

supply, and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or underground, or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Corporation to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Corporation as may be necessary for effecting the objects of the proposed Undertaking.

4. To authorise the Corporation to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plant, machinery, and other matters or things required for the purposes of the Provisional Order, and to acquire, work and use patent rights for the producing, storing, controlling, distributing, and measuring or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.

5. To authorise the Corporation to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity and the use of any machine, lamps, meters, fittings or apparatus connected therewith.

6. To authorise the Corporation to break up, pass, or cross over or under the following streets not repairable by a local authority, namely, the road leading from land lying between the Normanton and Goole lines of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company and under the arch of the Goole line aforesaid to Calder Vale-road, portion of Calder Vale-road, and the road leading from the aforesaid land lying between the Normanton and Goole lines of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company and under the arch of the Normanton line aforesaid to Park Lodge-lane, and to authorise the Corporation to break up, pass, or cross over or under all streets and parts of streets carried over or under any railway, canal, or navigable river, and to break up or interfere with the following railways and tramways as far as they are situate within the area of supply, namely, the Great Northern Railway and the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway.

7. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.

8. To authorise the Corporation to enter upon any houses, buildings, or lands supplied or proposed to be supplied with electricity for any purposes relating to such supply.

9. To authorise the Corporation to enter into contracts with companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works and the supply of electricity, and to relieve the Corporation from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Corporation to transfer to companies or persons all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities, and works for such period and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.

10. To confer upon the Corporation all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Provisional Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

11. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Pro-

visional Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the District Fund and General District Rate of the city, and to empower the Corporation to apply any of their Corporate funds to any of the purposes of the Provisional Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the Undertaking.

12. To incorporate with the Provisional Order sections 264 and 265 of the Public Health Act 1875 relating to actions against local authorities, their officers and servants, and their protection from personal liability, and to extend those sections to matters arising under the Provisional Order.

13. The names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time are as follows:—Woodstreet, Market-place, that portion of Northgate extending from its junction with Kirkgate and Westgate to Union-treet, that portion of Westgate extending from its junction with Kirkgate to Market-street and Silver-street.

And notice is hereby given that the draft of the Provisional Order will be deposited at the Office of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the Draft Provisional Order when deposited and of the Provisional Order when made may be obtained (at the price of one shilling for each copy), at the offices of the undermentioned Town Clerk and Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply and a copy of this advertisement, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November next for public inspection at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the West Riding of the county of York at Wakefield, in the said county, and at the Town Clerk's Office in the city of Wakefield.

And notice is hereby further given that every local or other public authority, company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting this application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it, "Electric Lighting Acts," on or before the 15th day of January, 1894, and a copy of such objection must also be sent to the undermentioned Town Clerk or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1893.

CHAS. JAS. HUDSON, Town Clerk, Wakefield.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, and BARRHAM, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament.—Session 1894.

Mersey Railway (Various Powers).

(Abandonment of certain Railways and Works authorised by the Mersey Railway Acts, 1885 and 1887; Release of Deposit; Amendment of Maximum Rates and Charges for Merchandise Traffic; Rearrangement of Share and Loan Capital; Running Powers; Directors' Remuneration; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Mersey Railway Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") or the Receivers and Managers appointed by the High Court on behalf of the Company for an Act to confer upon the Company the following, or some of the following powers (that is to say):—

1. To abandon and relinquish the construction of the following railways, and portion of rail-