

amongst others to all or certain of the matters hereinafter mentioned or referred to.

And it is proposed by the intended Act to confer powers upon the Corporation for laying sewers or pipes through, across, or under, and for dredging, scouring, cleansing, removing, and preventing obstructions in and from all or any rivers, streams, and brooks of water, sewers, or drains within or adjoining the said borough, and for removing and preventing encroachments, and projections in or over the same, and the accumulation, deposit, or falling of rubbish or substances of any kind therein, and for arching over all or any of the said rivers, streams, and brooks, or any parts thereof respectively, and improving the bottoms thereof, or channels therein, and all such other powers as may be necessary or fitting for preventing the defilement or obstructing and facilitating the free passage of water in the same respectively.

Also, to make provision for the proper construction of buildings, to preserve the upper portions thereof from damp, and to secure in all buildings used as places for public resort, or where large numbers of persons are intended, or are wont to assemble, efficient means of ingress and egress, and to authorize the removal of all or any porches, sheds, signs, sign posts, cranes, and other projections from houses or buildings in any streets or public places within the borough, whether forming parts of, or attached to, or connected with such houses or buildings, and which impinge upon or overhang any public footpath or passage, and to prohibit the erection or placing of the same or any of them in the future.

Also, to make provision for licensing porters and drovers, and to make, alter, and rescind bye-laws with respect to such licensing, and for regulating the conduct of porters and drovers, their stands, fares, and distances for exercising their callings, and other matters in relation to porters and drovers.

Also, to make provision for the construction or establishment, use, regulation, and lighting of public water-closets, cabmen's shelters, and other places of the like description, and of all things necessary or proper for, or in relation to, the same respectively, and for the collection and removal of house refuse, rubbish, and substances of any description from houses, factories, and other places, and for the deposit or disposal thereof.

Also, to enact provisions as to dealing with infectious or other like diseases, and to confer powers upon the Corporation, the Sanitary Authority, the Medical Officers of Health, the Inspectors of Nuisances, and other officers of the Corporation, in their municipal capacity or as Sanitary Authority, and upon Justices of the Peace, and others, with reference to cowkeepers and their premises, and the supply of milk within the borough, and for cleansing and disinfecting any houses or premises that may require disinfection, and for preventing the letting or occupation of houses or premises requiring disinfection, and for compelling the speedy and proper interment of persons who have died of infectious or other like diseases, and the removal or non-removal and conveyance of corpses, and providing temporary dwelling accommodation for members of the families of persons who have died of infectious or other like diseases, and for the payment of all or any expenses in relation to all or any of the matters aforesaid out of any public rates or funds, and to make provision for securing due notice being given to the Corporation of any inmate of any building used for human habitation

who is suffering from any infectious disease, and to make further provision with reference to infectious or other like diseases, and persons suffering under the same, their treatment, attendance, houses, and families, or which may be necessary or proper for preventing, checking, or staying the origin or spread of any such diseases.

Also, to make provision and confer powers upon the Corporation and their officers, police constables and others, for regulating the use of bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes, and other similar machines, in the public streets and places within the borough, and for preventing obstructions of every or any kind or description on the public footpaths, and assaults, insults, or molestations of any kind to persons using the same; the removal or injury of or to signboards, advertisements, placards, notices, and the like, lawfully put up or exhibited in any street or public place, or in any building, stand, or other erection for the same; the placing, exhibiting, distributing, writing, or in any way showing or disseminating obscene, indecent, or offensive bills, papers, or matter; the hanging of goods outside shop windows or beyond the premises of the owners of such goods, or otherwise, in or over any public footpath, passage, or place; also for preventing or regulating the hawking of dangerous substances of an explosive or inflammable character, and the sale by retail of coal or coke in the public streets and places within the borough, and to provide for the use of proper weights and scales, in and for the purpose of all sales of coal and coke within the borough, and for the examination, testing, and stamping of scales and weights, and to make further provision with respect to the sale of coals and coke within the borough.

Also, to make provision for preventing injury to lamps, lamp posts, and other public property, and to provide compensation for any such injury. And to confer powers upon the Corporation, and their officers and police constables, and others, with respect to the licensing of public places for dancing, theatrical, or scenic representations, and other places of public resort for amusement or entertainment; and for the regulation and keeping good order therein and otherwise in reference thereto. And to provide for the entry thereof, by police constables, at all times, for inspection and enforcing obedience to the law. Also to authorize and empower police constables and others to enter, and, if necessary, break open any houses or premises supposed to be on fire, or which, from proximity to houses or premises on fire, or other sufficient reason, it may be deemed necessary or expedient to enter or break open, for the purpose of extinguishing or preventing the spread of any fire. Also, to prohibit, or restrict and regulate the use of advertisement vans, and vehicles of the like description.

Also, to confer powers upon Justices of the Peace and all courts of summary jurisdiction to proceed against offenders refusing to disclose their names for any offences with which they may stand charged, and to order the delivery of goods wrongfully detained or supposed to be stolen or unlawfully obtained, to the persons appearing to be entitled thereto or otherwise as they may think fit.

Also, to make provisions with respect to the employment of children for the sale of newspapers in the streets and in other casual employments.

Also, to empower the Corporation to make bye-laws, rules, or regulations, with respect to all or any of the objects of the intended Act, and to make provision, by the imposition of penalties or otherwise, for enforcing such bye-laws, rules, or