

fix by resolution the standing and starting places of hackney carriages, omnibuses, wagonettes, brakes, and stage coaches, and to extend with or without amendment all or some of the provisions of the Act of 1869, relating to hackney carriages to omnibuses, wagonettes, brakes, stage coaches, and other vehicles and the drivers thereof, and to extend the limit prescribed by that Act, and to provide for the granting and revocation of licences, and the fees to be paid for such licences, to extend the provisions (relating to hackney carriages) of the Act of 1869 and the intended Act to all carriages standing or plying for hire at any railway station or yard, and to empower the Corporation to provide and maintain cabmen's shelters.

To make further provisions with respect to the prevention of infectious and other diseases, for the giving of notice as to infected persons, the providing of temporary or permanent hospitals or shelters for persons suffering from infectious diseases and for families turned out of infected premises, for providing nurses, the removal of infected persons to hospitals, removal and burial of dead bodies, prohibition of the use of public conveyances for the removal of infected persons or dead bodies, prohibition of the retention of diseased dead bodies, prohibition of the letting of infected premises, the furnishing of certain particulars by cowkeepers, dairymen, laundresses, and others, both within and beyond the borough, and to make better provision with regard to the sale of milk, and penalty for offences under section 84 of the Public Health Act, 1875. Also to empower the Corporation to enter premises for the purpose of cleansing and disinfecting the same, and for the destruction of infected bedding and articles, and for the removal, in certain cases, of persons suffering from infectious diseases, and for the recovery of the costs of maintenance in hospital, and in relation to the matters aforesaid, amendment and extension of sections 120, 121, 124, and 132 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

To empower the Corporation to prohibit or regulate by licence or otherwise, the placing, continuing, and maintaining of wires, conductors, cables, tubes, or other projections, works, or things over and above, along, across, or beneath streets or other public places within the borough.

To extend the limits for the supply of water by the Corporation so as to include the parishes of Shifnal, Ryton, Beckbury, and Tong, all in the county of Salop, or some part or parts thereof respectively, and to empower the Corporation to exercise therein all such rights, powers, and privileges with respect to their water undertaking, the supply of water, and the charges payable in respect thereof, as by the Act of 1869 or any other Act they have or may exercise within their existing limits.

To repeal section 187 of the Act of 1869 and to make other provisions in regard to the formation of a reserve fund, the keeping of the Corporation water accounts, and the application of their water revenue, and to empower them to retain portions of the reserve fund or revenue for the payment of current liabilities, or otherwise to apply the same as working capital, and to provide for the making up of any deficiency in the water revenue out of the improvement rate.

To authorize the Corporation to borrow money for costs of the Act, their water undertaking, or any of the purposes of the intended Act, and to charge the same on the borough fund and

rate, improvement fund and rate, on the undertaking, lands, rates, revenue, and other property of the Corporation or any of such securities, and to grant and execute mortgages thereon, and to apply to such mortgages some of the provisions of the Act of 1869, and to empower the Corporation to raise all or any of the money required for the intended Act by the creation and issue of Wolverhampton Corporation Stock, and to charge the stock so created and issued upon all or any of the securities aforesaid. To make special provision in regard to the granting of mortgages for small sums.

To amend sec. 356, subsec. 4, of the Act of 1869, and make better provision for the discharge of money borrowed under that Act, and for the investment of moneys for the time being standing to the credit of any sinking fund created by the Corporation.

To make further and better provision with reference to the levying, assessment, collection, and recovery of rates within the borough, and particularly to authorize the Corporation to assess, levy, collect, and recover the borough rate, to provide that the improvement rate may be made, assessed, and recovered by the Overseers in the same or similar manner as the borough rate, to provide for the payment of rates by owners in certain cases whether the tenements are occupied or unoccupied, to provide for the payment of rates by instalments and remission of rates in the case of poverty or sickness.

To make better provision for the audit of the accounts of the Corporation and for the payment of auditors, and for this purpose to amend section 390 of the Act of 1869, and to amend or render inapplicable all or some of the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882, relating to auditors and the audit of accounts.

To empower the Corporation to pay the coroner of the borough a salary in lieu of fees, and to make other provision in regard to the remuneration of the present or any future coroner.

To make better provision for the prosecution of offences, the recovery and application of penalties, and for the recovery of expenses and moneys payable to the Corporation, whether under the Act of 1869, the intended Act, or any other public or local Act.

To empower the Corporation to make and enforce bye-laws in relation to all or any of the matters referred to in this notice, and to amend the provisions of the Act of 1869 in regard to the making, altering, or repealing of bye-laws under that Act, and to extend the provisions of that Act to bye-laws made under the intended Act.

To vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would in any manner interfere with or prevent the carrying into effect of any of the objects of the intended Act, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To alter, amend, extend, enlarge, or repeal the powers and provisions, or some of them, of the following local Acts, namely, the Wolverhampton Improvement Act, 1869, the 8th and 9th Vic., cap. 135, the 13th and 14th Vic., cap. 74, the 18th and 19th Vic., cap. 151, the 19th and 20th Vic., cap. 57, the 24th and 25th Vic., cap. 152, the 30th and 31st Vic., cap. 133, the Local Government Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation (Artizans and Labourers Dwellings) Act, 1877, the Wolverhampton Corporation Loans Act, 1882, and all other Acts relating to the Borough of Wolverhampton or to the Corporation.