

## COLLIERY MANAGERS FINED AT DEWSBURY.—

On Monday, at the West Riding Court, Dewsbury, Joseph George Marriott and Henry Marriott were severally charged that, on the 14th of July, they being the owners of the Dockey-lane Pit, Mirfield, they did neglect to keep at such mine a book in which to enter a report of the condition of the said mine so far as ventilation was concerned; 2nd, with neglecting to keep at the above pit an accurate plan of the workings; 3rd, that they did neglect to keep the fly wheel at the above pit securely fenced; 4th, that at the Slipper-lane Pit they did neglect to keep a plan of the workings of such pit; 5th, that they did neglect to cause an abstract of the Coal Mines Regulations Act, 1872, and rules, with the names and addresses of the Government inspector for the district, the owners, and of the manager, to be posted up in some conspicuous place at the pit; and 6th, that they did neglect to keep at the above pit a book in which to enter a report of the condition of the mine so far as ventilation was concerned. Mr. Ibberson solicitor, represented the defendants, who pleaded guilty to all the charges. Mr. Jeffery, of Bradford, appeared on behalf of the Government inspector. The Bench fined the defendants £2 in each case, in all £12.