

Order to open and break up the following streets not repairable by local authority:—Gladstone-street, Siddorn-street, East Dudley-street, West Dudley-street, Russell-street, Queen-street, Alexandra-street, so much of High-street, Wharton-road, and Market-place, and Winsford-bridge as is repairable by the Cheshire County Council, and also the towing path of the River Weaver.

The names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines should be laid down within a specified time are as follows:—High-street, the Market-place, and Station-road.

And notice is hereby given that the draft of the 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 Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained at the price of one shilling for each copy, at the offices of the undermentioned Solicitor and Parliamentary Agents, and at the offices of the Council, Russell-street, Winsford.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map shewing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply, and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, 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 County of Chester, in the said County, and at the District Council Offices, Russell-street, Winsford.

And notice is hereby lastly given, that every local or other public authority, company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the 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, 1899, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the undermentioned Solicitor, at the offices of the Council or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated the 7th day of November, 1898.

JNO. H. COOKE, Solicitor, Winsford.

A. and W. BEVERIDGE, 18, Abingdon-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament.—Session 1899.

West Middlesex Waterworks.

(Power to construct New Main between Works of Company at Hampton and Barnes, and acquire Lands; Agreements with Commissioners of Woods and Commissioners of Works; Enlargement and Variation of Powers of taking Water from River Thames; Agreements with Conservators; Additional Capital, and Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Company of Proprietors of the West Middlesex Waterworks (hereinafter called "the Company") for an Act for the following purposes, or some of them (that is to say):—

To empower the Company to make and maintain a conduit, main, or line of pipes commencing in the parish and urban district of Hampton, in the county of Middlesex, at the Hampton pumping station of the Company, and terminating in the parish and urban district of Barnes, in the county of Surrey, on land in the occupation of the Company, on the south-west side of, and adjoining Merthyr-terrace, at a point 60 links or thereabouts measured in an

easterly direction from the easternmost corner of the house numbered 16 in Merthyr-terrace.

Together with all such cuts, channels, aqueducts, bridges, culverts, tunnels, drains, sluices, gauges, wells, banks, walls, engines, machinery, appliances, and other works and conveniences as may be necessary or proper in connection therewith, which said intended conduit and works will be situate in the parishes, areas, and places following, or some of them (that is to say):—The parishes and urban districts of Hampton, Teddington, and Twickenham, and the parish of Isleworth, in the urban district of Heston and Isleworth, all in the county of Middlesex, and the parishes of Richmond and North Sheen, in the borough of Richmond, and of Barnes and Mortlake, in the urban district of Barnes, all in the county of Surrey.

To empower the Company to purchase or acquire by compulsion or agreement, and to hold lands, houses, and buildings in the parishes, areas, and places aforesaid for the purposes of the said intended works, and for other purposes of the intended Act, and for the general purposes of their undertaking.

To empower the Company to acquire so much only of any property as they may require, or an easement, in, over, or under any property for the purposes of the intended Act, without being subject to the liability imposed by Section 92 of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To empower the Company to deviate laterally and vertically from the lines and levels of the proposed works to any extent authorised by the Bill

To empower the Company on the one hand, and the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, and Land Revenues, and the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings respectively on the other hand, to enter into and carry into effect agreements with reference to the construction and maintenance of the intended conduit, main, or line of pipes, and the purchase or acquisition of any lands belonging to or vested in the said Commissioners required for the purposes thereof, and the grant by the said Commissioners of such lands or of an easement therein respectively, and to confirm or give effect to any such agreement which may have been or may be made prior to the passing of the intended Act.

To empower the Company for the purposes of the intended Act from time to time to open or break up, alter, divert, or stop up, temporarily or permanently, any roads, streets, highways, footpaths, bridges, canals, towing paths, streams, watercourses, mains, pipes, sewers, drains, railways, tramways, telegraph, telephone, and other electric apparatus.

To authorise the Company, pending the completion of the reservoirs and works authorised by the Staines Reservoirs Acts, 1896 and 1898, or during such other period as may be prescribed or defined by the intended Act, to obtain, draw, impound, and take from the River Thames such quantity or quantities of water in excess of the water which they are now authorised to obtain, draw, impound, and take, and in such manner, and at such times, and subject to such restrictions, terms, and conditions as may be agreed between the Company and the Conservators of the River Thames, or may be prescribed or authorised or provided for by the intended Act, and to empower the Company and the said Conservators to enter into and carry into effect agreements with respect to the matters