

taments, for purposes other than the manufacture or storage of gas within the limits of supply, or to acquire easements or rights over or under any such lands and hereditaments, and to sell or lease any lands, works, and property from time to time vested in or purchased by the Company, or to exchange any such land.

9. To enable the Company to manufacture and supply for public and private purposes light produced by electricity or any artificial means other than and besides gas, and for that purpose, to utilize so far as practicable all or any of their works and machinery, mains, pipes, and other apparatus, and from time to time to erect and maintain such other works, machinery, and apparatus as may be necessary in or incidental to the manufacture and distribution of such light, and in respect thereof, and for those purposes to open, break up, cross, and divert streets, roads, and other highways, sewers, canals, streams, water-mains, and pipes, railways, tramways, telegraph wires, and other places and things.

10. To deal in, sell, and dispose of coal, lime, coke, tar, asphalt, chemicals, and other residual and manufactured products and other matters and things, and to carry on the business usually carried on by Gas Companies.

11. To supply gas in bulk; to levy rates, rents, and charges for the supply of gas or other light, and to exercise all or any of the rights and powers, now enjoyed or exercised by the Limited Company with respect to the supply of gas or other means of lighting, and also all such other rights, powers, and privileges as may be conferred by the Bill.

12. To confer upon the Company on the one hand and any or all of the Local Authorities within the limits of supply all necessary powers and provisions to enable the Company and such Local Authorities, or any of them, to contract and agree for the supply by the Company of gas or of any such other means of lighting which the Company may produce for the purpose of lighting the public thoroughfares and public buildings within the limits of supply, or any of them, and also to enable the Local Authorities, or any of them, to pay to the Company such sums as may from time to time be agreed between the Company and such Local Authorities, and to authorize such Local Authorities or any of them to pay out of rates or any other moneys which from time to time may be in their hands, and also, if necessary, to levy rates for the purposes of paying such sum or sums to the Company.

13. To enable the Company to acquire, hold, use, and enjoy patent rights, licences, and authorities under letters patent in relation to the manufacture, conversion, distribution, and utilization as well of gas and the residual products arising therefrom as of electricity or such other artificial or substituted light as the Company may from time to time supply within the limits of supply, and to carry on the business usually carried on by Gas Companies, or which is or may become incidental thereto.

14. To maintain, alter, or renew any existing mains and pipes within their limits of supply, and to lay down and maintain, alter, or renew mains and pipes or other apparatus in, through, across, along, or under lands, streets, roads, public or private lanes, railways, rivers, canals, waters, sewers, drains, pipes, bridges, and other passages and places within the limits of the intended Act.

15. To empower the Company to manufacture and purchase or hire gas meters, stoves, fittings, or other apparatus; and to sell, fit up, or let the

same, and to charge and receive rents, charges, and remunerations for the sale and supply of gas, and other services rendered with respect to such gas meters, stoves, and fittings, and other apparatus, whether for gas or for any other purpose for lighting or heating, and to alter existing rates, charges, and remunerations, and to confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from the payment of such rates, charges, and remunerations.

16. To empower the Company, if and when required so to do, to sell and transfer to the Local Board for the district of Northwich, in the county of Chester, all or any part of the undertaking, works, plant, property, rights, and privileges for the time being vested in or belonging to the Company, and to empower such Local Board to purchase and hold the same, with or without restrictions on the profits to be earned, and to raise money for the purpose, and to apply existing rates and assessments, and to make and levy new or increased rates and assessments, and to provide for the dissolution of the Company and the winding up their affairs, and the distribution of the purchase money, and to confirm and carry into effect any agreement made between the Company and such Local Board.

17. 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," and "The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869," and it will also incorporate with itself, except so far as the same may be specially varied, the provisions of "The Gas Works Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1871," 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.

Duplicate plans, describing the lands to be taken compulsorily under the powers of the Bill, together with a book of reference to such plans, containing the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and of the occupiers of such lands, and a copy of this notice as published in the London Gazette, will, on or before the 30th day of November, 1881, be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Chester, at his office, at Northgate-street, Chester, and a copy of such plans, book of reference, and notice will, on or before the same day, be deposited for public inspection with the parish clerk of Dane Bridge, Leftwich, at his residence, No. 4, Castle-street, Northwich, with the parish clerk of Witton-cum-Twambrooks, at his residence, No. 32, Church-road, Northwich, and with the parish clerk of Great Budworth, at his residence, in Great Budworth, near Northwich, within which parishes, or one of them, the said lands are situate.

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.

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