

in certain cases, and the prohibition of the assignment of allowances or the charging thereof with debts or liabilities.

5. To enact special provisions as to existing officers and servants and the determination of disputes.

6. To confirm a scheme for providing sick pay and other benefits for the servants of the Council, and to empower the Council to make contributions in satisfaction of such demands as may arise in connection with the said scheme and from time to time to vary the conditions of the benefits (other than the amount of the contributories' payments or so as to increase the benefits).

7. To empower the Council to charge their contributions to the Superannuation Fund, and any other contributions or payments authorized by the said intended Act upon the general rate and all or any other funds, rates or revenues of the Council.

8. To exclude or render inapplicable all or some of the provisions contained in the Superannuation (Metropolis) Act 1866, section 12 of the Baths and Washhouses Act 1878, the Poor Law Officers' Superannuation Act 1896, and such other Acts as relate to the matters aforesaid, with such exceptions and modifications as may be indicated in the said intended Act.

9. To incorporate, with or without amendment, all or some of the provisions of the Friendly Societies Acts, 1896 and 1908, and such provisions of other public Acts as may be necessary for carrying into execution the provisions of the said intended Act, to vary and extinguish any rights or privileges which would or might interfere with the objects thereof, and to confer, vary and extinguish other rights and privileges.

Printed copies of the Bill for the said intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 17th day of December next.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1913.

W. MARCUS WILKINS, Town Hall, Battersea, Town Clerk.

PAUL CAUDWELL, 104, St. John's-hill, S.W., Parliamentary Agent.

In Parliament—Session 1914.

HAYWARD'S HEATH GAS.

(Extension and Definition of Limits of Supply; Repeal of Restrictions on Exercise of Powers in the Urban District of Cuckfield; Consolidation and Conversion of Shares; Additional Capital; Special Purposes, Reserve and Benefit Funds; Provisions as to Dividends and Adoption of Sliding Scale; Application of Capital and Revenues and other Financial Provisions; Rates, Rents and Charges; General Meetings; Quorum; Voting Rights; Interim Dividends; Closing of Registers; Qualification and Powers of and Provisions as to Directors and Officers; Quality, Testing and Pressure; Exemption from Penalties;

Prepayment Meters; Conditions of Supply to Persons having Separate Supplies of Gas or Electricity; Construction, Placing, Specification, Inspection of Pipes, Apparatus, &c.; Antifluators; Exemption of Fittings from Distress, &c.; Notices; Entry on Premises; Removal of Pipes, &c.; Cutting Off of Supplies; Expenses of Re-connecting Supplies; Pipes, &c., for Ancillary Purposes; Breaking Up, &c., of Streets, &c.; Laying Down, &c., and Confirmation of Mains, &c.; Private Streets; Patent Rights; Supply in Bulk within and beyond Limits; Houses and Buildings for Employees, &c.; Incorporation, Extension, Amendment, Repeal, &c., of Acts, &c.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing session by or on behalf of the Hayward's Heath District Gas Company (hereinafter called "the Company") for leave to bring in a Bill for effecting the following objects or some of them (that is to say):—

1. To extend and define the limits within which the Company are authorized to supply gas, and to provide that from and after the passing of the intended Act such limits shall consist of and include the urban districts, parishes and portions of parishes and places all in the county of East Sussex hereinafter mentioned, or some or one of them, or some part or parts thereof respectively (that is to say):—

The urban district of Hayward's Heath.

The urban district of Cuckfield.

In the rural district of Cuckfield:—

The parishes of Slaugham, Bolney, Cuckfield Rural, Balcombe, Ardingley (otherwise Ardingly), Lindfield and Horsted Keynes, including the detached portions of the parishes of Clayton and Keymer, situate and lying within the said parish of Cuckfield Rural, and described on the Ordnance Map (scale six inches to one mile, Edition of 1912) as Clayton detached No. 2 and Keymer detached No. 2, and the detached portion of the parish of Hurstpierpoint, situate and lying between the respective parishes of Bolney and Cuckfield Rural.

So much of the detached portion of the parish of Keymer which is described on the said Ordnance Map as Keymer detached No. 1, as lies to the north of the Vale Bridge Brook.

In the rural district of East Grinstead:—

The parish of West Hoathly (including the detached portion thereof).

In the rural district of Chailey:—

The parish of Chailey except the detached portion thereof which lies to the southwards of the parish of East Chilington and is described on the said Ordnance Map as Chailey detached No. 2.

The parish of Wivelsfield, except the portion thereof which is situate within the limits of the Burgess Hill and St. John's Common Gas Act, 1903, that is to say, within a distance of one and a half miles from the north-west corner of St. John's Church, Burgess Hill.

The portion of the parish of Ditchelling (otherwise Ditchling) which lies to the