

regard to the pier undertaking of the Corporation, and amongst other things:—

- (A) To empower them from time to time to construct improvements and extensions of and additions to their existing and proposed works, and to construct such subsidiary works as they may deem advisable, including tramways, sidings, turn-tables, custom-houses, landing-places, houses, warehouses, offices, sheds and buildings, and to make and recover charges for the use thereof.
- (B) To empower them to construct, maintain, provide, and manage, on or in connection with the said works, pavilions, assembly rooms, concert rooms, shops, saloons, bazaars, reading, refreshment, and other rooms, baths, gymnasium, lavatories, bandstands, seats, shelters, chairs, and other works and conveniences, and to furnish, stock, and equip the same.
- (C) To provide for carrying on the said undertaking, including the provision of bands and other entertainments, the leasing thereof, or of any part thereof, or of any buildings, works, and conveniences thereon, for enabling the Corporation to determine the purposes for which the works, buildings, and conveniences may be used, and for the making of bye-laws and regulations in relation thereto.
- (D) To authorise the Corporation to advertise the pier, and the attractions thereof, and the entertainments thereat.
- (E) To make further provision for the levying, making, and recovery of tolls, dues, rates, and charges in respect of the said existing and proposed works, to empower the Corporation to demand and take dues and charges for the use of the harbour and of other works of the Corporation; to make provision for the recovery of such tolls, dues, rates, and charges from the owners of the goods in respect of which they are payable; and to alter and increase existing tolls, dues, rates, rents, and charges, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment thereof.
- (F) To authorise the Corporation to provide and use steam engines, steam vessels, tugs, piling engines, cranes, diving bells, dredgers, lighters, barges, boats, buoys, mooring posts, mooring craft, weighing machines, tackle, machinery, appliances, and conveniences, and to demand and take sums for the use thereof.

Foreshore.

19. To empower the Corporation to acquire by agreement or compulsion the rights of any other bodies or persons in the foreshore in the borough, and to enlarge and add to their powers in regard to the cleansing, maintenance, improvement, and user of the foreshore, and to authorise them to construct promenades and other works upon, and to lay out the same in such manner as they may deem desirable.

20. To make provision in regard to the regulation and use of the foreshore and beach, bathing and bathing machines, the licensing of pleasure boats and bathing machine proprietors, the licensing and payment of boatmen for the protection of persons whilst bathing, and to regulate, and if the Corporation deem fit to prohibit, the removal of any materials or of any bait from the foreshore or beach.

21. To provide that the foreshore and the lands adjacent thereto shall be deemed to be a public place for the purposes of the Vagrancy

Acts, and a street for the purposes of the Town Police Clauses Acts.

Recreation Grounds.

22. To enlarge the powers of the Corporation with respect to recreation grounds, and particularly to enable the Corporation to erect, maintain, and equip pavilions and other buildings therein, and to charge for admission to such pavilions and buildings; to let pavilions and other buildings, to set apart and enclose parts for games and other purposes, and to provide apparatus for games, and to charge for use thereof, to provide and authorise the provision of seats and chairs in recreation grounds and elsewhere, to provide and regulate public bands, and charge for admission to enclosures, and to appoint officers for securing observance of regulations and bye-laws, and to provide for the application of moneys received in connection with the recreation grounds.

Streets, Buildings, &c.

23. To make further and better provision for or with respect to the streets and buildings in the borough, and the health and good government thereof in relation to the following amongst other matters (namely):—Plans, &c., of streets and buildings, the formation, sewerage, and kerbing of streets before the erection of buildings, intersecting streets, the fencing of vacant land, public conveniences in and under streets, the mode of connection and communication between streets, continuation of existing streets to be deemed new streets, the lopping of trees and shrubs overhanging streets, the deposit of building materials, the erection of temporary or movable buildings, elevation of buildings, persons increasing height of buildings to raise neighbouring chimneys, no excavations to be made in proposed streets after the deposit of plans, the prevention of culs-de-sac, injury to streets by excavation to be made good, the prevention of water flowing over footpaths, the definition of lines of verandahs, power to prescribe the materials for and the mode of construction of sewers and drains, and the materials for new buildings, the paving of yards, urgent repairs to private streets, the exemption of the Corporation from liability when executing works for owners of property, the assistance to be given on inspection of buildings, the extension of the powers of the surveyor on inspecting, the fees to be paid for inspections and for the issue of certificates, the prohibition of projections over streets, the prohibition of sky signs, the erection of advertising and other hoardings, and the use of advertising vehicles, provisions as to separate sewers for sewage and for surface water, power for Corporation to erect sewer ventilators against buildings, extension of the powers of the Corporation in regard to the inspection of drains, power to appoint more than one inspector of nuisances, ditches to be covered before buildings erected thereover, owners of dwelling-houses to provide proper water supply, Water Company to give notice to Corporation of cutting off water supply, power for Corporation to require enlarged sewers, the prohibition of altering drains except in accordance with bye-laws and except after notice, extension of Section 41 of Public Health Act, 1875, to two or more houses belonging to same owner, and to cases where Corporation have reason to suspect a nuisance, the extension of the provisions of the said Act in regard to nuisances, the prohibition of throwing offensive matter into streets.

24. To vest the main roads in the Corpora-