power."—A communication to him from abroad by William Lewis Horne, of Batavia, Kane County, State of Illinois, United States of America.

2410. To James Garth Marshall, of Leeds, in the county of York, Flax Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in solvent or detergent

processes.'

2412. To Thomas Walmsley Lawson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Steam Ship Broker, for the invention of "improvements in

the construction of ships and vessels."

2414. And to James Lee Norton, of Belle Sauvage-yard, Ludgate-hill, in the city of London, and George Hawksley, of Montrose-villas, Caledonian-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus and means for burning combustible liquids, vapours, and gases to obtain heat and light therefrom."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of August,

2416. To David Whittaker, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in healds or heddles used in looms for weaving.'

2418. To Daniel Taylor, of Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Chaser, for the invention of "improvements in the means of stopping or closing bottles and other vessels of capacity."

2422. And to John Varley, of 57, Bloomsfieldroad, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for raising, supplying, and measuring water to steam boilers, part of which invention is also applicable to measuring water for other pur-

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of August,

2424. To John Cash and Joseph Cash, jun., both of the city of Coventry, Manufacturers, for the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of towels."

2426. To John Phillips-Smith, of Hereford, in the county of Hereford, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved mode of and apparatus for hauling, draining, and other agricultural implements in the field by steam power, and also an improved truck for mounting and carrying such implements from place to place."

2428. To Martin Samuelson, of Hull, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of

"improvements in sewing machines."

2430. To Henry Davey, of Gunnislake, in the county of Cornwall, and David Davy, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supplying or feeding water to steam boilers and other vessels.'

2432. And to Pierre Kniaghininsky, of Saint Petersburgh, Pierre Galahoff, of Saint Petersburgh, and Nicolas Ossipoff, of Kozloff, in the Empire of Russia, Gentlemen, all now residing at No. 20, Rue Saint George, Avenue de Clichy, in the city of Paris, in the Empire of France, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for setting up and distributing printing types."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of August,

1867.

· PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 31st day of August, 1867.

2097. Harold Potter, of the city of Manchester, Commission Agent, for an invention of "improvements in bleaching fibrous substances."-

Dated 25th August, 1864.

2099. Nicholas Jacques Peton, of 10, Rue de la Fidélité, Paris, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, for an invention of "an improved machine for sweeping chimneys."-Dated 25th

August, 1864.

2100. Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleetstreet, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improved apparatus for lighting and for firing charges in mines, and other blasting operations." — Communicated to him from abroad by Alphonse Dumas, of Privas, France.-Dated 25th August, 1864.

2101. George Davies, of No. 1, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and No. 28, St. Enoch-square, in the city of Glasgow, Civil Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved system of filter presses."—Communicated to him from abroad by Jacques Jacquier and Vincenz Danck, of the firm of Jacquier, Danck, and Company, of Paris.—Dated 25th August, 1864.

2102. George Hallen Cottam, and Henry Richard Cottam, of the St. Pancras Iron Works, Old St. Pancras-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in machinery employed in transferring railway carriages from one line of rails to another, and in apparatus used for lifting and adjusting rails of railways."-Dated 25th August, 1864.

2107. Marks Leopold Muller, of Coleman-street, in the city of London, Watch Maker, for an invention of "improvements in watches."-

Dated 26th August, 1864.

2108. Joseph Strouse, of the city of New York, in the United States of America, Shirt Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in shirts."—Dated 26th August, 1864.

2110. Edmund Hunt, of No. 28, St. Enochsquare, Glasgow, and No. 1, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, Consulting Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for planing wood."-Communicated to him from abroad by Theodor Andreas Prale, residing at Hamburgh.—Dated 26th August, 1864.

2112. Richard Marshall, of Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Builder, for an invention of "improvements in carriage windows."-Dated

26th August, 1864.

2114. Edmund Calvert, of Walton-le-Dale, in the county of Lancaster, and Thomas Edmeston, of the same place, for an invention of "improvements in parts of machinery or apparatus employed in preparing, spinning, and doubling fibrous materials, and in the apparatus for manufacturing the said parts."—Dated 27th August, 1864.

116. Peter Armand Le Comte de Fontaine-Moreau, of the General Patent Offices, 10, Rue de la Fidélité, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Patent Agent, for an invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of artificial stone." Communicated to him from abroad by Charles