

1869. To Robert Dawson Clegg, of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Thomas Saunders, of Islington, in the said county, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in locks."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of August, 1859.

1926. To William Henry Hill, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of boxes or cases, and in fastenings for the same."

1928. To William Hollins, of Glossop, in the county of Derby, Overlooker, and Frederick Hyde, of the same place, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in power looms for weaving, part of which improvements is also applicable to other machines driven by power."

1930. And to Thomas Richardson, of New Bridge-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the invention of "improvements in treating copper ores."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of August, 1859.

1931. To George Pearson, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improved machinery for manufacturing boots and shoes."

1933. To Joseph Henry, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, and James Edward Hyde Andrew, of Audenshaw, in the said county, Machinists, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

1934. To John Blake, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam and vacuum gauges."

1935. To Daniel Russell, of No. 1, Grove Cottage, Southampton-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, and Jonathan Russell, of No. 6, Devonshire-terrace, Queen's-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improving the means of docking and lifting ships out of the water for the purpose of examining and cleaning their bottoms, effecting any necessary repairs, fixing new screw propeller, rudder, raising sunken vessels, or any thing else for which it is desirable to get at any portion of a vessel generally under water."

1936. To Thomas Briggs, of Richmond Hill Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Tarpauling and Oil Cloth Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of tarpauling."

1937. To James Murray, Knight, of Dublin, Doctor of Medicine, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation and bottling or preserving of carbonated cod liver oil and other aerated liquids."

1938. And to Charles Tiot Judkins, of No. 22, Ludgate-street, in the city of London, Dealer in sewing machines, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of August, 1859.

1939. To Henry Smith and Thomas Woodhouse Ashby, of Stamford in the county of Lincoln, Agricultural Implement Makers, for the invention of "an improved construction of harrow."—A communication from abroad by Messrs. J. Pintos and Co., of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia.

1940. To Loftus Perkins, of Francis-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in mills." A communication from abroad by James Bogardus, of Duane-street, New York.

1941. And to Amos Pierce Chamberlain, of New Orleans, in the United States of America, but at present residing in London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cutting cork, part of which improvements is also applicable to cutting paper, caoutchouc, and other substances."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of August, 1859.

1943. To James Furrell, of No. 5, Upper Philimore-place, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of a "lock protector, consisting of an adhesive shield or cover to be placed over the keyhole of a lock for the purpose of ensuring that any access to the interior of the lock shall be readily detected."

1945. To Thomas Bird, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in castors."

1946. To John Muir Hetherington, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for carding cotton, wool, and other fibrous materials."

1947. To Herrmann Grundt, of America-square, for the invention of "improvements in life boats."

1948. To Walter MacLellan, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Iron Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in rolling or shaping iron for railway spikes and other purposes."

1949. And to Charles Thomas Boutet, of No. 12, Chenies-street, Tottenham Court-road, London, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "a new mechanical mill proper for milling every sort of grains, dried or torrefied, such as coffee and cocoa."

On their several petitions, recorded in the said Office on the 26th day of August, 1859.

1950. To Charles Hanson, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Watch Maker, for the invention of "an improvement in the chronometer escapement of a watch."

1951. To Francis Wrigley, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of the permanent way of railways."

1952. To James Rothwell Roston, of Edenfield, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in furnace bars."

1953. To William Henry Balmain, of St. Helens, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of glass, and other vitrified substances."

1954. To Thomas Craven, of Scarborough, in the county of York, Plumber, for the invention of "improvements in ball cocks or valves."

1955. To George Bell, of South Inch Michael, in the county of Perth, North Britain, Farmer, for the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

1956. To John Heckethorn, of No. 32, Stanmore-street, Caledonian-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in candles and wicks, also in lamps or candlesticks for using with the same."