situated at the higher end of the village, in the parish of Morchard Bishop, in the county of Devon, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 23rd day of July, 1866, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 24th day of July, 1866. James Wellington, Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situated at Robinson-street, in Houghtonle-Spring, in the parish of Houghton-le-Spring, in the county of Durham, in the district of Houghton-le-Spring, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th day of July, 1866, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 25th day of July, 1866. John R. Legge, Superintendent Registrar.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions. 1888.

TOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Marc Antoine François Mennons, of the firm of Mennons and Telescheff, Home and Foreign Patent Agents, of No. 8, Southamptonbuildings, in the county of Middlesex, and 27, Rue Laffitte, Paris, in the Empire of France, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the mode of, and apparatus for, generating gas for lighting, heating, and other purposes"—a communication from Jaroslav Zadora Paszkowski and Olgerd Sabinski, persons resident at Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgiumwas deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of July, 1866, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852. Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

OTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

1219. To Charles Douglas Fox, of New-street, Spring-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Member of the Institute of Civil Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in screw cutting and threading machines, and in the construction of screw nails and spikes."communication to him from abroad by John Howard, resident at New York, in the United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of April, 1866.

1717. To William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for raising and forcing water and other liquids, applicable to the ejection of bilge water from vessels, the filling of the tanks of locomotive tenders, and other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Seagur Lansdell, of the city of New York, in the United States of

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of June, 1866:

OTICE is hereby given, that a separate | 1723. To David Dawson, Gentleman, Dan Dawbuilding, named the Independent Chapel, | son, Chemist, and Thomas Broadbent, Engineer, all of Milnsbridge, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improved means of, and apparatus for, extinguishing fire in steam ships, mills, manufactories, and other buildings."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of June, 1866.

1763. To George Robert Sheraton, of Sedgefield, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "a new or improved instrument to be used in cases of difficult parturition.'

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of July, 1866.

827. To William Glassford Walker and Robert Frazer Smith, both of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, for the invention of "a certain improved method of producing illuminating gas."

1833. To Daniel Gallafent, of Stepney Causeway, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for transmitting motion to the rudders of ships and

other vessels."

1835. And to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for making covered twist and cord."-A communication to him from abroad by John Turner, of Norwich, in the State of Connecticut, and Isaac Emerson Palmer, of Hackensack, in the State of New Jersey, United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of July, 1866.

1837. To Charles Ferdinand Dietrich, of Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for compressing air by means of water.

1839. To William Edward Wiley, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in holders for marking materials, which improvements are also applicable as holders for other substances."

1841. To Walkden Thompson and Thomas Stather, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in mills for grinding corn and other hard substances"

1843. To Robert Jobson, of Dudley, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for ... holding suspended electric telegraph wires."
1845. And to Peter Ellis, of No. 9, Orange-

court, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Architect, for the invention of "an improved lift, hoist, or mechanical elevator, adapted for hotels, warehouses, railway stations, and other A places, and intended to facilitate and render easy the ascent of persons and goods."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of July,

1847. To George Day, of Euston-road, in the parish of Saint Pancras, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for stopping or curbing horses when they run away or become unmanageable."

1849. To Joseph Sampson, Charles Sampson, and Henry Sampson, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Finishers, and Robert Burlison, of Thornbury, near the said Bradford, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for effecting the 'folding' and 'papering' of woven fabrics."