

NORTHERN
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Mr. James Walton moved the second resolution, which he accompanied by a short but fitting speech. The resolution was—

“That in the opinion of this meeting, that horrid and unnatural measure called the New Poor Law Bill, is the natural offspring of the present system of representation, and is a proof quite sufficient in itself to show what the labouring classes have to expect from a Parliament constituted like the present, and that it is the determination of this meet-

had not increased, with their use in the machinery. Twenty years ago, I received a string in a piece of 70 portehs, but the warps ran 20 skeins in the watering of filbs, and the weft a 21b. I the weight then put into one string was 21b. 1 or 2oz. The weight of the string now is it is from 31b. 4oz. to 31b. 8oz. per string. The length of the warp is 24 or 25 skeins in the watering of filbs, and the weft is 23 skeins. Then we watered a piece of 70 at 23 skeins per string, on an average, in eight days, and now we water a piece of 70 as I was then, on an average 18 days to water a piece of cloth now made. I attribute this decrease in the use of machinery. I cannot exactly say when the machinery was introduced into Leamington, but I think it first came to the spinning mill. Commissioner—I mean, your people. Stead—It is about four or five years ago. Looms for making broad cloths

Another cause is that we have never had a right system of management in the trade union. Trade should be established to equalise the prices to be given, the board should be established by Parliament, their rules to be binding on the union. To enforce a penalty for the violation of the rules, the board would be to prevent those occupying employment. I think the hours of labour in factories should be reduced to the number of ten hours at the most. The hours of labour for children were reduced to the number of nine years of age allowed to be in the interest of the present law, it would be a compensation for the general classes, as it would be of labour. I think that children of nine years of age might work ten hours a day, without injury.

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hard proceeding not to give these persons a fair chance of having their claims considered, especially inasmuch as the House of Commons has promised that the subject should be taken into consideration. He would, therefore, take the sense of the House upon the postponement, in consequence of the manner in which he had been treated upon this question. He would not say that he was not prepared to do so good as to take the subject into consideration. The Noble Viscount said that he would consider it—that was his answer; and of course he (the Duke of Devonshire) would be taken into consideration in the other House of Parliament. That had not been done—the subject had not even been mentioned, and these individuals had never had a chance of having justice done to them.

I have now, I think, said all that I have to say, and I think that compensation was given to the governors of the Cinque Ports by the Bill. Is the Noble Duke sure that that is not the case?

LEEDS FORTNIGHT FAIR, Wednesday, August 1.—There was a good show of every description of cattle at this market, which was well attended by buyers, and consequently nearly the whole were disposed of at the following prices: Beef, from 6s. to 6s. 6d. per stone; Mutton, and Lamb, 6d. to 6d. 6d. per lb. Number of Cattle at market:—Beasts, 276; Sheep, and Lambs, 2,800; Pigs, 50.

PRICE OF HAY AT LEEDS, 7d. to 8d.; Straw, 5d. per stone.

BEDFORD FORTNIGHT FAIR, July 31.—Our markets at this morning well supplied with every description of stock, which met with a brisk sale. Fat Beasts were in request, and all were soon bought up at an advance of full 6d. per stone. There was also a large supply of Sheep and Lambs, which met with good prices. Beef, 6s. 3d. to 7s. per stone; Mutton, 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d. per stone; Lamb, 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d. per stone; Pigs, 4s. 6d. to 5s. 6d. per stone.

will be in vain. — *Globe.*

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LEEDS FORTNIGHT FAIR, Wednesday,
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