

of them; and also to empower the Corporation to undertake the maintenance, repair, and renewal of such bridges and portions of roads respectively, and to apply their corporate funds to such purposes.

To enable the Corporation from time to time to make bye-laws, rules, and orders for the regulation of the traffic through the streets of the said city, and for prescribing the routes to be taken between different points by omnibuses, stage carriages, vans, and other carriages licensed for the conveyance of passengers at separate fares, and by vehicles laden wholly or partially with timber, scaffolding, long poles, or other articles of great length or bulk, and for regulating the passage thereof along the said streets; and for preventing unreasonable obstructions.

To alter and amend so much of the Act 7 and 8 Vic., cap. 40, as provides for the payment of certain expenses consequent upon fires within the city, and to provide that the owners of property within the city shall, in the cases to be provided for in the intended Act, be liable to contribute towards the reasonable ordinary expenses attending the establishment and maintenance of the fire police within the said city, and the expenses incurred at any fire, and that every insurance company insuring from fire any property within the city shall pay annually to the Corporation, by way of contribution, towards the fire police expenses of the city, a suitable sum in respect of property in such city insured by any such insurance office, and also to provide for securing the payment of such contributions and sums respectively, and the recovery thereof in case of non-payment, and for ascertaining the amount to be contributed by such owners of property, and the proportions of contributions by such offices respectively, and for requiring annual returns to be made to the Corporation by such insurance offices respectively of the gross amount insured by such offices upon property within the city, and for insuring the correctness of such returns.

To empower the Corporation to make and recover charges upon insurance and other companies, and upon the owners and occupiers of property uninsured within the city, in respect of a supply of water, and the means and appliances connected therewith, for protection of property from fire, and for extinguishing fires, and for the salvage of property, goods, and merchandise, after the occurrence of any fire within the city.

To alter, amend, and enlarge the provisions of "The Manchester Corporation Waterworks Act, 1854," with reference to water rents and other sums from time to time payable to the council, and to make further and more effectual provision for the recovery of sums due to the council for the repair of pipes and otherwise under any of the Acts relating to their waterworks.

To explain and amend the provisions of "The Manchester General Improvement Act, 1851," with reference to the recovery of rents for gas supplied by the Corporation, and to make further and more effectual provision for the recovery thereof.

To make further provision in reference to the establishment by the Corporation of weighing machines within the city, and to empower the Corporation to demand and receive tolls for the use of such weighing machines, and to alter the existing tolls leviable for such purpose.

To confer on the Corporation further and more effectual powers for the inspection and regulation

of lodging-houses and other houses and buildings within the city, and for the prevention of overcrowding and otherwise, for the improvement of the sanitary condition of the city.

To authorise the Corporation to raise or borrow any sum or sums of money which, for the time being, they may be authorised to borrow under any Act of Parliament, or for replacing existing or future loans from time to time falling due, or by arrangements previously to the same falling due, by accepting and giving security for small sums deposited with the said Corporation from time to time, repayable to the depositors, with interest thereon, in a manner similar to that in which deposits are now made with savings-banks, and with the Post Office (no stamp, or other duty or property or income-tax to be payable in respect of such deposits); all such securities to be made and granted upon the credit or security of the city rate or city fund of the said city, and also upon the credit of the waterworks of the said Corporation, and the water-rates or rents which the said Corporation are or may be authorised to levy, demand, and receive, by virtue of any Acts of Parliament.

To empower the Corporation to employ the city fund of the city in or towards carrying into effect all or any of the purposes of the intended Act, and also to levy rates upon the owners and occupiers of property within the said city, for all or any of such purposes.

To empower the Corporation to raise a further sum of money for all or any of the purposes of the intended Act, on the credit of the city fund, and of any rates to be levied under the intended Act, or on either security.

To alter, amend, extend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of the several Acts following, or some of them, relating to the city of Manchester, that is to say: local and personal, 6 Vic., cap. 17; 7 and 8 Vic., caps. 40 and 41; 8 and 9 Vic., cap. 14; 9 and 10 Vic., cap. 219; 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 119; 16 and 17 Vic., cap. 91; 17 and 18 Vic., cap. 28; 18 and 19 Vic., cap. 44; 20 and 21 Vic., cap. 117; 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 25; 23 and 24 Vic., cap. 48; 28 and 29 Vic., cap. 90; and also of the several Acts following, or some of them, relating to the Manchester Corporation Waterworks, that is to say: local and personal, 10 and 11 Vic., cap. 203; 11 and 12 Vic., cap. 101; 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 79; 17 Vic., cap. 38; 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 87; 23 Vic., cap. 93; 26 and 27 Vic., cap. 68; and 28 and 29 Vic., cap. 145.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 30th day of November in the present year, plans describing the lands proposed to be acquired under the intended Act, and books of reference to such plans, together with a copy of this notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Lancaster, at his office in Preston, and with the parish clerk of the parish of Manchester, at his residence, and that, on or before the 23rd day of December, in the present year, printed copies of the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 14th day of November, 1865.

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