

- (8.) A Retaining Wall commencing at a point on the east side of the South Pier at a point five hundred and seventy feet or thereabouts, measured in a south-westerly direction from the outer or seaward extremity of said South Pier, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction for a distance of five hundred and seventy-three feet or thereabouts, and there terminating on the Foreshore of Wick Bay, which work will be sold throughout;
- (9.) An Embankment, including the reclaiming, raising, and making-up, of the ground or foreshore within the area bounded on the north by Work No. (8) and on the south by the Foreshore of Wick Bay;

All which intended Works will be situate within the Royal and Parliamentary Burgh of Wick, the Parish of Wick, Burgh of Pulteneytown, and County of Caithness, and on the foreshore and in the sea adjacent thereto.

To authorise the Trustees to purchase and take by compulsion, notwithstanding section 90 of the Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845, a part or parts of any house, building, or manufactory, without being required to purchase the whole thereof.

To authorise the Trustees to deviate laterally and vertically from the lines and levels of the Works to be authorised by the Bill, as shown on the plans and sections hereinafter mentioned, to the extent shown thereon, or as may be prescribed by the Bill.

To extend and define the limits of the Harbour and to include therein the Works which may be constructed under the Bill, and to constitute the Trustees the Harbour and Pilotage Authority therein.

To empower the Trustees to purchase, acquire, enter upon, appropriate, take and use, temporarily or permanently, and either compulsorily or by agreement, and to hold and use all such lands, houses, buildings, and other property, and the foreshore and bed of the sea, within the foresaid Parish and *ex adverso* thereof, as may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the aforesaid Works, or any of them, and for the Bill, and to acquire easements, rights, and servitudes, in, under, or over the same.

To authorise the Trustees to open, break up, use, cross, divert, alter, stop up, and otherwise interfere with, either temporarily or permanently, roads, streets, lanes, passages, approaches, streams, rivers, foreshore, water and gas mains, and pipes, water courses, sewers, drains, telegraphic, telephonic or electric tubes, wires, or apparatus, or other works which it may be necessary or expedient to cross, break up, alter, appropriate, or divert, for effecting the objects and purposes of the Bill.

To empower the Trustees to dredge, scour, deepen, and improve the Harbour and the waterways, channels, and bed of the sea adjacent thereto to such extent and in such manner as they may think fit, or the Bill may provide.

To authorise the Trustees from time to time, during the construction of the Works to be authorised by the Bill, to shut up either wholly or partially the Harbour and Works connected therewith, or any part or parts thereof.

To authorise the Trustees to apply their existing funds and revenues, and to borrow, and from time to time re-borrow money for the construction of the proposed Works, the acquisition of

lands, and for the general purposes of the Harbour undertaking and of the Bill, on loan, mortgage, annuity, debenture, or cash credit, or otherwise on the security of the rates, rents, duties, and charges, already existing, or to be authorised by the Bill and the other revenue of the Trustees, and the lands, works, and property belonging to or vested in the Trustees, and to make provision for repayment of borrowed money by a sinking fund or otherwise as the Bill may prescribe.

To authorise the Public Works Loan Commissioners to make advances from time to time to the Trustees on the security of the Harbour and Works, and the rates, duties, and charges, leviable by the Trustees.

To empower the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Wick, as such, and as Commissioners of the said Royal Burgh under the burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and the Commissioners of the Burgh of Pulteneytown acting under the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, respectively, or both or either of them, as rating authorities respectively as defined by the Public Works Loans Act, 1882, or otherwise, to charge the police assessments or other assessments leviable by them respectively and any other funds or rates under their respective control, or any or either of such funds or rates as may be provided by the Bill, for the purpose of aiding the Trustees in raising a Loan or Loans or any part thereof, from the Public Works Loan Commissioners, or from any other authority, company, or person, and to give such aid by guaranteeing the principal and interest of the loan or loans, or by borrowing the sum required and advancing it to the Trustees, or partly in one way and partly in the other, or otherwise as may be prescribed in the Bill.

The Bill will contain all such provisions with reference to such Guarantee as are required by the Public Works Loans Act, 1882, and such other provisions as may be necessary for carrying into effect the provisions of the Public Works Loans Act, 1882, and the Bill or some of them, as applicable to the Trustees, and the said Town Council of the said Royal Burgh of Wick and as Commissioners of the said Burgh, and the Commissioners of the said Burgh of Pulteneytown respectively, and will authorise the said Town Council and Commissioners of the Royal Burgh of Wick, and the Commissioners of the Burgh of Pulteneytown respectively, to guarantee any Loan to the Trustees by any person, and will enable them to apply funds and levy rates and assessments for such purpose.

To empower the Harbour Master to order the removal from the Harbour, or from any part of the same within the limits thereof, at the expense of the owner, of any boats or vessels which may be laid up or neglected, or be an obstruction, or are unfit for sea service, or which may be left unattended, and to empower the Harbour Master in certain cases to remove such boats and vessels at the expense of the owners to such place or places as the Harbour Master may direct or deem expedient, and to authorise the Trustees to make provision for the destruction and disposal of any such boats or vessels so removed, after such notice as the Bill may provide, and to make provision with respect to the cost thereof, and for recovery of the same, and to protect the Trustees from any claim in consequence of the removal or destruction of such boats or vessels.