

- Communicated to him from abroad by William Augustus Leggo, of Montreal, Canada, Gentleman.—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2255. Paul Nestor Friguier, of Rue des Vinaigriers, No. 55, à Paris, Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for heading or punching pins, nails, rivets, screws and other similar articles."—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2258. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in furnace grates."—A communication to him from abroad by Gabriel de Usera, Mining Engineer and Alejandro Goujet, Mechanical Engineer, both of Madrid, in the Kingdom of Spain.—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2259. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in dyeing woollen waste, whether in the form of stuffs, rags, spun waste tissues, or cloths."—A communication to him from abroad by Theophile Grison, of St. Denis de Lisleux, Calvados, France, Manufacturer.—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2252. William Bradbury Robinson, of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Pill Box Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of the cylinders or rings of boxes made from wood, shavings, or chips, or from strips of pasteboard or paper."—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2263. William Webb, of 17, Evelyn-street, New Town, Deptford, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improvements in joints or connections for uniting the ends of soft metal pipes to one another and to other pipes and cocks and union pieces."—Dated 28th August, 1871.
2269. Edward Primerose Howard Vaughan, F.C.S., of 54, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of stannate of soda and stannate of potash."—Communicated to him from abroad by Charles Lennig, of the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, in the United States of America.—Dated 29th August, 1871.
2270. Robert Saunders, of Croydon, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in steering ships and vessels."—Dated 29th August, 1871.
2271. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for reducing rags and converting the fibres recovered therefrom into sliver."—Communicated to him from abroad by Julien Hayem, of Paris, France.—Dated 29th August, 1871.
2272. Ebenezer Abram Slater, of 6, Wood-street, Cheapside, George William Schollar, of 96, Ball's Pond-road, Islington, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of umbrellas, and of fabrics to be used in such manufacture."—Dated 29th August, 1871.
2273. John Wright, of Rochester, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improvements in constructing tunnels below water, and in apparatus to be used for this purpose, and for forming other works below water."—Dated 29th August, 1871.
- £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 29th day of August, 1874.
2423. George Allibon and Edward Wilson, of the city of Worcester, in the county of Worcester, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus or gearing for steering ships."—Dated 24th August, 1867.
2436. Edward Sonstadt, of the parish of Maughold, in the Isle of Man, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of seaweed, for obtaining valuable products from it."—Dated 26th August, 1867.
2454. William Thomas Watts, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Metal Dealer, and Daniel Joseph Fleetwood, of the same place, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in and applicable to hydraulic and other presses, parts of which improvements may be employed for or with other descriptions of machinery."—Dated 28th August, 1867.
2468. Arthur McNutt Wier and Marshall Arthur Wier, of Elm Lodge, Newton-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in signalling and indicating apparatus."—Dated 29th August, 1867.

In the Matter of the Cagliari Mining Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery was, on the 1st day of September, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Thomas Vyner Clarke, of 43, Leylands-road, Lee, in the county of Kent, Mining Engineer and Contractor, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall on the 6th day of November, 1874; 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.

Kimber and Lee, 1 and 2, Great Winchester-street-buildings, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Provident Fire Insurance 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 1st day of September, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Jabez Tuck, of No. 6, Union-court, Old Broad-street, Stationer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Malins, on the 6th day of November, 1874; 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 re-

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of