

houses with the appurtenances thereto belonging.

(b) A piece of land situate on the north side of King-street aforesaid, and on the west side of Beach-street, and the south side of Hanover-street, on which or on some part whereof there are now standing certain gas-holders, meter, and governor houses and other works of the Company.

2. To authorise the Company to make and store gas in and upon the said lands, and to supply and sell gas within the parish and urban district of Herne Bay and the parish of Herne, in the county of Kent, and to manufacture and store and purchase coal, tar, coke, patent fuels, pitch, asphaltum, ammoniacal liquor, oil, sulphate of ammonia, and all other residual products obtained in the manufacture or treatment of gas and matters producible therefrom, and to sell and dispose of the same at the works of the Company and elsewhere.

3. To authorise the Company, so far as may be necessary or desirable for any of the purposes of their undertaking, and so as to enable them to furnish and supply gas within the parishes and district before mentioned, to open and break up, cross, alter, and divert the several streets, roads, highways, lanes, bridges, and other public and private passages and places, canals, towing-paths, railways, and tramways, within the said parishes and district before mentioned, and remove, divert, or alter any sewers, drains, and pipes in, over, or under the same, and to lay down, extend, repair, and maintain any mains, service pipes, valves, syphons, and other works connected with or incidental to the supply of gas.

4. To enable the Company to manufacture, purchase or hire and supply gas-meters, slot-meters, fittings, engines, stoves, ranges, and cooking or other apparatus, and also to manufacture, purchase, let or deal in, and contract for doing work in connection with gas-fittings, tubes, meters, slot-meters, pipes, apparatus, stoves, ranges, and apparatus for heating, and also engines and machines for the production of motive-power for domestic, agricultural, manufacturing, and other purposes by means of gas, and all articles and things in any way connected with gasworks or with the supply of gas for any purposes.

5. To authorise the Company to acquire, hold, use and exercise patent rights and licences in relation to the manufacture, conversion, utilization, storage and supply of gas, coke, tar, pitch and other residual products obtained in the manufacture of gas and matters producible therefrom, and for the production of artificial light by any means.

6. To empower the Company, for the general purposes of the Order and of their undertaking, to purchase or acquire by agreement, and hold additional and other lands, easements, and property.

7. To authorise the Company and any urban or rural district or parish Council, or any local or public authority, corporation, company, body, or person within or beyond the parishes and district before-mentioned, to enter into agreements for a supply of gas in bulk or otherwise, and for supplying gas-meters, fittings and other things, and for performing all acts incidental to the supply of gas, and the Order will or may preserve and confirm existing leases, contracts, and agreements between the Company and any other body or person.

8. To levy and recover rates, rents and charges, for the supply of gas and residual products, and for the supply, hire, or use of meters, slot

meters, fittings, stoves, ranges, engines, and other articles, apparatus and things supplied and work done by the Company.

9. To authorise the Company, for all or any of the purposes of the Order, or for the general purposes of their undertaking, to apply their funds and revenues, and to raise further moneys by the creation and issue of new shares or stock, with or without a preference or guaranteed dividend or other rights or privileges attached thereto, and by borrowing, and by the issue of debenture stock, or by any of such means, and the Order will or may define, regulate, and prescribe the capital of and the ranking of any shares, stock, or debenture stock of the Company.

10. To incorporate with the Order all or some of the provisions of the Gasworks Clauses Act, 1847, and the Gasworks Clauses Act, 1871, and so far as may be necessary for the purposes of the Order, to amend, or repeal, any Acts or Order that may interfere with any of the objects of the Order.

11. To vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects or purposes of the Order, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

On or before the 30th day of November, 1898, a map showing the lands occupied by the existing gas-works and used for the manufacture and storage of gas and of residual products, together with a copy of this Notice as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Kent, at his office at Maidstone in that county, and also at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London.

Printed copies of the draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December, 1898, and copies thereof, when deposited, and of the Provisional Order when made, may be obtained at the offices of the undersigned, on payment of one shilling for each copy.

Every Company, Corporation, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting the application for the Order, may do so by letter on paper of foolscap size, addressed to the Assistant Secretary, Railway Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall, London, on or before the 15th day of January next, and copies of such representations or objections must at the same time be also sent to the undersigned Solicitor or Parliamentary Agents on behalf of the Promoters, and in forwarding to the Board of Trade such representations or objections, the objectors or their agents should state that a copy has been forwarded to the Promoters, or their Solicitor or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1898.

HENRY C. JONES, 197, High Holborn,
W.C., and Herne Bay, Kent, Solicitor;
BIRCHAM and Co., 46, Parliament-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

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Scunthorpe Urban District Gas and Water.
(Power to the Urban District Council of Scunthorpe, in the County of Lincoln, to Acquire Lands by Compulsion or Agreement for Gas and Waterworks Purposes; Construction of Works for the Manufacture and Storage of Gas and Residual Products; Purchase by Compulsion or Agreement of Gasworks and Plant, or some part or parts thereof belonging to Messrs. William Dewhirst Cliff, Joseph Cliff, Walter Cliff, and Stephen Cliff, trading as the Frodingham Iron and Steel Company;