

LI. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the City Council to publish in one or more of the Newspapers published in the City, one month before the annual Election of Mayor and Councillors in each year, for the information of the citizens, a full and detailed statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Corporation during the past year; and in every such statement the different sources of revenue, and the amount received from each; the several appropriations made by the Council, the objects for which the same were made, and the amount of moneys expended under each; the moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation, the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained, shall be clearly and particularly specified; together with the amounts of all assessments ordered and made, the several purposes of such assessments, the amount actually received under such assessments, and a detailed account of the application thereof; and that such statements and accounts shall be made up to the thirty first day of December preceding such publication in each year, signed by the Mayor and Auditor of the City for the time being.

City Council to publish detailed statements of accounts one month before each annual Election.

LII. And be it enacted, That all Boards, Commissioners and Officers appointed to act under the authority of the said City Council, and entrusted with the collection or expenditure of any moneys belonging to the said Corporation, shall be accountable therefor to the said City Council, in such manner as may be ordained and directed by the bye laws and ordinances of the said City Council; and the books of accounts of the said Corporation, shewing the amounts, particulars, state and circumstances, and also the receipt and expenditure of the property, funds, taxes and effects, and fees belonging and accruing or payable to the said Corporation, or any of its officers, and a full and particular account of the same, shall be deposited and kept in the Office of the City Clerk, and shall be there exhibited for the inspection and examination of every elector of the City who may, within the usual office hours on any business day, apply to inspect and see the same, on payment of one shilling for every such inspection or search.

Officers entrusted with the collection or expenditure of moneys, to be accountable to the City Council, and full statements to be deposited with the City Clerk for inspection.

LIII. And be it enacted, That the said City Council, in addition to the general powers of making bye laws for the good government of the said City, and the other powers incident thereto, specially conferred in and by the provisions of this Act, shall, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, have the sole power and authority from time to time to make, ordain, enact, revise, alter and amend such laws as they may deem proper for the several purposes following, within the said City, that is to say :—

City Council in addition to the general powers of making bye laws, empowered to make bye laws on the following subjects :

1st. For regulating weights and measures in the Public Markets and all other places within the said City, according to the lawful standard, and to authorize the seizure and destruction of such as are not according to the standard, and to impose fines or penalties on the owner of or person using such defective or fraudulent weights or measures, beams, scales or other devices for weighing :

Regulating weights and measures.

2nd. To regulate and manage the Market or Markets, and to establish and regulate Market Days and Fairs :

Markets and fairs.

3rd. To regulate the manner of selling, weighing and measuring Butcher's meat, fish, vegetables, grain, hay, straw and fodder, to grant licences for the due weighing and admeasurement thereof :

Selling, weighing and measuring certain articles.

4th. To restrain and regulate the purchase and manner of selling of vegetables, fruit, Country produce, poultry, and all other articles and things, or of animals openly exposed for sale or marketed :

5th. To restrain and regulate the purchase of such things by hucksters and runners living within the City less than one mile from the outer limits thereof :

Purchases by hucksters and runners.

6th. To regulate the measurement of coal, lime, salt, grain, boards, cordwood and other fuel, clapboards, shingles, laths and other lumber, and to impose penalties for light weight or short count or measurement in any thing marketed :

Measurement of coal, lime, boards, cordwood, &c.

7th. To regulate all vehicles, vessels and other things in which any thing may be exposed for sale or marketed in any street or public place, and to seize and destroy all tainted and unwholesome meat, poultry, fish or other articles of food, and to impose and recover such reasonable penalties as may be deemed proper, upon the person or persons exposing for sale such tainted or unwholesome articles within the said City :

Vehicles and vessels in which any thing is marketed.

8th. To regulate the assize of bread, and provide for the seizure of bread baked contrary thereto, and to impose penalties upon the person so baking contrary to the provisions of any bye law to be made in that behalf :

Assize of bread.

9th. To regulate the anchorage, lading and unlading of vessels and other craft arriving at the said City :

Anchorage, &c.

10th. To regulate and provide for the erection, management and rent of wharves, piers, quays, landings and docks in the said City, and the toll to be paid

Wharves, tolls, navigation and ferries.