

7. To authorise the Corporation from time to time to cross, divert, alter, stop up, break up, or otherwise interfere with, either temporarily or permanently, streets, roads, lanes, tramways, drains, sewers, and watercourses, gas, water and other pipes, and telegraph and telephonic apparatus, as far as may be necessary in constructing, maintaining, renewing, or altering, the proposed new street and other works, or for other the purposes of the Bill.

8. To revive and to alter, amend, extend, and enlarge the powers of the Corporation with reference to the sale or lease of their surplus park, and other lands, and to repeal, alter, or amend the provisions (particularly section 54) of the Leeds Improvement Act, 1872, relating thereto, and to make such other provisions with reference to such lands as the Bill may define or Parliament may sanction.

9. To authorise the Corporation to become insurers of all or any of their property from destruction or injury by or by reason of fire, and for that purpose to form and maintain an insurance or contingency fund by the appropriation or setting apart, out of the borough fund and borough rate and the improvement rate, or either of them, or such other funds or rates as the Bill may define, such annual or other sums as they from time to time deem expedient, and to invest and accumulate the same, and to employ such fund as and when they see fit to repair or reinstate any such property wholly or in part destroyed or injured by or by reason of fire.

10. To make further provision for and in relation to the good government and improvement of the borough, and to enable the Corporation to prohibit the assembling and gathering together of persons in the streets, highways, and other public thoroughfares and places in the borough for the purpose of betting, and to enable the Corporation from time to time to make and alter bye-laws and to impose and enforce penalties for the breach or non-observance of any such bye-laws.

11. To make provisions for preventing the pollution or fouling of any stream, brook, spring, drain, watercourse, or waters communicating either directly or indirectly with any stream, reservoir, aqueduct, or other waterworks belonging to the Corporation, and to make such provisions for preventing the pollution or fouling of any such first-mentioned stream, brook, spring, drain, watercourse, or waters, and for the protection and preservation of the purity of any stream, reservoir, aqueduct, or waterworks, and water supply of the Corporation as the Bill may provide or Parliament sanction; and if deemed expedient to enable the Corporation for the purposes aforesaid to exercise in any district without the limits within which the Corporation may supply water the powers of any Corporation, Commissioners, Local Board of Health, or Urban or Rural Sanitary Authority.

12. To authorise the Corporation to apply their corporate funds and borough fund and borough rate and improvement rate, and any other moneys in their hands or under their control, and any moneys which they have already borrowed or may hereafter borrow, or any of those funds, rates, or moneys, to all or any of the purposes of the Bill.

13. To alter and enlarge the present powers of the Corporation as to the borrowing and re-borrowing of money, and for the purposes of the Bill, and of all or any Acts of or relating to the Corporation, and to authorise the Corporation to borrow and re-borrow further money by

mortgage, bond, debenture, stock, annuity, or otherwise, and to charge those moneys upon all or any one or more of the following securities:—The borough fund, borough rate, improvement rate, lands, tenements, hereditaments, and other undertakings and property, and the rates, rents, tolls, and revenues of the Corporation, whether as a Municipal Corporation or a Local Board of Health or Sanitary Authority, and to extend the provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875, to all moneys heretofore or hereafter to be borrowed or re-borrowed under any Act or Order relating to the Corporation, and to make all requisite provisions for the repayment of moneys so borrowed by sinking fund or otherwise as the Bill may provide.

14. To authorise and empower the Corporation to demand, take, and recover rates, rents, dues, and charges, to alter existing rates, rents, dues, and charges, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment of rates, rents, dues, and charges.

15. To enable the Corporation, out of the borough fund, borough rate, improvement rate, or water rents, or gas rents, or out of any other funds, rates, or money for the time being belonging to them or under their control, or out of any one or more of such funds, rates, rents, or moneys in such manner as the Bill may provide to defray the costs, charges, and expenses of and incident to the preparing for, obtaining and passing the Bill into an Act or otherwise in relation thereto, and to make such other provisions with reference to those matters as the Bill will define.

16. The Bill will incorporate with itself, with or without modification or amendment, all or any of the provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869; the Towns Improvement Clauses Act, 1847; the Towns Police Clauses Act, 1847; the Waterworks Clauses Act, 1847 and 1863; and such parts of the Railways Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as relate to roads and the temporary use and occupation of lands.

17. The Bill will confer upon the Corporation all such other powers, rights, and privileges as may be necessary, proper, or convenient for enabling them to carry into effect the objects and purposes of the Bill.

18. The Bill will, so far as may be necessary or expedient, repeal, alter, or amend the powers and provisions, or some of the powers and provisions, of the following Acts relating to the borough, that is to say, the Acts (local and personal); the Leeds Improvement Act, 1842; the Leeds Improvement Amendment Act, 1848; the Leeds Improvement Amendment Act, 1856; the Leeds Improvement Act, 1866; the Leeds Improvement Act, 1869; the Leeds Corporation Gas Act, 1870; the Leeds Corporation Gas and Improvements, &c., Act, 1870; the Leeds Improvement Act, 1872; the Leeds Improvement Act, 1877; the Leeds Corporation Act 1879; the Local Government Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation (Halifax, &c.) Act, 1881; the Local Government Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 8) Act, 1883; the Local Government Boards Provisional Order Confirmation (No. 10) Act, 1883; the Leeds Waterworks Act, 1847; the Leeds Waterworks (Wharfe Supply) Act, 1852; the Leeds Waterworks (Wharfe Supply) Act, 1856; Leeds Waterworks Act, 1862; the Leeds Waterworks Act, 1867; the Leeds Corporation Water Act, 1874; the Leeds Gaslight Company's Act, 1853; the Leeds Gaslight Company's Act, 1863; the Leeds New Gas Company's Act, 1854; the