iron for the making of ships knees."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 4th day of January, 1856.

48. And Joseph Corbett, of Brierley-hill, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved method of preserving the tuyeres of blast furnaces."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 5th day of January, 1856.

52. And Charles Jarvis, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Ironfounder, and Thomas Deykin Clare, of Birmingham aforesaid, Mineral Merchant, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved oven or kiln to be used in the manufacture of coke and pottery, and for heating and drying generally.

54. And Thomas Barter, of Hart-street, in the county of Middlesex, Medical Rubber and Bathman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention "an improved apparatus for administering vapour and douche baths."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 7th day of January, 1856.

And Henry Stuart, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and Thomas Pritchard, of Runcorn, in the county of Chester, Watch Makers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in watches and chronometers, which improvements are also applicable to clocks and other time pieces."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of January, 1856.

- 69. And William Barrie, of Maida-hill, London, in the county of Middlesex, Commander, R.N., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved reflective leveller."-A communication from Adolphe Morlot, of Mon-
- 71. And John Ashworth, junior, of Turton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in lap machines or apparatus used in the preparation of cotton and other fibrous substances for spinning.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 9th day of January, 1856.

77. And Martin Billing, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Stationer, and Frederick Augustus Harwood, of Birmingham aforesaid. Machinist, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved machinery for the manufacture of paper bags.'

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of January, 1856.

96. And Alexandre Tolhausen, of No. 7, Dukestreet, Adelphi, London, county of Middlesex, Sworn Interpreter at the Imperial Court of Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in balance slide valves for steam engines."communication from E. D. Leavitt, jun., United States of America.

103. And John Gottlieb Ullrich, of 63, Marklane, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in chronom ters and other time keepers." As set forth in their respective petitions, both

recorded in the said office on the 14th day of

January, 1856.

vention of "an improvement in the rolling of | 107. And Pierre Théophile Auguste Nicoulland, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam boiler furnaces."-A communication from Le Docteur Bordone, of Vincennes.

109. And Samuel Sheppard, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved tap or stop cock."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 15th day of January, 1856.

116. And John Abraham, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved machinery for the manufacture of percussion caps, and for cutting out and raising articles in metal generally.'

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said effice on the 16th day of January, 1856.

197. And Félix Chauchard, of Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper and pasteboard from vegetable and wood substances."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of January, 1856.

16. And Samuel Statham, of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in electric telegraph conductors." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of January, 1856.

255. And John Gretton, of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Brewer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in brewing."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of January, 1856.

290. And John Fock Day, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved door lock and latch.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of February, 1856.

329. And James Meacock, of Snow-hill, in the city of London, Gas Meter Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved means of fixing diaphragms in gas meters."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 6th day of February, 1856.

409. And Moss Defries, of the firm of Jonas Defries and Sons, of Houndsditch, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in supplying oil to the burners of

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of February, 1856.

452. And John Sharp Cromartie Heywood, of Battle-bridge, in the county of Middlesex, and George Lloyd, of Great Guilford-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in condensing vapours in distillatory operations, the manufacture of varnishes, melting and distilling of fats and other manufacturing or chemical operations and obtaining useful products therefrom."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of February, 1856.