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An Act to enable the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the borough of Huddersfield to construct additional Tramways Street and Road Improvements Waterworks and other works and to make further provision for the good government of the borough and for other purposes. A.D. 1882.

[18th August 1882.]

WHEREAS the borough of Huddersfield in the west riding of the county of York is a municipal borough subject to the Acts relating to municipal corporations and the mayor aldermen and burgesses of the said borough (herein-after called "the Corporation") acting by the Council are the urban sanitary authority for the district thereof:

And whereas the following Acts are in force within the borough (that is to say):—

The Huddersfield Burial Ground Act 1852;	15 & 16 Vict. c. 41.
The Huddersfield Burial Ground Amendment Act 1855;	18 & 19 Vict. c. 89.
The Huddersfield Gas Act 1861;	24 & 25 Vict. c. lvi.
The Huddersfield Water Act 1869;	32 & 33 Vict. c. cx.
The Huddersfield Waterworks Act 1871;	34 & 35 Vict. c. xxiii.
The Huddersfield Improvement Act 1871;	34 & 35 Vict. c. cli.
The Huddersfield Waterworks and Improvement Act 1876; and	39 & 40 Vict. c. c.
The Huddersfield Improvement Act 1880;	43 & 44 Vict. c. xcix.

which Acts are in this Act collectively referred to as "the former Acts" and each of them separately as an Act of the year in which it was passed the two Acts of 1871 being respectively distinguished as "the Water Act of 1871" and "the Improvement Act of 1871":

And whereas the Corporation are constructing tramways in the borough under the powers of the Act of 1880 and it is expedient that the time limited by that Act for such of them as are not yet completed be extended and that the Corporation be authorised to make the tramways herein-after described:

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And whereas the Corporation are the owners of the gas and water undertakings of the borough and supply gas and water therein and to places adjacent thereto:

And whereas the Corporation are the owners of the markets and fairs authorised to be held in and for the borough and have under statutory powers provided slaughter-houses in connexion therewith:

And whereas it is expedient that the Corporation be authorised to make the street and road improvements herein-after described:

And whereas in order the better to enable the Corporation to exercise their power to take use and appropriate the overflow water (if any) from the Wessenden Reservoir, and also all or any of the springs streams and waters of the Great Dyke Springs and of the Blake Clough and Blakeley Clough and of the northern side of the Wessenden Valley above the level of an extension of the catchwater drain from Binn House to the Wessenden Reservoir and to convey such waters to the Blackmoor Foot Reservoir of the Corporation, or to their district of supply, if they shall think proper so to do it is expedient that they be authorised to make in the township of Marsden-in-Almondbury the waterworks herein-after described:

And whereas it is expedient that the Corporation be also authorised to make the other waterworks in this Act described:

And whereas by the Water Act of 1871 and by the Act of 1876 respectively the Corporation were authorised to construct certain additional waterworks and to purchase lands therefor compulsorily and the time limited by the Water Act of 1871 for such purchase expired on the twenty-fifth day of May eighteen hundred and seventy-eight and the term limited by the Act of 1876 for such purchase will expire on the thirteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two:

And whereas the Corporation have from time to time constructed such portions of the said respective works as the circumstances of their waterworks required and it is expedient that the time for completing the remainder of those works be extended and that the said powers for the compulsory purchase of lands should so far as they have lapsed be revived and extended and should so far as they are still unexpired be extended:

And whereas the Improvement Commissioners who before the incorporation of the borough had jurisdiction over part thereof formed a burial ground or cemetery for the township of Huddersfield which cemetery (now known as the Highfield Cemetery) was transferred to and vested in the Corporation by the Improvement Act of 1871 (section 262):

And whereas by an Order of Her Majesty the Queen in Council made on the sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred

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and eighty-two under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament relating to the burial of the dead in England beyond the metropolis (which Acts are herein-after termed "the Burial Acts") stating amongst other things that Orders in Council have been made directing the discontinuance of burials in the burial grounds of the parishes of Kirkheaton and Almondbury partly situate within the said borough. It was ordered that powers should be vested in the council of the said borough for providing requisite places of burial for the inhabitants of the said parishes:

And whereas under the provisions of the Act of 1852 certain other burial places in the parish of Huddersfield which parish is also partly situate within the borough have been closed with the sanction of Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State:

And whereas the said parishes are of great extent and include the townships of Huddersfield Lindley-cum-Quarmby Dalton Almondbury and Lockwood which are within the borough and also various other townships which are wholly without the borough:

And whereas by section 74 of the Act of 1876 the Corporation and any burial board within the borough or the trustees thereof are authorised to enter into and carry into effect agreements for the transfer to the Corporation of the burial ground and property of such burial board:

And whereas a part of the township of Almondbury has been constituted an ecclesiastical district and has a burial board and a burial ground but no such agreement has as yet been entered into between the Corporation and such burial board:

And whereas the Corporation in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Order in Council have provided with the sanction of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State a plot of land adjoining their existing cemetery for the purpose of enlarging the same and it is expedient that such land be thrown into and constitute for all purposes a part of the said cemetery:

And whereas it is apprehended that the powers of the Corporation as a burial board by virtue of Her Majesty's said Order in Council may extend to the said townships which are beyond the borough and to the said ecclesiastical district and it is expedient that such powers should be limited and made applicable to those townships only which are situate within the borough and as to the township of Almondbury to such part thereof within the borough as is not included within the said ecclesiastical district:

And whereas it is expedient that the Corporation be authorised to create a fire insurance fund for the insuring of the property of the Corporation:

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And whereas it is expedient that the Corporation be authorised to form a fund to provide for any expenses and compensation incurred under the Employers Liability Act 1880 or to subscribe to any such fund formed by persons in their employ or to any society established to effect insurances against such expenses and compensation:

And whereas it is expedient that further borrowing and other powers be conferred upon the Corporation and that further and better provision be made for the management and regulation of the borough and that certain of the former Acts be in divers particulars altered and amended and the powers thereof extended:

And whereas it is expedient that the Corporation be empowered to exercise their statutory borrowing powers for the time being by means of the creation and issue of Corporation stock:

And whereas the objects aforesaid cannot be effected without the authority of Parliament:

And whereas estimates have been prepared by the Corporation for the purchase of land for and the execution of the following works by this Act authorised and the construction and completion of works by the former Acts of the Corporation authorised and such estimates are as follows:

For waterworks purposes fifty thousand pounds;

For market purposes twenty-five thousand pounds;

For burial ground purposes eight thousand pounds:

And whereas the several works included in such estimates are permanent works within the meaning of the two hundred and thirty-fourth section of the Public Health Act 1875.

38 & 39 Vict. c. 55.

And whereas section one hundred and forty-two (Application to be made to Parliament if additional powers necessary) of the Towns Improvement Clauses Act 1847 is in force within the borough and the Corporation have made the application for this Act by special order in the manner by that Act defined:

10 & 11 Vict. c. 34.

And whereas plans and sections showing the lines situation and levels of the tramways and works by this Act authorised and plans showing the lands which may be acquired under the powers of this Act and a book of reference to those plans containing the names of the owners or reputed owners lessees or reputed lessees and of the occupiers of and describing such lands have been deposited with the clerk of the peace for the west riding of the county of York and are in this Act referred to as the deposited plans sections and book of reference:

May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with

the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows (that is to say) :— A.D. 1882.

PART I.—Preliminary.

1. This Act may be cited as the Huddersfield Corporation Act 1882. Short title.

2. This Act is divided into parts as follows :— Act divided into parts.

Part I.—Preliminary ;
Part II.—Tramways ;
Part III.—Waterworks ;
Part IV.—Street works ;
Part V.—Burial grounds ;
Part VI.—Traction engines ;
Part VII.—Miscellaneous amendments of former Acts ;
Part VIII.—Offences ;
Part IX.—Lands ;
Part X.—Finance ;
Part XI.—Corporation stock ;
Part XII.—Miscellaneous.

3. The following Acts and parts of Acts (that is to say)— Incorporation of Acts.

The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts 1845 1860 and 1869 ; 8 & 9 Vict. c. 18. 23 & 24 Vict. c. 106.

Section 3 (Interpretation of terms) section 19 (Local authority may lease or take tolls) and Parts II. and III. of the Tramways Act 1870 ; 32 & 33 Vict. c. 18. 33 & 34 Vict. c. 78.

The Waterworks Clauses Act 1847 (except the provisions thereof with respect to the amount of profits to be received by the undertakers when the waterworks are carried on for their benefit and as varied by section 51 of the Act of 1880) ; 10 & 11 Vict. c. 17.

The Waterworks Clauses Act 1863 ; and 26 & 27 Vict. c. 93.

Section 138 (Saving from effects of repeal) of the Act of 1876 ;

as far as they are applicable for the purposes of and not varied by or inconsistent with this Act are hereby incorporated with and form part of this Act.

4. In this Act— Interpretation.

Terms to which meanings are assigned by enactments incorporated or to be construed with this Act or which have therein special meanings have in this Act and for the purposes of this Act the same respective meanings unless there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction ;

"The improvement provisions" means the Improvement Act of 1871 as amended and extended by the provisions (other than

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those relating to water) of the Act of 1876 and by the Act of 1880;

"The Corporation Acts" means and includes every Act for the time being in force in the borough under which the Corporation are empowered to borrow money;

5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 76. "The Municipal Corporations Acts" means the Municipal Corporation Act 1835 and any Act amending the same or otherwise relating to municipal corporations in England;

"The Public Health Acts" means the Public Health Act 1875 and any Act amending the same or otherwise affecting the Corporation as a sanitary authority.

Construction of Acts.

5. With respect to the construction of the former Acts and this Act the following provisions shall have effect (that is to say):—

(1.) "The water provisions" as amended and extended by this Act and the provisions of this Act relating to water shall be construed and have effect together as one Act and may be cited as the Huddersfield Water Acts and are herein-after referred to as "the Water Acts;"

(2.) "The improvement provisions" as amended and extended by this Act and the provisions of this Act not relating exclusively to water shall be construed and have effect together as one Act and may be cited as the Huddersfield Improvement Acts 1871 to 1882 and are herein-after referred to as "the Improvement Acts."

Saving of rights of lord or lords of the manors of Huddersfield and Almondbury.

6. Subject to the express provisions of this Act nothing in this Act contained shall extend to or be deemed construed or taken as in anywise extending to extinguish prejudice diminish affect or disturb or as authorising anything to be done or omitted to be done so as to extinguish prejudice diminish affect or disturb any right privilege franchise incorporeal hereditament or profit belonging to the lord or lords of the manors of Huddersfield and Almondbury respectively for the time being or belonging to the person or persons for the time being in receipt of or entitled to the rents and profits of the estates from time to time subject to the subsisting uses of the will of Sir John Ramsden Baronet deceased or of any settlement or re-settlement thereof or of any Act of Parliament relating to the same or reserved or conferred by the Act of Parliament passed in the seventh and eighth years of the reign of King George the Fourth intituled "An Act for supplying with water "the town and neighbourhood of Huddersfield in the west riding "of the county of York" or by the Act of Parliament passed in the eighth and ninth years of the reign of Her present Majesty intituled "An Act to alter enlarge and amend an Act for supplying with

7 & 8 Geo. 4. c. lxxxiv.

8 & 9 Vict. c. lxx.

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" water the town and neighbourhood of Huddersfield in the west " riding of the county of York" or by the Huddersfield Improvement Act 1848 or any of them but such rights privileges incorporeal hereditaments and profits respectively subject as aforesaid shall remain continue and be used exercised enjoyed and taken in the same manner in all respects as if this Act had not been passed. 11 & 12 Vict. c. cxl.

Limits of Act.

7. This Act except where otherwise expressed or implied shall apply exclusively to the borough.

Act to be executed by Council.

8. This Act shall be carried into execution by the Corporation acting by the Council and according and subject to the Municipal Corporations Acts and the Public Health Acts and such of the provisions of the former Acts as are now in force and as amended by this Act and the other Acts for the time being affecting the Corporation as a municipal body and sanitary authority respectively and with all the rights powers privileges exemptions and authorities conferred by those Acts respectively on the Corporation and on the Council and committees of the Council and the officers agents and servants of the Corporation with respect to matters provided for by or comprised in the before-mentioned Acts respectively and as nearly as may be in all respects as if the powers duties exemptions and property vested in imposed on or enjoyed by the Corporation by or under this Act were vested in imposed on or enjoyed by them by or under those Acts respectively.

PART II.—Tramways.

Abandonment of part of tramway No. 9 of 1880.

9. The Corporation may abandon the construction of so much of tramway No. 9 authorised by the Act of 1880 as lies between its authorised point of commencement in Northumberland Street in the township and parish of Huddersfield and a point in Shore Head in the same township and parish about ten yards westward of the south-west corner of the building now or lately known as the Seed Hill National School.

Power to make tramways.

10. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Corporation may make form lay down use and maintain wholly within the borough the tramways herein-after described in the lines and according to the levels shown on the deposited plans and sections and in all respects in accordance with those plans and sections with all such rails plates sleepers junctions turntables turnovers crossings passing places stables carriage-houses sheds works and conveniences connected therewith as may be necessary or proper therefor and for connecting and using the same with the authorised tramways of the Corporation.

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The tramways herein-before referred to and authorised by this Act will be wholly laid as single lines except at the passing places where they will be double lines and are those following (that is to say):

Tramway A 53 chains and 10 yards in length whereof 52 chains and 10 yards are single line and 6 chains (at passing places) double line commencing by a junction with tramway No. 1 authorised by the Act of 1880 and terminating at the junction of Saint John's Road with Blacker Road North (Birkby);

Tramways B and C being respectively short passing places in Saint John's Road connected with and subsidiary to tramway A;

Tramway D (a single line) 20 chains and 10 yards in length in lieu of the portion of tramway No. 9 so proposed to be abandoned commencing at the before-described point in Shore Head and terminating in New Street by a junction with tramway No. 1 authorised by the Act of 1880;

Tramway E a deviation of part of tramway No. 6 authorised by the Act of 1880 such deviation being a single line about 9 chains and 10 yards in length and commencing at a point in the said authorised tramway No. 6 in Glen Street and terminating in Manchester Road by a junction with tramway No. 4 authorised by the Act of 1880 at the authorised point of junction of the said authorised tramways No. 4 and No. 6.

Railway companies may temporarily remove tramway A for certain purposes.

11. When and as the London and North-western Railway Company and the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company or either of them shall have occasion to repair strengthen widen reconstruct or alter the bridge carrying their railway over John William Street the said companies or either of them shall have full liberty on giving to the Corporation seven clear days previous notice in writing to take up and remove wholly or in part tramway A or to stop or delay the traffic thereon but only for so long as shall be reasonably necessary for effecting those purposes without being liable for any compensation claims demands losses damages costs or expenses for or on account of such removal stoppage or delay or in any way relating thereto and the Corporation shall at their own expense restore so much of the tramway as it may be requisite to disturb for the purpose of carrying out the works aforesaid.

Period for completion of tramways.

12. If the tramways by this Act authorised be not completed within four years from the passing of this Act then on the expiration of that period the powers by this Act granted to the Corporation for executing the same or otherwise in relation thereto shall cease

to be exercised except as to so much of the said tramways respectively as is then completed.

Extending time for completion of authorised tramways.

13. The periods limited by section 13 (Periods for completion of tramways) of the Act of 1880 for the completion of the following tramways is hereby extended as follows (that is to say) :—

The period of three years thereby limited is extended to six years

and

The period of seven years thereby limited is extended to ten years

and the said section 13 shall be read and construed accordingly.

Power to deviate laterally subject to certain conditions.

14. In constructing and maintaining the tramways for the time being of the Corporation they may deviate laterally from the lines shown on the plans deposited in respect of those several tramways to any extent not exceeding one foot but no such deviation shall be made so as to make the distance between the outer rail of the tramway and the outer edge of the footway on either side of the road less than ten feet and six inches if the owner lessee or occupier of any house shop or warehouse abutting on that part of the highway where such less distance would occur shall at any time before the completion of such deviation by notice in writing under his hand delivered or sent by post in a registered letter to the town clerk object to such deviation.

Power to alter level of rails.

15. The Corporation may from time to time alter and maintain the level of the rails of any tramways so that they shall correspond with the level of the street wherein such tramway is laid.

Certain tramway provisions of Act of 1880 extended to tramways by this Act authorised.

16. The provisions of sections 15 to 43 both inclusive of the Act of 1880 and the regulations with respect to use of steam or mechanical power on tramways contained in the first schedule to that Act shall extend and apply mutatis mutandis to and in relation to the tramways by this Act authorised.

Corporation may in certain cases work tramways.

17. If the Corporation are unable to demise the tramways either already or hereby authorised upon such terms as in the opinion of the Board of Trade will yield to the Corporation an adequate rent therefor the Board of Trade may grant a license to the Corporation to work such tramways and the Corporation may thereupon work the same and may provide such plant materials and things as may be requisite or convenient therefor and in such case the several provisions herein-before contained relating to the working of the tramways and the taking of tolls and charges therefor shall extend and apply mutatis mutandis to and in relation to the Corporation.

Provided that if at any time during such working by the Corporation any company make to the Corporation a tender in writing

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to take a lease of and to work the said tramways for such period (not being less than seven years unless the Corporation shall otherwise agree) at such rent and upon such terms and conditions as shall in the opinion of the Board of Trade be adequate and proper and such company at the same time offer to purchase the horses cars engines and fixed and movable plant of the Corporation not included in such lease at a price to be fixed unless otherwise agreed on between such company and the Corporation by a competent valuer to be appointed by the Board of Trade then upon payment of such price the Corporation shall demise the said tramways to such company at such rent and upon such terms and conditions and the powers of the Corporation to work the said tramways shall cease and determine.

Further provisions as to construction of tramways.

18. In addition to the requirements of section 26 of the Tramways Act 1870 the Corporation before they proceed to open or break up any road for the purpose of constructing laying down maintaining and renewing any of the tramways authorised by this Act shall lay before the Board of Trade a plan showing the proposed mode of constructing laying down maintaining and renewing such tramways and a statement of the materials intended to be used therein and the Corporation shall not commence the construction laying down maintenance and renewal of any of such tramways or part of any of such tramways respectively except for the purpose of necessary repairs until such plan and statement have been approved by the Board of Trade and after such approval the works shall be executed in accordance in all respects with such plan and statement: Provided always that the word "materials" in this enactment does not include materials used for paving any part of any street under the provisions of the Tramways Act 1870 or this Act.

As to rails of tramways.

19. The rails of the tramways authorised by this Act shall be such as the Board of Trade approve.

PART III.—Waterworks.

Power to make waterworks.

20. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Corporation in the lines and situation shown on the deposited plans and according to the levels shown on the deposited sections may make and maintain the aqueducts catchwater drain tank and other works shown on the deposited plans among which are comprised the following works wholly in the west riding of the county of York (that is to say):

(1) A line of main pipes or aqueduct commencing by a junction with the existing service tank of the Corporation situate at or near Clough Head in the township of Golcar in the parish of

Huddersfield and terminating at or in the intended service tank next herein-after described;

(2) A service tank to be situated wholly within the township of Stainland-with-Old-Lindley and parish of Halifax in a field at Lee Hill;

(3) A catchwater drain or conduit to be wholly situate in the township of Marsden-in-Almondbury in the parish of Almondbury commencing by a junction at or near Binn House with the authorised catchwater drain or conduit of the Corporation now in course of construction and terminating at or near the northern end of the embankment of the Wessenden Reservoir;

(4) A line of main pipes or aqueduct wholly within the said township of Marsden-in-Almondbury commencing at or in the existing tank or basin of the Corporation situate on Blakeley Moss, and terminating by a junction with the intended catchwater drain or conduit (No. 3) herein-before described in Adam Pasture;

And in addition to and in connexion with the foregoing works the Corporation may make and maintain all needful and proper cuttings and embankments bridges dams sluices bye-washes weirs tanks gauges conduits adits tunnels pipes valves apparatus approaches works and conveniences.

Limits of lateral and vertical deviation.

21. In the construction of the aqueducts conduit tank and works connected therewith respectively and authorised by this Act the Corporation may deviate laterally from the lines thereof as shown on the deposited plans to the extent of the limits of lateral deviation marked thereon and beyond those limits with the consent of the persons through whose lands any such deviation is proposed to be made or who may be injuriously affected thereby and when in any road no such limits are shown the boundaries of such road shall be deemed to be such limits and they may deviate vertically from the levels shown on the deposited sections to any extent not exceeding five feet upwards or seven feet downwards.

Period for completion of waterworks.

22. If the waterworks shown on the deposited plans and authorised by this Act are not completed within fifteen years from the passing of this Act then on the expiration of that period the powers by this Act granted to the Corporation for executing any work not so completed or in relation thereto shall cease to be exercised except as to any part thereof then completed but nothing in this section shall restrict the Corporation from extending enlarging altering or removing any of their engines machinery mains or pipes or improving their supply of water at any time and from time to time as occasion requires.

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Revival of powers of Water Act of 1871 for purchase of lands compulsorily.

23. The powers granted by the Water Act of 1871 for the compulsory purchase of lands (other than the lands mentioned in Part I. of the first schedule to this Act and lands already purchased by the Corporation) are hereby revived and extended until the twenty-fifth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five on which day those powers shall cease.

Extension of time for purchase of lands for waterworks under powers of Act of 1876.

24. The time limited by the Act of 1876 for the compulsory purchase of lands for the construction of the waterworks by that Act authorised (other than the lands mentioned in Part II. of the said first schedule and lands already purchased by the Corporation) is hereby extended until the thirteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Extension of time for completion of waterworks authorised by Water Act of 1871 and Act of 1876.

25. The times limited by the Water Act of 1871 and the Act of 1876 respectively for the completion of the waterworks by those Acts respectively authorised are hereby respectively extended until the thirteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Supply of water to local authorities, &c.

26. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Corporation may from time to time enter into and fulfil such contracts and arrangements with any corporation urban or rural sanitary authority or other local authority and the trustees of any turnpike or other road or any highway board or any surveyors of any highway and any railway company and any other companies bodies or persons with respect to the supply of water in bulk or otherwise within and beyond their limits of supply as the Corporation think fit and every such contract and arrangement may be for such period on such terms pecuniary or otherwise and conditions as the Corporation think fit and the Corporation may by agreement vary suspend or rescind any such contracts or arrangements and make others in lieu thereof and in addition thereto.

Provided that the Corporation shall not under the powers of this section supply water

Within any part of the township and local board district of Honley or of Thurstonland respectively not now within the authorised limits of supply of the Corporation or within the townships of Upperthong Austonley Holme Cartworth Foolstone and Wooldale or any of them or the eastern portion of the township of Netherthong eastward of the Wolfstones Road except with the consent of the Corporation of Batley;

Or in any place beyond the limits of supply for the time being of the Corporation except with the consent in writing of the local authority of such place and also of any local authority company or person supplying water in such place but only so far as such supply extends.

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Provisions for sale of portions of undertaking to sanitary authorities.

27. If at any time after the passing of this Act any sanitary authority whose district is beyond the existing limits of the Corporation for the supply of water shall give not less than six months notice in writing to the Corporation of their desire to purchase such portion of the water undertaking of the Corporation as is contained within such district and shall obtain the consent of the Local Government Board to such purchase and shall apply to Parliament or the Local Government Board for power to purchase such portion of the undertaking of the Corporation (except the lands wells streams adits waters waterworks mains and pipes or other apparatus which shall be necessary for supplying with water any other part of the limits of supply of the Corporation) and to supply water within such district then it shall not be lawful for the Corporation to oppose such application (except as to the details thereof) and if such powers of purchase be granted the Corporation shall sell and such sanitary authority shall purchase such portion of the undertaking of the Corporation (except as aforesaid) within the district of such sanitary authority at such price and upon such terms and conditions as shall be fixed in default of agreement by arbitration under the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts and the Corporation shall apply the proceeds of any sale under this section as capital moneys for the purposes of their water undertaking Provided always that any arbitrator or umpire in determining the sum to be paid by such sanitary authority for such portions of the water undertaking shall if the Corporation so desire have regard to the circumstances in which the Corporation have furnished such supply of water under the provisions of this Act Provided further that after the completion of such purchase all obligations on the part of the Corporation to supply water within such district shall cease and determine and the Corporation may cut off the connexion between their mains and pipes and the portion of the undertaking purchased by such sanitary authority.

PART IV.—Street Works.

Power to make street improvements.

28. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Corporation may if they think fit in the lines and situation and upon the lands in that behalf delineated on the deposited plans and described in the book of reference make and maintain the street improvements and works and do the things following wholly within the borough (that is to say):—

No. 1 The widening and improving of Blacker Lane otherwise Blacker Road North (Birkby) on the north-west side thereof

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commencing at the south-east corner of the front garden of the dwelling-house occupied by Mary Ramsden and extending thence for a distance of about fifty yards in a south-westerly direction;

No. 2 The widening and improving of Birkby Lodge Road (Birkby) on the south-west side thereof commencing at its junction with Blacker Road North and extending thence to and including the bridge which passes the said Birkby Lodge Road over the stream called Clayton Dike;

No. 3. The widening and improving of Birkby Hall Road (Birkby) on the north-east side thereof commencing at a point about nine yards north-east of the northern gatepost of the lower or eastern entrance gates to Birkby Hall and extending thence for a distance of about seventy-seven yards in a north-westerly direction;

And in addition to and in connexion with the foregoing works the Corporation may make and maintain

All necessary approaches retaining walls piers abutments embankments arches goits culverts conveniences and works.

Extension of certain powers of former Acts to street improvements.

29. The following sections of the former Acts (that is to say):—

Of the Improvement Act of 1871—

Section 17 (Alteration of level of pavements &c.):

Section 18 (Streets may be stopped for temporary purposes):

Section 85 (Power to make minor works connected with new streets &c.):

Section 86 (Alterations of sewers gas and water pipes):

Section 88 (Agreements with Sir John Ramsden for streets):

Section 96 (Power to deviate from levels &c.); and

Section 97 (Time for completion of works).

And of the Act of 1876—

Section 25 (Streets disused vested in Corporation for sale):

Section 26 (Elevation of buildings fronting streets to be as Corporation approve):

shall extend and apply mutatis mutandis to and in relation to the street improvements and works by this Act authorised.

PART V.—Burial Grounds.

Extending jurisdiction of the Council as a burial board.

30. The Council of the borough shall be the burial board under and according to the Burial Acts in and for the several townships of Huddersfield Lindley-cum-Quarmby Dalton Lockwood and that part of the township of Almondbury not included in the said

ecclesiastical district and shall and may exercise such powers within and for the inhabitants of all or any of the said townships and part of township respectively and the parts of the parishes of Huddersfield Almondbury and Kirkheaton which are outside the borough and the said ecclesiastical district shall with respect to the Burial Acts continue in the same position and have the same powers as if the said Order of Her Majesty in Council had not been made. A.D. 1882.

As to extension of cemetery at Highfields.

31. The Corporation may add to their existing cemetery at Highfields the land adjoining thereto which under the sanction of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State they have provided and thereupon such land shall constitute for all purposes part of that cemetery and the Corporation shall have and may exercise and enjoy all such and the like powers rights authorities and privileges over and in respect of such land as they may for the time being exercise and enjoy over and in respect of the said cemetery and the capital expenses incurred in the acquisition of such land and otherwise in relation thereto shall be provided out of the moneys borrowed under the powers of this Act for burial grounds purposes.

PART VI.—Traction Engines.

Traction engines.

32. The following provisions with respect to the use of traction engines in the borough shall have effect (that is to say) :—

(1) The Corporation may from time to time prescribe the streets or classes of streets along or across which alone traction engines shall pass and as to any streets along or across which they may so pass and in the case of streets in which any tramway is laid the part of the street to be traversed by such engines and the owner and person in charge of any such engine who shall knowingly pass therewith along or across any street not so prescribed or who shall traverse any part of such last-mentioned street other than the part thereof so prescribed except for the purpose of crossing from one prescribed street to another prescribed street shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds in addition to the cost of repairing any damage to such street or tramway which may arise by reason of such offence;

(2) The Corporation may require any person who desires to use a traction engine in any street to deposit with them such sum of money not exceeding one hundred pounds as they may deem reasonable to recoup them the cost of repairing any damage which may be caused to any street or tramway by

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any such engine passing along or over the same respectively and in case of any such damage they may repair the same and apply such deposit to meet as far as it will extend the cost of such repair and may recover the balance of such cost from such person and so from time to time;

(3) If the Corporation require any person to make such deposit they shall pay interest to such person after the rate of three pounds ten shillings per centum per annum on the amount of the deposit for the time being in the hands of the Corporation not so applied as aforesaid;

(4) No person using or conducting any such engine shall supply the same with water from any public fountain trough well or receptacle for water situate in any street within the borough except with the license of the Corporation and upon such terms as to payment and otherwise as shall be stated therein and any person offending against this provision shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

PART VII.—Miscellaneous Amendments of former Acts.

Amending section 17 of the Improvement Act of 1871.

33. The provisions of section 17 (Alteration of levels of pavements &c.) of the Improvement Act of 1871 shall extend and apply to and in relation to the alteration of the roadway or carriageway and footways of any street of whatever material the same respectively may be formed or constructed.

Gas stoves &c.

34. The Corporation may manufacture sell and let gas stoves and apparatus for heating cooking and other purposes and may make and recover rents and charges therefor.

Knackers yards &c.

35. The provisions of section 61 (Power to license slaughterhouses) of the Act of 1876 shall extend and apply mutatis mutandis to knackers yards and all places used for the slaughtering of animals or the dealing with the carcases of dead animals and the Corporation in addition to the byelaws for the purposes in that section mentioned may from time to time make byelaws for regulating the receiving of animals to be slaughtered and the retention and disposal of the carcases or parts thereof when slaughtered so far as they deem necessary to prevent nuisance or injury to health.

Saving for Acts relating to animals &c. 41 & 42 Vict. c. 74.

36. Nothing in or done under this Act or the Act of 1876 shall interfere with the operation or effect of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878 or of any order license or act of Her Majesty's Privy Council made granted or done or to be made granted or done thereunder or of any order regulation license or act of a local

authority made granted or done or to be made granted or done under any such order of the Privy Council or exempt the markets slaughter-houses knackers yards or other places used for the slaughtering of animals to which this Act or the Act of 1876 relates or any building or thing whatsoever or any body or person from the provisions of any general Act relating to animals already passed or to be passed in this or any future session of Parliament.

Amending section 47 of the Act of 1876.

37. The expression "place of business" in section 47 (Prohibition of sale except in markets, &c.) of the Act of 1876 shall be construed to mean any shop or warehouse only and shall not extend to any road yard passage or ground over which any person other than the owner or occupier of such shop or warehouse shall have any right of way passage or access whether temporary or permanent.

Amending section 129 of the Improvement Act of 1871.

38. If any new building (within the definition of new building as defined by the Act of 1880) erected since the passing of the Improvement Act of 1871 or hereafter to be erected and used or intended to be used as a place of public amusement or entertainment be not constructed in such manner as to meet the approval of the Corporation in any matter which under the provisions of section 129 (Construction of buildings for public amusement &c.) of the Improvement Act of 1871 is subject to their approval they may order such new building to be altered as to any such matter in such manner as they may direct and if such alteration be not made the provisions of section 303 (Power to execute works &c. in default of person liable) of that Act shall extend to and in relation to such new building and in the meantime the same shall not be used for any such purpose as aforesaid and if any person shall so use the same after such order and before the same shall have been altered in accordance therewith he shall be liable to a daily penalty not exceeding twenty pounds so long as such offence shall continue.

Amending section 267 of the Improvement Act of 1871.

39. Every license granted under the provisions of section 267 (Places for dancing music and other entertainments) of the Improvement Act of 1871 shall (unless revoked) continue in force for one year or for such shorter period as the justices shall on the grant of such license determine The notice to be given by any person intending to apply for any such license or for the transfer of any such license shall be fourteen days instead of seven days as required by sub-section (4) of that section but this enactment shall not be construed to repeal or alter the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 74 (Amending section 267 of Improvement Act of 1871) of the Act of 1880.

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PART VIII.—Offences.

Offences.

40. Every person who in a street (or elsewhere than in a street in the cases in that behalf in this section specified) commits any of the following offences (that is to say) :—

Whoever shall throw over or against any person any noxious or offensive matter thing or liquid;

Whoever shall place deposit or leave in any street for a longer time than is fairly required for the removing of the same therefrom any furniture goods wares merchandise coke coal building materials or other article or thing or who shall permit the same to remain therein after sunset without a sufficient light and fence for the protection of passengers;

Whoever shall wantonly injure cover tear down or deface any posting bill notice announcement order or advertisement or shall wantonly pull down break or injure any board pole or other thing which may contain support or exhibit such notice announcement bill order or advertisement;

Whoever shall in any street or in any public building or place use any threatening abusive riotous or obscene language or be guilty of any riotous indecent or disorderly conduct or conduct with intent or tendency to provoke a breach of the peace;

Whoever does any act to detain or hinder the dispersal (at the instance of a police officer) of a crowd;

The driver and conductor of any cart or carriage who shall not on the order of a constable stationed to regulate traffic at any street crossing stop such cart or carriage;

The driver conductor or person in charge of any cart or carriage who shall leave or permit the same to stand or remain after being ordered by a constable to drive on or make way or to stand or remain during the night without a proper person in charge thereof;

The driver conductor or person in charge of any cart or carriage who does not keep the same to the left or near side of the road (except in cases of actual necessity or some sufficient cause for deviation);

shall be deemed to have been guilty of an offence within the meaning of section 232 (Penalty on persons committing any of the offences enumerated) of the Improvement Act of 1871.

PART IX.—Lands.

Power to Corporation to take certain

41. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Corporation may enter upon take and use all or any part of the lands described in

the deposited plans and book of reference which they may require for the purposes of this Act.

of the lands referenced.

42. The powers of the Corporation for the compulsory purchase of lands for the purposes of this Act shall not be exercised after the expiration of five years from the passing of this Act.

Limitation of time for compulsory purchase of lands.

43. Notwithstanding anything shown on the deposited plans the Corporation shall not enter upon take or use more than the following quantities of the following moors or commons (that is to say):

Limiting the quantity of common to be taken.

Of Binn Moor or Common five acres;
Of Hey Brinks Moor or Common five acres;
Of Butterley Moor or Common four acres;
Of Birk Moss thirty acres; and
Of Blakeley Moss twenty acres;

and the Corporation shall not erect on any such lands any building not required for waterworks purposes.

44. The Corporation may (in addition to the lands they are authorised to acquire and hold under the powers of the former Acts and under the other powers of this Act) from time to time by agreement acquire in fee either by purchase or by way of exchange or otherwise any land not exceeding in the whole for waterworks purposes fifty acres and for other purposes of this Act ten acres or any easement power or privilege therein thereunder thereover or thereupon (not being an easement or privilege of water) which shall be deemed necessary by the Corporation but the Corporation shall not deal with any such lands so as to create a nuisance nor shall they use for any building purpose unconnected with their waterworks any lands so acquired for the purposes thereof.

Power to acquire additional lands by agreement.

45. The consideration for any such acquisition may be either money or land or any yearly sum or rentcharge or other rent or a mixed consideration of money and land and on any exchange the Corporation may give or take any money for equality of exchange.

Consideration for such acquisition.

46. And whereas in the construction of the street improvements and works hereby authorised it may happen that portions only of certain of the lands and buildings shown on the deposited plans may be sufficient for the purposes of the same and that such portions may be severed from the remainder of the said properties without material detriment thereto Therefore notwithstanding section ninety-two of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act 1845 the owners of and persons interested in the lands and buildings described in the second schedule to this Act and whereof parts only

Owners may be required to sell parts only of certain lands and buildings.

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are required for the purposes of this Act may (if such portions can in the judgment of the jury arbitrator or other authority assessing or determining the compensation under that Act be severed from such properties without material detriment thereto) be required to sell and convey to the Corporation the portions only of the premises so required without the Corporation being obliged or compellable to purchase the whole or any greater portion thereof the Corporation paying for the portions required by them and making compensation for any damage sustained by the owners thereof or other parties interested therein by severance or otherwise.

Provisions as to sale and lease of lands.

47. The provisions of the following sections of the Act of 1880 (that is to say):

Section 95 (Power to stop up footways);

Section 99 (Power to take easements, &c., by agreement);

Section 102 (Corporation may use their own lands for purposes of Act);

and the provisions of the following sections of the Improvement Act of 1871 (that is to say):

Section 321 (Correction of errors, omissions, &c.) as amended by section 104 of the Act of 1880;

Section 326 (Power to grant building leases of lands near park, &c.);

Section 327 (Power to make agreements as to building leases, &c.);

Section 328 (Sale of lands subject to building leases, &c.);

Section 329 (Power to sell without previous grant of building lease);

Section 330 (Sales to be made within limited time);

Section 331 (Power to sell, &c., lands not wanted) as explained by section 103 of the Act of 1880;

Section 332 (Application of purchase money of land) and

Section 333 (Lands in certain cases not to be sold without consent of Treasury)

shall (so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act) extend and apply mutatis mutandis to the acquisition lease and sale of lands acquired by the Corporation under the powers of this Act.

PART X.—Finance.

Power to borrow.

48. The Corporation may from time to time (in addition to any moneys they are now authorised to borrow) borrow at interest on the following securities and for the following purposes being purposes to which capital is properly applicable and not otherwise the following sums (that is to say):—

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For market purposes twenty-five thousand pounds on security of the revenue of the market undertaking and the borough fund and borough rate;

For burial ground purposes eight thousand pounds on the security of the burial ground receipts and that part of the borough rate which is leviable within the township of Huddersfield.

Period within which borrowed moneys for other than waterworks purposes are to be repaid.

49. The period within which the moneys borrowed by the Corporation under the powers of this Act for other than waterworks purposes shall be repaid shall be sixty years.

Date for commencement of formation of sinking fund for other than waterworks purposes.

50. The appropriation for the sinking fund to be established for the repayment of moneys so borrowed shall commence on the first day of January next after the expiration of three clear years from the date of the borrowing of such moneys.

Certain provisions of the Act of 1876 extended to this Act.

51. The following sections of the Act of 1876 (that is to say):

Section 125 (Provisions as to borrowing);

Section 126 (Priority of existing mortgages);

Section 130 (Annual return to Local Government Board with respect to sinking funds);

Section 131 (Power to re-borrow);

Section 135 (Corporation not to regard trusts);

shall extend and apply mutatis mutandis to and in relation to all moneys borrowed under the powers of this Act and to any assessments and rates made for the purposes of this Act and section 130 shall extend and apply to all appropriations and annual repayments made under the provisions of the Local Loans Act 1875 The time for repayment of any moneys so re-borrowed shall not be extended beyond the unexpired portion of the term for which the original loan is sanctioned.

38 & 39 Vict. c. 83.

Increase of amount to be borrowed for waterworks purposes under the Act of 1880.

52. Section 106 (Power to borrow) of the Act of 1880 shall be construed and have effect as though the sum thereby authorised to be borrowed for waterworks purposes had been two hundred thousand pounds instead of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds as therein mentioned.

Application of moneys under former Acts.

53. The Corporation may apply to the purposes of the tramways waterworks and street works by this Act authorised respectively being purposes to which capital is properly applicable and not otherwise any moneys authorised by any of the former Acts to be raised for the like purposes respectively and which have not been applied as by those Acts respectively authorised.

Power to borrow under 38 & 39 Vict. c. 83.

54. The Corporation may if they think fit borrow any moneys which they are by the Corporation Acts or any one or more of them authorised to borrow under the powers and subject to the

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provisions of the Local Loans Act 1875 by means of a loan or loans to be raised by the issue of debentures debenture stock or annuity certificates or partly in one way and partly in another Any moneys borrowed by the Corporation in manner by this section authorised for any of the purposes of the Corporation Acts or any one or more of them shall be a charge upon and shall be paid out of the same funds and rates as they would be charged upon and paid out of if raised by way of mortgage under the powers of the Act authorising the borrowing thereof and such funds and rates shall in each case be deemed to be the local rate as defined by the Local Loans Act 1875 Every such loan shall be discharged within the time prescribed in that behalf by the Act under the authority of which the same shall have been borrowed and such discharge or any part thereof shall be effected by means of a sinking fund if the Corporation shall so think fit Provided always that if the Corporation at any time think fit to form any such sinking fund all sums paid into the same shall be as soon as may be invested by the Corporation in the manner in which sinking funds are by the Act of 1876 or by this Act authorised to be invested The forms set forth or referred to in the fifth schedule to the Act of 1876 may be used by the Corporation for the purposes of the Local Loans Act 1875.

Power to create fire insurance fund.

55. The Corporation in order to provide for the expenses of repairing restoring or rebuilding any premises or property of the Corporation injured or destroyed by fire may annually appropriate out of the borough fund such sum not exceeding in any one year the rate or amount which would suffice to insure the same for the full value thereof in one of the principal fire insurance offices in London as they from time to time think fit and shall carry the sums so appropriated to the credit of a fund to be called "the Fire Insurance Fund" which shall be invested from time to time and accumulated in the way of compound interest by investing the same in such securities as the Corporation are authorised to invest any sinking fund and the Corporation may and shall by and out of such fund repair rebuild or reinstate all buildings or property belonging to them which shall be destroyed or damaged by or by reason of any fire and pay all expenses incurred by them at or by reason of any fire or any damage arising therefrom or connected therewith.

Accident fund to meet compensation under 43 & 44 Vict. c. 42.

56. In order to provide for any costs charges expenses and compensation which the Corporation may incur or be liable to pay by reason of the provisions of the Employers Liability Act 1880 they may annually appropriate out of the borough fund and out of the revenues of the several undertakings of the Corporation such

sums as they think fit and shall carry the sums so appropriated to the credit of a fund to be called "the Accident Fund" which shall be invested and accumulated in the same manner and subject to the same restrictions as is by this Act provided with reference to the fire insurance fund and may apply such accident fund in or towards the settlement or satisfaction of such costs charges expenses and compensation or in lieu of such annual appropriations the Corporation may out of the borough fund and revenues of their several undertakings pay or subscribe such amounts as they think fit to any accident fund established by workpeople in their employ or to any society or company established for effecting insurances or guarantees against contingencies arising under the Employers Liability Act.

Expenses of executing Act.

57. All expenses incurred by the Corporation in carrying into execution the provisions of this Act (except such of those expenses as are to be paid out of borrowed moneys or as are incurred in relation to Corporation stock) shall be paid as follows (that is to say):—

Expenses of and connected with tramways out of tramway revenue;

Expenses of and connected with waterworks out of waterworks revenue;

Expenses of and connected with burial ground out of burial ground receipts;

All other expenses out of the borough fund;

And all deficiencies in the burial ground receipts shall be met out of that part of the borough fund which is leviable within the township of Huddersfield and all deficiencies in either of the said revenues shall be met out of the borough fund and all moneys payable to or receivable by the Corporation under this Act or any byelaw thereunder shall be carried to the borough fund and to the proper account therein.

As to borough rate for School Board purposes. 33 & 34 Vict. c. 75.

58. Section 341 of the Improvement Act of 1871 shall not be construed to extend or apply to any borough rate made for the purposes of the Elementary Education Act 1870 or any Act amending or extending the same.

As to rating of railways &c. for certain purposes.

59. Section 341 of the Improvement Act of 1871 "Assessment for tithes railways &c. in certain cases" shall be incorporated with and form part of this Act and shall extend and apply to any increase or addition made under the authority of this Act to any borough rate levied for purposes other than purposes with respect to which the partial exemption is not at present applicable.

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PART XI.—Corporation Stock.

Preliminary.

Interpretation.

60. (1.) In this part of this Act—

The borough accountant means the accountant of the borough;

Rate includes water rents gas rents and charges for supply of water or gas or of meters or fittings connected therewith;

The Bank of England means the Governor and Company of the Bank of England and includes their successors;

5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 62. Statutory declaration means declaration under the Statutory Declarations Act 1835.

(2.) Any power whether or not coupled with a duty of borrowing or continuing on loan or re-borrowing money or of creating or continuing payment of or in respect of or of redeeming or paying off any annuity rentcharge rent or other security representing or granted in lieu of consideration-money for the time being existing under this Act or under any Act of Parliament public or local passed or to be passed or under any Provisional Order confirmed by Act of Parliament passed or to be passed or under any order or sanction of any Government department made or given or to be made or given by authority of any Act of Parliament passed or to be passed is for purposes of this part of this Act a statutory borrowing power.

(3.) Any security in which trustees are for the time being by or under any Act of Parliament passed or to be passed authorised to invest trust money and any mortgage bond debenture debenture stock Corporation stock annuity rentcharge rent or other security authorised by or under any Act of Parliament passed or to be passed of any municipal corporation including the Corporation or of any other local authority within section thirty-four of the Local Loans Act 1875 is for purposes of this part of this Act a statutory security.

(4.) The provisions of this part of this Act referring to interest apply to and include instalments of an annuity and half-yearly or other payments of or in respect of a rentcharge rent or other statutory security.

Creation and Charge of Stock.

Creation of Corporation stock.

61. (1.) Where the Corporation have for the time being any statutory borrowing power then subject and according to the provisions of this part of this Act the Corporation may from time to time by resolution of the Council exercise the power by creation of stock either redeemable or irredeemable to be from time to time

issued for such amount within the limit of the power at such price to bear such half-yearly or other dividends and to be so transferable that is to say in books or by deed as the Corporation by the resolution direct Provided that all redeemable stock at any time and from time to time created shall be created subject to such terms and conditions as that the same shall be of one and the same class of stock and that all irredeemable stock at any time and from time to time created shall be created subject to such terms and conditions as that the same shall be of one and the same class of stock.

(2.) All stock whether redeemable or irredeemable at any time so created shall rank equally without any priority or preference by reason of any precedence in the date of any statutory borrowing power or in the date of any creation of any portion of stock or in the date of issue of any portion of stock or on any other ground whatsoever and shall also rank equally with all other securities of the Corporation at any time after the date of the first issue of Corporation stock granted by the Corporation in pursuance of any statutory borrowing power.

(3.) The resolution for the first creation of Corporation redeemable stock shall provide that such stock shall be redeemable by the Corporation at par that is to say at the rate of one hundred pounds sterling for every nominal amount of one hundred pounds stock issued at such time and in such manner as the Corporation by that resolution declare.

(4.) Irredeemable stock shall not be redeemable except by agreement between the Corporation and the holder of stock.

(5.) Each resolution for creation of stock shall specify whether the stock thereby created is redeemable or irredeemable.

(6.) Stock so created shall be designated by the Corporation as Huddersfield Corporation redeemable stock or as Huddersfield Corporation irredeemable stock (as the case may require).

(7.) All stock for the time being so created whether redeemable or irredeemable is comprised in the term Corporation stock when hereafter used in this part of this Act except where either redeemable stock or irredeemable stock is separately mentioned.

Borrowing power to be exerciseable for actual sum raiseable.

62. Each statutory borrowing power of the Corporation shall be construed to authorise the Corporation to create and issue Corporation stock from time to time to such nominal amounts as in the aggregate will according to the price of issue produce the actual amount of money for the time being lawfully raiseable by the Corporation under that power or some portion of that actual amount or (as the case may be) the actual amount of money properly payable by the Corporation as consideration on payment off or redemption

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by the Corporation of any mortgage bond debenture debenture stock annuity rentcharge rent or other statutory security granted by the Corporation.

Charge of Corporation stock.

63. (1.) All Corporation stock for the time being issued and the dividends thereon shall be and the same are by virtue of this Act charged indifferently on the whole revenues of the Corporation from time to time arising from the lands undertakings and other property for the time being of the Corporation and on the borough fund and borough rate and on all other funds and rates established and leviable by the Corporation.

(2.) The dividends for the time being payable on all Corporation stock shall rank equally with the interest on all other securities at any time after the date of the first issue of Corporation stock granted or created by the Corporation in pursuance of any statutory borrowing power and the same dividends and interest shall subject to all charges existing at that date be the first charge on the revenues and rates aforesaid and on the revenues of the funds term aforesaid (all which revenues and rates are comprised in the the Corporation revenues when hereafter used in this part of this Act).

Loans Fund.

Establishment of consolidated loans fund.

64. For payment of dividends on all Corporation stock and for redemption and extinction or purchase and extinction of all Corporation stock there shall be established and formed a fund called the Huddersfield Corporation Consolidated Loans Fund (in this part of this Act referred to as the loans fund).

Contributions to loans fund for dividends.

65. (1.) In each year the Corporation shall pay into the loans fund a sum or sums equal to the aggregate amount of all dividends payable in that year on the several portions of Corporation stock issued in exercise of the respective statutory borrowing powers of the Corporation and remaining outstanding.

(2.) They shall provide the sum or sums aforesaid by contributions from the several Corporation revenues if any specifically made liable to provide the same by or under any Act of Parliament or by any resolution of the Corporation having reference to those respective statutory borrowing powers and if as regards any statutory borrowing power there is no such specific liability then from the several Corporation revenues out of which interest would have been payable on money borrowed by the Corporation under that power if that money had been raised and remained secured otherwise than by Corporation stock and in default thereof or subject thereto they shall provide the same out of the borough fund and borough rate.

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(3.) The amounts of those several contributions (subject to any payment in reduction thereof authorised by this part of this Act) shall be the sums ascertained to be required in that behalf by apportionment of that aggregate amount of dividends among those several Corporation revenues according to the amount of stock the dividends whereon are properly payable thereout respectively.

Contributions to loans fund for extinction of stock.

66. (1.) In each year the Corporation shall pay into the loans fund a sum or sums equal to the aggregate amount of all sums payable in that year for redemption and extinction or purchase and extinction of the several portions of Corporation stock issued in exercise of the respective statutory borrowing powers of the Corporation and remaining outstanding.

(2.) They shall provide the sum or sums last aforesaid by contributions from the several Corporation revenues if any specifically made liable to provide the same by or under any Act of Parliament or by any resolution of the Corporation having reference to those respective statutory borrowing powers and if as regards any statutory borrowing power there is no such specific liability then from the several Corporation revenues out of which any yearly or other sums would have been payable towards a sinking fund for discharge or towards payment off by instalments appropriations annual repayments or otherwise of money borrowed by the Corporation under that power if that money had been raised and remained secured otherwise than by Corporation stock and in default thereof or subject thereto out of the borough fund and borough rate.

(3.) The amounts of those several contributions (subject to any payment in reduction thereof authorised by this part of this Act) shall be the same amounts as would in the same respective cases have been payable towards a sinking fund or towards payment off as aforesaid those contributions to be subject to accumulation if and as in the same respective cases accumulation was prescribed.

(4.) The Corporation shall from time to time by investment on statutory securities of the sums paid into the loans fund in respect of those several contributions or of proper parts thereof and by like investment of the interest and annual proceeds arising from those securities make and maintain such accumulations as are in this section referred to.

(5.) But if the extinction of any portion of Corporation stock or any part thereof is accelerated by the application to such extinction of any part of the loans fund required by this part of this Act to be applied to the making and maintenance of those accumulations then a sum or sums equal to the dividends on the stock so

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extinguished shall thenceforth in every year during the residue of the period limited for the continuance of any loan by or under the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof that portion of stock is issued be paid into the loans fund out of the Corporation revenues chargeable with payment of the dividends on that portion of stock.

Raising of contributions to loans fund.

67. (1.) The Corporation shall from time to time in order to raise the amounts of the several contributions of the two kinds aforesaid out of the several Corporation revenues do all such acts exercise all such powers collect all such money and make and levy all such rates as they lawfully can or ought to do exercise collect make and levy for the purposes of or in relation to the respective statutory borrowing powers in exercise whereof the several portions of Corporation stock are issued.

(2.) If by reason of any limit of a rate or for any other reason there is a deficiency on any Corporation revenue in respect of any required contribution the Corporation shall advance the amount of the deficiency out of the borough fund and borough rate.

(3.) The amount so advanced shall be a debt due from the Corporation revenue on which the deficiency existed to the fund or rate out of which the advance is made and interest shall be payable thereon at the rate of three and a half per centum per annum until repayment and the same debt and interest shall as soon as in the judgment of the Corporation reasonably may be be raised and paid out of the Corporation revenue on which the deficiency existed.

Payment of sale money rents &c. to loans fund.

68. (1.) The Corporation shall pay into the loans fund and shall carry to the proper separate account forming part of the general account of the loans fund all such money being capital or in the nature of capital and not being otherwise wholly or in part appropriated or made applicable by law or by valid contract as shall from time to time arise from any sale lease or other disposition of land or other property of the Corporation on the revenues whereof any Corporation stock is charged.

(2.) The Corporation shall pay into the loans fund and shall carry to the proper separate account forming part of the general account of the loans fund the rents and profits of any land and other property of the Corporation acquired by them for the purposes of any undertaking or purpose for or in respect of which any statutory borrowing power is exercised by them by the issue of Corporation stock and not otherwise wholly or in part appropriated or made applicable by law or by valid contract.

(3.) The Corporation before making any payment into the loans fund under this section may deduct from the money or the rents

and profits to which this section applies any costs and expenses properly incurred by the Corporation in or about any sale lease or other disposition or the collection and receipt of any rents and profits.

Application of loans fund.

69. The Corporation shall from time to time apply the loans fund first in paying the dividends on all Corporation stock and next in redeeming Corporation redeemable stock according to the terms of issue and purchasing for extinction Corporation redeemable or irredeemable stock.

Purchase of irredeemable stock.

70. (1.) The Corporation shall not be bound to purchase for extinction any Corporation irredeemable stock unless they can do so at or below par that is to say at a price not higher than the nominal amount thereof.

(2.) If any portion of Corporation irredeemable stock is not wholly extinguished within the period expressly or by implication limited for the continuance of any loan by or under the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof that portion of stock is issued then after that period the dividends on that portion of stock while unextinguished shall be paid out of the interest and annual proceeds of such money and securities forming part of the loans fund as are properly applicable to the extinction of that portion of stock and except as far as at any time a deficiency of the loans fund in that behalf exists no further money shall be paid into the loans fund in respect of those dividends out of the Corporation revenues liable to contribute to the loans fund in respect of those dividends.

(3.) But in that case the Corporation shall continue to pay into the loans fund the yearly sum theretofore required to be provided for extinction of that portion of stock until the securities forming part of the loans fund applicable to that extinction are of sufficient value to enable the Corporation to purchase therewith for extinction the unextinguished part of that portion of stock.

(4.) In case at any time after the expiration of the period limited as aforesaid the Local Government Board are of opinion that the Corporation can without material loss regard being had to the price of issue of the portion of Corporation irredeemable stock which ought to be extinguished within that period and to the rate of dividend payable thereon purchase that portion of stock for extinction then the Local Government Board may if they think fit order the purchase for extinction of that portion of stock or of any part thereof.

(5.) In case at any time during any period limited for the continuance of any loan by or under the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof any portion of Corporation irredeemable stock

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is issued the Local Government Board are of opinion that regard being had to the market value of Corporation irredeemable stock the provision made for the purchase and extinction of any portion of such stock within the prescribed period is insufficient the Local Government Board may from time to time by order direct that the contributions to be made to the loans fund for the purchase and extinction of that portion of stock in accordance with the provisions of this part of this Act shall be increased by such amount as shall be specified in the order so as to provide that the Corporation shall purchase and extinguish or shall be in a position to purchase and extinguish such portion of Corporation stock within the period limited for the continuance of the corresponding loan.

Extinction of stock redeemed or purchased.

71. All Corporation redeemable stock redeemed by the Corporation and all Corporation redeemable or irredeemable stock purchased by the Corporation for extinction shall be forthwith cancelled by the Corporation and on such cancellation the same and all dividends thereon (not already accrued) shall be and the same are by virtue of this Act extinguished.

Account of loans fund.

72. (1.) As parts of the general account of the loans fund the Corporation shall keep separate accounts relative to—

(*a*) Each undertaking or purpose for or in respect of which any statutory borrowing power is exercised by them by the issue of stock; and

(*b*) Each statutory borrowing power so exercised.

(2.) Those separate accounts shall distinguish and show—

(*c*) The portions of Corporation stock for the time being unextinguished and chargeable to each undertaking or purpose and respectively attributable to the exercise of the several statutory borrowing powers if more than one relating to that undertaking or purpose; and

(*d*) The amounts of those several portions of Corporation stock redeemed or purchased by means of the loans fund and cancelled and extinguished.

(3.) Those separate accounts shall further distinguish and show in relation to each undertaking or purpose—

(*e*) All money being capital or in the nature of capital arising from any sale lease or other disposition of land or other property of the Corporation paid into the loans fund and in the judgment of the Corporation properly attributable to that undertaking or purpose and the securities on which that money or any part thereof is from time to time invested; and

(*f*) All money from time to time received as interest and annual proceeds of the last-mentioned money and securities; and

(*g*) All money from time to time received as rents and profits of any land and other property of the Corporation so as aforesaid acquired and not otherwise appropriated or made applicable; and

(*h*) All money and securities transferred to the loans fund as having formed part of a sinking fund and all money from time to time received as interest and annual proceeds of the last-mentioned money and securities or of securities wherein the same interest and annual proceeds are from time to time invested by way of accumulation; and

(*j*) All money paid into the loans fund as contributions from the Corporation revenues in respect of dividends on the several portions of Corporation stock chargeable to that undertaking or purpose; and

(*k*) All money paid into the loans fund as contributions from the Corporation revenues in respect of redemption and extinction or purchase and extinction of those several portions of Corporation stock.

Application of income in reduction of contributions.

73. (1.) Where any money is standing on a separate account in the loans fund being money paid into the loans fund as rents and profits of the land and other property of the Corporation or being money paid into the loans fund as interest on cash balances received by the Corporation or being other money paid into the loans fund but not being capital or in the nature of capital and not being required by this part of this Act to be applied to the making and maintenance of such accumulations as are prescribed by this part of this Act the Corporation may deal with the same as in this section provided.

(2.) Where any money is standing on a separate account in the loans fund being money required by this part of this Act to be applied to the making and maintenance of such accumulations as are prescribed by this part of this Act the Corporation after providing for the making and maintenance of those accumulations may if they think fit from time to time invest that money or any part thereof in statutory securities and deal with the interest and annual proceeds of those securities as in this section provided.

(3.) The Corporation may if they think fit from time to time apply the money described in paragraph (1.) of this section and the last-mentioned interest and annual proceeds to either of the purposes following or to both of those purposes in such proportions as the Corporation from time to time may consider equitable and expedient (that is to say):

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(*a*) In reduction of such contributions out of the Corporation revenues as are payable into the loans fund in respect of dividends on the portions of Corporation stock comprised in the separate account on which the money or interest and annual proceeds is or are standing:

(*b*) In reduction of such contributions out of the Corporation revenues as are payable into the loans fund for redemption and extinction or purchase and extinction of those portions of stock.

Determination as to charge of stock.

74. For the purposes of any contribution or account under this part of this Act the Corporation if they think fit having regard to all the circumstances of the case and subject to the terms on which any loan of the Corporation was contracted or any Corporation stock was issued may from time to time determine and declare on which of the Corporation revenues any loan of the Corporation or any portion of Corporation stock is or shall be deemed to be primarily or collaterally charged or determine and declare that any loan of the Corporation or any portion of Corporation stock shall be apportioned as regards the charge thereof between or among any of the Corporation revenues and every such determination and declaration shall be effectual to all intents.

Existing Securities.

Payment off or substitution for existing securities.

75. (1.) Where any mortgage bond debenture debenture stock annuity rentcharge or other statutory security granted or created before or after the passing of this Act by the Corporation under any statutory borrowing power or other power is outstanding or payable and the Corporation have power with the consent of the holder of that statutory security or otherwise to pay off the amount thereby secured or represented or to redeem the same they may pay off or redeem the statutory security accordingly with money raised by Corporation stock or they may with the consent of the holder thereof issue Corporation stock in substitution for the statutory security.

(2.) The Corporation may create and issue Corporation stock to such amount as may be requisite for purposes of this section and that stock shall be deemed to be created and issued and any money raised thereby shall be deemed to be raised by virtue of the statutory borrowing power or other power under which the statutory security was granted or created and any money so raised shall be applied in payment off or redemption of the statutory security.

(3.) In every such case of payment off redemption or substitution the Corporation shall pay and transfer into the loans fund the whole or a proportionate part (as the case may require) of any money and

securities forming part of any sinking fund applicable to the discharge of the statutory security.

(4.) Where the holder of the statutory security is one of the persons described in section seven of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act 1845 and by that Act enabled to sell land thereunder that person may consent to the payment or redemption of or the substitution for the money secured or represented by that security and may accept money for giving that consent as if the person so consenting were the absolute owner of that security and that person is hereby indemnified for so doing and his receipt shall be a good discharge for the same.

(5.) Money received by the holder of any statutory security as authorised by this section and Corporation stock issued to him in substitution for any statutory security shall be subject to the same trusts powers testamentary and other dispositions provisions and incumbrances as the money secured or represented by the statutory security was subject to immediately before the payment off redemption or substitution and every testamentary or other disposition shall take effect with reference to the whole or a proportionate part of the money or stock received or substituted as the case may be.

Effect on Borrowing Powers.

Extinction or suspension of power.

76. On the issue of any portion of Corporation stock the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof that stock is issued shall be affected as follows (namely):

(*a*) If the stock is issued for the whole term limited for the continuance of any loan or for the continuance of payment of or in respect of any mortgage bond debenture debenture stock annuity rentcharge rent or other statutory security granted by the Corporation under that statutory borrowing power then that power to the extent of the money raised by that stock shall be and the same is by virtue of this Act extinguished; but

(*b*) If the stock is issued for part only of that term then so much of the money raised by that stock as has not been paid off out of the loans fund may be re-borrowed by the Corporation for the residue of that term or any part thereof and so from time to time.

Application of Money raised.

General application of money from Corporation stock.

77. Money raised by Corporation stock shall be applied for purposes for which money raiseable under the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof the stock is issued ought by law to be applied and not otherwise.

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Temporary investment of money raised by stock.

78. (1.) The Corporation may from time to time invest temporarily on statutory securities other than stock certificates to bearer money raised by Corporation stock and not for the time being applied to or required for the undertaking or purpose for which it is raised and shall from time to time pay the interest and annual proceeds of those securities into the loans fund.

(2.) The Corporation may if they think fit from time to time apply the interest and annual proceeds aforesaid or any part thereof in reduction of such contributions out of the Corporation revenues as are payable into the loans fund in respect of dividends on the respective portions of Corporation stock by the issue whereof that money is raised.

Registration and Certificates.

Appointment of registrar.

79. (1.) The Corporation may if they think fit and on and subject to such terms and instructions not inconsistent with any provision of this part of this Act as they think expedient appoint and keep appointed an officer of the Corporation or other person or the Bank of England or any other bank or a banker as registrar for all or any of the purposes of this part of this Act (in this part of this Act referred to as the registrar).

(2.) The Corporation in relation to the provisions of this part of this Act and the registrar shall respectively be deemed a banker within the Bankers Books Evidence Act 1879.

42 & 43 Vict. c. 11.

Corporation stock register.

80. (1.) The Corporation or the registrar shall keep books in which shall be entered the names and addresses of holders from time to time of Corporation stock and the amounts held by them (in this part of this Act referred to as the Corporation stock register).

(2.) The Corporation stock register shall be primâ facie evidence of any matter entered therein in accordance with this part of this Act and of the title of the persons entered therein as holders of stock.

Certificates of proprietorship of stock.

81. (1.) On demand of a holder of Corporation stock the Corporation may if they think fit give to him a certificate of the proprietorship thereof under their common seal specifying the amount of Corporation stock to which he is entitled (in this part of this Act referred to as a stock certificate).

(2.) A stock certificate shall be primâ facie evidence of the title of the person therein named his executors administrators successors or assigns to the stock therein specified but the want of a stock certificate if such want be accounted for to the satisfaction of the Corporation shall not prevent the holder of stock from disposing of and transferring the same.

(3.) If a stock certificate is worn out or damaged the Corporation on production thereof may cancel it and give a similar stock certificate to the party in whom the property in the stock therein specified is then vested.

(4.) If a stock certificate is lost or destroyed the Corporation on proof thereof to their satisfaction may give a similar stock certificate to the party entitled to the stock certificate lost or destroyed.

(5.) An entry of the issue of the stock certificate or of the substituted stock certificate as the case may be shall be made in the Corporation stock register.

Transfer.

Power for stockholder to transfer.

82. Subject to the provisions of this part of this Act every Corporation stockholder may transfer all or any part of his stock in books or by deed.

Transfer in books.

83. (1.) If and where the resolution for creation of any portion of Corporation stock makes the same transferable in books and not by deed the provisions of this section shall apply and have effect but not otherwise.

(2.) The Corporation or the registrar shall keep books wherein transfers of Corporation stock so transferable shall be entered (in this part of this Act referred to as the Corporation stock transfer books).

(3.) Every such entry shall be conceived in proper words for the purpose of transfer and shall be signed by the party making the transfer or if he is absent by his agent thereunto lawfully authorised in writing under his hand attested by a witness.

(4.) Where the Bank of England are the registrar they may if they think fit require that the agent be so authorised by power of attorney under the hand and seal of the party making the transfer attested by two or more credible witnesses.

(5.) The person to whom a transfer is made may if he thinks fit underwrite his acceptance thereof.

(6.) Except as otherwise provided by some other Act of Parliament and subject to the provisions of this part of this Act respecting any portion of Corporation stock which the resolution for creation thereof makes transferable by deed and not in books no mode of transferring Corporation stock other than that prescribed in this section shall be good in law.

Transfer by deed.

84. (1.) If and where the resolution for creation of any portion of Corporation stock makes the same transferable by deed and not in books the provisions of this section shall apply and have effect but not otherwise.

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(2.) Every transfer of Corporation stock so transferable shall be by deed.

(3). The deed of transfer shall relate only to the transfer and shall not contain any recital trust power or proviso whatsoever.

(4.) The deed of transfer when duly executed shall be delivered to and kept by the Corporation or the registrar and the Corporation or the registrar shall enter a memorial thereof in a book to be called the Register of Transfers of Corporation Stock and shall indorse on the deed of transfer a notice of that entry.

(5.) The Corporation or the registrar shall on demand and on delivery up of the old certificate or on proof satisfactory to the Corporation of its absence deliver a new stock certificate to the purchaser or shall at the option of the purchaser make an indorsement of the transfer on the existing stock certificate which indorsement being signed by direction of the Corporation or by the registrar shall be equivalent to a new stock certificate.

(6.) Until the deed of transfer has been so delivered to the Corporation or the registrar the Corporation or the registrar shall not be affected thereby nor shall the purchaser of the stock be entitled to receive any dividend thereon.

Evidence on transfer.

85. (1.) The Corporation or the registrar before allowing any transfer of stock may if the circumstances of the case appear to them or him to make it expedient require evidence of the title of any person claiming a right to make the transfer.

(2.) That evidence shall be a statutory declaration of one or more competent persons or of such other nature as the Corporation or the registrar with the approval of the Corporation may require.

Closing of transfer books.

86. (1.) The Corporation or the registrar with the approval of the Corporation may as regards any portion of Corporation stock close the Corporation stock transfer books or the register of transfers of Corporation stock (as the case may be) on any day in the month next before that in which dividends on that portion of Corporation stock are payable but so that the books be not at any time kept closed for more than fifteen days.

(2.) The persons who on the day of such closing are inscribed as Corporation stockholders shall as between them and their transferees of Corporation stock be entitled to the dividend next payable thereon.

Stamp duty on transfers.

87. Unless the Corporation have compounded for stamp duty all stock issued by the Corporation shall notwithstanding anything in any resolution of the Corporation be transferable by deed and not in books, and every deed of transfer of stock transferable by deed shall be duly stamped and the consideration shall be truly stated therein.

Transmission.

Transmission on death.

88. (1.) The interest in Corporation stock of a stockholder dying shall be transferable by his executors or administrators notwithstanding any specific bequest thereof.

(2.) The Corporation or the registrar shall not be required to allow any executors or administrators to transfer any stock until the probate of the will of or the letters of administration to the deceased has or have been left with the Corporation or the registrar for registration and may require all the executors who have proved the will to join in the transfer.

Transmission on marriage &c.

89. (1.) If the interest in any Corporation stock has become transmitted in consequence of the bankruptcy of a stockholder or the marriage of a female stockholder or by any lawful means other than a transfer in books or by deed or than the death of a stockholder that transmission shall be authenticated by a statutory declaration of one or more competent persons or in such other manner as the Corporation or the registrar require.

(2.) The declaration shall state the manner in which and the party to whom the stock has been transmitted and shall be left with the Corporation or the registrar.

(3.) If the transmission is in consequence of the marriage of a female stockholder the declaration shall if the Corporation or the registrar so require set forth a copy of the register of the marriage or other particulars of the celebration thereof and declare the identity of the wife with the holder of the stock.

(4.) The name of the person entitled under the transmission shall be entered in the Corporation stock register.

(5.) Until the transmission has been so authenticated the Corporation or the registrar shall not be affected thereby and no person claiming by virtue thereof shall be entitled to receive any dividend on the stock.

Dividends.

Payment of dividends.

90. The Corporation may pay by the registrar the dividends on Corporation stock.

Dividends to executors &c.

91. The Corporation or the registrar shall not be required to allow any executors or administrators to receive any dividend on Corporation stock held by their testator or intestate until the probate of the will or the letters of administration has or have been left with the Corporation or the registrar for registration.

Evidence of title.

92. The Corporation or the registrar before allowing the receipt of any dividend on any Corporation stock may if the circumstances

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of the case appear to them or him to make it expedient require evidence of the title of any person claiming a right to receive the dividend and that evidence shall be a statutory declaration of competent persons or of such other nature as the Corporation or the registrar may require.

Dividends to joint holders.

93. Where more persons than one are registered as joint holders of any Corporation stock any one of them may give an effectual receipt for any dividend thereon unless notice to the contrary has been given to the Corporation or the registrar by any other of them.

Dividends when one joint holder is infant &c.

94. Where Corporation stock is standing in the name of an infant or person of unsound mind jointly with any person not under legal disability a letter of attorney for receipt of the dividends on the stock shall be a sufficient authority in that behalf if given under the hand and seal of the person not under disability attested by two or more credible witnesses but the Corporation or the registrar before acting on the letter of attorney may if they think fit require proof to their satisfaction of the alleged infancy or unsoundness of mind by a statutory declaration of one or more competent persons.

Dividend warrants by post.

95. (1.) Where a Corporation stockholder desires to have his dividends sent to him by post he may make a request for that purpose to the Corporation or the registrar in writing signed by him in a form approved by the Corporation and shall give to the Corporation or the registrar an address in the United Kingdom or in the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man to which the letters containing the warrants are from time to time to be sent.

(2.) The posting by the Corporation or the registrar of a letter containing a dividend warrant addressed to a stockholder at his request at the address so given by him shall as respects the liability of the Corporation and of the registrar be equivalent to the delivery of the warrant to the stockholder himself.

(3.) Every warrant so sent by post shall be deemed a cheque and the Corporation and the registrar shall in relation thereto be deemed a banker within the Crossed Cheques Act 1876.

39 & 40 Vict. c. 81.

Stock Certificates with Coupons to Bearer.

Provisions respecting stock certificates with coupons to bearer.

96. (1.) On demand of a Corporation stockholder the Corporation or the registrar may issue to the stockholder a Corporation stock certificate to bearer that is to say a certificate of title to his stock or any part thereof entitling the bearer to the stock therein specified and transferable by delivery with coupons entitling

the bearer of the coupons to the dividends on the stock but so that in case of redeemable stock no such certificate or coupons shall give a title to dividends beyond the time limited for redemption.

(2.) A Corporation stock certificate to bearer shall not be issued in respect of any sum of stock other than ten pounds or a multiple of ten pounds.

(3.) Notwithstanding anything in this Act a trustee shall not apply for purchase take or hold a Corporation stock certificate to bearer unless he is in express words authorised to do so by the instrument creating his trust and any contravention of this provision by a trustee shall be deemed a breach of trust but this provision shall not impose on the Corporation or the registrar an obligation to inquire or to take notice whether a person applying for or holding a stock certificate to bearer is or is not a trustee or subject the Corporation or the registrar to any liability in case of their or his with or without notice issuing to a trustee a stock certificate to bearer or invalidate any stock certificate issued.

(4.) Where a Corporation stock certificate to bearer is outstanding the stock represented thereby shall cease to be transferable in books or by deed under and according to the provisions of this part of this Act.

(5.) The bearer of a Corporation stock certificate to bearer may on delivery up to the Corporation or the registrar of the certificate and of all unpaid coupons belonging thereto require to be entered in the Corporation stock register as the holder of the stock described in the certificate under which he derives title and thereupon the stock shall be re-entered in the register as transferable and shall become and again be transferable in the Corporation stock transfer books or by deed as the case may require and shall as regards the mode of payment of the dividends thereon be in the like condition as if no stock certificate to bearer had been issued in respect thereof.

(6.) The coupons issued with a Corporation stock certificate to bearer shall comprise the dividends to be paid in respect of the stock therein specified for such period as the Corporation approve.

(7.) At the end of that period fresh coupons may be issued for such further period as the Corporation approve and so for successive periods during the continuance in force of the stock certificate but the Corporation or the registrar may in lieu of issuing fresh coupons in respect of any stock certificate give in exchange a fresh stock certificate with coupons.

(8.) Payment to the bearer of a coupon of the amount expressed therein shall be a full discharge to the Corporation and to the

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registrar from all liability in respect of that coupon and the dividend represented thereby.

(9.) When the Bank of England are the registrar coupons shall be payable at the chief establishment of the Bank at the expiration of three clear days from the day of presentation and at any branch establishment of the Bank situate more than ten miles from the chief establishment at the expiration of five clear days from the day of presentation.

(10.) If a Corporation stock certificate to bearer or coupon is worn out or damaged the Corporation or the registrar on production and delivery up thereof may cancel it and issue a new certificate or coupon.

(11.) If a Corporation stock certificate to bearer or coupon is lost or destroyed the Corporation or the registrar may issue a new certificate or coupon on receiving indemnity to the satisfaction of the Corporation against the claims of all persons deriving title under the certificate or coupon lost or destroyed.

(12.) Corporation stock specified in a stock certificate to bearer shall be charged on the same securities and be subject to the same powers of redemption if any and other powers and save as regards the mode of transfer and of payment of dividends thereon and save so far as a stock certificate to bearer is a negotiable instrument shall be subject to the same incidents in all respects as if that stock had continued to be registered in the Corporation stock register as transferable in books or by deed.

(13.) When the Bank of England are the registrar they may with the sanction of the Corporation from time to time issue any forms that may be required for carrying into effect the provisions of this part of this Act and may also from time to time make any regulations that are not inconsistent with this part of this Act relative to the following things and when made may alter vary or repeal any such regulations and make other regulations instead thereof or in addition thereto and any such regulations for the time being in force shall be duly observed :—

(1.) The period for which coupons are to be given;

(2.) The mode in which the Bank is to act in issuing stock certificates to bearer or entering in the transfer books the bearers of stock certificates to bearer;

(3.) The mode of proving the title of or identifying any person applying for a stock receipt or stock certificate or stock certificate to bearer;

(4.) With respect to anything necessary for carrying into effect the provisions of this part of this Act which relate to or affect the Bank.

General.

Nature of Corporation stock; notice of trusts.

97. (1.) Corporation stock is personal property.

(2.) Corporation stock is not liable to foreign attachment by the custom of London or otherwise.

(3.) No notice of any trust express implied or constructive in respect of any Corporation stock or of any Corporation stock certificate to bearer or coupon shall be entered in the Corporation stock register or in any other book kept by the Corporation or the registrar or be receivable by the Corporation or the registrar or affect the Corporation through the registrar or otherwise.

Receiver.

98. (1.) If at any time the Corporation for two months after demand in writing fail to pay any dividend due on any Corporation stock the person entitled thereto may apply to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in the Chancery Division for a receiver and the Court may if it thinks fit appoint a receiver on such terms as it thinks fit.

(2.) The receiver shall have the like power of collecting receiving recovering and applying all money which ought to be paid under this part of this Act into the loans fund and of assessing making and recovering all rates for the purpose of obtaining the same as the Corporation or any officer thereof would or might have and such other powers and such duties as the Court thinks fit and shall apply all money so collected after payment of expenses and costs as the Court directs for purposes of this part of this Act.

(3.) The Court may at any time discharge the receiver and shall have full jurisdiction over him and all persons interested in his acts.

Holding of Corporation stock by trustees.

99. (1.) Trustees or other persons for the time being authorised to invest money in the mortgages debentures or debenture stock of any railway or other company shall unless the contrary is provided by the instrument authorising the investment have the same power of investing that money in Corporation stock (other than stock for the time being represented by a stock certificate to bearer) as they have of investing it in the mortgages debentures or debenture stock aforesaid.

(2.) Provided that where two or more persons are successively interested in trust money no investment thereof shall be made in Corporation redeemable stock at a price exceeding the redemption value of the stock.

Protection of holders of Corporation stock.

100. A person taking or holding Corporation stock shall not be concerned to inquire or to take notice whether the creation or issue thereof was or was not within any statutory borrowing power of the

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Corporation or otherwise in accordance with this part of this Act or whether or not the Council or any meeting thereof was properly constituted or convened or whether or not the proceedings at any meeting of the Council were legal or regular or to see to the application of any money raised by Corporation stock or be answerable for any loss or misapplication thereof.

Annual return to Local Government Board.

101. (1.) Once in every year at a time appointed by the Local Government Board the Corporation shall send to that Board an abstract of the accounts of the Corporation relating to Corporation stock and the loans fund in a form prescribed by that Board and verified by a statutory declaration of the borough accountant if required by that Board.

(2.) In case of wilful default therein by the Corporation the Corporation shall on each occasion be liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred pounds and in case of wilful default therein by the borough accountant the borough accountant shall on each occasion be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds and every fine under this section shall be recoverable summarily on the prosecution of the Local Government Board and not otherwise.

(3.) If by any such abstract or otherwise it appears to that Board that the Corporation have failed to comply with any requisition of this part of this Act in relation to any payment application or investment or otherwise in relation to Corporation stock or the loans fund that Board may notwithstanding any proceeding for the recovery of any fine or any other proceeding taken by that Board by order require the Corporation to make good the default within a time therein limited.

Unclaimed dividends.

102. (1.) If at any time any dividend on any Corporation stock is unclaimed at the time for payment thereof the same shall nevertheless on demand at any subsequent time whatsoever be paid to the person showing his right thereto but without interest in the meantime.

(2.) Where any dividend remains unclaimed for five years from the time for payment thereof the Corporation shall cause notice thereof to be sent by post in a registered letter addressed to the stockholder named in their books by the description and at the address therein appearing and so at the expiration of three other successive periods of five years.

(3.) At the end of every successive period of five years from the day when the first dividend becomes payable on Corporation stock first issued after the passing of this Act the Corporation shall publish an advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the borough stating what if any dividends on Corporation stock other than those

falling due at the then last half-yearly or other day of payment are then unclaimed and the names and addresses appearing in the Corporation stock register of the holders of the stock on which the dividends are unclaimed.

(4.) At the end of every successive period of ten years from the day when the first dividend becomes payable on Corporation stock first issued after the passing of this Act the Corporation unless it has been otherwise agreed between them and the registrar may require the registrar to repay to them all dividends unclaimed during that period and then in his hands and the Corporation shall pay the same into the loans fund and may deal therewith as they are by this part of this Act empowered to deal with money paid into the loans fund as interest on cash balances received by them without prejudice nevertheless to the rights under this section of persons showing title to those dividends.

Saving for power to borrow otherwise.

103. Nothing in this part of this Act shall affect any power of the Corporation to raise otherwise than by Corporation stock any money which they do not think fit to raise by Corporation stock but whenever from time to time after the first issue of any Corporation stock the Corporation raise money otherwise than by Corporation stock they shall cause to be given to each lender of money so raised notice in writing signed by the town clerk or other authorised officer of the Corporation of the equality of charge which Corporation stock has by virtue of this part of this Act.

Saving for power of revocation.

104. Notwithstanding anything in this part of this Act the Council may revoke at any time in whole or in part any resolution for creation of Corporation stock theretofore passed by the Council if and as far as the same has not been acted on by the issue of stock thereunder.

Saving for other obligations.

105. Except as in this part of this Act expressly provided nothing in this part of this Act shall relieve the Corporation from any obligation imposed on them in relation to any statutory borrowing power by any Act of Parliament under or by which that power for the time being exists or is regulated.

Saving for power to sell lands &c.

106. (1.) Nothing in this part of this Act shall affect any power or duty of the Corporation to sell lease or otherwise dispose of any land or property of the Corporation or to apply any purchase money or other money arising thereby in discharge of any charge on that land or property or the revenues thereof other than the charge of Corporation stock or affect any claim of any person under such first-mentioned charge.

(2.) That land or property shall in the hands of the purchaser or other person taking the same under the sale lease or other disposition be by virtue of this Act absolutely freed from the charge of

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Corporation stock and he shall not be concerned to see to the application of that purchase money or other money or be answerable for any loss or misapplication thereof.

Saving for existing securities.

107. Nothing in or done under this part of this Act shall affect any security or charge granted or created or payable by the Corporation before and subsisting at the date of the first issue of any Corporation stock and the Corporation shall whenever required by the holder of any security or charge aforesaid apply all such money do all such acts exercise all such powers collect all such money and make and levy all such rates as they would or ought to have applied done exercised collected made and levied for his benefit and security if this part of this Act had not been enacted.

Forgery.

108. (1.) Corporation stock shall be deemed capital stock of a body corporate within the Act of the session of the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth years of the reign of Her present Majesty (chapter ninety-eight) "to consolidate and amend the statute law of England and Ireland relating to indictable offences by forgery."

(2.) A stock certificate to bearer and a coupon connected therewith shall be deemed a stock certificate and coupon within the Forgery Act 1870.

33 & 34 Vict. c. 58.

Orders of Local Government Board.

109. Any order of the Local Government Board under this part of this Act may contain such directions as the Board think necessary or proper for giving effect thereto and shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Board out of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice and may be from time to time cancelled or varied by the Board as the circumstances of the case may require but the Board shall not make any such order without first hearing the Corporation if desirous of being heard which hearing may be in the form of a public inquiry with or without a published report or in such other form as the Board having regard to the circumstances think just and expedient and sections 294 and 296 of the Public Health Act 1875 shall apply to hearings inquiries and other proceedings to which this section relates.

Forms.

110. The forms given in the third schedule to this Act may be used for the purposes therein indicated and the same or forms to the like effect with such variations or additions as circumstances require shall be effectual for those purposes.

Fees.

111. (1.) Fees not exceeding those specified in the third schedule to this Act may be taken by or on behalf of the Corporation in the cases therein mentioned.

(2.) The proceeds of fees shall be paid by the Corporation into the loans fund and shall be applied in reduction of contributions out of the Corporation revenues payable into the loans fund in

respect of dividends on such portions of Corporation stock as the Corporation having regard to the cases in which the fees are paid determine.

Expenses.

112. (1.) The expenses incurred by the Corporation in or about the creation and issue of any portion of Corporation stock including any sum paid by them for composition for stamp duty thereon and any other expenses being in their judgment properly chargeable to capital shall be deemed money raiseable under the statutory borrowing power in exercise whereof that portion of stock is issued.

(2.) Expenses of book-keeping and management and other current expenses from time to time incurred by the Corporation in the execution of this part of this Act shall be defrayed out of the borough fund.

PART XII.—Miscellaneous.

As to notices forms &c.

113. The provisions of section 102 (General provisions as to bye-laws) of the Act of 1876 shall extend and apply to the making enforcing and evidencing of byelaws made under the provisions of this Act other than byelaws with respect to tramways and the forms scheduled to the Improvement Acts may be used for the extended powers and undertakings of the Corporation and may be intituled and adapted accordingly.

Expenses of Act.

114. All the costs charges and expenses preliminary to and of and incidental to the preparing applying for obtaining and passing of this Act shall be paid by the Corporation out of the borough fund and shall be debited to such accounts as the Corporation think fit.

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The SCHEDULES referred to in the foregoing Act.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Part I.

Lands excepted from the operation of this Act as to the revival and extension of compulsory powers of purchase under the Waterworks Act of 1871.

Parish.	Numbers on deposited Plans all inclusive.
Almondbury - - -	107, 108, 112 to 118, 120, 122, 123, 126, 129, 130, 133 to 136, 141, 147 to 270.

Part II.

Lands excepted from the operation of this Act as to the extension of compulsory powers of purchase under the Act of 1876.

Parish.	Numbers on deposited Plans all inclusive.
Almondbury - - -	2a and 4a to 15a.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Lands and Buildings of which Portions only are required.

Parish.	Numbers on deposited Plans all inclusive.
Huddersfield - -	10 to 12, 16 to 19, 22, 23, 26.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

Forms.

(A.)

Resolutions on Creation of Stock.

Borough of Huddersfield.

[29th September 188 .]

At a meeting of the Council of the borough of Huddersfield holden on [Wednesday the 29th day of September 188] at [o'clock in the] in the council chamber within the Town Hall [as a special Council].

Present:

[A.B.] Mayor and a full Council.

Resolved first—

That under the authority and subject to the provisions of the Huddersfield Corporation Act 1882 the Corporation acting by the Council do hereby in exercise of their several statutory powers create stock to be called Huddersfield Corporation [irredeemable] stock and to be issued to an amount which shall be sufficient for the following purposes but not exceeding [state the sum]:—

A. For raising the following sums (amounting in the aggregate to the sum of pounds which has not been raised) that is to say:—

(1) The sum of pounds on account of the money which the Corporation have authority to raise by borrowing under the powers conferred upon them by the [ ] Acts for the purchase money for [ ] and the cost of reconstruction of portions thereof;

(2) The sum of pounds on account of the money which the Corporation have authority to raise by borrowing under the powers conferred upon them by the [ ] Acts for the cost of construction of [ ];

(3) The sum of pounds on account of the money which the Corporation have authority to raise by borrowing under the powers conferred upon them by the [ ] Acts for the construction of [waterworks];

(4) The sum of pounds on account of the money which the Corporation have authority to raise by borrowing under the powers conferred upon them by the [ ] Acts for the purposes of [sewering and paving within the borough].

B. For raising instead of re-borrowing the sum of pounds required by the Corporation for the purpose of paying off when due sums amounting to pounds which will fall due before the [1st January 188] being a portion of their debts now subsisting on

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the security of outstanding securities granted by the Corporation for raising money for the purposes of the following Acts (that is to say) :—

and which sums the Corporation are under those Acts authorised to re-borrow.

C. For raising the sum of pounds for repaying the amount temporarily borrowed by the Corporation from [the Bank of England] in order to enable the Corporation to meet sums which amount to pounds being a portion of their debt secured on outstanding securities granted by the Corporation for raising money for the purposes of the following Acts (that is to say) :—

and which sums the Corporation are under those Acts authorised to re-borrow.

D. For raising the sum of pounds for paying off or redeeming statutory securities granted by the Corporation under the following Acts and now outstanding (that is to say) :—

E. For the purpose of issuing stock in substitution for statutory securities granted by the Corporation under the following Acts and now outstanding (that is to say) :—

Resolved secondly—

That such stock shall be issued at the price and shall bear the dividends and be transferable in the manner herein-after specified (that is to say) :—

A. The minimum price of issue to be per cent. the first dividend to be payable on the [1st January 188];

B. Tenders for stock to be made to the Bank of England. A deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of stock tendered for to be paid at the Bank of England at the time of the delivery of the tender;

C. The dates for the further payments on account of the said tenders, when accepted, to be as follows :—On [Wednesday, the 20th day of October, 188 , so much of the amount tendered and accepted as when added to the deposit, will leave £75 (sterling) to be paid for each £100 of stock. On Friday, the 26th day of November, 188 , 25 per cent. On Tuesday, the 11th day of January, 188 , 25 per cent. On Tuesday, the 1st day of March, 188 , 25 per cent.] In case of default in the payment of any instalment at its proper date the deposit and instalments previously paid will be liable to forfeiture;

D. Dividends at per cent. per annum, payable [quarterly];

E. Dividends on the total amount of stock (calculated from the 1st of October, 188), to be payable on the 1st January, 188 .

F. Scrip certificates to bearer with coupons attached for the dividends payable 1st January 188 and 1st April 188 to be issued in exchange for the provisional receipts.

G. In the event of the receipt of tenders for a larger amount of stock than that proposed to be issued at or above the minimum price the tenders at the lowest price accepted to be subject to proportionate diminution.

H. Stock to be issued in sums of not less than

J. Stock to be transferable in books and not by deed.

Resolved thirdly—

That such stock shall be irredeemable [or shall be redeemable as follows:—Here state the terms of redemption].

Resolved fourthly—

That subject to the approval of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury an agreement be entered into with the Commissioners of Inland Revenue for the payment to the last-mentioned Commissioners of composition under the provisions of section 53 of the Inland Revenue Act 1880 for the stamp duty on transfers of stock issued under the foregoing resolutions.

(B.)

STOCK RECEIPT.

HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK (£ PER CENT.)

Transfer days:

Monday,
Tuesday,
Wednesday,
Thursday,
Friday.

Holidays excepted.

RECEIVED this day of
188 of

herein-after called the said transferee the sum of

being the consideration for

interest or share in the Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per cent.), transferable at the Bank of England, and all my property and interest in, and right to, the same, and the dividends thereon, by
this day transferred unto the said transferee

Witness hand

Witness

☞The proprietors to protect themselves from fraud, are recommended to accept, by themselves or their attorneys, all Transfers made to them.

£ *s.* *d.*

[*Indorsement.*]

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.

(£ PER CENT.)

PAYMENT OF DIVIDENDS.

Dividends are due on [the 1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October], unless the [1st] of either of these months falls on a Sunday, in which case the dividends will be payable on the following day.

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Dividends will be paid in one of the following modes:—

I. To the stockholders personally, or to their attorneys, at the Bank of England.

N.B.—Stockholders may arrange for the receipt of their dividends, free of charge, at any of the country branches, on application to the agent.

II. By transmission of dividend warrants by post, at the risk of the stockholder, under the following regulations:—

1. Any stockholder residing within the United Kingdom who desires to have his dividend warrant sent to his address by post, must fill up a form of application, to be obtained at the Bank or at any of its branches.
2. In the case of joint accounts, the application must be signed by all the members of the account, directing the warrant to be sent to one of them at a given address.
3. Post dividend warrants will be crossed & Co. and will only be payable through a banker. They will be drawn to the order of the stockholder, and must be indorsed.

☞ Stockholders, whose warrants are sent by post should give notice to the Bank if they are not received on the day on which they ought to be delivered; but need not acknowledge those that arrive in due course.

Stock Certificates to Bearer.

Stock certificates to bearer, of the denominations of [£10 or any multiple of £10] with coupons for the quarterly dividends attached, may be obtained in exchange for inscribed stock.

(C.)

Corporation Stock Certificate.

Borough of Huddersfield.

Number

This is to certify that A.B. of [ ] is the proprietor of [ ] pounds of Huddersfield Corporation redeemable [or irredeemable] stock subject to the Acts of Parliament relating thereto.

Given under the common seal of the mayor aldermen and burgesses of the borough of Huddersfield this [ ] [day of] 18[ ].

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(D.)

TRANSFER IN BOOKS.

HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK (PER CENT.)

No.

Entered by	this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and do assign and transfer	£	s.	d.
Witness to the identity of	interest or share in the Huddersfield Corporation stock (per cent.), transferable at the Bank of England, and all my property and interest in, and right to, the same, and the dividends thereon, unto			

executors, administrators, or assigns. Witness hand

Witness

do freely and voluntarily accept the above stock transferred to

Witness

(E.)

APPLICATION FOR ISSUE OF POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Bank of England, the day of 188 .

From A. B. and C. D. [the registered stockholders in the Bank books]

£ Huddersfield Corporation stock (per cent.)

To G.H. [the intended attorney]

Examined by Dr. fol. Posted by Cr. fol. Posted by Transfer Book.

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(F.)

Power of Attorney for Sale and Transfer and for Receipt of Dividends.

Corporate Account.

Huddersfield Corporation Stock.

Acceptance, sale of £_____ and dividends.

We

our attorneys and attorney

for us and in our name and on our behalf—

First—to accept all transfers made or to be made to us of any sum of Huddersfield Corporation Stock.

Secondly—to sell and transfer all, or any part of, the sum of

said stock standing in our name in the books of [the Governor and Company of the Bank of England].

Thirdly—to receive and give receipts for all dividends or payments due, or to become due, on any sum of the said stock from time to time standing in our name in the books of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England;

And also—to do whatever is necessary or proper to be done for the purposes aforesaid, or any of them.

In witness whereof we have hereunto affixed our corporate seal this_____ day of_____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and_____.

Sealed with the corporate seal and delivered in the presence of

N.B.—The execution of this letter must be attested by [two witnesses who are] not of the corporate body, and who must be present when the corporate seal is affixed.

For further instructions, see other side.

[Indorsement.]

Instructions for executing the within Letter of Attorney.

Corporate Account.

The date must be inserted in words and not in figures.

The execution must be attested by [two credible witnesses who are] not of the corporate body, and who must add [their addresses and their qualities, professions or occupations].

A witness resident in a town must give the No. of the house as well as the name of the street.

If clerks or servants are witnesses they must give the names and addresses of their employers.

When a witness is a female she must state whether she is a spinster, wife, or widow; and if a wife she must give her husband's name, address and quality, profession or occupation.

A wife is not a valid witness to the execution of this letter of attorney when her husband's name appears in the letter as attorney or transferee.

If any alteration, interlineation or erasure be made in this letter of attorney, it must be particularly stated in the attestation, subscribed to by the witnesses, that such alteration, interlineation or erasure was made previously to the execution of the letter.

I demand to act by this letter of attorney this day of 18 .

Witness

(G.)

Deed of Transfer.

Borough of Huddersfield.

I A. B. of [ ] in consideration of the sum of [ ] pounds paid to me by C. D. of [ ] (herein-after called the said transferee) do hereby transfer to the said transferee the sum of [ ] pounds Huddersfield Corporation redeemable [or irredeemable] stock standing [or part of the stock standing] in my name in the books of the mayor aldermen and burgesses of the borough of Huddersfield to hold unto the said transferee his executors administrators and assigns [or successors and assigns] subject to the several conditions on which I hold the same at the time of the execution hereof and I the said transferee do hereby agree to take the said stock subject to the same conditions.

As witness our hands and seals the [ ] day of [ ].

(H.)

Dividend Warrant.

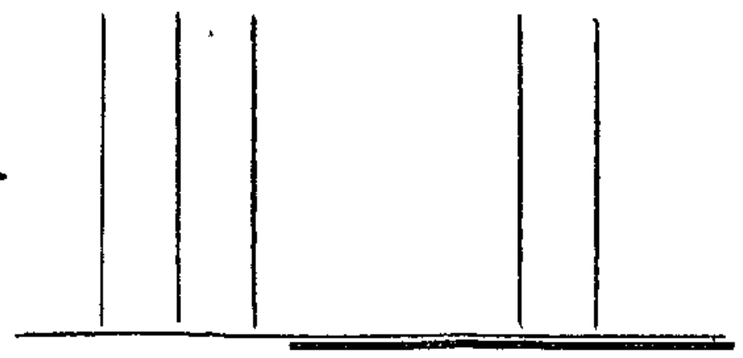
Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per cent.)

To the Cashiers of the Bank of England.

Pay to bearer the sum of _____

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for one quarter of a year's dividend on the sum of £ Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per cent.) due 188 . Less property tax at *d.* per £



I do hereby acknowledge to have received of the Bank of England the above-mentioned sum, in full payment for one quarter of a year's dividend, due as abovesaid.

Witness, Witness my hand this , 188 .

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(I.)

Dividend Warrant by Post.

(1.)

Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per cent.)

Request for Transmission of Dividend Warrants by Post.

To the Governor and Company of the Bank of England.

Amount.

"my" or "our."

A sum of £ Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per cent.) is now standing in name as follows:—

Names, addresses, and descriptions as recorded in the Bank books,

"I" or "we."

"myself" or "our nominee."

"my" or "our."

As the person entitled to the dividends upon the above-mentioned amount of stock hereby authorise the Accountant-General of the Bank of England, for the time being, in the name of to draw upon the Governor and Company of the Bank of England for the amount of the quarterly dividends due and to become due on the said amount of stock, or on the amount for the time being standing in name :

"I" or "we."

"my" or "our."

And hereby request the said Accountant-General to send through the post, at risk and until further notice, the warrants so drawn to—

If the account is a sole one, insert here the name and address of the stockholder: if the account is a joint one, insert here the name and address of one of the stockholders as nominee.

Name . . . . .

Present address

Sign here.

In the case of joint stockholders or of co-executors all must sign.

Date 188 .

[On second half sheet of same Form.]

This half sheet is to be retained by the stockholder. Reference to it will often save unnecessary correspondence.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK
(£ PER CENT.)

Transmission of Dividend Warrants by Post.

Dividends upon the above-named stock may be transmitted through the post to the stockholder in sole accounts, and to any one of the stockholders in joint accounts, at their risk, upon a form of request being duly filled up and forwarded to the Accountant-General, Bank of England. (Forms are obtainable at the Bank of England, and at any of its branches.)

N.B.—This arrangement does not apply to stockholders whose addresses are beyond the United Kingdom.

Persons receiving dividends under letter of attorney cannot have the warrants for such dividends sent to them by post.

A separate form must be used for each separate holding of stock.

When forwarding a form of request, care should be taken to state the number of overdue dividends, if any.

Dividends are payable on [1st January, 1st April, 1st July, and 1st October].

When the [1st] happens on a Sunday, the dividends are not payable until the [2nd].

Forms of request may be delivered at the Bank at any date, either by hand or through the post; but when received between the day on which the balance for dividend is struck and the day on which the dividend is payable, the warrants for such next dividend will be forwarded as soon as possible, but the Bank will not guarantee their being posted on the day before the dividend is payable.

For the dividend payable [1st January] the balance is struck on or about the [1st December].

For the dividend payable [1st April] the balance is struck on or about the [1st March].

For the dividend payable [1st July] the balance is struck on or about the [1st June].

For the dividend payable [1st October] the balance is struck on or about the [1st September].

Warrants for overdue dividends will be forwarded as promptly as possible, but not necessarily by return of post.

Any change of address of the stockholder in sole accounts, or of the nominee in joint accounts, should be notified at once to the Accountant-General. When any such notification reaches the Bank less than a fortnight before the next dividend is due, there may be a delay of a few days in the delivery of the warrant for such next dividend.

In the absence of any notification to the contrary, it will be taken for granted that dividend warrants have duly reached their destinations. When they are

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not received on the correct day, notice should be given to the Accountant-General without delay.

As postal dividend warrants are made payable to order, they must be indorsed: they are crossed in blank, and consequently are only payable on presentation by a banker. (The bank will not undertake to cross postal dividend warrants with the names of particular bankers.)

Instructions to transmit warrants by post remain in force, although the stock may have been added to, or a part sold.

Stockholders selling stock by attorney, if they wish to continue to receive their dividends through the post, should instruct their bankers, or brokers, to obtain letters of attorney for sale only.

All communications with reference to postal dividend warrants should be addressed to the Accountant-General, Bank of England, and the postage should be prepaid.

(2.)

Post Dividend Warrant.

Huddersfield Corporation Stock (per cent.)

To the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, London.

Pay to me or my order on demand the sum of
being one quarter of a year's dividend at £ per cent. per annum, due on the 1st day of 188 , on the sum of £ { Huddersfield Corporation Stock (£ per Cent.) }
Less property tax at per £

Accepted for the Governor and Company of the Bank of England,

Per pro

[F. May]
Chief Cashier. Accountant-General.

The person to whom this warrant is payable must sign his or her name on the back of it.

(K.)

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STOCK CERTIFICATE WITH COUPONS TO BEARER.

HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK CERTIFICATE TO BEARER.

DIVIDEND AT £ PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

£50 A00000

This is to certify that the bearer of this certificate is entitled to fifty pounds Huddersfield Corporation [redeemable] stock with dividend thereon at the rate of £ per cent. per annum transferable at the Bank of England pursuant to the Huddersfield Corporation Act, 1882.

Dated , 188 .

[For the Governor and Company
of the Bank of England,
[F. May.]

Countersigned
[S. O. Gray,]
Chief Accountant,
Bank of England.

A00000 £50.

The coupons attached to this certificate are payable at the chief establishment of the Bank of England, or at any of the country branches.

When the coupons are exhausted this certificate will be exchanged on presentation at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, for a new certificate with fresh coupons attached.

[COUPONS.]

5 Div. HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	5 Div.	4 Div. HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	4 Div.
Coupon for (Less Income Tax) being Three Months' Dividend at £ Per Cent. Per Annum.	HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	Coupon for (Less Income Tax) being Three Months' Dividend at £ Per Cent. Per Annum.	HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.
A00000 Due [1st January, 1886]	Due [1st Jan. 1886]	A00000 Due [1st October, 1885]	Due [1st Oct. 1885]
on Certificate for FIFTY POUNDS HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	A00000	on Certificate for FIFTY POUNDS HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	A00000
£0. Payable at the Bank of England.	£0.	£0. Payable at the Bank of England.	£0.
3 Div. HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	3 Div.	2 Div. HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	2 Div.
Coupon for (Less Income Tax) being Three Months' Dividend at £ Per Cent. Per Annum.	HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	Coupon for (Less Income Tax) being Three Months' Dividend at £ Per Cent. Per Annum.	HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK
A00000 Due [1st July, 1885]	Due [1st July, 1885]	A00000 Due [1st April, 1885]	Due [1st April, 1885]
on Certificate for FIFTY POUNDS HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	A00000	on Certificate for FIFTY POUNDS HUDDERSFIELD CORPORATION STOCK.	A00000
£0. Payable at the Bank of England.	£0.	£0. Payable at the Bank of England.	£0.

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FEES.

	£	s.	d.
On original issue of stock receipt or stock certificate - -	0	2	6
On any new stock certificate - - - - -	0	2	6
On transfer including certificate - - - - -	0	5	0
On any issue of stock certificate to bearer in respect of every ten pounds of stock specified therein - - - -	0	0	6
On re-entry in register of stock specified in stock certificate to bearer	0	5	0

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