

1723. To James John Harrop, of the city of Manchester, Lead Manufacturer, and William Corbett, of Bradford, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in puddling iron, and in puddling furnaces."
1724. To John Cole, of 29, Great Portland-street, W., in the county of Middlesex, Gun Maker, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms."
1725. To Henry Percy Holt, of Royal Insurance-buildings, Leeds, in the county of York, Civil and Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery and locomotive engines for driving tram cars and other road vehicles, parts of which improvements are applicable to other steam engines."
1726. To John Dorrell, of Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for containing coal, corn, or other commodities."
1727. To John Newton Colby, of Mystic, State of Connecticut, in the United States of America, but at present of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the glands of stuffing-boxes for piston and other rods."
1728. To James Morris, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Printer, for the invention of "improvements in and connected with machines for finishing printed sheets of paper."
1729. 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 nocturnal telegraphic apparatus."—A communication to him from abroad by Constant Marie Joseph Douillard, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1730. To Alfred Mosely, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the county of the same town, Dentist, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of fire escapes."
1731. To Charles Henry Russell, of Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Julius Sax, of Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury, in the same county, Telegraph Instrument Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for marking or scoring at billiards, and for indicating the number of games played, and for other similar purposes."
1732. And to Alfred George Speight, of Spencer-street, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of collars, cuffs, shirt fronts, and like articles for personal wear."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of June, 1872.
1733. To Charles Jules Mercier, Doctor of Medicine, of No. 82, Boulevard Sébastopol, Paris, France, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of india rubber tissues for clothes and similar articles of a waterproof nature."
1734. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in stair-rods and their fastenings."—A communication to him from abroad by Eldridge J. Smith, of Washington, District of Columbia, United States of America.
1735. To John McFarlane Gray, Engineer, of 130, Princes-st., Edinburgh, in the county of Midlothian, for the invention of "improvements in mechanism, apparatus, and arrangements for voting by ballot."
1736. To Henry Edward Lester, junior, of the Victoria Docks, in the county of Essex, Master Shipwright, for the invention of "improvements in vessels' steering apparatus."
1737. To William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Olivier Petit-Toulouse, of Homblières, Aisne, France.
1738. And to Frederick George Morton, of No. 16, Lynton-street, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement in utilizing tin plate scraps or clippings, and in separating the tin and iron contained therein."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of June, 1872.
1740. To Camille Alphonse Faure, of 14, Brook-street, in the parish of Lambeth, and county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of thermo-piles or thermo-electric batteries, or apparatus for producing or exciting electric currents."
1742. To Camille Alphonse Faure, of 14, Brook-street, in the parish of Lambeth, and county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the process or processes of applying electric currents to chemical decompositions and combinations, including the manufacture of alkalis."
1743. To Octave Doyen, of Reims (France), Doctor, for the invention of "an improved preparation and utilization of coffee in the form of tablets for food."
1744. To Joseph Lodge, of the Whitecroft Works, Lydney, in the county of Gloucester, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for compressing fuel, clay, and other like substances."
1745. To Martin Rae, of Uphall, in the county of Linlithgow, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or preparation of fuel."
1747. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved fastening for the lids or covers of gas retorts."—A communication to him from abroad by George Stancliff and James Robert Floyd, both of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.
1748. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in pistons for steam and other engines and pumps."—A communication to him from abroad by Frédéric Jean Falcimagne, of Paris, France.
1749. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in lubricators for carriage axles and other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Jesse Scott Eggleston, of Auburn, in the county of Cayuga, and State of New York, United States of America.
1750. To Charles John Smith, of Northampton, in the county of Northampton, Superintendent of Fire Brigade, for the invention of "an improved coupling for hose and other pipes."
1751. And to Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in mechanism for perforating paper for transmitting telegraphic