

said, Engineer, for the invention of improvements in steam engines, steam boilers and apparatus connected therewith."

1995. To John Talbot Pitman, of the American and European Patent Offices, No. 67, Gracechurch-street, London, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in the construction of pneumatic condensing apparatus, for the purpose of compressing air, aeriform or gaseous bodies, preparatory to their use as prime motors, or for other purposes."—A communication.

1996. To Benjamin Winstone, of No. 100, Shoe-lane, London, Printing Ink Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement in the composition of copying and writing inks."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of September, 1858.

1997. To Jean Marie Bellanger, of No. 41, Rue de Trévis, in the city of Paris, France, Shoemaker, for the invention of "caoutchouc socks or clogs, with springs and without bridles."

1998. To James Robertson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in driving belts and springs."

1999. To William Harkes, of Lostock Gralam, in the county of Chester, Agricultural Implement Maker, for the invention of "an improved plough and pulverizer."

2000. To Elias Cocker, of Newton-heath, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Mill Manager, for the invention of an "improvement or improvements in machinery for spinning, twisting, or doubling cotton, flax, silk, wool, or other fibrous materials."

2001. To George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Loughborough-park, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in knitting machinery."—A communication.

2002. And to Richard Archibald Brooman, of No. 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, E.C., Patent Agent, for the invention of an "improved apparatus for supporting the skirts of ladies' dresses."—A communication.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 3rd day of September, 1858.

2003. To August Guye, of Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the escapement of chronometers and watches."

2004. To René Prosper Lavie, of the city of Paris, in the Kingdom of France, for the invention of "improvements in mills."

2005. To Richard Archibald Brooman, of No. 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, E.C., Patent Agent, for the invention of "improved apparatuses for receiving, containing, and delivering liquids."—A communication from J. C. J. L'Hôte, of Paris.

2006. To William Henry Child, of Providence-row, in the county of Middlesex, Brush Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in hair and skin brushes."

2007. To William Peter Piggott, of No. 16, Argyle-street, Regent-street, London, and Septimus Beardmore, of No. 37, Upper Berkeley-street, West London, for the invention of "improvements in vinous and fermented liquors."

2009. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, No. 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "an improvement in fire arms"—A communication.

2010. To Hiram Hyde, of Truro, Nova Scotia, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of carriage springs."—A communication.

2011. And to Arthur Hills, of Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, for the invention of a "method or methods for the better securing the integrity or genuineness of bankers cheques or orders for money."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of September, 1858.

2013. To Stanislas Hoga, of No. 14, Nassau-street, Middlesex-hospital, London, William Peter Piggott, of No. 16, Argyle-street, Regent-street, London, and Septimus Beardmore, of Upper Berkeley-street, London, for the invention of "improvements in submarine electric telegraphs."

2015. To John Ramsbottom, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, and Thomas Watson, of Baxenden, in the said county, Overlooker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for weaving."

2017. And to Henry John Distin, of No. 9, Great Newport-street, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, Musical Instrument Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in cornets and other musical wind instruments."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of September, 1858.

2019. To William Swain Champness, of No. 10, Osborne-terrace, Clapham-road, Surrey, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in syringes for male and female use."

2021. To Edward Fullwood, of Queen-square, Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, Cement Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cements."

2025. And to Gustave Larssonier, of Paris, (France,) Manufacturer, and Auguste Blanche, of Paris, (France,) Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in block-printing by hand on tissues, paper, or other suitable fabrics."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of September, 1858.

2027. To Bartholomew Hockin, of Gateshead Iron Works, Gateshead-on-Tyne, for the invention of "apparatus for repairing and fitting dockgates, and their machinery."

2029. To John Octavius Butler, of Kirkstall Forge, near Leeds, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in weighing cranes."—A communication.

1031. To Andrew Lamb, of Southampton, and John White, of Cowes, for the invention of "improvements in life boats."

2033. To Charles Bartholomew, of Rotherham, and John Bell, of Swinton, for the invention of "improvements in pistons and safety-valve levers of steam and other engines."

2035. To Jean Ulrich Faessler-Petzi, of Lyons, in the Empire of France, Merchant, for the invention of an "improved process for the boiling off of tussah silks or wild silks."

2037. And to Alexander McEwan Peters, of Edinburgh, in the county of Midlothian, North Britain, Plumber, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating the flow or passage of fluids."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of September, 1858.