

2053. And Jean Prosper Koenig, of the Rue de Fleurus, Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in a surgical instrument called a pneumatic catheter."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 10th day of September, 1858.

2076. And Robert Frost, of the Steam Mills, Chester, and Arthur Rigg, of the Park-gate-road, Chester, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for cleaning grain or seeds and bran."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of September, 1858.

2117. And Thomas Cook, of Addiscombe, in the county of Surrey, Professor of Fortification, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the method of preparing and securing bankers' and other crossed cheques against fraudulent erasure or removal."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of September, 1858.

2133. And Léon Castelain, of 53, Newman-street, Oxford-street, county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "converting all vegetable fibre, by aid of chemicals, into form to resemble horse-hair."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of September, 1858.

2144. And Edwin Thomas Wright, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved method of, and apparatus for, preventing the explosion of or injury to steam boilers through deficiency of water."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of September, 1858.

2182. And Gerhard Uhlhorn, of Grevenbroich, near Cologne, in the Kingdom of Prussia, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in applying motive power to give motion to machinery."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of September, 1858.

2196. And Bernhard Samuelson, of Banbury, Engineer and Agricultural Implement Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the wheels of carts and other carriages to be used on common roads."

2200. And Samuel Stimpson, of Lower-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved construction of fagot or fire lighter."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of October, 1858.

2210. And Michael Henry, of 84, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the means of or arrangements for working steam expansively."—A communication from Camille Polonceau.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of October, 1858.

2223. And William Malam, of Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, Gas Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatuses for the manufacture of gas."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of October, 1858.

2255. Alexander Miller, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locomotive steam engines."

—A communication from William Miller, of Chicago.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of October, 1858.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application, at the said Office of the Commissioners, within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

Errata in last Friday's Gazette.

2250. For "Hookersbrook," read "Flookersbrook."

2263. For "Audlem" read "Andlem."

2266. For "Carocou" read "Carracou."

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Acts, 1848, 1849, and 1857, and of the Newcastle Commercial Banking Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition for the dissolution and winding up of the above-named Company was, on the 25th day of October, 1858, presented to the Lord Chancellor in England by William Walker, of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Gentleman; and that it is expected such petition will be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, on the 5th day of November, 1858; and any person desirous to oppose the making of an Order absolute for the dissolution and winding up of the said Company, under the said Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Harwood and Pattison, 10, Clements-lane, Lombard-street, London, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849; in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Winding-up Amendment Act, 1857; and in the Matter of the Home Counties and Metropolitan Permanent Benefit Building Society, commonly called or known as the Home Counties and Metropolitan Freehold Land Society.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the dissolution and winding up of the above-named Company was, on Monday the 18th day of October, 1858, presented to the Lord Chancellor of England by John Caldwell and George Eaton; and that it is expected such petition will be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, on the first day of petitions in the next Michaelmas Term, 1858; and any person desirous to oppose the making of an Order absolute for the dissolution and winding up of the said Company, under the said Acts, should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

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