

2362. To George Robinson, of No. 26, Welbeck-street, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or production of ammonia, baryta, and strontia."
2363. To Cromwell Fleetwood Varley, of Fleetwood House, Beckenham, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for obtaining latitude and longitude."
2364. To Charles Patrick Stewart and Henry Chapman, both of the Atlas Works, in the city of Manchester, and county of Lancaster, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in tools or machines for cutting, drilling, slotting, slot drilling, shaping, and planing metals and other substances."
2365. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cutting frets in metal or other substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Madame Henriette Delong, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Fret Cutter.
2366. To Alexander Oldham, of Newton Moor, in the county of Chester, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in metallic pistons."
2367. To John Boyd, Engineer and Machine Maker, John McPherson, Manufacturer, Thomas Knox Kerr, Manufacturer, and John Taylor, Mechanic, all of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in winding apparatus."
2368. To John Bindley, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus to be employed in the manufacture of fish hooks."
2369. To William Tunstill, of Paterson, in the State of New Jersey, United States of America, for the invention of "an improvement in braiding machines and warp regulators."
2370. And to Richard Couchman, of Noble-street, Saint Martin's le-Grand, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in boxes or cases for packing and exhibiting goods or articles of various kinds."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of September, 1866.
2371. To John Keyston, of King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, for the invention of "an improved material or substance to be used instead of whalebone in the manufacture of whips, whip handles, riding and walking sticks, and such like articles."
2372. To Noah Dunn, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in water tuyeres."
2373. To Thomas Newey, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Pen and Pencil Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in clips or fastenings for the bands of purses and pocket books, and for other bands, and for other like purposes."
2374. To Benjamin Bayliss, of Pontnewydd, near Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Forge Manager, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron."
2375. To Charles Cunningham Connor, of Spamount Mills, Castlederg, in the county of Tyrone, Ireland, Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for the

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- preparation or treatment of flax, tow, hemp, and other vegetable fibrous matters."
2376. To William Creasy, of Bull's Hall, Bedford, in the county of Suffolk, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for drying, or otherwise treating, grain and other substances."
2378. And to Joseph Twibill, of Irvine, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam generators or boilers, water heaters, and apparatus connected therewith."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of September, 1866.

2379. To James Jackson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Manager of North Forge Iron Works, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of ships' anchors."
2380. To Peter Brash, of Leith, in the county of Midlothian, Soap, Candle, and Oil Manufacturer, and William Young, Manager of the Oil Works, Straiton, in the same county, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of oil from shale and other bituminous substances."
2382. To John Dunn, of No. 6, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in spinning wool and other fibrous materials."—A communication to him from abroad by Ferdinand Spineux, of Liège, Belgium.
2384. To William Edward Gedge, of the firm of John Gedge and Son, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved construction of railway."—A communication to him from abroad by François Guillet, of Coteau, near Roanne, France, Machinist.
2385. To James Dodge, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for grinding, stripping, and cutting file blanks, part of which improvements is also applicable to grinding and polishing chisels, plane irons, and other articles."
2386. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of bricks, tiles, and other similar articles."—A communication to him from abroad by François Durand, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Engineer.
2387. To Daniel McDowell, of the city of Dublin, Ireland, Engineer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for cleaning the tubes of steam boilers."
2390. And to George Dyson, of Tudhoe, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "improvements in the smelting of iron, and in furnaces therefor."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of September, 1866.
2391. To William Henry Bailey, of the Albion Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Brass Founder and Steam Gauge Manufacturer, for the invention of "a combined bath, travelling trunk, and self-rocking cradle."
2392. To John Thompson, of Ardwick, in the city of Manchester, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for turning or cutting and polishing screw nuts and other articles."