In Parliament.—Session 1913.

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE WATER-WORKS.

(Power to the South Staffordshire Waterworks to Construct Works: New Acquisition of Lands, Springs and Waters; Easements; Power to Lay Mains, Pipes, &c.; Protection of Water Supply; Transfer of Company's Undertaking in Quinton to Birmingham Water Limits; General Meetings; Interim Dividends; Closing of Registers; Additional Capital and Borrowing Powers; Application of Funds; Incorporation, Application and Amendment of Acts.)

OTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the South Staffordshire Waterworks Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") for an Act for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):

To empower the Company to make and maintain and from time to time to alter, improve, enlarge, extend, renew, reconstruct or discontinue all or any of the works hereinafter described in the counties of Warwick, Stafford and Worcester (that is to say):-

Work No. 1.—A well and pumping station to be situate in the parish and borough of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick; and in the parish of Weeford, in the county of Stafford, or one of them in the enclosures numbered 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 235, 236, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244 and 245 or in some or one of them on the 2500 Ordnance Map Staffordshire Sheet LXIV, 3 and Warwickshire Sheet IV, 3 (Second Edition 1903).

Work No. 2.—A line or lines of pipes commencing at the said well and pumping station (Work No. 1) above mentioned and terminating in the parish of Shenstone, in the county of Stafford, by a junction with an existing line of pipes of the Company at a point in the centre of the road leading from Sutton Coldfield to Lichfield at the junction of that road with the road leading from Watford Gap to Little Hay.

Work No. 3.—A well and pumping station to be situate in the said parish and borough of Sutton Coldfield, in the enclosures numbered 1590, 2183, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2249, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2314 and 2315 or some or one of them on the ¹/₂₅₀₀ Ordnance Map Warwickshire Sheet VIII, 3 (Second Edition 1903).

Work No. 4.—A line or lines of pipes to be situate in the said parish and borough of Sutton Coldfield commencing at the said well and pumping station (Work No. 3) and terminating by a junction with the existing main of the Company at the junction of High-street and Mill-street.

Work No. 5.—A service reservoir to be situate in the parish of Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, in the enclosure numbered 229 on the 12500 Ordnance Map Staffordshire Sheet LXXII, 6 and Worcestershire Sheet V, 6 (Second Edition 1904).

Work No. 6.—A line or lines of pipes commencing in the parish of Rowley Regis, in the county of Stafford, by a connection with the existing line of pipes of the Company at the junction of Oldbury-road and

White Heath-road passing into or through the parish of Cakemore, in the county of Worcester, and terminating in the said parish of Oldbury by a junction with the Service Reservoir (Work No. 5).

Which said intended works will be situate in the parishes or places following or some of them (that is to say):—

The parish of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick; the parishes of Weeford, Shenstone and Rowley Regis, in the county of Stafford; and the parishes of Oldbury and Cakemore, in the county of Worcester.

To authorize the Company to deviate from the lines and levels of the intended works shown on the plans and sections to be deposited as hereinafter mentioned to such extent as be prescribed or authorized by the intended Act,

To enable the Company to make and maintain on, in, under, or upon any of the beforementioned lands all such cuts, channels, catchwaters, tunnels, adits, mains, pipes, conduits, culverts, drifts, wells, shafts, bores, drains, sluices, relief valves, wash-outs, over-flows, bye-washes, discharge pipes, outfalls, wastewater channels, gauges, filter beds, water towers, tanks, banks, dams, embankments, walls, bridges, piers, approaches, engines, pumps, machinery, buildings, works, electric wires, telegraphs, telephones, and other apparatus and appliances as may be necessary or convenient in connection with or subsidiary to the intended works or to their undertaking.

To enable the Company to pump, collect, impound, take, use, divert, and appropriate for the purposes of their undertaking all such streams, springs, and waters as will or may be intercepted by any works of the Company to be authorized by the intended Act or any

other works of the Company.

To enable the Company by compulsion or agreement to purchase and acquire, and to hold and use the lands hereinbefore described or referred to, and other lands in the beforementioned parishes and places and elsewhere, or any easements, rights, or interests therein, thereover, or thereunder, for the purposes of their existing and the intended works, and for other purposes of the intended Act and of the Company's undertaking.

To enable the Company by agreement to purchase and acquire, and to take on lease and to hold lands, buildings, waters, wells, springs, streams, easements and rights of water and other rights, easements, and hereditaments for the purposes of the intended Act and for the general purposes of their

undertaking.

To enable the Company to lay down, maintain, alter, repair, take up and renew mains, pipes, culverts, tubes, wires and other works and apparatus for the distribution and supply of water or any purpose connected therewith, or for the prevention and detection of waste, and to open, break up, cross, divert, remove, alter, stop up and interfere with, whether temporarily or permanently, all such roads, highways, footpaths, streets (including streets not dedicated to public use), dykes, pipes, sewers, canals, navigations, rivers, springs, streams, bridges, railways, tramways, tunnels, sewers, drains, pipes, wires and apparatus as it may be necessary or convenient to open, break up, cross, divert, alter, stop up, remove or interfere with for the purposes of the Company for or in connection with the supply of