

differential pulleys, portions of which are applicable to other chain wheels."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said Office on the 12th day of June, 1872.

1801. And George Haseltine, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron and steel, and in apparatus employed therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by John Ware Middleton, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of June, 1872.

1837. And Thomas Hampton, of Ickles, near Rotherham, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of Bessemer steel ingots."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of June, 1872.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application at the said Office of the Commissioners, within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; the Abandonment of Railways Act, 1850, the Railways Companies Act, 1867, and the Abandonment of Railways Act, 1869; and in the Matter of the London, Worcester, and South Wales Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery was, on the 18th day of June, 1872, presented to the Lord Chancellor by George Pell, of Heyford Hills, Weedon, in the county of Northampton, Ironmaster, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on Friday, the 5th day of July, 1872; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Wm. T. Manning, 20, Great George-street, Westminster, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the County Palatine Loan and Discount Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery, was, on the 22nd day of June, 1872, presented to the Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, by William Glaister McWilliams, of No. 3, Chatham-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as a creditor of the said County Palatine Loan and Discount Company Limited; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 12th day of July, 1872; and any creditor or

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contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 24th day of June, 1872.

Gregory, Rowcliffes, and Rawle, 1, Bedford-row, London; Agents for *Hull, Stone, and Fletcher*, of Liverpool, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Thames Iron Works and Ship Building Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 22nd day of July, 1872, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Frederick John Divers, of Orchard-yard, Blackwall, in the county of Middlesex, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Roll's-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Monday, the 5th day of August, 1872, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 22nd day of June, 1872.

SALE OF IRON BORINGS, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, June 10, 1872.

TENDERS will be received on Thursday, the 11th July next, at two o'clock, for the purchase of about

55 Tons of WROUGHT IRON BORINGS, &c., lying at Her Majesty's Dockyard, Pembroke.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

A form of tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this Office, or at the Dockyard, at Pembroke.

CONTRACT FOR FIREBRICKS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, June 15, 1872.

TENDERS will be received on Friday, the 19th of July next, at two o'clock, for the supply of

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to Her Majesty's Dockyards.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

A form of tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office.

SOAP.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, June 18, 1872.

TENDERS will be received on Wednesday, the 10th July next, at two o'clock, for

750,000 lbs. of SOAP for DEPTFORD.
200,000 lbs. " PLYMOUTH.