

or to take on lease and hold lands, houses, tenements and hereditaments and easements, rights of way and other rights in, over or affecting lands and houses within the district of the Local Board.

To authorise the Local Board to make and maintain in the lines and according to the levels shown on the plans and sections hereinafter mentioned, the additional waterworks and other works and conveniences following, or some of them, in the parish of Aberystroth, in the county of Monmouth, namely:—

- (1) A reservoir to be situate on the Tillery Brook (otherwise the Afon Tilerau) to be formed by an embankment  $7\frac{1}{2}$  chains, or thereabouts, in length from east to west, crossing the said brook at a point 80 yards or thereabouts, measured in a southerly direction along the course of the brook from the southern corner of the inclosure, numbered 1142 on the 25-inch Ordnance Map, which intended reservoir will extend up the said brook for a distance of 17 chains or thereabouts, measured in a straight line in a northerly direction from the point at which the said embankment will cross the brook as aforesaid.
- (2) An aqueduct, conduit or line of pipes (No. 1), commencing in the said Tillery Brook (otherwise the Afon Tilerau), at the north-western corner of the inclosure numbered 823 on the 25-inch Ordnance Map, and terminating at the filter beds and service tank hereinafter described.
- (3) Two filter beds and a service tank to be situated in the inclosure numbered 1194 on the 25-inch Ordnance Map.
- (4) An aqueduct, conduit or line of pipes (No. 2), commencing in the service tank above described and terminating by a junction with the aqueduct, conduit or line of pipes (No. 2) authorised by the Brynmawr and Abertillery Gas and Water Act, 1892, at a point 50 yards, or thereabouts, measured in a northerly direction from the point where the line of the last-mentioned conduit crosses the southern fence of the inclosure numbered 1190 on the said 25-inch Ordnance Map.
- (5) An aqueduct, conduit or line of pipes (No. 3), commencing at the southern end of the intended reservoir before described, and terminating by a junction with the aqueduct, conduit or line of pipes No. 2, authorised by the Brynmawr and Abertillery Gas and Water Act, 1892, at a point 102 yards or thereabouts, measured in a north-easterly direction from the point where the line of the last-mentioned conduit crosses the southern fence of the inclosure, numbered 1182 on the said 25-inch Ordnance Map.

Together with all proper and necessary shafts, pumps, embankments, filtering beds, tanks, dams, gauges, drains, sluices, catchpits, conduits, culverts, channels, wells, cuts, adits, aqueducts, tunnels, roads, approaches, apparatus, engines, works and conveniences connected with the proposed waterworks, or any of them, or incidental thereto.

To authorise the Local Board to take, intercept, collect, impound, use, divert and appropriate for the purposes of their waterworks and other purposes of the Bill, the water from or to be met with within the limits of deviation defined upon the plans hereinafter mentioned, or which can or may be intercepted or abstracted by means of the waterworks hereinbefore described, or any of them, and especially the waters of the Tillery

Brook, which falls into the River Ebbw, and thence flows into the sea near Newport.

To empower the Local Board to deviate laterally from the lines of the intended works within the limits shown upon the plans hereinafter mentioned, and to deviate vertically from the levels shown upon the sections hereinafter mentioned.

To empower the Local Board to purchase and take by compulsion or agreement lands, houses and other property and easements, and other rights in and over lands, houses, streams, springs, waters and other property in the parish of Aberystroth aforesaid required for all or any of the purposes of the Bill.

To authorise the Local Board to enter into and carry into effect agreements and arrangements with the Lancaster Steam Coal Collieries Limited, the South Wales Colliery Company Limited, and the Blaenavon Company Limited, or any one or more of those Companies with respect to the proposed new waterworks and the land and minerals required, or which might be taken, interfered with or affected by the same, and to sanction or confirm any such agreements as have been or may be made relating to the matters aforesaid.

To provide that the proposed new waterworks shall for all purposes whatsoever, including the levying, demanding and recovery of rates, rents and charges form part of the water undertaking of the Local Board, and to empower the Local Board to levy or impose new rates, rents and charges for gas and water, to alter existing rates, rents and charges, and to confer, vary or extinguish exemptions from payment of rates, rents and charges.

To empower the Local Board to supply gas and water respectively for public and private purposes to and within their district, and to extend to the Local Board all or some of the provisions of the Brynmawr Gas Act, 1866, the Abertillery Gas and Water Act, 1867, and the Brynmawr and Abertillery Gas and Water Act, 1892.

To empower the Local Board to make, rescind and enforce bye-laws, rules and regulations with reference to the supply of gas and water, and to prescribe the nature, strength, size and materials of pipes, fittings and apparatus for or connected with the supply of water, with reference to the fixing thereof, and for preventing the waste, misuse and fouling of the water and escape of gas, and to impose penalties for the breach of any such bye-laws, rules and regulations.

To authorise the Local Board to apply their funds and any moneys belonging to them, or which they are authorised to raise to the purposes of the Bill, and for those purposes to raise further moneys by borrowing on mortgage or bond, and by the issue of debenture stock and by annuities, and to charge as well the undertakings, rates and revenues and property which they may acquire and construct under the powers of the Bill, as all other the estate, rates and revenues and property of the Local Board, and the district fund, or any of them, or any part or parts thereof respectively, with and as security for all or any part of such sums of money to be borrowed as aforesaid, or otherwise, as shall be prescribed by the Bill.

To authorise and require the Local Board to keep separate accounts of the revenue and expenditure of their gas and water undertakings, and enable them, where necessary or expedient, to supplement the revenue of one of such undertakings by a portion of the revenue of the other undertaking so as to make good the deficiency that may be found in the revenue of either undertaking in any year.