

existing waterworks, reservoirs, wells, mains, and pipes, at or within Warren Corner, Heathy Park, Lawday House Common, Hoghatch, Castle Hill, and the town of Farnham, in the parish of Farnham, and County of Surrey, and Bog-piece, in the parish of Crondall, in the county of Southampton, and works connected therewith, and to take, collect, and impound therein, and thence distribute the waters of any springs or streams on or near the site thereof, or any other waters in, on, or under any lands for the time being belonging to them, or over which they have any rights, and to supply water within the parish of Farnham, or some part or parts thereof.

The intended Order will confer on the Promoters the following or some of the following powers, viz. :—

To lay down and maintain conduits, pipes, and other works in, under, over, across, and along, and to cross, divert, alter, or stop up all roads, highways, streets, pipes, sewers, rivers, streams, bridges, railways, and tramways, in the aforesaid parish of Farnham.

To provide, sell, or let meters, and to supply water, by meter.

To demand and take, and recover rates, rents, and charges within the aforesaid parish of Farnham, for the supply of water and for the hire of meters, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment of such rates, rents, and charges.

To make special provision for the protection of the works, property, and water supply of the Promoters, and for prohibiting the fouling or contamination of any reservoirs, wells, or other works belonging to them, and the waste or misuse of water.

To purchase, take, and lease, or otherwise acquire by agreement, and to hold, sell, and dispose of lands, waters, tenements, and other hereditaments and property in the parishes of Farnham and Crondall aforesaid, and also to take grants of or acquire easements in and over lands, springs, streams, waters, and other hereditaments for the purposes of their undertaking.

To define and regulate the capital and borrowing powers of the aforesaid Company, and to authorise the Company to raise further capital by shares or stock, ordinary or preferential, or by borrowing on mortgage or by debenture stock.

To enter into and carry into effect contracts and arrangements for the supply of water in bulk or otherwise for any purpose whatsoever with any corporation, sanitary authority, railway company, and any other companies, bodies, or persons within or beyond the limits of the order, and from time to time to vary, suspend or rescind any such contracts or arrangements, and make others in lieu thereof or in addition thereto; and the Order will confer all necessary powers in that behalf upon all such corporations, authorities, companies, bodies, and persons, and will or may enable all parties to any such contracts or arrangements to apply for the purposes thereof any funds or moneys, and raise additional funds by rates or otherwise.

The Order will sanction and confirm, with or without modification, any agreements already made, or which prior to the confirmation of the Order, may be made touching the aforesaid matters, or any of them.

The Order will also confer upon the promoters all, or some of the powers mentioned or

referred to, in the Gas and Waterworks Facilities Act, 1870, and the Waterworks Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1863, and all other powers usually conferred upon water companies; and will vary or extinguish all rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects aforesaid or any other objects of the Order, and will confer other rights and privileges.

And notice is hereby given, that on or before the 30th day of November next, a copy of this notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection, with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Surrey, at his office at the Sessions House, Newington, in that county, and at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London, S.W.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 23rd day of December next, printed copies of the draft Provisional Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade, and at the office of the undersigned, where such copies when deposited, and also copies of the Provisional Order when made, will be obtainable by all persons applying for the same at the price of one shilling each.

All persons wishing to make any representations to the Board of Trade, or to bring before them any objection respecting the proposed application for a Provisional Order, may do so by letter, addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th day of January now next ensuing; and such persons must at the same time send copies of their objections to the Promoters at the office of the undersigned, and in forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, such persons must state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Promoters or their agents.

Dated this 13th day of November, 1885.

J. C. Rees, 13, Great George-street, Westminster, Solicitor for the Order and Parliamentary Agent.

In Parliament.—Session 1886.

Midland and South-Western Junction Railway. (Power to Debenture Stock Holders to exercise Rights of Shareholders; Alteration of Board of Directors, and other Provisions as to Directors; Suspension of Proceedings and Discharge of Receiver; Regulation of Rights, &c., of Creditors of the Company; Abandonment of Authorised Railways; Provisions as to Management of Company, and as to Existing and New Capital; Power to Trustees; Agreements with Great Western and London and South-Western Railway Companies; Costs; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for an Act for the following purposes, or some of them (that is to say):—

1. To confer upon the holders for the time being of Debenture Stock which is a charge upon the undertaking of the Midland and South-Western Junction Railway Company (hereinafter called "the Company"), notwithstanding anything contained in Part III. of the Companies Clauses Act, 1863, or in any other Act to the contrary, the right of attending and voting at meetings of the Company, and of appointing Directors of the Company, and such other rights and privileges as may be prescribed or provided by the intended Act, and to empower such holders either in lieu of, or in conjunction with the shareholders of the Company to exercise all such rights,