entitled to claim the share of any captor, serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Secretary of the Admiralty, London,"—in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes : ---

			£	<i>s</i> .	d.
Flag share	•		45	13	6
Captain .			72	6	5
Commander	•		36	3	2
Second class			18	8	0
Third class			14	14	6
Fourth class	•		9	9	2
Fifth class	•		5	5	3
Sixth class	•		4	14	8
Seventh class			3	3	1
Eighth class			1	11	6
Ninth class			1	1	0
Tench class	•	•	0	10	6

Hackney Union, Building for Marriages. OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Church of our Lady and St. Joseph, situate at Tottenham-road, Kingsland, in the parish of West Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of the Hackney Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 30th day of July, 1856, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85, 1st Vict., cap. 22, and 3rd and 4th Vict., cap. 72.

Witness my hand this 1st day of August, 1856. Chas. Horton Pulley, Superintendent Registrar.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852. Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

OTICE is hereby given, that-

673. William Brierley and James Platts Brierley, of Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Machine Makers, have given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of their intention to proceed with their application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of March, 1856.

727. And William Clayton, of Watling-street, in the city of London, Perfumer and Soap Manu facturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved manufacture of soap."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of March, 1856.

733. And Richard Durant Cumming. of St. James's, Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a foot-stool and hassock combined."—A communication.

734. And Bonnet Frédéric Brunel, of Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of Prussian blue."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 27th day of March, 1856.

- 743. And William Ward, of Warrington. in the county of Lancaster, Spinner and Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for lubricating the spindles of certain machines used in preparing and spinning."
- 746. And John Charritie, of Cannon-street, and William Smith, of No. 10, Salisbury-street, Adelphi, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of small shot."—A communication. As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 28th day of March, 1856.
- 755. And Francis Puls, of Soho-square, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in galvanic batteries."
- 756. And John James Rippon, of Oakenshaw Print Works, near Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement or improvements in rollers or cylinders for printing fabrics."
- ders for printing fabrics." 768. And Charles Durand Gardissal, of No. 10, Bedford-street, Strand, London, and 29, Boulevart St. Martin, Paris, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for sweeping streets and other ways."—A communication. As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 29th day of March, 1856.
- 769. And James Hicks, of Piddle Trenthide, in the county of Dorset, Clerk, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stoves."
- 772. And Henry Henderson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Plumber, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stop-cocks or valves."
- 778. And George Thomas Smith, of Northampton, in the county of Northampton, and Joel Watts, of Battersea, in the county of Surrey, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved lubricator."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 31st day of March, 1856.

- 790. And Frederic Grice, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved machinery for the manufacture of bolts, rivets, spikes, screw blanks, and nuts."
- 802. 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 the construction of rotary steam engines, applicable in part to pumps for raising and forcing fluids."—A communication from John Broughton, of the city of Chicago, in the United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of April, 1856.