

provision for payment of a minimum dividend and to authorise the Company to continue to charge the differential prices at present authorised in certain parts of their limits of supply and to provide that such prices shall not be taken into account in determining the dividends payable by the Company.

3. To authorise the Company to create a reserve fund and a special purposes fund and to make provision with regard to the existing insurance fund of the Company.

4. To make provision with respect to pre-payment meters and the charges for gas supplied thereby, relief from obligation to supply gas, and minimum payments to be made for stand-by supplies of gas.

5. To provide for the setting up of a scheme of co-partnership for the employees of the Company, and for contributions thereto out of the funds and revenues of the Company, and for the issue to the employees of stock of the Company, and for the payment by the Company of superannuation and other allowances and gratuities and pensions to the employees of the Company.

6. To confer upon the Company all or any other powers usually conferred upon Gas Companies.

7. To vary and extinguish all rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects of the Order and to confer other rights and privileges.

8. To incorporate and apply, repeal, alter or extend some or all of the provisions of the Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, the Companies Clauses Act, 1863, the Gas Works Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1871, the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, the Wrexham Gas Acts and Orders, 1870 to 1923, or any other Act or Order relating to or affecting the Company.

Any local or other public authority company or person desiring to bring before the Board of Trade any objection to the draft Order may do so by registered letter addressed to the Director of Gas Administration, Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1, and despatched on or before the 17th day of December, 1927.

Any such objection shall state (a) the specific grounds of objection and (b) the omissions additions or modifications asked for.

A copy of the objection must be forwarded to the Company at their Offices 23, Salop Road, Wrexham, or to the undersigned Solicitor or Parliamentary Agents at the same time as it is sent to the Board of Trade.

A copy of the Order has been deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Denbigh at his Offices at Ruthin and at the Offices of the Company at 23, Salop Road, Wrexham.

Printed copies of the Order may be obtained at the Offices of the Company aforesaid and of the undermentioned Solicitor and Parliamentary Agents at the price of one shilling per copy.

Dated this 14th day of November, 1927.

THOMAS BURY, 43, Regent Street,
Wrexham, Solicitor.

MARTIN AND Co., 27, Abingdon Street,
Westminster, London, S.W. 1, Par-
(036) liamentary Agents.

Ministry of Transport.—November 1927.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACTS 1896 AND 1912.

RAILWAYS ACT 1921.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

BASINGSTOKE AND ALTON LIGHT
RAILWAY.

(Amendment of the Basingstoke and Alton
Light Railway (Amendment) Order 1900).

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made in the current month to the Ministry of Transport by the Southern Railway Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") for an Order under the Light Railways Acts 1896 and 1912 and the Railways Act 1921 to amend the provisions of Section 3 of the Basingstoke and Alton Light Railway (Amendment) Order 1900 by relieving the Company from the obligation to maintain gates at the public road level crossing of the Basingstoke and Alton Light Railway over Hackwood Lane, Cliddesden and to authorise the construction and maintenance in lieu of such gates of cattle guards or other suitable contrivances subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by the proposed Order.

Dated the 11th day of November 1927.

W. BISHOP,

Waterloo Station, London, S.E. 1.

Solicitor to the Southern
Railway Company.

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In Parliament.—Session 1928.

BURY AND DISTRICT JOINT WATER
BOARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Bury and District Joint Water Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") for an Act of which the principal subject matters will be as follows (that is to say):—

1. Extension of time for the completion of the New Hall Reservoir and Scout Moor Reservoir and works ancillary thereto authorised by the Bury and District Joint Water Board Act 1903.

2. Alteration of the amount of compensation water required to be discharged by the Board into the Ogden Brook and amendment of the Bury and Radcliffe Waterworks Act 1853 and the Bury and Radcliffe Waterworks Amendment Act 1858 in relation thereto and the appropriation of additional quantities of water from the Ogden Brook and the Rivers Ogden and Irwell and their tributaries.

3. Alteration or increase of rates, rents and charges and power to Minister of Health to substitute new scales of charges. Further provisions regarding the supply of water meters and fittings, as to premises partly used for trade purposes, public institutions, &c., stables and garages, caravans, &c., discounts on prompt payment of rates, dates for payment of water rates &c., water supply tanks