

## FARCY.

	Farms or other Places.			Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Bedford ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis ...	3	1	4	2	4	3	...	...	3	...	...
TOTAL ...	3	2	5	2	5	4	...	...	3	...	...

\* Counties include such Boroughs and Burghs as are locally situated within the limits of the Counties, or, if surrounded by two or more Counties, then they are included in the County with which they have the longest common boundary. Berwick-upon-Tweed is included in Northumberland.

Agricultural Department, Privy Council Office, 9th May, 1884.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Alexander Horace Brandon, of No. 5, Quai de Paris, Rouen, France, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus for producing the more complete combustion of gas, paraffin, and other hydrocarbon oils."—Dated the 31st day of October, 1870, and numbered 2865,—being a communication to him from Henry Harrison Doty, of the Hôtel de l'Empire, Paris, Rue Neuve St. Augustin.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that it is the intention of Henry Harrison Doty 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 also that on the 16th day of June now next, or upon such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council shall appoint for that purpose, the petitioner will apply to the said Judicial Committee for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition; and that on or before the 12th of June now next, any person or persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition must give notice of such opposition, and any person or persons intending to oppose the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect at the Privy Council Office on or before the said last-named date.—Dated this 30th day of April, 1884.

S. R. Bastard, 2, Brabant-court, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division  
In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867; in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1877; and in the Matter of the Skelmersdale Land and Building Company Limited and Reduced.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its capital from £20,000 to £6,000. A list of persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 2nd day of April, 1884, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, at 45, Chapel-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, or at the office of Messrs. Gregory, Rowcliffes, and Co., 1, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, at any time during usual business hours on payment of the

charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the last-mentioned day, and still to be a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the said list, and claims to be so entered, must, on or before the 23rd day of May instant, send in his name and address, and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any), to the undersigned, at 1, Bedford-row aforesaid, or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 8th day of May, 1884.

Gregory, Rowcliffes, and Co., 1, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex;  
Agents for  
Parr, Sadler, and Dickinson, of Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitors for the Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of Paul Millonain Patent Fuel Company Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice was, on the 6th day of May, 1884, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by James William Vickers, of No. 5, Nicholas-lane, in the city of London, Advertising Contractor, a creditor of the above-named Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Chitty, on the 17th day of May, 1884; 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.

Snell, Son, and Greenip, 1, George-street, Mansion House, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Banbury Colour and Paint Company Limited.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 7th day of May, 1884, presented to his Lordship the Honourable