

Whitehall, December 7, 1849.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Merritt Shugar, of Portsmouth, in the county of Southampton, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 18th day of December 1849,

Is Twenty-four Shillings and Eight Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-four Shillings and Eleven Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-eight Shillings per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-five Shillings and Five Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, December 21, 1849.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted unto Miles Berry, formerly of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent and Mechanical Draftsman, for "Certain Improvements in Machinery or Apparatus for cleaning, purifying, and drying Wheat or other Grain or Seed."

NOTICE is hereby given, that, under and by virtue of the provisions of an Act made and passed in the 5th and 6th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the 4th, intituled "An Act to amend the Law touching Letters Patent for Inventions," amended by an Act made and passed in the 2nd and 3rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of the 5th and 6th years of the reign of King William the 4th, intituled 'An Act to amend the Law touching Letters Patent for Inventions,'" and also of an Act made and passed in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her said present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for amending an Act passed in the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of Justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,'" application will be made by petition to Her Majesty in Council, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the terms granted by letters patent, bearing date, at Westminster, the 7th day of June 1836, and by letters patent for Scotland, bearing date, at Edinburgh, the 10th

day of March 1837, and by letters patent for Ireland, bearing date, at Dublin, the 17th day of November 1837, unto Miles Berry, then of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent and Mechanical Draftsman, his executors, administrators, and assigns, for "Certain improvements in machinery or apparatus for cleaning, purifying, and drying wheat or other grain or seeds," and for making, using, exercising, and vending the said invention within England and Wales, and the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, and also in all His said late Majesty's colonies and plantations abroad, and in Scotland and Ireland; and notice is hereby further given, that an application will be made to the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the 1st day of February next, or if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter contained in the said petition, and all persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition are requested, on or before the day aforesaid, to enter a caveat at the Privy Council Office.—Dated the 13th day of December 1849.

*Henry M. Vane, No. 12, Regent-street,
Solicitor and Agent for the said Petition.*

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to James Noble the elder, of Mill-place, Commercial-road, in the county of Middlesex, Woolcomber, for an invention of "Certain improvements in the Combing of Wool and other fibrous substances," by His late Majesty King William the Fourth, bearing date, at Westminster, the 29th day of March 1836, in the sixth year of His said Majesty's reign, and of which Letters Patent Henry Rawson, of Leicester, Manufacturer, and George Edmund Donisthorpe, of Leeds, Manufacturer, are Assignees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue and in pursuance of an Act made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Law touching Letters Patent for Inventions," and another Act made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the seventh and eighth years of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of Justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,'" a petition will be presented to Her Majesty in Council, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of the sole using and vending the said invention, and new Letters Patent for the said invention.

And notice is hereby further given, that application will be made to the Right Honorable the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council on the 31st day of January next, or if the said Committee shall not sit on that day, at the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition; and any person or persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of such petition must enter a caveat or caveats against any such prolongation of the said term, at the Council Office, on or before the said 31st day of January next.—Dated this 7th day of December 1849.

Wilson, Harrison, and Bristow, 1, Copt-hall-buildings, London, Solicitors and Agents for the said intended Petition.