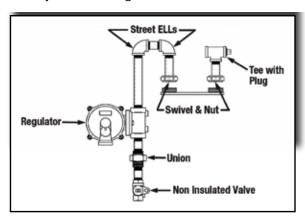


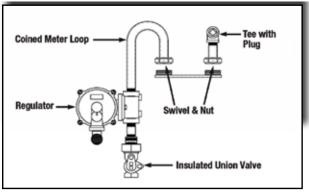
Meter Ells/Loops

The first generation of prefabricated meter sets was based on "stick building" the residential meter sets using fittings and nipples. However, AEC improved the quality and reduced meter set costs by developing methods of bending pipe and later coining pipe. AEC is a complete manufacturer of bending and coining. We can handle pipe sizes from ¼" to 2" and coining from size 5LT to #5 Sprague. This range and manipulation of pipe requires unique machines, materials, and tooling. Our 2nd generation eliminated connections and reduced assembly time. This set us apart as we continued our quest to be the largest and most universal above ground metal fabricator in the gas utility industry and enabling us to better serve our customers.



1st Generation





2nd Generation with Coined Meter Loop