and now constituting in the last named Company three thousand two hundred and eighty-eight shares of twenty-five pounds sterling each, amounting in all to eighty-two thousand and two hundred pounds sterling, and held by the City, for eash or for the debentures, or for such portion of the same, as were issued by the City for the purchase of the said stock, as may be agreed upon between the said City and the holders of said debentures.

Investment if the Stock is sold for cash. VIII. If the stock is sold for eash, then the proceeds of such sale shall be invested in such security as the Governor in Council may direct, and the capital sum so invested, with all interest accruing there- 10 from, shall be applied towards the interest and redemption of the debentures aforesaid.

If required for Debentures.

IX. If the stock is exchanged for the debentures or any portion of them, such debentures or such portion shall be cancelled accordingly.

If they are exchanged at less than par, —residue of debentures to be redeemed.

X. In case upon any exchange the amount of debentures received is 15 less than the total amount of debentures issued, the Corporation may redeem such residue by the issue of new debentures, payable in such sums and at such times, not exceeding thirty years, as the Council may think fit, and the residue of debentures so redeemed, shall be cancelled accordingly.

Consent of rate-payers not required.

XI. Any By-law authorizing the issuing of debentures under this Act, shall be valid, without submitting the same to a vote of the rate-payers.

Public Act.

XII. This Act shall be deemed to be a public Act.