

2398. And Thomas Almond, of No. 22, Pickering-place, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in furnaces for the better combustion of smoke." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of October, 1858.
2412. And Pierre Brunon, of Paris, France, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode of manufacturing cocks." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of October, 1858.
2553. And Manuel Leopold Jonas Lavater, of the Strand, in the county of Middlesex, India Rubber Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of mats, coverings for floors and other surfaces, and other cellular articles when india rubber compounds are used." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of November, 1858.
2592. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of No. 166, Fleet-street, in the City of London, E.C., Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for the manufacture of lace and net."—A communication from Messieurs A. Grivel, Jun., and J. F. V. Moulleron, both residing in Paris. As set forth in his petition recorded in the said office on the 17th day of November, 1858.
2674. And Rudolph Bodmer, of No. 2, Thavies Inn, Holborn, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in valves for regulating the supply of steam."—A communication. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of November, 1858.
2734. And John Coulson, of the firm of J. and W. Midworth, of Newark, in the county of Nottingham, Engineers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in threshing and dressing machines." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of November, 1858.
2762. And Thomas Bailey, of New Orleans, United States, and of 17, Russell-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gun Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a mechanical movement applicable to loading fire-arms and other purposes." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 3rd day of December, 1858.
2966. And John Sinclair, of the city of Dublin, Ireland, Turner and Fitter, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in pistons." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of December, 1858.
74. And Thomas James Claxton, of the city of Montreal, Canada, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of boots and shoes."—A communication from Mellen Bray, of Montreal aforesaid, Boot and Shoe Maker. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of January, 1859.
117. And William Wilson, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Hat Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for felting bodies of hats and bonnets."—A communication from abroad by J. S. Taylor, of Danbury, Connecticut, United States of America. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of January, 1859.
155. And Richard Bradley and William Craven, of Westgate Common Foundry, Wakefield, in the county of York, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for manufacturing bricks, tiles, and other similar articles." As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of January, 1859.
161. And Thomas Clarke, of Litchurch-lane, near Derby, in the county of Derby, and of Staveley, in the county of Derby, Moulder, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of core barrels for pipes or columns used either for railway piles or columns, or for water pipes or sewerage pipes." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of January, 1859.
170. And James Croft Reid, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner, and William Milner, of the same place, Manufacturer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of ships and vessels."
171. And Harvey Hilliard and Thomas Chapman, Cutlery Manufacturers and Patentees of the 'Furbator,' of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in table knives, and in table-knife sharpeners."
172. And Abraham Lindo, of Batignolles, in the French Empire, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in manufacturing soap."
178. And Thomas Greenwood, John Batley, and Jacob Dockray, of Leeds, in the county of York, Machinists, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for converting hemp and flax fibres into yarn, twine, ropes, and cordage." As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 20th day of January, 1859.
188. And John Hick and William Hargreaves, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancashire, Engineers, trading under the firm of Benja. Hick and Son, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of steam boilers."
194. And James Hill Hume, of Broughty Ferry, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, Baker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in warming apparatus for the feet." As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office, on the 21st day of January, 1859.
205. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for cutting files."—A communication from Milton D. Whipple, of the United States of America.