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."

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NOTICE 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, Harcourtbuildings, Temple, London, E.C.; Agents for

Wood and Atkinson, Manchester, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-innfields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the jaws of machinery or apparatus for breaking stones and other hard substances."—A communication from abroad by Hugh Junor Browne, of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, Merchant, and Arthur Hope, of Prahran, in the same colony, Engineer. Sealed the 30th day of April, 1872, and dated the 28th December, 1871. No. 3508.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application has been made on behalf of David Stratton, on of Edinburgh, Road Surveyor, and David Gray, of Sunnyside Engine Works, Coalbridge, Lanarkshire, Scotland, Engineer, the assignees and present owners of the said Letters Patent, to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of certain parts of the specification of the said Letters Patent, and any person intending to oppose such application must leave notice thereof at the office of Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, 2, Hare-court, Temple, London, within ten days after the date hereof.—Dated this 22nd day of May, 1877.

R. W. Marsland, 2, Cowper's-court, Cornhill, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Petitioners.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

OTICE is hereby given, that—

72. Charlemagne Thiébaut, of Paris, France, now of 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Banker,

has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "an improved portable bedstead."

81. And Daniel Fryer, of 18, Carlton-square, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved machine for preparing salt and other matters for domestic use."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 8th day of January, 1877.

95. And John Thurlow, of Wakefield, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mules used in spinning wool and other fibrous substances."

107. And George Dyson Owen, of Rotherham, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of railway and other like wheels, in machinery connected therewith or employed therefor, and in the method of fastening tyres on such wheels."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 9th day of January, 1877.

131. And James Trigwell, of 41, Queen's-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in bicycles and similar vehicles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of January, 1877.

133. And Samuel Wilson, of Belfast, and James Barbour, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines for spinning rope yarns."

140. And John Matthew May, of Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements connected with the manufacture of clock cases, barometer cases, thermometer cases, and other like cases."

145. And William Hart and George Hart, of the city of Mauchester, in the county of Lancaster, Brass Founders and Finishers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus for injecting fluids into steam boilers, which improvements are also applicable for other purposes."

153. And Henry Edwin Sambrook, of 39, Old Kent-road, Surrey, Licensed Victualler, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines for checking money takings and registering the amount."

154. And William Delf, of Great Bentley, in the county of Essex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for separating, cleaning, and sizing grain and seeds, applicable also for other purposes."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 11th day of January, 1877.

168. And Arthur Greenwood, of Leeds, in the county of York, Machine Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam generators."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 12th day of January, 1877.

177. And John Little Dryden, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Master Mariner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention