

the removal and prevention of obstructions therein, as to the fencing in of dangerous places, and as to the letting of unoccupied land to defray certain expenses, and also the leasing of unoccupied land.

26. To authorise the Corporation to enter into agreements with the Manchester Ship Canal Company and others, for or in relation to the construction of a bridge over or across, or a subway under the Manchester Ship Canal.

27. To prohibit or regulate the erection of advertising hoardings or structures, and to make other provisions in regard to street advertisements and hoardings.

28. To make further provision in regard to sanitary matters, and the preservation of the health of the inhabitants of the borough, and particularly with regard to the following matters, that is to say:—the requiring of water-closets for new buildings, the conversion of existing closet accommodation into waterclosets, the making of bye-laws as to the construction of water-closets, the requiring of privies to be filled up; as to the filling up of cesspools, the requiring of certain pipes to be disconnected from sewers, the ventilation of soil-pipes, the prohibition of the use of rain-water pipes as soil-pipes, as to sinks and drains for buildings, as to single private drains, the requiring of urinals to be attached to places of public entertainment and refreshment, the prohibition of urinals in public places without consent, with power to the Corporation to require the removal of urinals in case of nuisance or offence to public decency, the provision of ambulances, the prohibition of the occupation of houses until there is a proper water supply, the testing of drains and the remedying of defects, the reconstruction or alteration of the course of drains, the improper construction or repair of water-closets and drains, the prevention of damage or injury to water-closets and drains, and of interference with the apparatus connected therewith, the requiring of old drains to be laid open for examination of vacant lands to be fenced where nuisance exists, and of filthy or infectious articles to be purified or destroyed, the authorising of a charge to be made for emptying privies of trade refuse, the definition of nuisances, and the appointment of more than one inspector of nuisances.

29. To make further provision with reference to the registration, control, management and supervision of common lodging-houses, to the health and decency of the inmates, and to unregistered lodging-houses, and to give power to the Corporation to refuse to register common lodging-houses.

30. To make further provisions with respect to the prevention of the spread of infectious disease, and the preservation of the health of the inhabitants of the borough, and particularly with respect to the following matters (that is to say): The prohibition of the sale of milk from diseased cows, the requiring of dairymen to notify existence of infectious disease amongst their servants: the prohibition of persons suffering from infectious disease from carrying on business, the extension of Section 126 of the Public Health Act, 1875, to persons permitting the exposure of infected persons; the protection against infection of books in a lending or public library, the making of bye-laws with reference to hospitals; the payment of the expenses of persons in hospital; the provision of nurses; the compensation of dairymen, nurses, and others, for stopping employment; the prohibition of the holding of wakes over bodies of persons dying of infectious disease; as to the burial of dead bodies in the mortuary; the regulation of the

manufacture and sale of ice creams and other similar commodities; the compulsory removal to and the retention in reception houses of persons living in any house in which infectious disease, has occurred when such removal and retention are, in the opinion of the Medical Officer of Health, necessary for the protection of the public health, and the provision of such reception houses, the imposition of penalties on parents and guardians and persons having the care of children, for allowing them to attend a school from any house in which infectious disease exists or has existed, and on teachers for admitting such children to school; the compelling of teachers in certain cases to supply lists of pupils attending the school; and the conferring of power on the Medical Officer to examine children in schools, and to exclude any scholar suffering from infectious disease or likely to spread infection.

31. To make further provision with regard to the recreation grounds and baths belonging to the Corporation, and particularly to authorise the letting or setting apart of the recreation grounds or parts thereof for games and other purposes, the provision of apparatus for games, the making of bye-laws for the regulation of the recreation grounds, and the appointment of officers to carry the bye-laws into effect, to empower the Corporation to contribute towards public bands, and to empower the Corporation to lay out roadside wastes as gardens, shrubberies, and ornamental pleasure grounds, and to erect thereon shelters, seats, and other erections, and to grant the use gratuitously or for payment of the public baths for swimming contests.

32. To make further provision with regard to police and fire brigade matters within the borough, and particularly to provide that unfenced ground may be a street for certain purposes, to prohibit indecent exhibitions, to regulate shows and caravans, to prevent the sale of goods in streets without the consent of the Corporation, to restrict the use of advertising vehicles, to provide for delivery of goods wrongfully detained, to prohibit the marking of pavements by way of advertisement without authority, to make provision with regard to leading or driving cattle through the streets, to authorise the breaking open of premises in case of fire, to make provision for the control of operations and the regulation of street traffic in case of fire, and to provide for the regulation and licensing of luggage porters.

33. To make further provision with regard to the supply of electricity within the borough or in connection therewith, and particularly to specify the conditions upon which electric fittings may be supplied, to authorise the provision of such fittings and electrical apparatus, and to alter the date for making up the annual accounts of the electric undertaking.

34. To alter and enlarge the present borrowing powers of the Corporation and to enable the Corporation to borrow monies for all or any of the purposes of the Bill, and for all or any of the said purposes to apply their corporate funds and any moneys which they are already authorised to borrow, and to borrow further moneys by mortgage, stock, or annuities, and by the issue of bills, and also to enable the Corporation to charge any moneys raised or to be raised by them upon all or any one or more of the following securities, that is to say:—The Borough Fund and Borough Rate, the District Fund and General District Rate, and the lands, estates, tramways, electric lighting, and other undertakings and property, rates, rents, tolls, and revenues of the Corporation.

35. To authorise the Corporation from time to