NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Lee Chapel, situated in the High-road, Lee, in the parish of Lee, in the county of Kent, in the district of Lewisham Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 3rd day of January, 1856, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85. Witness my hand this 7th day of January, 1856.

Tho. Parker, jr., Superintendent Registrar.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852. Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

OTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

1951. To Charles Pope Rosson, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Brush Manufacturer, for the invention of "certain improvements in machinery or apparatus employed for dressing and finishing textile fabrics, by the application of a new material, in the place of hogs' bristles or wire cards hitherto employed therein."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of August, 1855.

2197. To William Horton, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Operative Gun Maker, for the invention of "improvements in the breech part of firearms."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of October, 1855.

2739. To William Henry Smith, of Wellingtonchambers, Cannon-street West, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "an improved construction of fastening, applicable to gaiters, stays, and other like articles.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of December, 1855.

- 2741. To Jonas Marland, of Sun Vale Iron Works, Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, and Samuel Marland, also of Sun Vale Iron Works, Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "certain improvements in power-looms."
- 2743. To William George Wilson, of Penton Cottage, Penton-place, Newington Butts, Zinc and Tin Plate Worker, for the invention of "a pneumatic moderator."
- 2745. To Arthur Paget, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Manufacturer, for the in-vention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of looped or other fabrics."
- 2749. To James Rock, Junior, of Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Carriage Builder, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of tents, huts, and portable buildings."
- 2751. To Thomas Chaffer, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Stone Merchant, and Jonah Ellis, of the Vulcan Foundry, near Warrington, in the same county, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for sawing and cutting slate, stone, coal, salt rock, or other minerals."
- 2753. To Rudolph Bodmer, of No. 2, Thaviesinn, in the city of London, for the invention of "an improved planimeter."—A communication from Jacob Amsler, Professor of Mathematics, of Schaffausen, in Switzerland.
- 2755. To Angier March Perkins, of Francis-street, Gray's-inn-road, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for generating. steam."

2757. And to Angier March Perkins, of Francisstreet, Gray's-inn-road, for the invention of "improvements in warming buildings and apartments by hot water."

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

- 2759. To Antoine Latta, Merchant, of Metz, in the Empire of France, for the invention of "preparing gutta percha in combination with other substances, applicable to various purposes."
- 2761. To David Dick, Engineer, of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, in Scotland, for the in-vention of "improvements in machinery to be used in finishing cloth and textile fabrics."
- 2763. To Hudson Cranston, of Coronation-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "an improved method of manufacturing lozenges."
- 2767. To James Leitch, Sugar Refiner, of No. 1, Ellenborough-street, in the town of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in melting, blowing up, and filtering sugars and other saccharine matters."
- 2769. To John Gray, of Strand-street, Liverpool, for the invention of "improvements in azimuth and amplitude instruments."
- 2771. And to Herman John Van den Hout, Artist, and Ebenezer Brown, Carver, both of Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in utilising leather shavings.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of December, 1855.

- 2773. To Charles François Jules Fonrobert, of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia, for the invention of "an artificial leech and a sucker."
- 2775. To William Norton, of Kirkburton, in the county of York, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in weaving pile fabrics."
- 2777. And to François Devos, of 2, Rue Drouot, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in preparing and tanning hides and skins."

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 8th day of December, 1355.

- 2779. To Joseph Wrigley, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster; Manufacturer, and Jacob Norcliffe, of the same place, Overlooker, for the invention of " improvements in shuttles, and in the method of using the same."
- 2781. To James Cocker, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wire Drawer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of wire."
- 2783. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln'sinn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of safety paper."-A communication from Victor Courboulay, of Place du Caire, Paris, in the Empire of France, Civil Engineer.
- 2787. To Josiah George Jennings, of Great Charlotte-street, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improvement in the arrangement of the over flow pipes of baths, wash-hand basins and other vessels.
- 2789. And to Josiah George Jennings, of Great Charlotte-street, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improvement in the rising pipe and suction valves of pumps."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of December, 1855.