

Ordinance No. 122.

An Ordinance to authorize, John L. Stewart, William W. Gibbs, and Henry S. Jackson of Philadelphia, and R.M. Hill of Salem Oregon, to construct, maintain, and operate gas works in the City of Albany Oregon, and to regulate the operation thereof.

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Be it ordained by the City Council of Albany Oregon.

Sec. 1. That John L. Stewart, William W. Gibbs, and Henry S. Jackson, of Philadelphia, and R.M. Hill of Salem Oregon, their associates, or assigns, are hereby invested with the right of building and operating gas works in Albany Oregon for the period of 50 years, and of using the streets, and alleys of said city, as now, or hereafter to be laid out for the purpose of laying mains, and service pipes to provide said City, and its inhabitants, with gas for illuminating, heating, and cooking purposes; provided that the said mains, and pipes shall not be so laid, as to interfere with or obstruct the drainage of said City; the construction of sewers, the underground fixtures for the conveyance of water or gas, or the necessary, or proper use of said streets or alleys; provided that work shall be begun thereon within eighteen months from the date of the taking effect of this ordinance, and sufficient work shall have been done thereon within twenty-four months from said date to insure the completion thereof.

Sec. 2. That whenever the said grantee shall excavate in any street, or alley for the purpose of laying mains, and pipes, they shall not during the progress of such work unnecessarily obstruct the passage, or proper use of such street, or alley, and they shall within a reasonable time restore such street or alley to as good condition, as it was before such excavation was made; provided that all work shall be done, shall be done in the manner prescribed in by Ordinance No. 34, of the City of Albany.

Sec. 3. That the said grantee, shall make all connections between their mains conducting gas through the streets, and the meters used by consumers, at their own expense, and shall not charge for the use of meters. That all illuminating gas furnished shall be of not less than twenty candle power. That they shall not charge for consumers of the gas, to exceed five dollars per thousand cubic feet.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect, and be in force from, and after its passage.

Passed the Council December 11<sup>th</sup> 1883.

Approved December 12<sup>th</sup> 1883.

Attest: N. J. Horton,  
City Recorder.

J. N. Johnston, City Recorder hereby certifies that the foregoing Ordinance was published in the Albany Herald, a paper published in the City of Albany Oregon, on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1883. Witness my hand and seal the said day and year.

City Recorder.