499. To Adam John Burr, of 42, Alfred-road, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in gas meters."

501. And to Eugène Tardif, of Bruxelles, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Merchant, for the invention of "an improved construction of number-

ing apparatus."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of March, 1855.

East India-House, March 14, 1855.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing a notice that the undermentioned Insolvent has filed his Petition in the Court, at Malacca, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petition filed praying for Relief.

John Overree, Teacher, of the Government Free School. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 6, 1855.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, March 14, 1855.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing a notice that the undermentioned Insolvent has filed his Petition in the Court, at Prince of Wales' Island, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petition filed praying for Relief.

Booyoung, late a Painter, Tailor, and Farmer, now a Prisoner for Debt in Prince of Wales' Island. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 6, 1855.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, March 14, 1855.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received Calcutta Gazettes, containing notices that the undermentioned Insolvents have filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petitions filed praying for Relief.

Groodoss Ruckit, of No. 4, Durjeeparrah, in Chidam Moodies-lane, in Calcutta, lately carrying on business as a Cloth Seller, at Sobabazar, in Calcutta, but at present without any trade or occupation, filed 23rd December, 1854. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 6, 1855.

William Morrieson Inglis, of Colingah-lane, in Calcutta, Clerk in the Office of the Allipore Commissioner, 24 Pergunnahs, filed 3rd January. Date of Gazette containing notice,

January 6, 1855.

William Usticke Lemon, of Calcutta, formerly Commander of the vessel Almahamady, sailing out of the port of Calcutta, and at present Manager of the Firm of A. Thompson and Company, of Hastings-street, in Calcutta, filed 23rd December, 1854. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 6, 1855.

John Demetrius Calogreedy, of Weston's-lane, in Calcutta, a Record Keeper in the Foreign Department of the Government of India, filed 13th January, 1855. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 17, 1855.

Joseph Abraham Dock Cohen, of Pollock-street, in Calcutta, Merchant, filed 5th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 17,

1855.

Francis Sandford Oehme, of Kerr's-lane, in Calcutta, late a Pleader in the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, but now a Drawing Master and Photographist, filed 12th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 17, 1855.

Muddoosoodun Pautter, late of Goaltolly, in Calcutta, a Butterman, filed 9th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 20,

1855.

Julean Lavandier, of Kenderdine's-lane, in Calcutta, a Sectioner in the Foreign Department, filed 9th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 20, 1855.

William Henry Groser, of Shampooker, in Calcutta, an Inspector of the Calcutta Police Office, filed 9th January. Date of Gazette containing

notice, January 20, 1855.

Henry Hutcheson Atkinson, late of Raneemoody Gully, in Calcutta, Merchant and Trader, carrying on business under the style of McArthur, Atkinson, and Co., filed 9th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 20, 1855.

Doorgaram Day, of Punchanuntollah in Arpooly, in Calcutta, Weighman, filed 9th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 20,

1855.

Auguste Bencot, formerly carrying on trade and business at Moulmein, as Merchant and Agent, Trader, filed 16th January. Date of Gazette containing notice, January 20, 1855.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

CONTRACTS FOR CANVASS.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, March 13, 1855.

Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice that, on Tuesday the 10th of April next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dock Yards at Deptford, Portsmouth, and Devonport, with

31,554 BOLTS OF CANVASS (including 2,274 Bolts of 18 inches wide), to be delivered by the 31st of December next.

Tenders may be made for any quantity, not less than 1,000 bolts, and no tender will be received unless made on the printed form, properly filled up, which, together with "Instructions for making the Convass," may be obtained on application to this Office.

No tender will be received after two o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorised in

writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Canvass," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value for the due performance of the contract.