

2. To vary and extinguish all rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects and purposes of the proposed Bill, and, so far as necessary, to repeal, alter, and amend "The Cranbrook and Paddock Wood Railway Act, 1877," "The Cranbrook and Paddock Wood Railway Act, 1879," and "The Cranbrook and Paddock Wood Railway Act, 1882."

Printed copies of the Bill for effecting the objects aforesaid will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1883.

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In Parliament.—Session 1884.

Birmingham Compressed-Air Power Company.
(Incorporation of Company; Power to acquire Lands by Agreement; to lay Pipes in Streets and Roads; Power to levy Tolls, Rates and Duties; Arrangements and Agreements with Corporations and Companies and other Persons; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing session, for an Act (hereinafter called "the intended Act") to incorporate a Company, (hereinafter called "the Company"), and to confer upon the Company all necessary and proper powers for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, or some of them (that is to say):—

To acquire by agreement, and hold for the purposes of their undertaking, lands, buildings, and other properties, in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick; to acquire, work, and use patents or licenses for the working or production of compressed air, and to make, maintain and work a system of steam or other engines to generate compressed air for the dissemination of motive power to stationary and other engines used for the purpose of working machinery of any kind, or for any other purposes to which such motive power is applicable, and also for supplying air for ventilating, refrigerating, blowing furnaces of any kind, or for any other purposes to which such air can be applied, and to supply, or let on hire machinery and apparatus for effecting the aforesaid objects or some of them.

To enable the Company, or the local authority, at the expense and on behalf of the Company, to open and break up the surface of, and to alter and otherwise interfere with streets, roads, highways, public and private roads, footpaths, pavements, vaults, and thoroughfares within the district hereinafter specified, and to lay pipes, mains, and apparatus in such streets, roads, highways, public and private roads, footpaths, pavements, vaults, and thoroughfares, and to alter or otherwise interfere with the gas pipes, water pipes, telegraph and telephone wires or tubes, electric lines, sewers, and drains beneath the surface thereof respectively, for the purpose of laying down such pipes, mains, and apparatus as may be necessary for the purposes of the Company's undertaking and for the purpose of maintaining, repairing, removing, renewing, altering, or reinstating such pipes, mains, and apparatus, or for substituting others in lieu thereof, with powers of access thereto at all reasonable times for all or any of the purposes aforesaid.

The district over or within which the powers will be conferred upon the Company by the intended Act will comprise the following wards,

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viz., St. Bartholomew, St. Martin, Deritend, and Bordesley, or some part thereof, in the parishes of Birmingham, Aston-juxta-Birmingham, and Edgbaston, all in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick.

To authorise and empower the Company to levy and recover tolls, rates, rents, duties, and charges in respect of the use of their pipes, mains, and apparatus, and of motive power. To authorise compositions in lieu of the payment of such tolls, rates, rents, duties, or charges. To alter existing tolls, rates, duties, and charges. To confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment of tolls, rates, duties, and charges and to confer, vary, or extinguish all other rights and privileges which may be necessary or incidental to the objects of the intended Act.

To make, alter, and rescind regulations and bye-laws for or in relation to the use, misuse, or waste of compressed air; and to impose and recover penalties for the breach of any such regulations or bye-laws, and to authorise the Company, their officers, servants, and workmen to enter upon lands, buildings, and other premises, and to examine any machines, fittings, and apparatus, engines and machinery supplied by them, and any meters or other instruments used for determining the quantity or amount of compressed air or motive power supplied or used, and to execute such works, and do such things as may be necessary for the regulation and prevention of such use, misuse, or waste.

To impose and recover penalties for the tampering or fraudulently interfering with any such machines, fittings, apparatus, engines, or machinery or any such meters or other instruments.

To authorise the Company to sell or let any patents or other rights which they may acquire under the powers of the intended Act, or to grant licenses to use the same.

To alter, amend, vary, or repeal all or some of the powers and provisions of the local and personal Act 24 and 25 Vic., cap. 206, and all other Acts relating to the borough of Birmingham.

Printed copies of the Bill for the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1883.

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Board of Trade.—Session 1884.

Wisbech Water.

(Application to Board of Trade under "Gas and Water Works Facilities Act, 1870," for Provisional Order extending the Limits for the supply of Water, and authorising the raising of additional Capital; Amendment of Act.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Wisbech Water Works Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company"), are about to apply to the Board of Trade, under "The Gas and Water Works Facilities Act, 1870," for a Provisional Order, to be confirmed by Parliament in the ensuing Session, for the following, or some of the following, among other purposes (that is to say):—

To extend the limits of the existing Acts of or relating to the Company, and to enable them, with and under the powers and provisions of those Acts and of the intended Order, to supply