

said wood or the lands thereof, or of any part thereof, and to purchase the improved rent paid and payable by the Company to the said George Wythes in respect of the same; and also to enable the said Master, Warden, Fellows, Brethren, Sisters and Scholars of Dulwich College aforesaid, by and with the consent of the said George Wythes to apportion the rents, covenants, conditions and agreements in the said indenture of lease of the 27th day of January, 1854, expressed and contained, and to enable the said Crystal Palace Company to enter into any deed or deeds under their common seal with the said George Wythes, his executors, administrators and assigns, for the purpose of apportioning the rents, covenants, conditions and agreements in any lease granted or to be granted, by the said George Wythes, to the said Crystal Palace Company, of the said woodland expressed and contained.

And to enable the said Master, Warden, Fellows, Brethren, Sisters and Scholars of Dulwich College aforesaid, by and with the consent of the said George Wythes, to take a surrender of the term granted by the said indenture of demise of the 27th day of January, 1854, and to grant a lease or leases to the Crystal Palace Company, or to the said George Wythes, for the then residue of the said term, at such apportioned rents, covenants, conditions and agreements as aforesaid; and for the like purposes to enable the said Crystal Palace Company, by and with the consent of the said George Wythes, to surrender any lease of the said woodland granted or to be granted by him, and take a new lease or new leases of the same for the residue or residues of the term thereby granted.

To enable the Company to raise by shares the capital which they are already authorised to borrow, and to attach to those shares such preferences, privileges and advantages as the Bill shall define, and to authorise and confirm the issue of any such shares as may have been already issued, and any preferences and advantages which may have been attached thereto.

To enable the Company to increase their capital by shares with or without such preference or other advantage; or by loan.

To authorize the Company to make and enforce bye-laws for the internal management of their undertaking, and for the regulation of all persons attached or resorting thereto, and to impose fines and other penalties on the breach of such bye-laws; and to authorize the Company to vend or to contract for the vending within their building and grounds of food and refreshments to the persons resorting thereto.

Printed copies of the intended Bill will be deposited before the 1st of January next, in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 13th day of November, 1855.

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#### Bath Gas Light and Coke Company.

(Amendment of Act; Extension of Limits of Supply; Increase of Capital; Powers of Borrowing; Compulsory Purchase of Land; and other Powers.)

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill to alter and amend, or repeal and re-enact the powers and provisions, or some of the powers and provisions of an Act of Parliament, passed in the 58th year of the reign of King George the 3rd, intituled "An Act for Lighting with Gas the city of Bath, and the Liberties and Precincts thereof, and that part of the

parish of Walcot which lies without the Liberties of Bath, and the parish of Bathwick, in the county of Somerset, and for constructing gasometers and other works therein; and in the parish of Weston, in the said county;" and to confer upon the Bath Gas Light and Coke Company, incorporated by that Act, new and further powers.

And by which Bill it is intended to effect, or to enable the Company to effect, the purposes following; that is to say):

To extend the limits within which the Company are empowered to supply gas to the parishes of Weston, Twerton, Swainswick, and Charlcombe, all in the county of Somerset; and to enable them to supply gas for public and private purposes within such extended limits; and for those purposes to lay down mains, pipes, and other works and apparatus, and to cross, divert, break up, alter, or stop up, any streets, roads, highways, bridges, sewers, drains, rivers, streams, water-courses, paths, passages, and places within such extended limits:

To levy rates, rents, and charges for the supply of gas; to vary the existing rates, rents, and charges of the Company; and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges:

To call up and apply for the general purposes of their undertaking, the amount now remaining unpaid on the existing shares in the capital of the Company, and to repeal so much of the said Act as prohibits their so doing:

To raise further capital by the creation and issue of new shares, and to attach to such new shares, or some of them, (if the Company think fit,) certain guaranteed interest, or preference, or priority in payment of interest or dividend, and other special privileges; to alter the number and amount of the existing stock and shares of the Company, and to classify and regulate the same; to alter and regulate the mode of voting, and other rights and privileges of the shareholders in the Company, and to reduce the number of the Committee or Directors:

To capitalize certain sums expended by the Company out of revenue:

To borrow money on mortgages, bonds, or otherwise, and to repeal so much of the said Act as prohibits the Company from so doing:

To purchase compulsorily the reversion, and all other estates and interests not now vested in the Company, of and in the lands and houses now occupied by the Company and their tenants, in the said parish of Weston and county of Somerset, adjoining the Upper Road leading from Bath to Bristol, and bounded by the said road on the north, by the river Avon on the south, by Gas Light-lane on the west, and by premises partly belonging to Mr. Thos. Southwick and partly to Mrs. Ayliffe, on the east. Also to purchase compulsorily certain other lands and houses, lying between and bounded on the east and west sides by the said lands and houses, firstly hereinbefore described, on the north by the said road, and on the south partly by the river Avon, and partly by the said lands and houses, firstly hereinbefore described, and which said lands and houses lastly hereinbefore described, are now respectively held on lease by John Perry and Wm. J. Francis, and Wm. Bullin:

To maintain, alter, improve, pull down, and re-erect any of the existing gas works, buildings, and conveniences of the Company, and to erect or construct additional gas-works on the said lands and hereditaments:

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 30th day of November, 1855, duplicate plans of the lands and houses intended to be compulsorily purchased under the powers of the said Bill, together with a book of reference to such