

in an English point of view, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Bom Jesus," of London, official number 76,963, of gross tonnage 175 tons, of register tonnage 175 tons, heretofore owner name unknown, of Portugal, for permission to change her name to "Pico," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of London, as owned by me.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at London, this 9th day of June, 1877.

*Joseph Cundy.*

#### Official Notice.

##### Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

**I** O. R. STRICKLAND, of 84, Bishopsgate-street Within, Manager in London of the New Zealand Shipping Company Limited, of Christchurch, New Zealand, hereby give notice, that in consequence of it being the custom for the said Company to call its vessels by the names of rivers in New Zealand, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of the said Company's ship "White Eagle," of Dunedin, New Zealand, official number 31,755, of gross tonnage 878.65 tons, of register tonnage 878.65 tons, heretofore owned by T. Bilbe, W. Perry, and J. Gavin, of London, for permission to change her name to "Pareora," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of London, as owned by the New Zealand Shipping Company Limited, of Christchurch, New Zealand.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at 84, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, this 12th day of June, 1877.

*O. R. Strickland, Manager of the New Zealand Shipping Company Limited.*

In the Matter of Letters Patent for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, dated 29th November, 1871, No. 3222, granted to William Thomas, of Nos. 128 and 129, Cheap-side, in the city of London, for "improvements in stays and bodes, and in buks for the same."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the said William Thomas has applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents, according to the statute in that case made and provided, for leave to enter a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of the Title and 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 the Solicitor-General, No. 5, Paper-buildings, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 11th day of June, 1877.

*Abel and Imray, 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, Agents for the said William Thomas.*

In the Matter of Letters Patent for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland granted to Henry Aitken, of Falkirk, in the county of Stirling, North Britain, Coal Master, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of illuminating gas, and in the apparatus or means employed therefor."—Dated the 24th day of July, 1874. No. 2587.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the said Henry Aitken has applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents, according to the Statute

in that case made and provided, for leave to enter 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 the Attorney-General, 6, Crown Office-row, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 15th day of June, 1877.

*J. Henry Johnson and Day, 115, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agents for the said Henry Aitken.*

In the Matter of Letters Patent for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granted to John Cammack and Alexander Walker, both of St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sulphates of soda and potash, and in the apparatus employed in such manufacture."—Dated the 3rd day of March, 1876. No. 903.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the said John Cammack and Alexander Walker have applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, for leave to enter 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 the Attorney-General, 6, Crown Office-row, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 15th day of June, 1877.

*J. Henry Johnson, 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Agent for the said John Cammack and Alexander Walker.*

#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Herbert John Haddan, 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 ships and other vessels and in apparatus for steering same,"—a communication to him from abroad by Pierre Frigon, of the city of Montreal, in the Dominion of Canada, Builder and Contractor,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of June, 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 Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Jacob Ganter, of Paris, in the Republic of France, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved mattress for children and invalids," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 7th day of June, 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 Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée