1890. And to William Smith, of No. 18, Salisbury-street, Strand, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."—A communication from Mr. H. W. Gullett, Engineer, residing in Russia.

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- 1891. To William Pearce, of Bristol, in the city and county of Bristol, Surgical Instrument Manufacturer, for the invention of "improve-
- Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of air tight bottles, jars, or similar articles."
- 1892. To William Augustus Munn, of Throwleyhouse, near Feversham in the county of Kent, a Major in the East Kent Regiment of Militia, a Deputy Lieutenant and Justice of the Peace for the county of Kent, for the invention of "an improved method of constructing railway
- carriages, whereby greater safety is insured in case of collision." 1893. To Francis Preston, of the city of Man-
- chester, Mechanical Engineer, and William McGregor. of the same place, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting files."
- 1894. To Henry Hood, of the Leeds Iron Works, Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of railway tyre-bars, boiler plates, bar iron, and forgings."
- forgings." 1895. To Louis Felix Henri Droinet, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in bearings and packings for rotating and reciprocating shafts, the joints of pipes, and other like purposes."
- 1896. To Peter Spence, of Pendleton, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of alum."
- 1897. To James Lewis Figgett, of Missionaryplace, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, Surgical Turner, for the invention of an "improved construction of syringe or hand pump."
- 1898. To William Clay, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Iron and Steel Manufacturer, and Edmund Leopold Benzon, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron and steel."
- 1899. And to Thomas Knowles, of Gomersal, in the county of York, Machine Maker, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—A communication.

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- 1901. To Francois Frédéric Delpy, of Paris, France, Jeweller, for the invention of "improvement or improvements in metallic stay buscs."
- 1905. To William Henson, of Saint Just, in the Empire of France, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in circular looms, or knitting frames."
- 1907. And to Richard Laming, of Hayward'sheath, in the county of Sussex, for the invention of "improvements in purifying gases and liquids, in preparing purifying liquids, and in apparatus for apportioning or measuring liquids."

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1909. To Francis Puls, of Roxburgh-terrace, Haverstock-hill, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the distillation of coal."

- 1911. To Martin Regul Pilon, Citizen of the United States, residing at Aguascalientes, in Mexico, and actually at Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture and construction of fire arms, and in the means of loading the same."
- 1913. To Lewis Higgins, of Jersey City, and Alexander Brown, of New York, in the United States of America, Mariners, for the invention of "improvements in reefing the sails of navigable vessels."
- 1915. To Thomas Averill, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Wholesale Tea Dealer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in mills for grinding."—A communication.
- 1917. To John Hunter Robinson, Manager to Grant Brothers, of Clement's-court, in the city of London, Manufacturers, for the invention of "an improved shirt."
- 1919. And to Albert Rottmann, of Lawrencelane, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in fastenings for bags, portemonnaics, pocket books, and similar articles."— A communication.

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- 1921. To Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of the city of Manchester, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in self acting lubricators."— A communication from David H. Ziegler, of Winterthur, in the Republic of Switzerland.
- 1923. To Henry Wilson, Engineer, in the employment of Powis and James, of Watlingstreet, in the city of London, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in the mounting of band saws."
- 1925. And to John Biggs, of the borough of Leicester, Manufacturer of Hosiery, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of caps, resembling in form the Turkish Fez.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 24th day of August, 1858.

Erratum in last Friday's Gazette.

1857. For "looms," read "looms for weaving."

Erratum in last Tuesday's Gazette.

For " No. 941," read " No. 944."

Vice-Chancellor Wood at Chambers.

Thursday, the 5th day of August, in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1858.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the London and Eastern Banking Corporation.

U PON the application of the Official Managers of the said Corporation, and upon hearing the Solicitors for the said Official Managers, and the Solicitors for certain of the contributories, and upon reading the joint affidavit of Charles James Fife Stuart and John Ball, the said Official Managers, sworn the 14th day of April, 1858, and the affidavit of James Harris, sworn the 5th day of August, 1858, and respectively filed upon the file of proceedings in this matter, it is peremptorily ordered that a call of fifty pounds per share be made on all the contributories of this Corporation who have been settled on the list of contributories, class B; and it is peremptorily ordered that each of the said contributories do, on or

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