

671. To Jean Claude Durand, of Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron."

673. To Thomas Silver, of Philadelphia, U.S., Gentleman, for the invention of "pulsating valves or govomers."

675. To Benjamin Wood, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cleansing the waste of woollen or other fibrous manufactures."

677. And to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sheet iron."—A communication.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of March, 1858.

679. To Frederick Albert Gatty, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in treating certain compounds containing the coloring matter of madder."

681. To Marcus Brown Westhead, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, and Hugh Baines, of the same place, Gentleman, for the invention of "certain improved apparatus for coupling or connecting carriages, wagons, trucks, vans, and engines, used or employed upon railways."

683. To Edward Henri Todé, of Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Printer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for generating steam in steam boilers by means of gas."

685. To Bland W. Croker, of Vienna, in the Empire of Austria, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in axle boxes to render them self-lubricating."

687. To Frederick Edwards, of Hillfields, in the city of Coventry, Machinist, and William Edwards, of Howard-street, in the said city of Coventry, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in weaving."

689. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-in-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of 166, Buchanan-street, in the city of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in articles of buoyancy to be used either for swimming or for the saving of life from drowning."—A communication from Pierre Mazard and Company, of Lyons, in the Empire of France.

691. And to Robert Barr, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for making rivets, spikes, nails, and screw blanks, and similar articles in metal."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 31st day of March, 1858.

Erratum in Gazette of April 6.

For "357," read "257."

East India-House, April 6, 1858.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Bombay Gazette, containing a notice that the undermentioned Insolvents have filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent

Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11th Victoria, cap. 21 :

Petitions filed praying for Relief.

Insolvent Debtors' Court.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, Bombay, praying respectively for the benefit of the Act made and passed in the 11th year of Victoria, chapter 21 :

Hajee Mahomed Sanduck, a Cashmere Shawl Merchant, Mahomedan, within the Fort, in Apollo-street, filed 17th February, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Hormusjee Ruttonjee, late a Timber Merchant, Parsee, within the Fort, in Sapoorjee's Chuckla, filed 23rd February, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Syed Meerun bin Syed Mahomed, Broker, Mahomedan, without the Fort, in Bhendy Bazar, filed 24th February, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Shaik Mahomed bin Shaik Jaffer, a Butler in the service of Dr. Hamilton, Mahomedan, without the Fort, at New Nagpada, filed 25th February, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Ghachee Lalla Khuttoo, a Hackery Driver, Mahomedan, without the Fort, on the Erskine-road, filed 27th February, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Phawoo Soonderjee, a Clerk in the Military Department, Secretariat, Hindoo, lately without the Fort, near Dody Sett's Agiary (at present in the Bombay Gaol), filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Trimbuck Ramchunder, a Clerk in the Military Pay Office, Hindoo, lately without the Fort, in Lowar Chawl (at present in the Bombay Gaol), filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice March 4, 1858.

Hajee Abdoolla Hajee Dossul, lately traded as a General Merchant, in partnership with Jacobob Hajee Dossul and Seedick Hajee Dossul, under the name and firm of Hajee Dossul Hajee Cadoo, Mahomedan, lately without the Fort, in Memonwada (at present in the Bombay Gaol), filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Bugwantrao Wittoba, unemployed, Hindoo, lately without the Fort, in Pallow Road (at present in the Bombay Goal), filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

George Ainsworth, a Clerk in the service of Messrs. Dossabhay and Byramjee Dubash, Indo Briton, without the Fort, in Small Colaba, filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice March 4, 1858.

Mahomed Ebrahim bin Hajee Moolna Mahomed Boorojurdee, a Haberdasher, Mahomedan, without the Fort, in Gora Molla, filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Memon Surriff Motun, and Habib Surriff, Hawkers, Mahomedans, without the Fort, in Rungaree Molla, filed 1st March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Fuckeerjee Pallonjee, a Hackery Driver, Parsee, without the Fort, at Gaumlavee-road, filed 2nd March, 1858. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 4, 1858.

Orders in the matters of the above-named Insolvents' petitions, that the real and personal