the Villa Ward the Lozells Ward and the Newtown Ward of the Urban District.

- 2. The Second Aston Manor Ward to com-prise the Six Ways Ward the Tower Ward and the Brook Ward of the Urban District.
- 3. The Third Aston Manor Ward to comprise the Park Ward the Vicarage Ward and the Reservoir Ward of the Urban District.

And it was further provided that each of such Wards should return two representatives to the Board of Guardians for the said Union and that the said new Parishes should be included in and form part of the Aston Union.

And whereas the Education Act, 1902, will have come into operation in the district of Aston Manor before the date of the commencement of this Scheme and the District Council thereof will then be the Local Education Authority within the said district for the purposes of Part III of the said Act.

And whereas by a further Order of the County Council of Warwickshire dated the tenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and ninetyfour made in pursuance of the provisions of the Local Government Act 1888 the Urban District of the Manor of Aston (afterwards Aston Manor) was divided into nine Wards viz.: Villa Ward, Lozells Ward, Newtown Ward, Six Ways Ward, Park Ward, Tower Ward, Brook Ward, Vicarage Ward, and Reservoir Ward, cach ward returning three members to the District Council.

And whereas by a further Order of the County Council of Warwickshire dated the eleventh day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five made in pursuance of the Local Government Act 1894 it was provided that the then name and title of "The Manor of Aston Urban District Council" and "The District of the Manor of Aston Urban District Council" should be altered to "The Aston Manor Urban District Council" and "The District of the Aston Manor Urban District Council."

And whereas the following Acts have lean adopted by the Local Board and by the District Council and are now in force within the district of the District Council that is to say :-

- 1. The Infectious Disease Notification Act 1889 adopted on the fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and nivety.
- 2. The Infectious Disease Prevention Act 1890 adopted on the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.
- 3. The Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1890 (parts 2, 3, and 5) adopted on the second day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one and part 4 on the second day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.
- 4. The Public Libraries Act 1855 adopted on the fifteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven and the Public Libraries Acts 1892 and 1893.

And whereas the following Acts and Provisional Orders are now in force within the District of the Council:

- 1. The Birmingham Corporation (Consolidation) Act 1883.
- 2. The Birmingham and Aston Tramways Order 1880 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act 1880. The Birmingham and Aston Tramways Order 1882 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1882. The Birmingham and Aston Tramways Order 1884, as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 1) Act 1884.
- 3. The Birmingham and Suburban Transways

Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1882. The Birmingham and Western Districts Tramways Order 1883 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act 1883. The North Birmingham Tramways Order 1884 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1884. The Birmingham Central Tramways (Extension) Order 1885 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1885. The Birmingham Central Tramways (Extension) Order 1886 as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1885. The Birmingham Central Tramways (Extension) Order 1886, as confirmed by the Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act 1886. 4. The City of Birmingham Tramways Act

- 1901.
- 5. The Aston Manor Electric Lighting Order 1898 as confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 10) Act 1898.
- 6. The Aston Manor Tramways Act 1900.

And whereas the Urban District Council of the Manor of Aston (afterwards Aston Manor) on the seventh day of May one thousand nine hundred and one made regulations under the Dairies Cowsheds and Milkshops Order of 1885:

And whereas the County Council of Warwickshire have made certain Bye-laws for the good rule and government of the administrative county of Warwick and the same are now in force in the Urban District of Aston Manor:

And whereas under the provisions of the Public Health Act 1875 the District Council on the seventh day of November one thousand eight hundred and nivety-nine made Bye-laws in respect of cleansing of Footways and Pavements, Nuisances, Common Lodging Houses, New Streets and Buildings, Slaughter Houses, Hackney Carriages, Offensive Trades, Whirligigs and Swings, and such Bye-laws have been allowed by the Local Government Board :

And whereas the District Council have also made regulations with respect to houses let in lodgings and to Cabmen's Shelters and such Regulations have been duly confirmed :

And whereas it is intended that arrangements shall be made for the consolidation of the Police Force of the Borough of Aston Manor when constituted by Charter with the Police Force of the County of Warwick:

And whereas the District Council is a local authority within the meaning of the Municipal Corporations Acts 1882 and 1885:

And whereas this Scheme was before being settled by the Committee of Council referred for consideration to His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Local Government Board to the Board of Trade and to the Board of Education:

And whereas it is expedient that a scheme should be made and settled containing the provisions hereinafter set forth.

Now therefore pursuant to the Municipal Corporations Acts 1882 and 1885 and every other power enabling them in that behalf the Committee of Council have settled a scheme containing the provisions herein and do hereby direct order and declare as follows :-

This Scheme may be cited for all purposes as "The Borough of Aston Manor Scheme 1903."

This Scheme when confirmed shall come into operation on the day of the first meeting of the Council of the Municipal Borough created by the said Charter and this Scheme shall be construed and applied as if it had been dated and confirmed by Parliament or Order in Council Order 1882 as confirmed by the Tramways on the day before the day of the said first