

spective requirements of the County of London and the Districts of the other Authorities.

To confirm and give effect to any contract or Agreement between the Council and any other County Council or Local Authority or between the Council and the Corporation of the City of London with respect to any of the matters aforesaid.

To confer on the Extra-Metropolitan Councils or such of them as may require such power authority to promote any Bill in Parliament for such powers as may be necessary to enable them to carry into effect any of the purposes of the intended Act.

To make provisions whether transitory or permanent as to the management and administration of the supply of Water within the limits or any part of the limits within which the Water Companies have powers of supply; to provide for such management and administration by the London County Council or by a Water Committee and to limit and define the functions and powers of the Council and of the Water Committee respectively.

To authorise the appointment of Sub-Committees for any purposes of the intended Act.

The Bill may authorise and provide for the admission on such Committee of representatives of the City of London and other persons not being Members of the Council.

To provide for the suspension of any of the Powers of the intended Act for such period and that any of such powers shall come into operation at such date or dates as may be prescribed in the Bill.

To provide for applying in aid of the intended purchase the Sinking Funds held by the Chamberlain of the City of London under Acts relating to the Water Companies.

To enable the Council from time to time to raise money by the creation and issue of Consolidated Stock or Annuities (Terminable or otherwise) to such amount as may be necessary for the purposes of the intended Act; or to use for those purposes or any of them money standing to the credit of the Consolidated Loans Fund; and to make provisions as to the redemption of such Stock or repayment of loans, and the payment of interest or dividend thereon out of the Water Rates and Charges and Revenue derived from the Water Undertaking by the Council; or out of the Consolidated Loans Fund and County Rate and to include in their estimates and precepts for the purpose of the County Rate such sums (if any) as may be requisite for those purposes.

To provide that all costs and expenses of the Council in the execution of the powers of the intended Act (except so far as they may be otherwise provided for) shall be defrayed as payments for general County purposes within the meaning of "The Local Government Act 1888" and that the costs charges and expenses of the Council preliminary to and of and incidental to the preparing applying for obtaining and passing the intended Act shall be paid by the Council in like manner.

To provide for the keeping of separate accounts by the Council or the Water Committee in relation to expenditure and revenue in connection with the Water Undertaking and for the charging of any deficiency in revenue upon the County Rate and the collection thereof.

The Bill will or may vary and extinguish all powers rights authorities and privileges inconsistent with or which would interfere with the carrying into effect any of the objects and purposes of the Bill and will confer other powers rights authorities and privileges.

To alter amend extend enlarge or to repeal

so far as may be necessary for the purposes of the Bill all or some of the provisions of the following Acts viz. :—

"The Chelsea Waterworks Act 1852";

"The East London Waterworks Act 1853";
51 Geo. III. cap. 169 and "The Grand Junction Waterworks Act 1852";

"The Kent Waterworks Act 1809";

"The Lambeth Waterworks Act 1848";

13 Elizabeth cap. 18 and "The New River Company's Act 1852";

"The Southwark and Vauxhall Water Act 1852";

"The West Middlesex Waterworks Act 1806"

"The Staines Reservoirs &c. Acts 1896 and 1898";

and any other Act or Acts relating to the Water Companies or any other or either of them.

Printed copies of the proposed Bill will on or before the twenty-first day of December next be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 16th day of November 1898.

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In Parliament.—Session 1899.

Cromer Protection.

(Alteration of Constitution, Election, Incorporation and Management of Cromer Protection Commissioners; Construction of a Sea Wall and Pier; Purchase of Lands; Bye-laws; Provision of Bands; Borrowing of Money; Penalties for Obstructing Works; Loans by Cromer Urban District Council; Levying of Tolls, Rates, and Charges; Incorporation, Repeal, and Amendment of Acts, and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by or on behalf of the Commissioners for carrying into execution an Act passed in the year 1845, intituled "An Act to authorise the erection of Sea Walls and Works and a Jetty, at the town or parish of Cromer, in the county of Norfolk, and otherwise to provide for protecting the said town and parish from the further encroachment of the sea" (hereinafter called the Act of 1845), for an Act for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

To define the limits of the intended Act and the Act of 1845, and to provide that, subject to the County of Norfolk (Cromer and Overstrand) Confirmation Order, 1895, they shall comprise the parish of Cromer and the foreshore and bed of the sea adjacent thereto, or such other limits as may be prescribed.

To alter the constitution of the Commissioners by excluding therefrom the vicar, curate, and churchwardens of Cromer, and to reduce the number of Commissioners to 20.

To provide for the election of Commissioners by ballot and to make such provision as may be necessary for the formation of a register of voters, the appointment of a returning officer, the nomination of candidates, and the taking of a poll, including the imposition of penalties upon persons guilty of offences in relation to the nomination and poll, and to provide for the filling up of occasional vacancies.

To incorporate the Commissioners with power to hold lands and to vest in the Commissioners so incorporated (in this notice called the Commis-