

consideration, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon between the Company and James Malam, Esquire, the owner of the works, or as may be settled by arbitration, or as may be fixed or prescribed in or otherwise provided for by the Bill) the existing gas works at Northallerton, together with all the estate, property, rights, and interests of the said James Malam in the said works, and to confer upon the Company all necessary powers to enable them to carry on, improve, and extend those works, and to thereby light with gas the townships and places of Northallerton, Romanby, and Brompton, in the parish of Northallerton, in the North Riding of Yorkshire.

2. To authorize the Company to purchase and hold lands, and to maintain, alter, enlarge, and improve the said existing works, and to erect additional works on the lands, or any part of the lands now held and used by the said James Malam for the purposes of the said works, and upon any lands which may be purchased or taken by the Company under the powers of the Bill, and to enable them to manufacture gas and any residual products arising in the manufacture of gas, and to sell and dispose of gas, coke, coal tar, and other residual and manufactured products, matters, and things.

The lands to be held and used for the manufacture of gas and for gas works, and for the manufacture and sale of residual products arising from the manufacture of gas, or of the materials used therein, are the lands now belonging to the said James Malam, and on which the existing gas works have been erected or immediately adjoining thereto, and are situate in the township of Northallerton and bounded as follows:—On the north and east by a field belonging to Mrs. Barbara Fairbairn, and occupied by Mr. Charles Fairbairn; on the south side by a field belonging to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, and in the occupation of William Oliver; and on the west by the public highway leading from Northallerton aforesaid to Romanby.

3. To enable the Company to acquire and hold patent rights and licences to use or exercise patent rights, and to carry on the business usually carried on by gas companies, or which is or may become incident thereto, and to maintain, alter, or renew any existing mains and pipes within the limits to be supplied with gas, and to lay down and maintain mains and pipes through, across, along or under streets, roads, lanes, rivers, waters, bridges, and other passages and places within the limits of the Bill, and to break up and interfere with such streets, roads, lanes, bridges, and other passages and places, and also with any sewers, drains, and pipes in, over, or under the same.

4. To empower the Company to manufacture, purchase, or hire gas-meters, fittings, and other gas apparatus, and to sell or let the same, and to levy and collect rates, rents, and charges for the sale and supply of gas and gas-meters and fittings and other gas apparatus, and to alter the existing rates, rents, and charges.

5. To authorize the Company and any of the trustees, local boards, or other local authorities within the said limits, to make and carry into effect contracts and agreements for lighting and for supplying all things, and for performing all acts incidental to lighting any streets, roads, places, or buildings within such limits, upon such terms and conditions as they shall respectively agree upon, and if necessary to enable such trustees, local boards, or other local authorities for any of the purposes of the Bill to appropriate and apply any funds belonging to them respec-

tively or under their control, and to raise moneys by rates and by borrowing upon the credit thereof.

6. To enable the Company on the one hand, and any local board of health or other public authority within the limits of the intended Act on the other hand, to contract and agree for the purchase of the undertaking, works, and property of the Company, and to confer upon the purchasing body all necessary powers for enabling them to purchase and to carry on the said undertaking and works, and to borrow money, with power also to effect such purchase in consideration of the granting of permanent or terminable annuities, and the Bill will confirm any agreement which may be made prior to the passing of the Bill with respect to any such purchase; and it will, if necessary, amend any Act or Acts of Parliament relating to any local authority with whom any such agreement as aforesaid may be made.

7. The Bill will incorporate with itself the necessary provisions of "The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845;" "The Companies Clauses Act, 1863;" "The Companies Clauses Act, 1869;" "The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869;" and "The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847;" and it will confer upon the Company all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying into effect the objects of the Bill; and it will vary and extinguish all such existing rights and privileges as may interfere with the attainment of any of those objects.

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

Dated this 8th day of November, 1870.

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Metropolis Gas.

(Amendment of Acts relating to the Supply of Gas in the Metropolis and adjacent Districts; To secure Uniformity in the Price, Illuminating Power, and Purity of Gas; Amalgamation of all or some of the Metropolitan Gas Companies, and adjustment of Capitals; Reducing or Altering rates; Charges, and Dividends of Gas Companies; Regulating future Price, Purity, Illuminating Power, and Pressure of Gas; Levying Rates; Borrowing of Money, and other purposes).

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is intended to apply to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to introduce a Bill and to pass an Act for the following, or some of the following, among other purposes:—

To secure uniformity in the price, illuminating power, and purity of gas throughout the Metropolis as defined by "The Metropolis Local Management Act, 1855," and in the districts adjacent, and for that purpose to alter, amend, extend, and enlarge, and if need be to repeal all or some of the powers and provisions of "The City of London Gas Act, 1868," and to ensure uniformity in decisions upon questions arising under the said Act and the intended Act.

To alter, amend, extend, and enlarge, or if need be to repeal the whole or some of the powers and provisions of an Act passed in the 23rd and