

2387. To George Worssam, of No. 3, Oakeley-crescent, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improvement in non-condensing steam engines."
2389. To John Gordon, Engineer, 3, Railway-place, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for pulping coffee."
2391. To Thomas Spencer, of 192, Euston-road, Euston-square, in the county of Middlesex, Analytical and Consulting Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of carbonate of soda."
2393. To Charles Cowper, of 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in photographing on uneven surfaces, and in apparatus for that purpose."—A communication from abroad by John Henry Pein, of New York, in the United States of America.
2395. To John James Bowen, of 136, Great Dover-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victuallers' Pot Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in manufacturing the pots for containing liquids used by publicans and others."
2397. To William Warne, James Archibald Jaques, and John Americus Fanshawe, of Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, India Rubber Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of elastic hoops or bands and other analogous elastic articles, applicable to various parts of ladies and gentlemen wearing apparel, and in the machinery employed in such manufacture."
2399. And to Joseph Randall Palmer, of Newport Cottage, Old Foril, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of printing ink and paints and varnishes, and also in the manufacture of lacquers, japans, and blacking."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of October, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Ralph Radcliffe Whitehead, James Heywood Whitehead, and John Dicken Whitehead, of Royal George Mills, Saddleworth, in the county of York, Manufacturers, intend to apply by petition under the statutes 5th and 6th William the Fourth, cap. 83; 2nd and 3rd Vict., cap. 67; 7th and 8th Vict., cap. 69; and of the Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852; and 16th and 17th Vict., cap. 117, to Her Majesty in Council for a prolongation of the terms of sole using and vending the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of epithems used for medical and surgical purposes," for which Her Majesty's royal letters patent were severally granted to Alfred Markwick, respectively bearing date at Westminster, on the 20th day of May, in the ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord, 1846; and at Edinburgh, on the 27th day of October, in the ninth year of the reign of Her said Majesty Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord, 1846; which said several letters patent have been assigned to and are now vested in the said intending petitioners. And notice is hereby further given, that the said Ralph Radcliffe Whitehead, James Heywood Whitehead and John Dicken Whitehead, intend to apply by counsel to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, on Monday the 28th day of November now next, or if the Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at

the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of the said Petition, and that on or before the said 28th day of November next, notice must be given of any opposition intended to be made to the said Petition; and any person intending to oppose the said application must lodge notice to that effect at the Council Office, on or before that day.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1859.

W. and H. P. Sharp, 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Solicitors for the above-named Ralph Radcliffe Whitehead, James Heywood Whitehead, and John Dicken Whitehead.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT WOOLWICH.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
October 15, 1859.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Wednesday the 9th November next, at twelve o'clock at noon, the Commodore Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Woolwich, several lots of

OLD STORES;

Consisting of Old Buntin, Cordage (Hawserlaid and Cablelaid), Shakings, Canvas and Hammocks in Rags, Coal Sacks, &c., &c., &c., all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

CONTRACT FOR VINEGAR.

Department of the Comptroller for
Victualling and Transport Services,
Somerset-House, October 21, 1859.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Monday the 31st instant, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores, at Deptford,

Vinegar, 10,000 gallons; half to be delivered in four weeks, and the remainder in four weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any portion of the articles.

Their Lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole or for such part thereof only as they may deem fit, or for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any, and also an unlimited power of selection.

Samples of the vinegar (not less than a quart), which the parties tendering may purpose to supply, must accompany their tenders, as the delivery will be required to be made in accordance with the samples which may be accepted, and the vinegar tendered to be No. 20, trade denomination.

The vinegar to be delivered in good, sound, strong, and substantial casks, which are to be retained as long as required by the said Commissioners or their officers without payment therefor, but are to be taken back from the said Victualling