each of the areas hereinafter mentioned were deposited as follows :---

As relates to the Rural District of Axminster with the Clerk to the Rural District Council at Axminster.

As relates to the Urban District of Seaton with the Clerk to the Urban District Council at Seaton;

As relates to the Parish of Colyton with the Clerk to the Parish Council of such Parish at his office, or if he has no office at his residence, and if there is no Clerk with the Chairman of such Council at his residence.

On and after the 4th day of December instant a copy of the Bill may be inspected and copies thereof may be obtained at the price of two shillings and sixpence for each copy at the Council Offices, Town Hall, Seaton, and at the offices of the undersigned Parliamentay Agents.

A notice stating the objects of the Bill has been and will be published in full on the 3rd and 10th days of December instant in the Western Morning News.

Dated this 3rd day of December 1930.

F. C. B. CHADWICK, Council Offices, Seaton, Devon, Solicitor.

LEES AND Co., Palace Chambers, Bridge Street, Westminster, S.W. 1, Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament.-Session 1930-1931.

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STOKE-ON-TRENT EXTENSION.

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made to Parliament in the present Session by the Lord Mayor Aldermen and Citizens of the City and County Borough of Stoke-on-Trent (hereinafter called "the Corporation" and "the City" respectively) for an Act (hereinafter called "the Bill") of which the principal subject matters are as follows:—

1. The extension of the City so as to include therein the following areas in the County of Stafford (hereinafter together referred to as "the added area") namely:—

(a) the Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme;

(b) the Urban District of Wolstanton United;

(c) the Parish of Clayton in the Rural District of Newcastle-under-Lyme;

(d) part (hereinafter called "the added part") of the parish of Keele in the Rural District of Newcastle-under-Lyme;

2. Abolition of the Newcastle-under-Lyme Corporation the Wolstanton United Urban District Council and the Clayton Parish Council and consequential provisions including (inter alia) the annulment of Charters for the incorporation of the inhabitants of the Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme or the granting of rights to the said Corporation and inhabitants or relating to the establishment of a Court of Record; exclusion of the added area from the Administrative County of Stafford (hereinafter referred to as "the County ") exclusion of the Parish of Clayton and the added part of the Parish of Keele from the Rural District of Newcastle-under-Lyme; exclusion of the added part of the Parish of Keele from the Parish of Keele; the abolition or curtailment of the existing Electoral Divisions of the County within the added area and reduction in the number of County Councillors of the County.

3. Amalgamation of the added area with the existing Parish of Stoke-on-Trent.

4. Abolition of the separate Commission of the Peace and the separate Quarter Sessions of the Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme and the Court of Record of that Borough; Cesser or alteration of their powers and duties, abolition of the offices of Recorder, Clerk of the Peace, Clerk to justices and coroner, and of all other offices or appointments held thereunder &c. and alteration &c. of their respective jurisdiction powers duties &c.

tive jurisdiction powers duties &c. 5. The extension of the Corporation's limits for the supply of electricity and gas so as to include within their electricity limits the Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme the Parishes and Wards of Silverdale and Chesterton in the Urban District of Wolstanton United, the Parish of Clayton and the added part of the Parish of Keele and so as to include within their gas limits the Borough of Newcastleunder-Lyme the Urban District of Wolstanton United and the Parishes of Clayton and Keele.

6. Transfer to and vesting in the Corporation of rights powers property assets debts and liabilities of whatsoever description of the Corporation of Newcastle-under-Lyme (including the right to receive a portion of the residue of the income of the Trustees of the Newcastle-under-Lyme Marsh Lands) of the Urban District Council of Wolstanton United, of the Parish Councils of Clayton and Keele respectively, of the Rural District Council of Newcastle-under-Lyme and of the Council of the County, and of the Insurance Committee of the County in or in relation to the added area; transfer of members of Newcastle Borough Police Force and the County Police public Force, police stations elementary secondary and technical schools or sites for the same and other premisos in the added area and the alteration of schemes (including Scheme regulating the Newcastle-under-Lyme endowed schools).

7. Special provisions with respect to the gas and electricity undertakings of the Newcastle-under-Lyme Corporation and the gas undertaking of the Wolstanton United Urban District Council.

8. Provisions for the continuance of the Newcastle-under-Lyme Corporation three per cent. Redeemable Stock 1909-1944 and change of name of such Stock.

9. The enactment of other provisions consequential upon or supplemental to or necessary or convenient for the proposed extension, including the exclusion of the Urban District of Wolstanton United, the Parish of Clayton and the added part of the Parish of Keele from the jurisdiction of the Council for the County and the exclusion of the Parish of Clayton and the added part of the Parish of Keele from the jurisdiction of the Rural District Council of Newcastle-under-Lyme; provisions relating to Wards of the extended City; the extension of jurisdiction of the