In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester. County Courts Admiralty Jurisdiction Act, 1868,

County Courts Admiralty Jurisdiction Amendment Act, 1869.

IST of Nautical Assessors :-

- Robert Barrie Batt, of Her Majesty's Dockyard, Chatham, Staff Captain, R.N.
- George Lyon Carr, of Her Majesty's Dockyard, Sheerness, Staff Captain, R.N.
- John Philip Carey Clements, of Her Majesty's ship "Pembroke," Chatham, Staff Commander, R.N.
- Robert Lowcay Cleveland, of Royal Naval Barracks, Sheerness, Staff Commander, R.N.
- William Hemsley, of Strood, Rochester, Commander (Staff Commanders' List), R.N.
- Stafford Lane Tracey, of Her Majesty's ship "Duncan," Sheerness, Staff Commander, R.N.

List of Mercantile Assessors.

Francis Flint Belsey, of Rochester, Merchant.

- Edward Robert Coles, of Rochester, Shipowner, Justice of the Peace, and Alderman.
- Frederick Furrell, of Rochester, Shipowner, Justice of the Peace.
- William Parton Haymen, of Rochester, Shipowner, Justice of the Peace.
- William Woodhams, of Rochester, Merchant and Alderman.

Wm. Webb Hayward, Registrar. Approved-Robert J. Phillimore, Judge. May 4, 1877.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Henry Wilde, of the city of Manchester, Engineer, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1863 (No. 3006), for his invention of "improvements in the construction and working of electric telegraphs, and in apparatus connected therewith, partly applicable to other purposes."

TOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the said Henry Wilde to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of the said Letters Patent. And notice is hereby further given, that on the 20th day of June next, or on such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee shall appoint for that purpose, application will be made by Counsel to the said Committee that a time may be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition ; and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect at the Privy Council Office on or before the 20th day of June, 1877 .- Dated the 10th day of May, 1877.

Milne, Riddle, and Mellor, 2, Harcourt-buildings, Temple, London, E.C.; Agents for

Wood and Atkinson, Manchester, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Henry Wilde, of the city of Manchester, Engineer, bearing date the 26th day of October, 1865 (No. 2762), for his invention of "improvements in the construction and working of electric telegraphs, and in apparatus connected therewith, partly applicable to other purposes." OTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the said Henry Wilde to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of the said Letters Patent. And notice is hereby further given, that on the 20th day of June | Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of

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next, or on such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee shall appoint for that purpose, application will be made by Counsel to the said Committee that a time may be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition ; and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect at the Privy Council Office on or before the 20th day of June, 1877 .- Dated the 10th day of May, 1877.

- Milne, Riddle, and Mellor, 2, Harcourt-buildings, Temple, London, E.C.; Agents for
- Woud and Atkinson, Manchester, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Ludwig

Mond, of Appleton-in-Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, bearing date the 8 h day of September, 1863 (No. 2203), for his invention of "improvements in obtaining sulphur and sulphurous acid from alkali waste, and in the Matter of the Petition of the said Ludwig Mond, of Appleton-in-Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, and of William Norwood, John Cross, and Thomas Part, the executors and trustees of the last will and testament of the late John Hutchinson, the Assignee of one moiety or equal half part or share of and in the said Letters Patent, for a prolongation of the term of the said Letters Patent.

OTICE is hereby given, that on application this day made by Counsel for the petitioner, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has appointed Tuesday, the oth day of June, 1877, for hearing the matter of the said petition. -Dated this Srd day of May, 1877.

Gregory and Co., i, Bedford-row; Agents for

Part, Woodcock, and Walmesley, Wigan, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1703. Inventions.

OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Herbert John Haldan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster. Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in exhaust regulators for locomotives and other steam engines,"-a communica-tion to him from abroad by John Dunmore Murray, of Sarnia, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of May, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1714. Inventions.

I OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Robert Laboration William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southamptonbuildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for liquoring hard sugar in centritugal machines,"-a communication to him from abroad by Otto H. Krause, of Jersey City, New Jersey, United States of America,-was deposited and recorded in the