by his executing these presents Do surrender to
 the Kings Majesty from the said first day of July One thousand
 nine hundred All and so much as was not surrendered
 under the said Indenture of the fourteenth day of November
 One thousand eight hundred and eighty five of All
 and singular the mines beds and seams of iron ore
 and ironstone within or under All that parcel of land
 containing by estimation 263. 0. 6 more or less being
 part of an Estate belonging to His Majesty called the
 Highmeadow Estate situate in the Parish of Newland in
 the County of Gloucester which said land is delineated
 and coloured pink on the plan annexed to the within
 written Indenture and all other (if any) the premises
 demised by the within written Indenture to the intent
 and purpose that the term of years created by the
 within written Indenture and all the estate and interest
 now subsisting in the said premises under or by virtue
 of the same Indenture may be merged and extinguished
 in the reversion freehold and inheritance of the said premises
 now vested in His Majesty in right of His Crown And
 the said Edward Stafford Howard doth hereby direct that
 this Deed shall be deemed to be fully and sufficiently
 enrolled by the deposit of a duplicate thereof in the Office
 of Land Revenue Records and Enrolments and the filing
 or making an entry of such deposit by the Keeper of the
 said Records and Enrolments In witness whereof the said
 parties to these presents of the first and second parts
 have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and
 year first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered by
 the above named Charlotte }
 Bransby the words "John Wright
 Esq; of Neorham in the County
 of Gloucester" having first been first
 written above an erasure in the }

presence of

Louise Brawshay of
15 Marlboro Buildings
Spinst.

Charlotte Brawshay R.D.

Signed sealed and delivered by the
above named Edwin Hole Brawshay }
the above mentioned alteration }
having been first made in the }
presence of

John Bennett Williams
Cumbrian,
Secretary to Limited Liability Co.

Edwin Hole Brawshay. R.D.

Signed sealed and delivered by the
above named John Wright Guse }
the above mentioned alteration }
having been first made in the }
presence of.

Edmund F. Lucy,
5 Jeskett Crescent
Torquay.
Esquire.

J.W. Guse R.D.

Signed sealed and delivered by the
above named Edward Stafford Howard }
in the presence of Chas. E. Hawlett,
Office of Woods,
1 Whitehall Place.
London. S.W.

E. Stafford Howard. R.D.

Enrolled in the Office of Land Revenue Records and
Inquisitions the 90th December 1903.

W. J. Green,
Assistant to the Keeper of the Records.

R.D.

570.

Probate of the will of deceased Illingworth entered in the said Book

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Assignment of this lease dated 16 June 1907 to the Lydney & Pump Meadow Collieries
Company, entered in Deed Book 1 p. 21.

Dated
31st December
1909.

Dean Forest

E. Stafford
Howard Esq.
CB, a
commissioner
of Woods &c.
to
Sir Angus
Holden Bart.
and others

lease
of waste land
at Bilson Green,
Ruardean Walk,
near to the New Bowson Deep Pit on Bilson Green in Ruardean
Deep Coal Hals

commencing

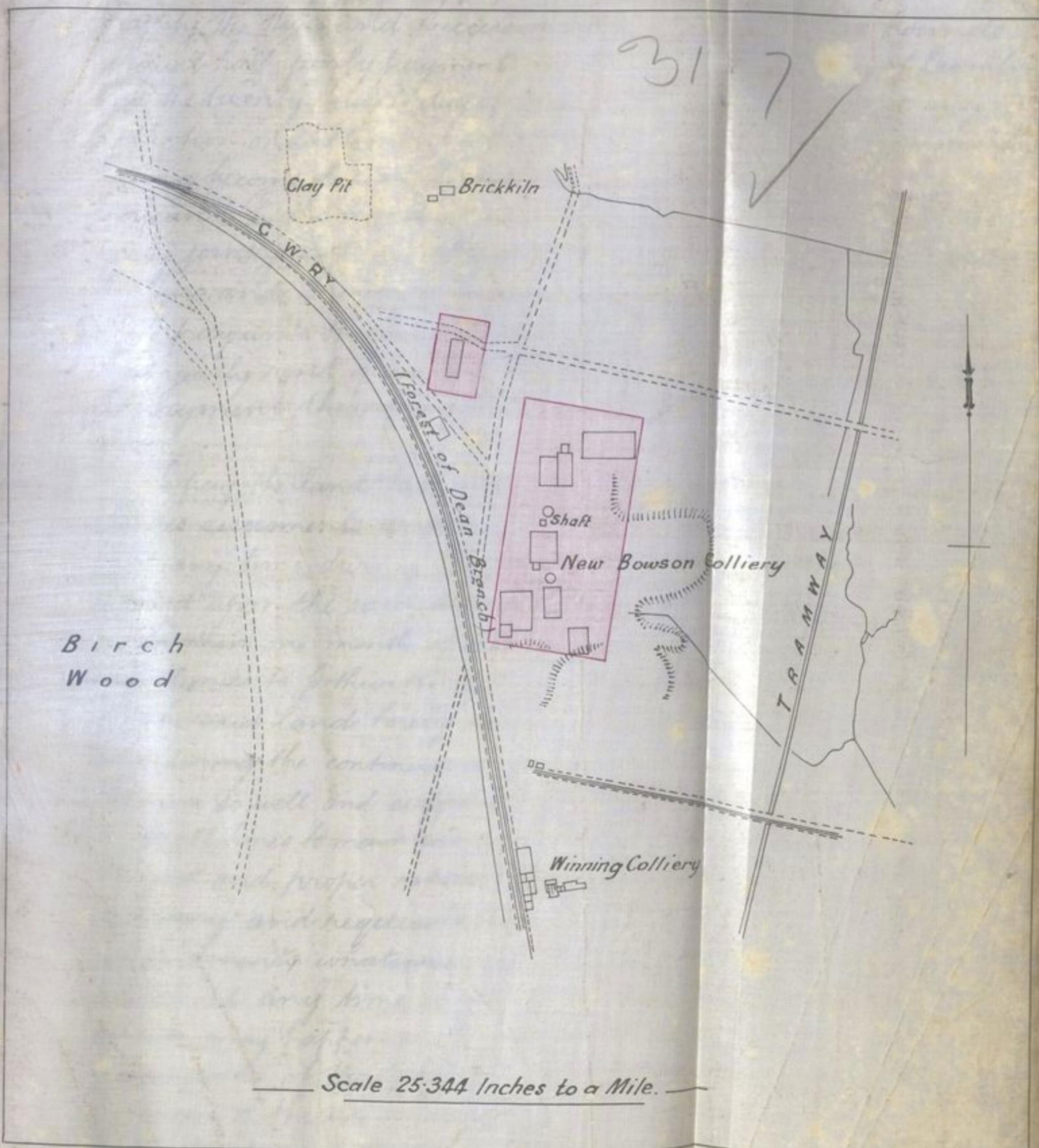
24th June 1899.
Term 31.
Expires 24th June 1930.

Rent £6. 9s.

New Deep 31
P. B. 31. 1

This Indenture made the thirty first day of December One thousand nine hundred and three
Between The Kings Most Excellent Majest
of the first part Edward Stafford Howard
Esquire C.B. the Commissioner of his Majestys Woods Forests
and Land Revenues in charge of the premises hereby demised
of the second part Sir Angus Holden Baronet of
Kem Appleton in the County of York Edward Holden
of Lynwood Southport in the County of Lancaster Alfred
Illingworth of Daisy Bank Bradford in the
said County of York of the third part and Mary
Illingworth Widow Alfred Illingworth
and Percy Holden Illingworth all of Lady
Royce Hall Bradford aforesaid ~~Albert~~^{Henry} Holden
Illingworth of Moor Field Bradford aforesaid
Albert Holden Illingworth of Heaton Hall Bradford
aforesaid (the Trustees of the late Henry Illingworth) of the
fourth part Witnesseth that in consideration of the
rent and covenants hereinafter reserved and contained in
the Ruardean Walk, said Edward Stafford Howard as such Commissioner as aforesaid
in the Forest of Dean by virtue of every power enabling him so to do 10th by these
to be held in presents demise and lease unto the parties hereto of the third
connection with and fourth parts (hereinafter called "the lessees") All those
the New Bowson two pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being at or
and East Dean near to the New Bowson Deep Pit on Bilson Green in Ruardean
Deep Coal Hals Walk in the Forest of Dean containing two acres three rods
and sixteen perches or thereabouts together with the buildings
erected thereon which said pieces of land are part of the
unenclosed waste land of the said Forest and are more
particularly described on the plan drawn in the margin
hereof and are thereon coloured red except and reserving
out of this demise all mines minerals stone and substrata
within or under the said land together with all rights
powers and authorities incident or belonging to the said
excepted premises To hold the said pieces of land unto the
lessees subject nevertheless to the provisions of the Acts 1st and
2nd Victoria Chapter 43 and 24th and 25th April Chapter 40
from the twenty fourth day of June One thousand eight hundred
and

and ninety nine for the term of thirty one years (determinable nevertheless as hereinafter mentioned) to be held and used in connection with the New Bowson and East Dean Geetvales or collieries of



servants or agents from time to time and at all times during

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and ninety nine for the term of thirty one years (determinable nevertheless as hereinafter mentioned) to be held and used in connection with the New Boson and East Dean Deep Gales or Collieries of which the lessees are the Registered Owners and for no other purpose whatsoever paying therefor during the said term unto the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors the yearly rent of six pounds by equal half yearly payments on the twenty fifth day of December and the twenty fourth day of June in every year without any deduction or abatement whatsoever the first of such payments having become due on the twenty fifth day of December One thousand eight hundred and ninety nine And the lessees hereby jointly and severally covenant with the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors in manner following that is to say:-

1. To pay unto the King's Majesty His Heirs and Successors the said yearly rent of six pounds on the days hereinbefore appointed for payment thereof without any deduction or abatement whatsoever.
2. To pay the land Tax and all other taxes sever and other rates charges assessments and impositions whatsoever which now are or at any time during the said term may be taxed assessed or imposed upon the said demised premises or any part thereof.
3. Within one month of opening and working the said Gales or Collieries to forthwith well and sufficiently enclose and fence in the said land hereby demised to the satisfaction of the lessor and during the continuance of this demise at their own costs to keep the same so well and sufficiently enclosed and fenced in as aforesaid.
4. At all times to maintain and keep the said demised premises in good and proper repair order and condition and with all necessary and requisite drains sewers watercourses and amendments whatsoever and to make good all damage or injury which at any time or times during the continuance of this demise may happen or be occasioned to the lands trees property or possessions of His Majesty or of any adjoining owner or owners by reason of the use or occupation of the said demised premises for the purposes aforesaid **Provided** that it shall be lawful for the lessor or the Deputy Surveyor or Deputy Gaveller for the time being of the said Forest with or by his or their workmen servants or agents from time to time and at all times during

the continuance of this demise to enter into and upon the said demised premises for the purpose of viewing and examining the state and condition thereof.

5. Not at any time during the continuance of this demise without the consent in writing of the lessor for that purpose first had and obtained to erect build or set up or permit or suffer to be erected built or set up upon the said pieces of land hereby demised or any part of the same any house building or machinery whatsoever nor use or occupy or permit or suffer the said demised premises or any part thereof to be used or occupied otherwise for the purposes of and in connection with the said Gales or Collieries and in strict conformity with the Acts 1st and 2nd Victoria Chapter 43 section 25 and 24th and 25th Victoria Chapter 40 section 6 and (so far as the same may be applicable thereto) the rules orders and regulations of the Dean Forest Mining Commissioners made for the working of Gales Pits levels and works of coal or coal mines in the said Forest of Dean and Hundred of St. Briavels and not to commit or suffer to be committed any waste spoil damage or injury to the said demised premises or any part thereof or to the enclosures lands trees property or possessions of His Majesty or of any adjoining Owner or Owners nor to do or suffer to be done any act or thing whatsoever which may be or become a nuisance annoyance or disturbance to the lessor or to the owners or occupiers of any contiguous premises.

6. At the end or other sooner determination of the said term to peaceably and quietly leave surrender and yield up to the lessor or his or their duly authorised Agent the said demised buildings and premises in good and proper repair order and condition.

7. At their own costs within three calendar months from the respective dates thereof to cause all assignments which may at any time hereafter be made of these presents or of the premises hereby demised and all Orders of Court Probates of Wills and Letters of Administration and other instruments affecting the devolution of the premises or the term hereby granted to be lodged in the Office of the Commissioners of Woods in order that minutes or dockets thereof respectively may be

entered

entered and on demand to pay the usual fees therefor.

Provided always and these presents are granted upon this express condition that the said term hereby granted shall absolutely cease and determine when the said New Bowson and East Bear Deep shafts or Collieries shall be relinquished or given up or cease to be worked pursuant to the rules orders and regulations of the Dean Forest Mining Commissioners made for working shafts levels and Works of coal or coal mines within the said Forest and Hundred or the grant of the said shafts or Works shall be otherwise determined. **Provided also** and these presents are upon this express condition that if the said rent of six pounds hereby reserved or any part of the same shall be ~~be~~ unpaid for thirty days next after either of the days of payment on which the same ought to be paid or if the lessees do not in all things observe perform and keep all and singular the covenants provisoies conditions and restrictions herein contained and on their part to be performed and kept according to the true intent and meaning of these presents then and from thenceforth and in any of such cases the lessor may reenter and retain possession of the said demised premises as fully in all respects as if these presents had not been made and in case of any such reentry there shall be payable by the lessees to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors in addition to any rent due a proportionate part of the accruing rent for the then current half year up to the day on which such reentry shall have been made. **And it is hereby agreed and declared** that the term "lessor" herein means the King's Majesty His Heirs Successors and Assigns or so long as the reversion of the demised premises is vested in the Crown the Commissioner or Commissioners Gaveller or Deputy Gaveller or other the person or persons for the time being entitled by law to the management and direction thereof and that all rights and obligations of the lessees under these presents shall devolve with the leasehold interest hereby created and be accordingly enjoyed observed and performed by the person or persons in whom such interest shall for the time being be vested. And the said Edward Stafford Howard doth hereby direct that this Deed shall be deemed to be fully and sufficiently enrolled by the deposit of a

duplicate

duplicate thereof in the Office of Land Revenue Records and Instruments and the filing or making an entry of such deposit by the Keeper of the said Records and Instruments In witness whereof the said parties to these presents of the second third and fourth parts have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Edward }
Stafford Howard in the presence }
of Chas. S. Howlett,
Office of Woods,
1 Whitehall Place,
London.
Sw.

E. Stafford Howard. (S)

Signed sealed and delivered by
the above named Sir Angus Holden }
in the presence of }
Ernest J. Holden,
Appleton House,
Bolton Percy, Yorks.
Gentleman

Angus Holden. (S)

Signed sealed and delivered by
the above named Edward Holden }
in the presence of }
Isaac H. Holden,
42 Park Avenue,
Southport.
Gentleman.

Edward Holden. (S)

Signed sealed and delivered
by the above named Alfred }
Klingworth in the presence of }
Arthur Nicholson
Ladye Royle Hall
Bradford.
Butler

Alfred Klingworth (S)

Signed sealed and delivered by the
above named Mary Illingworth in the }
presence of Arthur Nicholson, }
Ladye Royston Hall.
Butler Bradford.

Signed sealed and delivered by the
above named Alfred Illingworth in }
the presence of Arthur Nicholson }
Ladye Royston Hall.
Butler Bradford.

Signed sealed and delivered by
the above named Percy Holden ~ }
Illingworth in the presence of }
Henry Edwards,
4 Cross Tree Lane
Butler Bradford.

Signed sealed and delivered -
by the above named Henry Holden }
Illingworth in the presence of }
Henry Edwards,
4 Cross Tree Lane
Butler Bradford.

Signed sealed and delivered by
the above named Albert Holden }
Illingworth in the presence of }
Gladys Foster Butchell
Duchy House
Skipton. Harrogate.

Enrolled in the Office of Land Revenue Records and
Involments the 15th day of December 1907 by entry as directed
by letter of the Office of Woods &c. dated 14th December, 1907 and
not by the deposit of a duplicate as stated in the body of
the lease.
G.H. Overend,
Assistant to the Keeper of the Records.