

to prohibit cellars in parts of the borough liable to be flooded, and to authorize the Corporation to make bye-laws as to buildings and building materials.

11. To make further provision with regard to streets within the borough and in particular to empower the Corporation to declare where streets begin and end, to provide for the execution of urgent repairs to private streets, to prevent the deposit of building materials or excavations being made in streets without consent, to prevent the formation of culs-de-sac, to require vacant and other land adjoining streets to be fenced and dangerous places to be repaired or enclosed, to provide for the recovery of damages caused by excavations in footways, to authorize the planting of trees and the erection of posts, to empower the Corporation to remove materials left in streets, to declare that expenses incurred by Corporation may be treated as if they were for private improvement and be charged on the properties affected, to empower the Corporation to alter the names of streets, to exempt the Trustees of chapels and other places of worship and public buildings from payment of expenses under section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

12. To make further provision with regard to the sewers in the borough, and in particular to empower the Corporation to require separate sewers and enlarged sewers, and that old drains shall be made to communicate with sewers and to provide for the reconstruction of certain drains already communicating with sewers when found to be defective, to prevent the improper repair or construction of water-closets and drains, to authorize the inspection of drains, to require houses to be drained by a combined operation, to amend and extend the operation of section 19 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1890, to apportion expenses in case of joint owners, and to prevent wilful damage being done to drains and water-closets.

13. To authorize the Corporation to place restrictions on the use of vehicles for advertising purposes within the borough, and to make regulations with regard to sky signs.

14. To make further provision with regard to sanitary matters within the borough, and in particular to provide that rain-water pipes shall not be used as soil pipes and that water or stack pipes shall not be used as ventilating shafts, to require soil pipes to be ventilated, to require the use of movable dustbins and the cleansing of cisterns, to require that houses must have a proper water supply, and to authorize the erection of public conveniences and lavatories under the public streets and elsewhere, to require urinals to be attached to refreshment rooms and offensive urinals to be removed, to define what is the establishment of a new business, and to enlarge the definition of nuisance, to require houses infected with vermin to be cleansed, to require the removal of sanitary conveniences and fixed ashpits, to regulate the ejection of steam so as to avoid a nuisance or annoyance to the public, to provide that watercourses that are choked up shall be considered to be a nuisance, and to prevent obstruction in watercourses.

15. To make provision with regard to the registration of night shelters, homes, refuges and other houses and buildings used for the temporary reception or relief of the poor, the destitute or the indigent, and to provide for the

granting, revocation and renewal of licences in respect thereof, to require sanitary conveniences to be provided for the inmates of any such premises, and to require the keepers of common lodging-houses and night shelters to keep a register of inmates.

16. To extend the powers of the Corporation with regard to the recreation and pleasure grounds within the borough, and to extend the definition of public place and street so as to include such recreation and pleasure grounds and also markets, to authorize the Corporation to erect bandstands and employ constables, make bye-laws, and to provide for the application of moneys received from admission to recreation grounds.

17. To empower the Corporation to erect, acquire and maintain cottages for members of their fire brigade, to agree with other Local Authorities for the common use of fire appliances, to charge for services rendered, and to regulate the traffic in streets at times of fire.

18. To make further provision with regard to police matters within the borough, and in particular to regulate street cries and noises and the sale of newspapers in the streets, to licence persons as porters, messengers and the like, and to make bye-laws regulating their conduct, and to prevent reckless driving.

19. To provide for the licensing, registration, and inspection of fried fish and potato chip frying shops and stalls.

20. To confer powers on the Corporation with regard to the inspection of hackney carriages, the granting of occasional licences for public vehicles, and to apply the provisions of the Town Police Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1899, and the bye-laws made thereunder with respect to hackney carriages plying from railway stations as if such railway stations were hackney carriage stands or a street, and to make applicable the provisions of those Acts with respect to the regulation of fares to hackney carriages taking up and setting down passengers within the borough but which go outside the borough.

21. To authorize the Corporation to collect all rates together or at such times as they may prescribe, and to allow discounts on rates, to appoint assistants to the overseers and assistant overseers, and to provide for the custody of books, deeds and documents relating to the borough or public charities within the borough.

22. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Bill, and for such other purposes as may be prescribed or authorized by the Bill, and to charge the money so borrowed and the interest upon the security of the revenues and other undertakings and property for the time being of the Corporation or some of them, and on any other funds and rates established and leviable by the Corporation, to empower the Corporation to use sinking funds in lieu of borrowing and to apply their funds to any of the purposes of the Bill, and to make further provision with reference to the existing debt of the Corporation, the equation of their loans, and otherwise in relation to the finances, rates and revenues of the Corporation.

23. To amend section 32 of the Act of 1897, and to enable the Corporation to borrow further money for the purposes of their Technical Institute and other educational purposes, and to make provision for repaying any overspent balances on those accounts.