

purposes of the Bill together with a book of reference to such plans containing the names of the owners or reputed owners lessees or reputed, lessees and of the occupiers of such lands will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November instant with the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Devon at his office at the Castle Exeter and on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans sections and book of reference as relates to the following respective areas will be deposited as follows (that is to say):—

As relates to the borough with the town Clerk at his office at Torquay:

As relates to the urban district of Newton Abbot with the Clerk to the district council thereof at his office at Newton Abbot:

As relates to the rural districts of Newton Abbot, Okehampton and Tavistock with the Clerks to the district councils thereof at their offices at Newton Abbot, Okehampton and Tavistock respectively:

As relates to the parishes of Bovey Tracey, Lustleigh, North Bovey, Chagford and Lydford with the Clerks to the parish councils thereof respectively at their offices (if any) and if none at their respective residences and if in any case there be no Clerk then with the Chairman of the parish council at his residence.

Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 17th day of December next and on and after the 21st day of December next a copy of the Bill may be obtained at the price of five shillings each at the offices of the undersigned.

A Notice stating the objects of the intended application has been or will be published in full in the Western Morning News of the 20th and 27th instant.

Dated this 24th day of November 1926.

HERBERT A. FIELD, Town Clerk,  
Torquay.

TORR DURNFORD AND Co., 2, Millbank  
House, Westminster, S.W. 1, Parlia-  
(153) mentary Agents.

In Parliament.—Session 1927.

#### BEDFORD CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the Session of 1927 by the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the borough of Bedford (hereinafter called "the Corporation" and "the borough" respectively) for an Act, of which the principal subject matters are as follows:—

1. The confirmation of the construction by the Corporation of certain existing waterworks, including (a) two intake pipes from the river Ouse, situate in the borough and the parish of Bromham (rural district of Bedford) at or near to the boundary between the borough and that parish, and on or adjoining the lands of the Corporation upon which their existing waterworks are situate; and (b) an adit, situate in the borough, under the said lands, and con-

necting an existing adit with the existing well in pumping station No. 2, of the Corporation on those lands.

2. The construction and maintenance by the Corporation of further waterworks in the borough, including (a) an adit (extension of an existing adit from the well of the Corporation in the said pumping station No. 1) commencing at a point 7 chains or thereabouts south-east of that pumping station, and terminating in enclosure No. 25a on the <sup>256</sup> ordnance map of the borough (edition of 1926 Bedfordshire sheet XI. 11) at a point 0.5 chain or thereabouts north-west of the north-western end of the adit (b) referred to in paragraph 1 hereof; and (b) a storage reservoir, in one or more divisions, in enclosure No. 2 in the said parish of St. Paul on the said ordnance map (sheet XI. 12) which enclosure is at present used for allotment gardens; together with all necessary and convenient subsidiary works in connection with the works above described, and existing waterworks of the Corporation.

3. Authority to the Corporation to take, collect and divert the waters of the river Ouse by means of the intake pipes above referred to, and all waters that can be collected and taken by the other waterworks above referred to, and to use such waters for the purposes of their water undertaking.

4. The acquisition of the Corporation, for the purposes of their water undertaking, of a piece of land 1 acre or thereabouts in extent, situate in the parish of St. Paul and being a part of enclosure No. 16 in that parish on the said ordnance map of the borough (sheet XI. 12) which land is reputed to belong to Charles Robert Rivington and the Reverend Thomas Cecil Fitzpatrick, is in the occupation of A. Cox, and is situate adjacent to, and to the south of, the existing waterworks of the Corporation; the exemption of the Corporation from the operation of certain provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts with regard to superfluous lands; and further provisions as to the acquisition of lands by agreement for waterworks purposes and the protection of waterworks.

5. The enactment of provisions for securing the purity of water to be taken by the Corporation, including provisions for enabling them to acquire lands and construct works for intercepting impure waters; to enter into agreements with landowners for drainage of lands; to prohibit bathing and mooring of vessels within such limits as may be prescribed by the intended Act, or the throwing of offensive matter into the river Ouse or its tributaries; to put in force the provisions of the Rivers Pollution Prevention Acts, and other Acts; to cleanse and dredge the river Ouse and its tributaries; and to make byelaws for preventing pollution from adjoining lands or vessels.

6. The enactment of further provisions with regard to the supply of water by the Corporation, including provisions as to the collection of water rates half-yearly in advance, and along with the general or other rate of the Corporation; the fixing of a date for the payment of water rates and charges; the fixing of rates for water used for washing motor cars etc.; provisions as to communication pipes and fittings, and the maintenance thereof; separate communication pipes for different houses; maintenance of common pipes; the increase of the guarantee under section 35 of the Water-