- 213. And Patrick Doran, residing at No. 10, Cornwallis-street, in the town of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of " improvements in pneumatic apparatus for raising sunken vessels or other bodies under water, and for keeping afloat vessels or other bodies liable to sink."
- 218. And William Beasley, of Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of " improvements in machinery or apparatus to be employed in rifling the barrels of fire-arms and ordnance."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 26th day of January, 1856.

227. And Pierre Emmanuel Guérinot, of Rue au Maire, in Paris, Mechanician-Jeweller, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "stopping instantaneously two railway trains running against each other."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of January, 1856.

- 235. And William John Simons, of Royston, in the county of Herts, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved governor for steam and other engines requiring governors."
- 246. And Auguste Mathieu Maurice De Bergevin, of 27, Rue Labat, Montmartre, Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing coal for burning, and in the furnaces employed in consuming such coal."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of January, 1856.

- 247. And Robert Walter Winfield, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchant and Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement or improvements in the manufacture of metallic bedsteads and other articles of metallic furniture."
- 253. And Thomas Fewster Wilkinson, of 25, Bloomsbury-street, Bedford-square, London, Agricultural Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."
- 254. And John Lee Stevens, of the city of London, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in doors or apparatus for regulating the supply of air to steam boiler, and other flues and furnaces."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 30th day of January, 1856.

- 277. And Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, and of No. 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the saponification of fatty matters.'
- 281. And Henry Bestwick, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Brassfounder, and Joseph Bury, of the same place, Brassfounder, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in cocks, taps, or valves."
- 283. And James Timmins Chance, of Birmingham, has given the like notice in respect of the I office on the 13th day of March, 1856.

invention of "improvements in furnaces used for flattening glass.'

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 1st day of February, 1856.

295. And Alexandre Tolhausen, of No. 7, Dukestreet, Adelphi, London, county of Middlesex, Sworn Interpreter at the Imperial Court of Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for picking, carding, and combing fibrous substances."-A communication from

Richard Kitson, of Lowell, U.S. of America. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of February, 1856.

343. And John Elce and Samuel Fletcher Cottam, both of the city of Manchester, Machinists, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode of lubricating the spindles of machinery used in preparing and spinning cotton and other fibrous materials revolving in a lifting rail."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of February, 1856.

872. And Henry Fort Mitchell and William Mitchell, Whitesmiths, and John Clarkson, Coal Merchant, all of Silsden, near Keighley, in the county of York, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of February, 1856.

427. And James Knowles, of Eagley Bank, near Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Coal Proprietor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of metallic pistons."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of February, 1856.

466. And Thomas Goode Messenger, of Loughboro', in the county of Leicester, Plumber, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in boilers."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of February, 1856.

- 8. And George Coats, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Coal Master, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in partitions or brattices' for coal mines and other underground works."
- 493. And Francis Thompson, of the firm of Parker and Thompson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Tool and Patent Skate Manufacturers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in skates."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office, on the 26th day of February, 1856.

538. And Robert Maynard. Engineer, of Whittlesford, in the county of Cambridge, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting and separating agricultural produce."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of March, 1856.

11. And Grand de Chateauneuf, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a hydropneumometric gas meter."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said