- 216. To John Fowler, junr., of Cornhill, Robert | 229. To Frederick John Jones, of Aldermanbury, Burton, of Kingsland, in the county of Middlesex, David Greig, of New Cross, in the county of Kent, and Jeremiah Head, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the invention of "improvements in agricultural implements, and in apparatus used for hauling agricultural implements by steam power."
- 217. To Arthur Warner, of 31, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, and William Tooth, of Sumner-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron and gases for such and other uses."
- 218. To John Guy Proger, of 13, Trinity-street, Cardiff, and David Davies, of Stuart-street, Bute Docks, Cardiff, in the county of Glamor-gan, for the invention of "improvements in lanterns used on board ship to signal to the steersman."
- 219. To the Right Honourable James, Earl of Caithness, of Hill-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in parts of the permanent way of railways.
- 220. To Michael Swan, of Henstridge Villas, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in ballasting ships, applicable also to the extinguishing fires on board ships."
- 221. And to William Tasker the younger, of the firm of William Tasker and Sons, of Waterloo Iron Works, near Andover, in the county of Hants, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in ploughs."

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- 223. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-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 machinery or apparatus for cutting and shaping wood."-A communication from Peter H. Niles, residing at Boston, in the United States of America.
- 224. To Rudolph Bodmer, of 2, Thavies' Inn, Holborn, in the city of London, for the invention of "improved resin and resinous substances."-A communication from Mr. Jean Creuseton, residing at Paris, in the Empire of France.
- 225. To William Cutts, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bobbins, spools, and cop tubes, and in the machinery employed therein."
- 226. To William Hodgson and Henry Hodgson, of Bradford, in the county of York, Tool and Machine Makers, for the "invention of improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing and spinning wool and other fibrous substances."
- 227. To John White, of Finchley, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus to facilitate respiration under water, or under the influence of fire, or in other situations where an artificial supply of air may be required, part of which improvements is also adapted to facilitate movement in or upon the surface of water.'
- 228. To William Andrews, of 30, Cornhill, in the city of London, Engineer of the Submarine Telegraph Company, for the invention of "improvements in electric telegraphs."

- in the city of London, Manufacturer, for the invention of an "improvement in shirt fronts.".
- 230. To Henry Brecknell, of the city of Bristol, Brass Founder, and John Dyer, of the same place, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in cocks and valves."
- 231. To Isaiah Woodcock, of Commercial-street, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, Frame Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in barometer and thermometer dials."
- 232. To Benjamin Joseph Spedding, of 9, Crossstreet, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for generating and regulating gas, and for impregnating the same with volatile hydrocarbon fluids."
- 233. To Charles Grant Kelvey, of Rock Ferry, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, and William Holland, of the same place, Chronometer Makers, for the invention of "an improved. escapement for chronometers and other timekeepers."
- 234. And to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement in life preserving vests."-A communication from T. A. Dlano, residing in the United States of America.

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- 235. To William Richmond Alexander, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Merchant, for the "invention of improvements in furnaces, and apparatus for the manufacture of sugar, and for the consumption or prevention of smoke."
- 236. To Isaac Hammond, of the city of Winchester, in the county of Hants, Gun Maker, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms, and in cartridges to be used therewith."
- 237. To Obed Hussey, of Baltimore, United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of ships' blocks."
- 238. To David Graham, of the firm of Graham, West, and Company, of Wapping, in the county of Middlesex, Millwrights and Engineers, for the invention of "an improved method of driving centrifugal machines."-A communication from T. Hanning, residing in the Mauritius.
- 239.To Jonas Wells, of Keighley, in the county of York, Brass Founder, and William Clough, of Sutton, near Keighley aforesaid, Millwright, for the invention of "an improved coupling for railway carriages and analogous uses."
- To Frederick Carl Christian Paulsen and 240. Albin Alsing, both of Emmett-street, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in preparing beverages usually called punch."
- 241. To Mark Fernandez, of No. 2, Devonshiresquare, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in straw and hay cutters."
- 42. And to James Kerr, of 17, Bedford-terrace, Trinity-square, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of revolving fire arms."

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