

ing the medical officer to test drains, extending section 41 of the Public Health Act, 1875, enabling the Council to provide lavatories, requiring urinals to be attached to refreshment-houses, providing that cisterns liable to contamination and prevention of projections over streets, providing that soil pipes shall be properly ventilated, that rain-water pipes shall not be used as soil pipes, that owners may be required to provide proper sinks and drains for buildings, and sanitary dustbins, imposing penalties on owners of houses without proper water supply, cleansing of cisterns, making provisions as to reconstruction of drains, the improper construction or repair of water-closets or drains, and as to wilful damage to drains, providing for the purification of filthy clothing, requiring old drains to be laid open for examination before communicating with sewers, enabling the Council to require water-closets to new buildings, providing for the conversion of existing closet accommodation to water carriage system, extending the definition of nuisance, and enabling the Council to provide ambulances.

To confer on the Council further powers with reference to police and street traffic, and in particular to restrict advertisements on vehicles and hoardings, to regulate or prohibit the use of sky signs, to require dangerous places to be repaired or enclosed, to provide that unfenced ground adjoining a street shall be a public place for the purposes of the Vagrancy Acts, to authorize the Council to license shoeblacks, to empower police constables to enter premises in case of fire, and to provide that the captain of the fire brigade shall have control of operations at fires, to require street musicians, gipsies and vagrants to depart on request, to prohibit roundabouts and circuses, to require notice to be given of processions through the streets, and to enable the Council to advertise the district and to deal with stray dogs.

To confer powers on the Council with regard to the inspection of hackney carriages, the granting of occasional licenses for public vehicles, and to apply the provisions of the Town Police Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1889, and the bye-laws made thereunder with respect to hackney carriages at railway stations and the approaches thereto, as if such railway stations were hackney carriage stands, or a street, and to make applicable the provisions of those Acts with respect to the regulation of fares for hackney carriages, taking up and setting down passengers within the district, but which go outside the district.

To enable the Council to deal more effectively with bicycles, motor-cars and other vehicles driven at high speed through the district.

To empower the Council to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the intended Act and for such other purposes as may be prescribed or authorized by the intended Act, and to charge the money so borrowed and interest upon the security of the whole or part of the revenues and undertakings and property for the time being of the Council or some of them, and on any other funds and rates leviable by the Council, and to empower the Council to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the intended Act, and to make further provision with reference to the existing debts of the Council and otherwise in relation to the finances, rates and revenue of the Council.

To empower the Council to extend the provisions of any existing bye-laws, to make new bye-laws, rules and regulations with reference to all or any of the matters referred to in this Notice, and to enforce the same by penalties or otherwise, or

to vary or rescind the same, and to confer upon them all powers, rights, authorities and privileges which are or may become necessary for carrying the powers granted by the intended Act into execution, to vary or extinguish all existing rights or privileges which would or might in any way prevent or interfere with or delay the accomplishment of any of the objects of the intended Act, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To make further provision for the prosecution of offenders, the bringing of actions and proceedings and the signing and service of orders, contracts and notices.

To authorize the Council to collect all rates within the district and to make other provision with regard to the collection of rates.

To authorize the Council to grant gratuities to their officers or servants who may be injured in their service, and to any charity undertaking the relief of such officers, and to regulate and authorize the sums to be paid out of the funds of the Council to such purposes.

To make provision generally with regard to the health and local government of the district, and to confer upon the Council powers in excess of the general law now usually granted in Improvement Acts.

To extend the time for the compulsory purchase of lands under the powers of Llandrindod Wells Water Act, 1901.

To incorporate, with alterations and amendments, and to apply, amend, alter or repeal all or some of the provisions of the several Acts of Parliament following, or some of them (that is to say):—The Lands Clauses Acts; the Towns Improvement Clauses Act, 1847; the Town Police Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1889; the Local Loans Act, 1875; the Public Health Acts; the Infectious Diseases Notification Act, 1889; and the Infectious Diseases Prevention Act, 1890, and all Acts amending the said Acts respectively, or any of them.

To vary, repeal or extinguish all existing rights, powers and privileges which would in any manner interfere with or prevent the carrying into effect of any of the objects of the intended Act, and to confer other rights, powers and privileges.

To alter, amend, extend, enlarge or repeal or re-enact, with or without amendment, all or some of the provisions of the Llandrindod Wells Water Act, 1901, and all other Acts and Orders relating to the Council.

And notice is hereby also given, that on or before the 30th day of November instant, plans showing the lands intended to be taken compulsorily under the powers of the intended Act, with a book of reference to such plans and a copy of this Notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Radnor, at his offices at Rhayader, and with the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Llandrindod Wells, at his office.

Printed copies of the intended Act or Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 14th day of November, 1902.

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