

directions as to the management and administration of the trust estate, or for such further powers in connection therewith as the Merchants' House may deem expedient, or for alterations or modifications of existing powers, or the confirmation of any scheme relating to the trust estate, and to authorize the Court of Session to give such directions or grant such new or altered powers, or to confirm such scheme, as the case may be, and to provide for the same, being binding on all persons interested.

To confer upon the said Merchants' House powers of sale and investment of the trust estate and all powers of administration and management necessary or expedient for carrying into effect the objects and purposes of the trust deed or of the order or of any such scheme or schemes and all such privileges and immunities as are enjoyed by gratuitous trustees and such further privileges and immunities as the Order may provide.

To provide for payment of the costs of the Order, and incidental thereto out of the income or capital of the trust estate.

To vary or extinguish all privileges, rights and interests inconsistent with or which would or might in any way interfere with the objects or purposes of the Order, and to confer other privileges, rights and interests.

And the Order will contain all such other provisions and powers as may be necessary or expedient for giving effect to the objects and purposes of the Order.

The Petition for the Order and printed copies thereof and of the Draft Order will be lodged at the Office of the Secretary for Scotland, Whitehall, London, on or before the 17th day of April next.

The subsequent procedure will be by way of Provisional Order unless it is otherwise decided in terms of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1899, in which case the procedure may be by way of Private Bill, and this Notice

and the deposits will, subject to the Standing Orders of Parliament, apply to such Bill.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1906.

MONCRIEFF, BARR, PATERSON and Co.,
45, West George-street, Glasgow;
HILL and HOGGAN, 194, Ingram-street,
Glasgow; Solicitors for the Order.
GRAHAMES, CURREY and SPENS, 30,
Great George-street, Westminster;
Parliamentary Agents.

CITY AND COUNTY OF THE CITY OF EXETER.

Bye-Laws with respect to Locomotives.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and citizens of the city and county of the city of Exeter will, after the expiration of one month from the date of the publication of this notice, apply to the Local Government Board for confirmation of certain Bye-laws under section 6 of the Locomotives Act, 1898, with respect to the restriction of locomotive traffic within the city and county of the city of Exeter made the 28th day of February, 1906.

Notice is further given, that a copy of the proposed Bye-laws is deposited at the Town Clerk's Office, No. 8, Southernhay West, Exeter, and will be open during office hours thereat to the inspection of the ratepayers of the said city and county for a period of one month after the date of the publication of this notice without fee or reward, and that the Town Clerk will, on the application of any ratepayer, furnish him with a copy of such proposed Bye-laws, or any part thereof, on payment of sixpence for every one hundred words contained in such Bye-laws.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1906.

By order,

H. LLOYD PARRY, Town Clerk.

ACCOUNT, showing the whole Amount of the DEBTS and ASSETS of THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, at the Close of the Year 1905; and showing also the Amount of its NOTES payable on Demand, which had been in Circulation during every Month of that Year; together with the Amount of SPECIE and other ASSETS, distinguishing each Kind, immediately available in every such Month, for the Discharge of such Notes.

NOTE.—The latest Monthly Return received from Dawson City is that of 30th November, 1905, and the figures of that Return are introduced into this Account.

(Published pursuant to Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

DEBTS.		Sterling.		ASSETS.		Sterling.	
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
Circulation		692,173	10 5	Specie		777,216	9 9
Other Liabilities		7,488,408	17 5	Other Assets		8,880,618	6 11
		£8,180,582	7 10			£9,657,834	16 8

1905.	Notes in Circulation.	Specie.	Notes of other Banks.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January	2,564,206	3,084,878	126,618
February	2,402,648	2,695,984	138,315
March	2,355,954	3,026,352	122,874
April	2,409,324	2,433,986	170,136
May	2,508,971	2,344,821	160,770
June	2,769,292	2,760,581	176,948
July	2,704,797	2,663,626	385,059
August	2,820,937	2,808,926	372,560
September	3,499,229	2,961,695	378,778
October	4,156,109	3,493,194	226,273
November	3,651,074	2,891,820	220,163
December	3,327,240	3,015,994	245,306

By Order of the Court of Directors,

A. G. WALLIS, Secretary

London, 23rd March, 1906.

No. 27898.

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