Future legislation as to carrying wires

(g.) In case efficient means are devised for carrying telegraph or telephone wires under ground, no Act of Parliament requirunder ground, ing the Company to adopt such means, and abrogating the right given by this section to carry lines on poles, shall be deemed an infringement of the privileges granted by this Act, and the Company shall not be entitled to damages therefor;

Workmen to wear badges.

(h.) Every person employed upon the work of erecting or repairing any line or instrument of the Company shall have conspicuously attached to his dress a badge, on which are legibly inscribed the name of the Company and a number by 10 which he can be readily identified;

Private rights.

(i.) Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the Company to enter upon any private property for the purpose of erecting, maintaining or repairing any of its works, without the previous assent of the owner or occupant of the 15 property for the time being;

Temporary removal of wires and poles.

(j.) If, for the purpose of removing buildings or in the exercise of the public right of travel, it is necessary that the said wires or poles be temporarily removed, by cutting or otherwise, the Company shall, at its own expense, upon reasonable 20 notice in writing from any person requiring it, remove such wires and poles; and in default of the Company so doing, such person may remove such wires and poles at the expense of the The said notice may be given either at any office Company. of the Company, or to any agent or officer of the Company in 25 the municipality wherein are the wires or poles required to be removed, or in the case of a municipality wherein there is no such agent or officer, then either at the head office or to any agent or officer of the Company in the nearest or any adjoining municipality to that in which such wires or poles are;

Notice to Company.

> (k.) The Company shall be responsible for all damage which it causes in carrying out or maintaining any of its said works.

Power to receive aid.

Liability for damage.

> 11. The Company may receive from any government or from any person or municipal corporation, in aid of the construction, equipment or maintenance of any of its works, grants 35 of land, bonuses, loans, or gifts of money or securities for money, and may dispose of the same, and may alienate such property as is not required for the purposes of the Company.

Preferred stock.

12. The Company may issue any portion of its capital stock as preferred stock, on such terms and conditions, and bearing 40 such rate of dividend as may be agreed upon by the ordinary shareholders of the Company at a special general meeting called for that purpose, at which meeting shareholders representing at least two-thirds in value of the stock are present or represented by proxy.

Borrowing powers.

13. The directors, under the authority of a resolution of the shareholders passed at the first general meeting of the shareholders, or at any special general meeting called for that purpose, or at any annual meeting at which shareholders representing at least two-thirds in value of the issued capital 50 stock of the Company are present or represented by proxy, may, from time to time, at their discretion, borrow money for the purposes of the Company, and may issue bonds or debentures in respect of the same and secure the repayment of the said