

under the International Convention the 24th day of April, 1912, and granted to Dr. Curt Stille for an invention, entitled, "Improvements in optical receivers for facsimile telegraphs."

W. TEMPLE FRANKS,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 AND 1919.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given, that an Order was made on the 1st day of March, 1922, restoring (Letters Patent No. 103119, bearing date under the International Convention, the 4th day of January, 1916, and granted to Emergency Umbrella Corporation for an invention entitled, "Improvements in or relating to umbrellas, parasols and the like."

W. TEMPLE FRANKS,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

SPECIAL ACTS (EXTENSION OF TIME)
ACT, 1915.

BY virtue and in pursuance of the provisions of the above named Act, the Minister of Transport hereby orders that the period limited by the London and North Western Railway (Dyserth and Newmarket Light Railway) Order, 1915, for the exercise of the powers for the compulsory purchase of lands for, and for the completion of, the railway authorised by the said Order of 1915, shall be further extended for one year from the 20th day of February, 1922.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of February, 1922.

H. H. Piggott,
An Assistant Secretary,
Ministry of Transport.

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GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

Notice of Application by the Barnstaple Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Barnstaple Gas Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Undertakers") have applied to the Board of Trade under the provisions of Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, for an Order providing for—

(a) the repeal of any enactments or other provisions requiring the Undertakers to supply gas of any particular illuminating value and the substitution therefor of power to charge for thermal units supplied in the form of gas; and

(b) the modification of the statutory or other provisions affecting the charges which may be made by the Undertakers by substituting for the standard and maximum prices per 1,000 cubic feet now authorised, with an addition to meet increases in costs and charges of and incidental to the production

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and supply of gas by the Undertakers since 30th June, 1914, standard and maximum prices per therm (*i.e.*, 100,000 British Thermal Units).

The standard prices now authorised in respect of the supply of gas by the Undertakers are (i) 3s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet within the limits of supply as defined by the Barnstaple Gas Act, 1869 (32 & 33 Vic., c. LXIV) and (ii) the price of 4s. per 1,000 cubic feet within the extended limits of supply as defined by the Barnstaple Gas Order, 1911, confirmed by the Gas Orders Confirmation (No. 1) Act, 1911 (1 & 2 Geo. 5, c. CLXVI), and the maximum price now authorised in respect of supply of gas to public lamps is 3s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet, and the prices which the Undertakers have asked the Board of Trade to substitute for these prices, in accordance with paragraph (b) above, are 19.18d. per therm for the said price of 3s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet, 20.45d. per therm for the said price of 4s. per 1,000 cubic feet, and 19.18d. per therm for the said price of 3s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet.

A copy of the application made to the Board of Trade and of all documents submitted therewith may be inspected free of charge at the office of the Undertakers, 15, Cross-street, Barnstaple, at any time during office hours.

Any local authority or person desiring to make representations with regard to the application may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary, Power Transport and Economic Department, Board of Trade, Great George-street, London, S.W. 1, and posted not later than 27th March, 1922. A copy of such representations must at the same time be sent to the undersigned Parliamentary Agents.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1922.

TORR, DURNFORD AND Co., 2, Millbank-house, Westminster, S.W. 1, Parliamentary Agents.

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GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

Notice of Application by the Littleborough Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Littleborough Gas Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Undertakers") have applied to the Board of Trade under the provisions of Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, for an Order providing for:—

(a) The repeal of any enactments or other provisions requiring the Undertakers to supply gas of any particular illuminating value, and the substitution therefor of power to charge for Thermal Units supplied in the form of gas, and

(b) The modification of the statutory or other provisions affecting the charges which may be made by the Undertakers by substituting for the maximum price per 1,000 cubic feet now authorised, with an addition to meet increases in the costs and charges of and incidental to the production and supply of gas by the Undertakers since June 30th, 1914, a maximum price per therm (*i.e.*, 100,000 British Thermal Units.)

The maximum price now authorised in respect of gas by the Undertakers is 5s.