

269. And Thomas Hurst, of Tanner-street, Barking, in the county of Essex, Railway Contractor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the connecting of the rails or 'metals' generally used on railways."
270. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in gas burners and in regulating the combustion of gas."—A communication from Pierre Alexis Maunoury, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Mechanician.
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 31st day of January, 1856.
378. And Henry Robert Ramsbotham and William Brown, of Bradford, in the county of York, Wool Combers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in combing wool, alpaca, cotton, and other fibrous substances."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of February, 1856.
525. And William Crozier, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the better extinction of fire, street watering, and other purposes."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of March, 1856.
581. And Pierre Denis Nolet, of Rue de la Lune, Paris, Practical Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in penholders."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of March, 1856.
593. And Henry Horner and Richard Bagley, both of Sheffield, in the county of York, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in buffers, and draw and bearing springs for railway and other purposes."
604. And George Murray, of Whitehill Point, in the county of Northumberland, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the construction and manufacture of, wheels for locomotive engines, waggons, and other carriages to be used on railways."
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of March, 1856.
650. And Lazare Ochs, of Saint Josse ten Noode, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of certain kinds of paper from the refuse of tanned leather."—A communication.
651. And Richard Morgan, of Acton, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a cellular purse."
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 19th day of March, 1856.
709. And James Hargraves, of the Woollen Works, Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the apparatus used for dyeing fabrics."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of March, 1856.
722. And George Smith, of No. 9, Manor-road, in the parish of Saint Mary's, Newington, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in 'envelopes' for containing letters or documents."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 26th day of March, 1856.
735. And James Cliff, of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for cleansing casks."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of March, 1856.
751. 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 "an improved air engine for producing motive power by heated air."—A communication from J. Ericsson, of New York.
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 28th day of March, 1856.
770. And Benjamin Looker the younger, of Kingston-upon-Thames, in the county of Surrey, Brick and Tile Manufacturer and Potter, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mark or indicator to be let or fixed into the ground in burial-grounds and other places."
779. 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 "improved machinery for folding paper."—A communication.
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 31st day of March, 1856.
783. And Alfred Southam, of the city of Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Agent, Samuel Stead, of Manchester aforesaid, Broker, and James Martin, of Manchester aforesaid, Fent Dealer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "separating or recovering the vegetable substances from mixed fabrics, and rendering the same vegetable substances again available for manufacturing purposes."
787. 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 "improved apparatus for ascertaining gradients."—A communication.
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 1st day of April, 1856.
798. And George Gwynne, of Trafalgar-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in treating fatty, oily, and greasy bodies."
799. And Henry George Hine, of Brecknock-street, Camden-town, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in children's and invalids' carriages, called perambulators."
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of April, 1856.