



To authorise the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Burgh of Ayr (hereinafter called 'the Corporation') to make, maintain, and use the additional water works hereinafter described, or some of them, that is to say :

*First.* A Reservoir, being an enlargement of the Loch known as Loch Finlas, in the Parish of Straiton and County of Ayr, to be formed by an embankment across the present outlet of that Loch called the Garpel Burn, at a point about one hundred and seventy yards north-eastward from the north-eastern side of the Island in the said Loch called M'Dill's Isle ; which Reservoir will commence at a point on and near the lower end of the stream connecting Derclach Loch and Loch Finlas, and about two thousand four hundred yards north-westward from the said intended embankment, and will terminate at that embankment, and will be situate wholly in the Parish of Straiton and County of Ayr.

*Second.* A Conduit or line of Pipes, commencing in the intended Reservoir hereinafter described, at the point where the said intended embankment will cross the said Garpel Burn, and terminating at or near the south-western corner of the ground occupied by the existing filters and pure water tank of the Corporation, known as Barrhill filters ; which intended Conduit or line of Pipes will be situate in the Parishes of Straiton, Dalmellington, Dalrymple, and Ayr, all in the County of Ayr.

*Third.* A Conduit or line of Pipes, commencing by a junction with the Conduit or line of Pipes hereinafter described, at a point about one hundred yards north-westward from the north-western corner of Dalrymple Railway Station, and about eighty-four yards south-eastward from the south-eastern corner of Carcluie Farm-steading, and terminating at or near the eastern end of the embankment between the two existing reservoirs belonging to the Corporation known as the Carcluie Reservoirs, all in the Parish of Ayr and County of Ayr.

*Fourth.* Filters and pure water tanks, at or near the north-western corner of the field numbered 283 on the Ordnance Survey Map, in the Parish of Dalrymple and County of Ayr.

Together with all proper embankments, dams, weirs, bridges, roads, approaches, ways, wells, tanks, basins, gauges, filter beds, stand pipes, sluices, outlets, outfalls, drains, discharge-pipes, adits, shafts, tunnels, aqueducts, culverts, cuts, channels, conduits, mains, pipes, junctions, valves, engines, buildings, apparatus and other conveniences, in connection with the said works or any of them, or necessary or convenient for diverting, impounding, taking, collecting, storing, conducting, distributing, and regulating the supply of water for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, and for compensating all persons whose supply of water may be affected by or in consequence of the Works hereinafter described, or the other powers of the Bill, and for inspecting, maintaining, repairing, altering, cleansing, managing, and using the said several works.

Which several works and the conveniences connected therewith, and the lands, houses, and other property which may be taken for the purposes thereof, will be and are situate in the Parishes of Straiton, Dalmellington, Dalrymple, and Ayr, and the Royal Burgh of Ayr, all in the County of Ayr.

To authorise the Corporation to intercept, divert, impound, take, appropriate, store, use and

distribute, for the purposes of the water supply and compensation water hereinbefore mentioned, and other purposes of the Bill, the waters of the said Derclach Loch and Loch Finlas, and of the stream connecting those lochs, and of all streams and springs flowing into or arising within the said lochs and stream, and into or within the site of the said reservoir hereinafter described, all situate in the Parish of Straiton and County of Ayr ; which waters at present flow into the Garpel Burn, which falls in Loch Doon, and thence flow along the River Doon into the sea.

To authorise the Corporation to raise the level of the water in the said intended Reservoir to the extent of six feet above the present level of the water in Loch Finlas, or to such other extent as may be provided by the Bill.

To authorise the Corporation, in the construction of the several works hereinafter and hereinafter described, to deviate from the lines, situation, and levels thereof delineated on the Plans and Sections hereinafter mentioned, to the extent to be defined on the said Plans or provided by the Bill.

To authorise the Corporation to lay down, maintain, and use, within the limits of supply defined in the Ayr Burgh Act, 1873 (hereinafter called 'the Act of 1873'), and within the extended limits of supply hereinafter mentioned, mains, pipes, and other works and conveniences for the distribution and supply of water, and from time to time to alter, renew, relay, extend, enlarge, and discontinue the same, and for that purpose to confer upon the Corporation the powers contained in the Water Works Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1863, of opening and breaking up Streets, Roads, Highways, and other public passages and places within the said limits.

To provide that the said intended works shall for all purposes whatsoever, except in so far as otherwise provided by the Bill, be deemed part of the water-works of the Corporation.

To authorise the Corporation to sell and supply water for domestic purposes, and also water in bulk or otherwise for sanitary, trading, manufacturing, and other purposes, within the aforesaid existing and extended limits of supply, and also by agreement to places adjacent or near to those limits and to the existing and intended water-works of the Corporation ; to levy and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of water ; to alter and increase the rates, rents, and charges leviable under the Act of 1873 ; to repeal the limitations of rates contained in that Act, and to confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from the payment of the rates, rents, and charges now leviable, or which may become leviable under the Bill.

To authorise the Corporation to sell and supply water by meter, and to purchase, hire, provide, lease or sell meters to parties supplied with water, and to charge rates or rents for the use of meters.

To empower the Corporation, and any other Companies, bodies, or persons, to enter into Agreements with each other for the supply of water, or for the laying of mains, pipes, or other works, within the aforesaid existing and extended limits of supply, and to places adjacent or near to those limits and to the existing and intended water works of the Corporation, and to confirm any such Agreements already made, or which may be made previously to the passing of the Bill.

To extend and define the limits within which