

ing to the said Messrs. Alexander Hogg and Company, on the south-west partly by land belonging or reputed to belong to Messrs. Rankin and Blackmore, Engineers, Greenock, and partly by land belonging or reputed to belong to The Distillers Company Limited; and on the south-east partly by property belonging or reputed to belong to The Port-Glasgow Heritable Company Limited, partly by lands belonging or reputed to belong to the said Distillers Company Limited and partly by property belonging or reputed to belong to Malcolm Campbell, Spirit Merchant.

51. To empower the Corporation to provide, sell, let for hire, fix and repair lamps, meters, electric lines, fittings, motors and apparatus for lighting and motive power; to authorise charges therefor and to exempt from distress such articles and things.

52. To empower the Corporation to charge minimum payments for premises provided with a separate supply; to refuse to supply in certain cases; to continue or alter the existing maximum charges for the supply of electrical energy; to allow discounts; and to make better provision for the supply of electrical energy and the carrying on of the electricity undertaking of the Corporation.

POLICE.

53. To empower the Corporation to appoint a chief constable and to fix the number, ranks and designations of constables and to authorize the chief constable to appoint constables, to direct their distribution within the existing and extended Burgh, and to make rules for regulating their conduct and duties; to empower the Magistrates to make rules for the guidance of the Chief Constable, and on occasions of emergency to appoint special constables, and to employ the same at the cost of the Corporation.

54. To apply to the existing and extended Burgh, with or without amendment, the provisions of Sections 79, 80, 83 to 86, 88 to 91, 93, 383, 388, 401, 467 to 472 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and to provide that buildings or premises in which nightly lodgers are received shall be included in the premises which constables may enter under the said Section 401, and that in Section 469 of the said Act a "person charged with the commission of a crime or offence" shall include a deserter in custody of a naval or military escort.

55. To authorize the Corporation to provide and furnish houses or barracks for constables and police stations, and to acquire the necessary land.

THEATRES AND PLACES OF PUBLIC RESORT.

56. To apply to the existing and extended Burgh the provisions of Section 395 to 398, 400 and 402 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act 1892, and Sections 80 and 81 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1903, and to provide that any person obtaining a licence from the magistrates under Section 395 of the said Act of 1892 need not obtain a licence from the justices under the Theatres Act, 1843.

ARTICLES FOUND OR STOLEN OR FRAUDULENTLY OBTAINED.

57. To apply to the existing and extended

Burgh the provisions of Sections 412 and 415 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and to provide how stolen or unclaimed goods are to be kept and disposed of.

IMPROPER HOUSES AND PLACES OF RESORT.

58. To authorize the magistrates to grant warrants to search places where thieves, prostitutes and other disreputable persons are harboured, illicit trade in exciseable liquors is conducted or which are used for betting, prize fighting or otherwise as a place of improper resort, to imprison the managers or persons allowing the same to be so used, and to authorize the closing of such places after conviction of such persons.

BROKERS, PAWNBROKERS AND MARINE STORE DEALERS.

59. To apply to the existing and extended Burgh the provisions of Sections 433 to 450 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892; to prohibit the buying of old metal under certain weights and of certain classes (to be prescribed by the Order) without a licence from the magistrates, or elsewhere by a licensee than at the premises of the licensee, and to provide that use by a person unlicensed as a broker for a period to be specified of premises within the Burgh for the purposes of his business shall be sufficient proof of contravention of the said Section 433.

PUBLIC CARRIAGES.

60. To apply to the existing and extended Burgh the provisions of Section 270 to 273 and schedule V of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and to prohibit the letting or use for hire within the existing and extended Burgh of any vehicle without a licence from the magistrates in that behalf and to authorize the suspension or revocation of such licence in case of the disrepair or unsafeness of the vehicle or contravention of the licence.

PORTERS, CHIMNEY SWEEPERS, AND SHOEBLACKS.

61. To empower the Magistrates to license porters, shoeblacks and chimney sweepers, and to make bye-laws regulating persons acting as such; to prescribe the contents of the licence; the conditions upon which it is granted; the fees for licences; penalty for soliciting employment for hire as a porter, chimney sweeper, or shoeblack without a licence; revocation of licence in certain cases, and in other respects to make regulations in regard to the conduct and duties and charges of persons so licensed.

PREVENTION OF FRAUD.

62. To provide that any inspector of weights and measures for the existing or extended Burgh shall have the powers conferred upon the chief constable under Sections 419, 420, 422 and 430 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and to apply the provisions of Sections 416, 417, 419, 428 and 430 of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, to the existing and extended Burgh.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A COURT FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS.

63. To empower the Corporation to establish a court for the investigation of crimes and offences charged against children under the age of fourteen years of a nature competent for summary trial and to appoint a clerk to such court; to authorize the court so estab-