833. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of improvements in machinery for cutting files."-A communication to him from abroad by William Van Anden, of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of April, 1861.

949. And Charles Stevens, of 31, Charing-cross, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved bands for transmitting motion to machinery."-A communication to him from abroad by Jean Joseph Thiberge, of 42, Rue Laffitte, Paris, in the Empire of France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of April, 1861.

1003. And William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving stays or corsets and other similar articles."-A communication to him from abroad by Alexis Manigot, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Merchant.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of April, 1861.

1144. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved lubricating compound."-A communication to him from abroad by John Blake McMunn, of Port Jervis, Orange County, State of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of May, 1861.

1165. And Joseph Fitter, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, has given the like notice in resrect of the invention of "a new or improved table expander."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of May, 1861.

1216. And Antoine Constant Vautier, of Charenton le Pont (Seinc), near Paris, Gentleman, and at Mr. Uzielli and Co., 9, Mincing-lane (City), London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in obtaining fibrous materials and paper pulp from various trees, shrubs, and plants.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of May, 1861.

1282. And John Sidebottom, of Harewood, near Mottram, in the county of Chester, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in cop tubes and partial tubes, and in apparatus for holding them on to the spindles of mules for spinning and doubling, also improvements in the construction of the skewers for shuttles and winding machines."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of May, 1861.

1308. And William Tebbutt, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Plumber and Glazier and Gas Fitter, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for ventilating dwelling-rooms and other places, and for removing foul or noxious air therefrom."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of May, 1861.

1491. And Patrick Moir Crane, of the Irish Peat Works, Athy, Ireland, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of peat fuel."

1497. And Charles Chalmers, of Edinburgh, in the county of Mid-Lothian, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in gas stoves."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 11th day of June, 1861.

1578. And Joseph Faulding, of 340, Eusten-road, N.W., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locomotive

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of June, 1861.

1595. And William Edouard Marsily, of Antwerp, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in velocipedes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of June, 1861.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications, are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application, at the said Office of the Commissioners within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

## CONTRACT FOR VEGETABLES PORTLAND AND PORTLAND ROADS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, June 29, 1861.

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 Thursday the 18th July next, at half past one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying all such quantities of

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as may be demanded for the use of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Portland and Portland Roads, from the 1st August, 1861, to the 31st March, 1864, both days included.

The contract is not to be sub-let.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said Office, or to the Collector of Her Majesty's Customs at Weymouth.

Particular attention is called to the recent modifications of the conditions of the contracts, which

may be seen at the said Office.

No tender will be received after half past one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf, should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words, "Tender for Vegetables," and must also be delivered at Somerset-house, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £100 for

the due performance of the contract.