

such intended Act powers will be sought for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say) :

To vest in "the said" Company proposed to be incorporated, all the undertaking, works, effects, property, rights, and privileges of the said Mirfield Gas Light Company (Limited).

To enable the said intended Company to manufacture and supply Gas, and to sell and dispose of the coke residuum and product arising from such manufacture, and to light with gas the several streets, roads, highways, lanes, yards, courts, and other public passages and places, in the town and parish of Mirfield, in the West Riding of the county of York, and the neighbourhood thereof, including the townships and places of Mirfield, Newtown, Hopton, Thornhill, Thornhill Lees, Kirkheaton, Bradley, Clifton, Cooper Bridge, Hartshead Cum Clifton, Liversedge, and Roberttown, all in the said West Riding of the county of York, and to supply with gas the inhabitants of, and the various buildings within, the said town parish, townships, and places.

To enable such Company to maintain the said existing gas works, situate at or near to Newtown, in the said parish of Mirfield, and to improve, enlarge, and extend the same.

To maintain and construct all such buildings, gas-meters, and other works and conveniences as may be necessary.

To enable such Company to lay down, continue, and maintain, and from time to time to renew and repair mains, pipes, and other works, and apparatus, and for such purposes to open, break up, cross, divert, and stop up the several streets, roads, highways, lanes, yards, courts, and other public passages and places within the limits aforesaid.

To enable such Company to purchase by agreement, and to take or hold on lease lands, houses, and other property.

To enable such Company to sell or lease the gas works, plant, machinery, pipes, lands, buildings, and premises, or any part thereof, to any person or persons, company, or body, who shall be desirous or duly authorized to purchase or lease the same, upon terms to be mutually agreed upon.

To enable such Company to levy and collect rates or rents for the supply of gas, to alter existing rates or rents, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from payment of rates or rents, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

To enable such Company to alter and increase the capital of the present Company, and the number and amount of the existing shares, with or without guarantee or other preference or priority, in payment of dividend, or with other special rights and privileges, and to borrow money, and otherwise to regulate the capital and borrowing powers of the Company, and to grant powers for the consolidation of all, or some, of the shares of the capital of the Company.

And it is intended to incorporate with the said Act "The Lands Clauses Consolidation" Act, 1845," "The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845," "The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847," or some parts thereof respectively.

And notice is hereby further given, that printed copies of the said intended Act will, on or before the 23rd day of December next, be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1859.

Charles Walker, Solicitor, Dewsbury.
Walmisley & Son, Parliamentary Agents,
5, Victoria-street, Westminster Abbey.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Act 7 Wm. IV. and 1 Vict., c. 73, sec. 32, intitled "An Act for better enabling Her Majesty to confer certain powers and immunities on trading and other companies," notice is hereby given, that application has been made to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council, by Petition, praying that Her Majesty will be graciously pleased to grant to the Pacific Steam Navigation Company Her Majesty's Royal Charter for enabling the Company to carry on the business of their undertaking, conformably to the terms of their existing charters, during the period of twenty-one years from the time of the expiration of their present original charter; and that such Petition has been referred by Her Majesty in Council to the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1859.

Pearce, Phillips, Winckworth, and Pearce,
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

1463. Charles Frédéric Vasserot, of 45, Essex-street, Strand, London, Patent Agent, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the construction of stereoscopes."—A communication from Henry Adolphe Corbin, residing in Paris, in the Empire of France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 17th day of June, 1859.

1487. And Andrew Peddie How, of No. 81, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in self-supplying distilling apparatus, and in apparatus for cooking combined therewith."

1492. And James Meikle, of 79, Rumford-street, Glasgow, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in coating iron ships with asphalt, which improvements are also applicable to coating other surfaces."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 21st day of June, 1859.

1499. And Andrew Barclay, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam hammers and pile driving machines."

1504. And William Russell, of the borough of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Ironmonger, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in wheels for ploughs cultivators and other implements or carriages."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of June, 1859.

1514. And Henry Doulton, of Lambeth, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in earthenware jars and bottles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of June, 1859.