

by letter, addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th day of January now next ensuing, and such persons must at the same time send copies of their objections to the Undertakers, at the offices of the undersigned, and in forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, such persons must state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Undertakers or their agents.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1881.

J. Neal York, Newmarket, Solicitor.

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In Parliament.—Session 1882.

Hartlepool Borough Extension.

(Extension of Borough boundaries, so as to include therein the Improvement District of the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners and the Local Board Districts of the Local Boards for Throston, Middleton, and Seaton Carew, New or altered Districts and Wards, Increase or alteration of number of Aldermen and Councillors; Provisions as to election, &c., of Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors; Dissolution of the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, and the Local Boards of Throston, Middleton, and Seaton Carew, and transfer of their powers and property to Corporation, with or without reservations or exceptions; Dissolution of Burial Boards; Dissolution of School Boards, and Election of new School Board; extended Borough to be a School District; Consolidation of Borough and County Police; Rating and Borrowing powers; Special Expenses and General Expenses, and Apportionment of same between Districts or Wards; Special Application of part of District Fund; Application of provisions of Commissioners Clauses Act, 1847, to Mortgages; Provisions as to Re-borrowing; Powers to borrow and re-borrow under Local Loans Act; Suppression of Brothels and other disorderly Houses; Regulation of Dancing Saloons and other places; Prohibitions as to Fire Arms; Sale of Coals by Weight; Penalties; Repeal or Amendment wholly or partially of the West Hartlepool Extension and Improvement Act, 1870, and Re-enactment of all or some of the provisions of that Act; Powers to Corporation as to application of Funds of Corporation, of Improvement Commissioners, Local Boards, and Burial Boards, and as to exercise of borrowing powers of those Bodies respectively; and special arrangements as to Borough Fund, District Fund, and General District Rates; Protection of Headland; Powers to Corporation and Hartlepool Port and Harbour Commissioners to raise moneys, &c.; Amendment of Acts and other purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to bring in a Bill for effecting the following objects, or some of them, that is to say:—

To extend the boundary of the municipal borough of Hartlepool (hereinafter referred to as "the existing Borough"), and to include within it the following districts, parishes, and places, or some of them, or some part or parts thereof respectively, that is to say:—The Improvement district of the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, and the Local Board districts of the Local Boards of Throston, Middleton, and Seaton Carew, all in the County of Durham.

To extend and apply to and throughout the Municipal Borough as proposed to be extended (hereinafter referred to as the "extended borough") with or without alteration or variation as may be

defined in the Bill, or prescribed by Parliament, all or some of the powers, rights, privileges, jurisdiction, authorities and duties of the Corporation of Hartlepool (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation") as a municipal body, and of the Corporation acting in execution of the Municipal Corporations Acts, the Public Health Acts, and the Acts for the time being affecting the Corporation as a municipal body and a sanitary authority respectively, and of any charter or charters, and of their officers, clerks, and servants, and of the Borough Court of Record, and of the Justices of the Peace, Recorder, and Constables of the existing borough, and to make applicable to the extended borough all charters, enactments, by-laws, regulations, and orders in force within or applicable to the existing borough; also, if deemed necessary or desirable, to confer upon the owners of property and residents within the extended borough all such rights of voting and other franchises, rights, and privileges as are now vested in the owners of property, and residents within the existing borough.

To vest in the Corporation, for the benefit of the extended borough, all estates and property, rights and privileges vested in the Corporation for the benefit of the existing borough, but subject to the liabilities affecting the same.

To create new districts for special purposes to be defined in the Bill, and to create wards out of the area of the existing borough, and out of the area intended to be added to the borough, or to divide the whole of the extended borough into entirely new districts and wards or districts or wards, or to alter, extend, and re-arrange the number and limits of the existing districts.

To increase or alter the existing number of Aldermen and Councillors of the borough, and to apportion them among the new, altered, or extended districts or wards, and to make new provisions for the qualification, election, and retirement of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors, and, if thought desirable, to change the corporate style or name and armorial bearings or devices of the Corporation.

To provide for the deposit of plans of the extended borough, and if divided into districts and wards, of the districts and wards or districts or wards into which it will or may be divided, and to make certified copies of or extracts from such plans evidence in all Courts of Justice. To authorise and fix the charges to be made for inspection, copies of, or extracts from such plans.

To exempt lands, houses, hereditaments, and property within the area intended to be added to the borough from all county, police, sewer, and highway rates, and from the jurisdiction of, and from rates to be made by the Justices of the Peace for the county of Durham, and the Improvement Commissioners, Local or Sanitary Authority, or Burial Board, Highway Board, or School Board of any district, parish, or place to be included, or partly included, within the extended borough.

To dissolve the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, and the Local Boards and Burial Boards for the several districts of West Hartlepool, Throston, Middleton, and Seaton Carew, and to vest in the Corporation all the powers, rights, duties, liabilities, and obligations of those Commissioners, Local Boards, and Burial Boards, respectively; and to transfer to the Corporation all property, real and personal, of the said Commissioners, Local Boards, and Burial Boards respectively, but subject to the liabilities affecting the same.

To constitute the extended borough a School District for the purposes of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and the Acts amending the same.