gunpowder, giant powder, dynamite, nitro-glycerine and other explosive compounds, and of all combustible and inflammable materials; the use of lights and candles in stables, shops and other places; remove or prevent the construction of any fire-places, chimneys, stove, oven, boiler, kettles or any apparatus used in any house, building, manutactory or business which is liable to cause fires or conflagrations; direct the safe deposit of ashes, or other dangerous rubbish or material, and order and regulate the building of partition, parapet and fire-walls, partition fences, smoke flues, hot-air flues, smoke stacks, and the erection and cleaning of chimneys; shall provide for the safe construction, inspection and repairs of all private or public buildings within the prescribed limits, and remove the same at the owner's expense when erected or suffered to remain contrary to law or ordinance; compel persons to aid in extinguishing fires, or in the preservation of property liable to be destroyed or stolen, and compel owners of buildings to have scuttles on their roofs, and stairs or ladders leaning thereto.

Thirteenth.—To make suitable provision for the maintenance and support of poor persons.

Fourteenth.—Finally, to pass all such ordinances not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter, or the laws of the Province, as may be expedient in maintaining the peace, good government, health and welfare of the city, its trade, commerce and manufactures, and to enforce the same as hereinbefore provided, not exceeding five hundred dollars; and by forfeitures not exceeding one thousand dollars; to purchase, rent or lease within the limits of the city or elsewhere, any real or personal property, and to control, manage, sell or lease, or otherwise dispose of the same for such purposes and considerations as they may deem proper for the public welfare of the city.

13. To prevent and punish horse racing, immoderate riding or driving in the streets; to compel persons to fasten their horses or other animals attached to vehicles, or otherwise, while standing in the streets, and to regulate places of bathing and swimming in the waters within the limits of the city.