

ing date the twenty-first day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, granting unto the said John Bethell the sole use of his Invention of "Improvements in preserving animal and vegetable substances, and also stone, chalk, and plaster from decay," within England, Wales, and the Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, and in all the colonies and plantations abroad, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing, and of which Invention the following is a distinct description; that is to say,—This Invention consists of rendering such matters less liable to decay: this is accomplished by drying, and smoking, and using antiseptics, employing a Brick Chamber, and means of exhaustion, with means of maintaining temperature, and in introducing steam heated to high degrees of temperature. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, granting unto Joshua John Lloyd Margary the sole use of his Invention of "A new mode of preserving animal and vegetable substances from decay," within England, Wales, and Berwick-upon-Tweed, and in all the colonies and plantations abroad, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing, and of which Invention the following is a distinct description; that is to say,—The Invention consists of wetting, saturating, steeping or soaking of the said substances, with, or in solutions of sulphate or acetate of copper, for the purposes of preserving the same. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the thirtieth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, granting unto the said Joshua John Lloyd Margary the sole use of his said Invention so described as aforesaid, within that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Scotland, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the twenty-third day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, granting unto the said Joshua John Lloyd Margary the sole use of his said Invention so described as aforesaid, within that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the twenty-sixth day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, granted unto Sir William Burnett, Knight, the sole use of his Invention of "Improvements in preserving wood and other vegetable matters from decay," in England, Wales, and Berwick-upon-Tweed, and in all the colonies and plantations abroad, for the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing, and of which Invention the following is a distinct description; that is to say,—The Invention consists of destroying the tendency of these matters to decay, by employing and saturating such matters with chloride of zinc. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the nineteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty, granting unto the said Sir William Burnett, Knight, the sole use of his Invention of "Improvements in preserving animal, woollen, and other fibrous substances from decay," within England, Wales, and the Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, and in all the colonies and plantations abroad, and in all the Channel Islands, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing, of which Invention the following is a distinct description; that is to say,—The Invention consists of the use and application of chloride of zinc. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and forty, granting unto the said Sir William Burnett, Knight, the sole use of his said In-

ventions so described as aforesaid, within Scotland aforesaid, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing. Certain other Letters-Patent bearing date the twenty-third day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty, granting unto the said Sir William Burnett, Knight, the sole use of his said Inventions so described as aforesaid, within Ireland aforesaid, during the term of fourteen years thence next ensuing. And also any other Letters-Patent at any time heretofore made, or hereafter to be made, granting any right or privilege of working, using, exercising, or vending of any Invention, all or any part of which shall be any manner of improvement in or upon, or addition to, or shall in any way relate to, or be founded on, the Inventions mentioned in the said Acts, or in the said several Letters-Patent in the said Acts, as herein mentioned, or any part of such Inventions respectively, and the privileges thereby granted, or any part thereof, and the rights, profits, and advantages in or by the said Letters-Patent, or any or either of them. And to enable the Patentees or Grantees named in such Letters-Patent, their executors, administrators, and assigns, and every person in whom such Letters-Patent or any or either of them, or the privileges thereby granted, or any part thereof, now are, or is, or shall at any time hereafter be vested, to sell, transfer, assign, and dispose of, or otherwise assure, and to grant licenses to work the same; and all their part, share, right, title, and interest of, in, or to the same Letters-Patent, or any or either of them, or the said privileges, rights, profits, and advantages comprised, given, granted, or conferred as aforesaid, unto or in trust for the said Company. And it is also intended by the said Bill to vary or extinguish all rights and privileges which the Patentees or Grantees named in such several Letters-Patent, their executors, administrators, and assigns, or any other person or persons now hath, or have, or may hereafter have, in, under, or in reference to the said Letters-Patent respectively; and to confer the same, or similar rights and privileges, upon the said Company; and also to confer, vary, and extinguish other rights and privileges. And it is also intended to insert in the said Bill such powers and provisions as are usually inserted in Bills of a similar nature, and such other powers and provisions as may be deemed necessary or expedient.

Dated this twentieth day of November one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

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LICENSED VICTUALLERS AND GENERAL FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (AMENDMENT OF ACT.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session, for an Act to alter, amend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of an Act passed in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to enable 'The Licensed Victuallers and General Fire and Life Assurance Company' to sue and be sued in the name of the Chairman, Deputy Chairman, or of any one of the Directors of the said Company, and for other purposes;" or to repeal the same, and to obtain other and more effectual powers instead thereof.

Dated this 16th day of November 1849.

WIRE & CHILD, St Swithin's Lane,
Solicitors for the Company.