

amend, enlarge, or repeal the provisions of any Act of Parliament or Charter which would interfere with its objects, and it will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869; the Waterworks Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1863; and such parts of the Railways Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, as relate to the temporary occupation of lands and such other matters as may be deemed expedient, and it will confer upon the undertaker, undertakers, or Company the powers mentioned or referred to in the Gas and Waterworks Facilities Act, 1870, and vary or extinguish all rights and privileges which will or may interfere with any of its objects, and confer other rights and privileges.

On or before the 30th day of November, 1882, a copy of this advertisement and plans and sections of the proposed works will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Dorset, at his office at Sherborne; with the Clerk of the Local Board at Blandford; and at the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London.

Printed copies of the Draft Provisional Order, when deposited at the Board of Trade, on and after 23rd December next, and printed copies of the Order when settled and made by the Board of Trade, may be obtained on application at the office of the undersigned, at the price of one shilling each copy.

All persons desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or bringing before them any objection respecting the application for the Order, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th day of January, 1883, and a copy of any such representation or objection must at the same time be sent to the undersigned Parliamentary Agent on behalf of the Promoters, and the objectors or their agent must inform the Board of Trade that a copy has been sent to him.

Dated this 9th day of November, 1882.

Johns and Traill, Blandford, Solicitors.
William Bell, 27, Great George-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agent.

Board of Trade.—Session 1883.

St. Neots Gas.

Provisional Order.

(Maintenance of existing Gas Works; Manufacture and Storage of Gas and Residual Products; Extension and Definition of Limits of Supply; Power to break up Streets, &c.; Levying of Rates and Charges; Regulation and Increase of Capital; Additional Lands; Incorporation of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Saint Neots Gas and Coke Company (Registered), hereinafter called "the Company," intend to apply to the Board of Trade in the ensuing Session of Parliament for a Provisional Order under the "Gas and Waterworks Facilities Act, 1870," for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Company to maintain and continue, and from time to time enlarge, alter, and repair the gas works now occupied by the Company, with all the machinery and apparatus connected therewith, and to manufacture and store gas, and manufacture or convert the products resulting from the manufacture of gas thereat, the said works being situate on lands now belonging to and occupied by the Company, containing by admeasurement 2,250 square yards, or thereabouts, situate in the parish of Saint

Neots, in the county of Huntingdon, bounded on the north partly by the Islands Common in Saint Neots aforesaid, and partly by land belonging to the devisees of the late William Peppercorn; on the east by a flour mill and premises belonging to William Paine; on the south partly by a street called Bedford-street in Saint Neots aforesaid, and partly by property belonging to George Brown, and on the west partly by property of the said George Brown, and partly by the said Islands Common.

2. To supply gas subject to the provisions of the "Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847," and the "Gas Works Clauses Act Amendment Act, 1871," within the limits of the district to be defined by the Order as comprising the parishes of Saint Neots and Eynesbury, both in the county of Huntingdon, and the parish of Eaton Socon, in the county of Bedford, and to levy rents, rates, and charges for such supply.

3. To exercise all such powers, rights, and privileges as are necessary for and incidental to the operations of a Gas Company, that is to say:—To open and break up the soil and pavement of the several streets, roads, highways, lanes, passages, bridges, and other places within the parishes aforesaid, and to remove, divert, or alter, either temporarily or otherwise, any sewers, drains, pipes, or other works under the said streets, and places so far as may be necessary to enable the Company to lay down, maintain, alter, remove, and repair any mains, valves, syphons, service pipes, and other works for the purpose of such supply.

4. To authorise the Company to acquire and hold patent rights and licenses in relation to the manufacture or distribution of gas, and the utilization of the residual products obtainable therefrom, or the production by any means of artificial light (except electricity).

5. To define and regulate the existing capital, and to raise additional capital by the creation of new, ordinary, or preference shares, and by loan, and to authorise the Company to create and issue debenture stock.

6. To purchase and hold certain other lands for the general purposes of their undertaking, exclusive of manufacturing and storing purposes.

7. And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 30th day of November instant, a copy of this Notice as published in the London Gazette, and a map showing the land on which the works are situate, will be lodged at the Board of Trade, Whitehall-gardens, London, and that other copies will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Huntingdon at his office at Huntingdon, and with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Bedford at his office at Bedford, and in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

8. That on or before the 23rd day of December next printed copies of the Draft Provisional Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade as aforesaid, and on and after that date copies will be supplied to all persons applying for the same at the offices of Mr. Charles Robert Wade-Gery, Solicitor, St. Neots, or of Mr. Edward Walmisley, No. 25, Abingdon-street, Westminster, on payment of One Shilling for each copy.

9. The Provisional Order when granted by the Board of Trade will be published in the same local newspaper as this notice, and printed copies thereof will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Huntingdon at his office at Huntingdon aforesaid, and with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Bedford at his office at Bedford aforesaid, and copies will be supplied to all persons applying for