

day of December next, and printed copies of the Draft Order, when deposited, and of the Order, when made, will be furnished at the price of one shilling for each copy to all persons applying for the same at the offices of Mr. J. Charles Hughes, Solicitor, at Cambrian-street, Barmouth, within the proposed area of supply, and of the undermentioned Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map showing 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, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited, on or before the 30th day of November instant, for public inspection, at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Merioneth, at his office at Dolgelly in that county, and with the Clerk of the Council, at his office at Graigfach, Barmouth, and also at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, and at the Parliament Office of the House of Lords, and at the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

And notice is hereby further given, that every local or other public authority, company, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting this application, may 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 they must within the same time send a copy of such representations or objections to the Solicitor or Parliamentary Agents for the Order.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1898.

J. CHARLES HUGHES, Dolgelly, Solicitor.
WYATT and Co., 24, Abingdon-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade—Session 1899.

Wath-upon-Dearne Electric Lighting.
(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Urban District Council of Wath-upon-Dearne within their District; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking up and Interference with Streets and Railways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, Wires, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts, and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and Other Provisions.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Urban District Council of the Urban District of Wath-upon-Dearne in the West Riding of the county of York (hereinafter called "the Council"), and whose address is at the Council Offices, Wath-upon-Dearne, intend to apply to the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Council to generate, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the Electric Lighting Acts, within the whole of the Urban District of Wath-upon-Dearne in the West Riding of the county of York aforesaid (hereinafter referred to as "the area of supply").

2. To enable the Council to acquire by agreement or take on lease and hold lands and premises or interests or easements in or over

lands, and to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to construct, provide, lay down, alter or renew and maintain upon such lands all necessary stations and works for the generation, storage, distribution and supply of electricity as may be necessary from time to time for such purposes, together with all buildings, steam and other engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works and appliances necessary or convenient for the purposes aforesaid, or for other purposes of the Undertaking, and to empower the Council to sell or dispose of any lands not required for the purposes of the Undertaking.

3. To authorise the Council to open, break up and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains and gas and water mains and pipes, and telegraph and telephone and other wires within the area of 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 Council to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Council as may be necessary or expedient for effecting the objects of the proposed Undertaking.

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

5. To authorise the Council 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 Council to break up, pass or cross over or under all streets and parts of streets carried over or under any railway or canal so far as they are situated within the area of supply.

7. To authorise the Council to break up the following streets, roads, footways, thoroughfares, and places not belonging to or not repairable by the Council (that is to say):—Winifred-road, Littlemoor-road, Carr-road, Park-road, Vicar-road, Wet Moor-lane, and Co-operative-street.

8. The names of the streets and public places in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a period to be specified in the Order are as follows:—Doncaster-road, High-street (Wath-upon-Dearne), West-street, Barnsley-road, to its junction with High-street, West Melton, and High-street, West Melton.

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

10. To authorise the Council to enter upon any houses, buildings or land supplied or proposed to be supplied with electricity for any purpose relating to such supply.

11. To prescribe and limit the price to be charged for electricity.