3043. William James Burgess, of Brentwood, in the county of Essex, for an invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

-Dated 6th December, 1864.

3045. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancerylane, London, for an invention of "improvements in treating aniline colours for dyeing and printing."—Communicated to him from abroad by August Samuel Leopold Leonhardt, of Berlin, Prussia.—Dated 6th December, 1864.

3047. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for colouring bubbles from soapsuds or other liquids to amuse children, and for other purposes, such as perfuming the atmosphere of apartments."—Communicated to him from abroad by Joseph Antoine Emile Chazelles, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 6th December, 1864.

3048. Carl Alexander Martius, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, for an invention of "improvements in the application of photography to the ceramic arts or to glass."——Communicated to him from abroad by Johann Baptist Obernetter, a foreigner residing at Munich.—Dated 6th December, 1864.

3049. Alexander Dallas Hall, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Gentleman, for an invention of "an improved compound for coating the bottoms of ships and structures wholly or partially immersed in the sea or tidal estuaries, and in the system or mode of preparing the same."—Dated 7th December, 1864.

3051. Alfred Albert, of Paris, in the Département of Seine, in the Empire of France, for an invention of "a new or improved stamping apparatus."—Dated 7th December, 1864.

3052. William Husband, of Hayle, in the county of Cornwall, and Joseph Quick, junior, of Sumner-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 7th December, 1864.

steam boilers."—Dated 7th December, 1864. 3053. Martyn John Roberts, of Pendarren, near Crickhowell, in the county of Brecknock, Esq., for an invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for preparing, spinning, doubling, and winding wool, cotton, and other fibrous substances."—Dated 7th December, 1864.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 7th day of December, 1867.

2960. William Galloway and John Galloway, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 3rd December, 1860.

2963. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancerylane, London, for an invention of "improvements in treating and decomposing fatty matters, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."—Communicated to him from abroad by Monsieur L. Martin, of 209, Rue St. Jacques, Paris, in the Empire of France.—Dated 3rd December, 1860.

2980. Charles Stewart Duncan, of Hereford-road North, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of electric telegraph cables or ropes."

—Dated 4th December 1860.

2982. Charles William Siemens, of 3, Great George-street, Westminster, for an invention of "improvements in fluid meters."—Dated 5th

December, 1860.

3002. William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for planing or cutting wood, and in apparatus connected therewith."—Communicated to him from abroad by Mr. Jules Mareschal, of 29, Boulevart St. Martin, Paris, in the Empire of France, Engineer.—Dated 7th December, 1860.

3004. Benjamin George George, of Hattongarden, in the city of London, Lithographer, for an invention of "improvements in the mounting of tablets or show bills, and also of prints and drawings."—Dated 7th December,

1860

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Western Insurance Company (Limited).

OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery, was, on the 11th day of December, 1867, presented to the Master of the Rolls, by Thomas Stevenson, of Upper Grosvenor-street, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, William Beattie, of Upper Berkeley-street, Portman-square, in the said county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, George Goldsmith Kirby, of No. 7, Waterloo-place, Pall Mall, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and James Nichols, of No. 13, Savile-row, Burlington-gardens, in the said county of Middlesex, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, creditors of the said Company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 21st day of December, 1867; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Tilleard, Son, Godden, and Holme, of No. 34, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of Young, Carrington, and Company (Limited).

Y an Order made by his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Malins in the above matters, dated the 7th day of December, 1867, on the petition of Alexander Henry Campbell, Michael Hugh Scott, and Hamilton Boswell Gilmour, of No. 41, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, Merchants, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said Young, Carrington, and Company (Limited) be continued, but subject to the supervision of the said Court; and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up may be adopted as the Judge shall think fit;