2011. And Samuel Andrew and Stephen Hornby, of Staley Bridge, in the county of Lancaster, Machinists, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for opening, cleaning, and preparing cotton and other fibrous materials."

2012. And Jacques Guillaume Remy, of the city of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of articles of furniture, by utilizing certain parts of the cedar tree in such manufacture which have heretofore been considered and treated as waste."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 13th day of August, 1861.

2023. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in coating wire with copper, silver, gold, or other metal or alloy, in order to prevent oxidation."—A communication to him from abroad by Martin Miller, of Vienna, Austria.

2026. And William Wilds, of Hertford, in the county of Hertford, Architect and Surveyor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for ventilating."

2027. And John Billing, of No. 12, Abingdonstreet, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stoves."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 14th day of Augu t, 1861.

- 2028. And Adolphe Lebaudy, of 12, Rue de Douai, in Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in towing vessels or boats on rivers."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean François Cail, residing in Paris, in the Empire of France.
- 2037. And Augustin François Menard, of No. 10, Rue de Strasbourg, in the city of Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in tanning, and in the apparatus employed therein." —A communication to him from Yves Auguste Rehm, residing at Basse Yutz, Department of the Moselle, in the Empire of France, Sugar Baker.
- 2038. And Charles William Kesselmeyer, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Warehouseman, and Thomas Mellodew, of Oldham, in the said county, Manufacturer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of velvets and velveteens."
- 2042. And Theophilus Murcott and Charles Hanson, of the Haymarket, in the county of Middlesex, Gun Makers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading arms."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 15th day of August, 1861.

2045. And Henry Cheetham Hill, of Stalybridge, in the county of Lancaster, Manager, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of fire-proof buildings."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of August, 1861.

2060. And William Firth, of Burley, in the borough of Leeds, in the county of York, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for digging or turning up soil, mowing, reaping, and other agricultural purposes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of August, 1861.

2064. And Augustin Sylvester Rostaing, native of France, but now residing at Dresden, in the Kingdom of Saxony, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of spectacles."

2067. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in preserving meat and other animal substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Pierre Liès-Bodard, of Strasbourg, France.

2069. And Samuel Whitaker, of Haverstock-hill, in the county of Middlesex, Electrician, and Ralph Augustine Jones, of Aylesbury, in the county of Buckingham, Railway Superintendant, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in operating upon railway signals, and in indicating their position by means of electricity."

2075. And Frederick Gye, of the Royal Italian Opera, Covent Garden, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in constructing gasometers and gasometer tanks."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 20th day of August, 1861.

2086. And Nahum Salamon, of No. 8, Ludgate-street, in the city of London, Machine Factor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "attachments or apparatus for sewing machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Amasa B. Howe, of New York.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of August, 1861.

2102. And William Baines, of the London Works, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of girders, frames or other apparatus fixed or moveable, and for certain peculiar forms or sections of iron used therein."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of August, 1861.

2104. And Joseph Whitworth and William Wilson Hulse, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sights for small arms and ordnance, and in fitting apparatus used with small arms."

2109. And William Dredge Player, of the firm of Iliffe and Player, Brothers, Button Manufacturers, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the description of buttons, commonly known as linen buttons."

2113. And George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Loughborough-park, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for feeding boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by William Lane Chase, of the city and county of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, in the United States of America.
As set forth in their respective petitions, all re-