411. And John Gedge, of 4, Wellington-street South, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction or adaptation of certain fittings for gas."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 21st day of

February, 1854.

442. And William Ryder, of Bolton-le-moors, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, and James Ryder, of the same place, Agent, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved composition applicable to coating metals."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of February, 1854.

511. And Andrew Barclay, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in arranging and working mining engines and machinery."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of March, 1854.

574. And Simeon Mosely, of Hull, in the county of York, Surgeon Dentist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial palates for the adaptation of artificial teeth."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said

office on the 10th day of March, 1854.

626. And George Pead and Cornelius Wyatt, both of Conduit-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an instrument for readily ascertaining the wear of the bearings of railway carriages."

627. And Miles Binns and John Pollard, both of Bradford, in the county of York, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for combing wool, cotton, silk, flax, or other fibrous substances."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 15th day of March, 1854.

630. And Donald Bethune, of the city of Toronto, in Canada West, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of vessels propelled by steam."

632. And James Cavanah, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Builder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sails for navigable vessel3, and in the apparatus for working them."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 16th day of

March, 1854.

667. And James Hansor, of the Wandsworthroad, in the county of Surrey, Practical Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of illuminating gas."

of illuminating gas."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of March, 1854.

670. And Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in japanning leather and other fabrics."—A communication.

676. And Thomas Simons Watson, of No. 444, West Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Bachelor of Arts, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved railway traverser."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both No. 21541.

recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of March, 1854.

689. And Stephen Holman, of Colney Hatch, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for raising and forcing fluids, part of which improvements is also applicable to the guiding of piston rods generally, and other rods."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said

office on the 23rd day of March, 1854.

690. And Richard Montgomery, of the city, county, and State of New York, in the United States of America, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new and useful improvement in corrugated metals and in machinery for producing the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said

office on the 24th day of March, 1854.

696. And William Wood, of Monkhill House, near Pontefract, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of carpets and other fabrics."

698. And James Lochhead, of Kennington, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, and Robert Passenger, of Union-street, Southwark, in the same county, Gentleman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of glass or other vitrified substances."

700. And Walter Neilson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in marine steam machinery."

702. And Thomas John Smith and Joseph Smith, both of Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Pocket Book Makers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or construction of pocket-books, portfolios, and similar articles."

704. And George Beaumont, of Halifax, in the county of York, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of solid, hollow, and ornamental bricks."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 25th day of March, 1854.

708. And Frederick Phillips, of the Hall Farm, Downham, near Brandon, in the county of Suffolk, Land Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cutting, grating, or preparing vegetable substances."

or preparing vegetable substances."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of March, 1854.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application, at the said Office of the Commissioners within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

CONTRACT for TIN PLATERERS' WARES.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, March 25, 1854.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice,