

and for the removal from markets and fairs of persons infringing any of such bye-laws and regulations or otherwise misconducting themselves.

To authorise the Corporation to prohibit, restrict, license, and regulate the use of existing slaughter houses and knackers' yards, and to prevent the slaughter of animals elsewhere than in public slaughter houses or knackers' yards provided or licensed by the Corporation, and to enable the Corporation to take rents, tolls, and charges in respect of such public slaughter houses and yards, and to make further provision in relation to licensed slaughter houses, and the granting, suspension, or refusal of licences; and to make and enforce bye-laws with respect to such matters.

To empower the Corporation to supply electricity for public and private purposes within the meaning of the Electric Lighting Act, 1882, within the borough or such other area as may be defined in the Act; to acquire or appropriate lands for the purposes of their electric undertaking; to acquire patent rights, to open and break up, stop up, and interfere with streets, roads, paths, passages, courts, highways, railways, tramways, and bridges within the borough, whether repairable by the Corporation or not; to alter the position of mains, pipes, and wires under the same; and to construct all such works, provide such engines, batteries, lamps, and materials, and do all such things as may be necessary for generating, storing, supplying, and distributing electricity; to supply, let, or sell batteries, machines, lamps, meters, and apparatus, and to take and recover rents and charges for the supply of electricity, batteries, machines, lamps, meters, fittings, and apparatus; to make provision for the prevention of accidents, or the misuse, stoppage, or improper use of electricity; and the making and enforcing of bye-laws and regulations in respect of all or some of the matters aforesaid:

To provide for the vesting in and maintenance by the Corporation of the existing public park, and to authorise the Corporation to acquire or appropriate as and for the purposes of public parks and recreation grounds any other lands, and to lay out, drain, plant, fence, ornament, and maintain public parks and recreation grounds, with all necessary or convenient approaches, roads, footways, bridges, lodges, buildings, and conveniences; to provide for the appointment of park keepers with or without the powers and duties of police constables; to prohibit the holding of public meetings in and to authorise the closing for a limited time of all parks and recreation grounds vested in the Corporation; and to make and enforce bye-laws and regulations with respect to such matters, and to the admission to, the exclusion and removal from, and the times, mode, and condition of the user of any existing or future parks and recreation grounds, the behaviour of the persons frequenting the same, and the payment of admission thereto, or for any refreshment sold therein.

To empower the Corporation to prohibit the use of any portable or moveable steam engine in any street or in any building, land, or unfinished building within such distance of any street as may be prescribed by the intended Act.

To make better provision for the consumption or prevention of smoke within the borough, and to impose penalties in case of neglect; and to prevent the discharge of smoke or steam into any street.

To empower the Corporation to acquire additional lands for any sanitary or municipal purpose, or for the purpose of their gas or water

undertakings, and to empower them to retain, sell, or let any lands now or hereafter held by them, and on any sale or lease of such lands to make such reservations and conditions as they may think fit; and to provide for the purchase money and rents arising from such sale or letting.

To authorise the Corporation to erect and maintain baths and washhouses, and to acquire sites for the same by agreement or otherwise, and to take tolls, rents or charges for the use of the same, and to make and enforce bye-laws regulating the management and use of baths and washhouses.

To authorise the Corporation to acquire, erect, and maintain, dwellings for the use of firemen, and to make provision for the removal therefrom of discharged firemen; to authorise firemen or other persons to break into and enter any building or lands in case of fire or supposed fire; to require insurance offices to contribute to the cost of the establishment and maintenance of fire engines and brigade, and to empower the Corporation to require the owner of lands and buildings where a fire shall have happened to pay all or some of the expenses of the Corporation in relation to such fire, and to provide for the settlement of the amount of and recovery of such expenses; and to make other provision in relation to the extinction of fires and the maintenance and appointment of fire engines and fire brigade.

To authorise the Corporation to provide and maintain for their fire brigade establishment telegraphic or telephonic communications between any parts of the borough, and for such purposes to incorporate, extend, or apply all or some of the provisions of the Telegraph Act, 1863.

To confer further powers upon the Corporation, the Watch Committee, the justices, and police constables in relation to the following matters and things, that is to say:—Obstructions in footways, street musicians, obscene publications and bills, stray dogs, pulling down or defacing notice boards and street names, dancing and music licences, unlicensed theatres, public entertainments, dangerous amusements, nuisances, and bye-laws.

To confer further powers upon the Corporation with respect to hackney carriages, omnibuses, and other public vehicles, and the drivers, conductors, and persons in charge, and for granting licences to such drivers, conductors, and persons, and for prohibiting others not so licensed from driving or conducting the same, and for imposing penalties for the use of false numbers and badges, and for regulating the conduct of drivers and conductors; to enable the Corporation to provide shelters for drivers and conductors, and to make and enforce bye-laws in respect of the matters aforesaid or any of them.

To empower the Corporation to prohibit or regulate, by licence or otherwise, the placing or maintaining of wires, conductors, cables, tubes, or other projections, works, or things over, above, along, across, or beneath streets or other public places within the borough, and to make and enforce bye-laws and regulations in respect thereof.

To empower the Corporations to purchase or acquire the cemetery, situate in the township of Castleton, in the parish of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, belonging to the Heap Burial Board, and to authorise or confirm and carry into effect agreements between the Corporation and the said Board for the transfer of such cemetery, with or without reservation of rights of burial in the said cemetery in respect of deaths beyond the borough, and to provide