

956. William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for separating metals from their ores and other matters."—A communication from abroad by Henri François Toussaint, Chemist, and Louis Napoleon Langlois, Civil Engineer, both of Paris.—Dated 16th April, 1859.
958. John Hamilton, of No. 8, Exchange-square, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating prime movers driven by water."—Dated 16th April, 1859.
959. Alfred Courage, of Bagillt, in the county of Flint, Smelter, for an invention of "an improved method of obtaining the metallic particles contained in fumes or vapours from lead and other smelting works."—Dated 16th April, 1859.
967. José Luis, of the British and Foreign Office for Patents, No. 1B, Welbeck-street, Cavendish-square, London, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved machine for raising water."—A communication from abroad by M. Dupré, of No. 10, Rue Mogador, Paris, in the Empire of France.—Dated 18th April, 1859.
971. John Whitaker, of Bedford Mill Iron Works, near Leigh, in the county of Lancaster, Agricultural Machine Maker, for "improvements in mowing machines."—Dated 18th April, 1859.
981. Frederick Edwards and William Edwards, of the city of Coventry, Machinists, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving ribbons and other like goods."—Dated 18th April, 1859.
982. William Parsons, of Pont-ar-Tawe, near Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Tin Plate Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in preparing sheet iron and other metal sheets for japanners and other uses."—Dated 18th April, 1859.
985. Peter Reynolds, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, and James Reynolds, of the same place, Engineers and Machinists, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for hacking flax and other fibrous materials."—Dated 19th April, 1859.
986. Christopher Batty, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Collector, for an invention of "an improved means or apparatus for effecting instantaneous communication on railways between passengers and officials."—Dated 19th April, 1859.
987. Isaac Dutton, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Whitesmith, and Robert Martin, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Coke Merchant, and Thomas Phillips, of Dudley aforesaid, Coke Merchant, for an invention of "new or improved machinery for preventing accidents in coal or other mines by the drawing of skips or cages over their pulleys."—Dated 19th April, 1859.
988. Alexander William Williamson, of University College, London, for an invention of "improvements in making extracts from liquorice root."—Dated 19th April, 1859.
991. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "improved machinery for weaving seamless bags or other articles, with hemispherical or regular or irregular ends or forms."—A communication from abroad by John

Pender, of the United States of America.—
Dated 19th April, 1859.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vic., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 19th day of April, 1862.

819. Thomas Wimpenny, of Holmfirth, in the county of York, Manufacturer, and Jonas Wimpenny, of Rawtenstall, in the county of Lancaster, Surgeon, for an invention of "certain improvements in machinery or apparatus for drawing and spinning wool or wool mixed with other fibrous substances."—Dated 13th April, 1855.
835. Edward Hammond Bentall, of Heybridge, in the county of Essex, Ironfounder, for an invention of "an improvement in the construction of harrows."—Dated 16th April, 1855.
836. John Cowley, of Quennington Paper Mills, Gloucestershire, and Daniel Peyton Sullivan, of Stockwell, Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper."—Dated 16th April, 1855.
841. Philippe Amédée Devy, of 10, Old Jewry-chambers, Old Jewry, for an invention of "improvements in the frames of swing looking-glasses." A communication—Dated 17th April, 1855.
849. Henry Woodhouse, of Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of crossings for the permanent way of railways."—Dated 18th April, 1855.
858. John Lawson, of Leeds, in the county of York, Machine Maker, and Somerville Dear, of the same place, Machine Maker, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for combing and cleaning flax, tow, wool, and cotton, and other fibrous substances."—Dated 18th April, 1855.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Acts 1856, 1857, and the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1858, and of the Risca Coal and Iron Company.

BY direction of His Honor the Master of the Rolls, notice is hereby given, that His Honor will proceed on Saturday, the 3rd day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, London, to make a further call of £25 per share on all the contributories settled on the list of contributories of the said Company, and that all persons interested are entitled to attend at such time and place then and there to offer objections.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1862.

CONTRACT FOR COALS FOR HER MAJESTY'S DOCK YARDS AND VICTUALING YARDS, &c.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 19, 1862.

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 Tuesday, the 6th May next, at two