726. And David Henry Barber, of 149, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, Agricultural Implement Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines, parts of which improvements are applicable to other agricultural implements."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of March, 1864.

756. And William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of hats and other coverings for the head in imitation of the various kinds of straw."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis Simonet, Merchant, of 29, Boulevart St. Martin, Paris.

St. Martin, Paris. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of March, 1864.

816. And Charles Sanderson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of armour plates."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of April, 1864.

908. And Joseph Ferrier, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, in that part of the United Kingdom called Scotland, Flax Inspector, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing jute and other fibrous substances for hackling, teasing, spinning, and other purposes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of April, 1864.

924. And Johann Carl Rohrbeck, of Bromberg, in the Kingdom of Prussia, Superintendent of a Railway Locometive Department, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved chaff cutting machine."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of April, 1864.

1128. And John Thompson, of No. 13, Hilldropcrescent, Camden-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for securing stoppers in bottles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of May, 1864.

1376. 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 "improvements in refrigerators or apparatus for cooling the injection water of marine steam engines."—A communication to him from abroad by William Lighthall, of the city of New York, in the United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of June, 1864.

1396. And Henry Hill, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Plumber and Brassfounder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of taps or cocks."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of June, 1864.

1416. And John Beck, Sanitary Engineer, of Great Suffolk-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in water closets, lavatories, urinals, valves, and stench traps."

As set forth-in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of June, 1864.

1426. And Ferdinand Henry Warlich, of No. 4, Maze-hill, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial block fuel and coke, and in apparatus employed therein."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the Sth day of June, 1864.

1481. And George Spencer Hooker, of East Grinstead, in the county of Sussex, Miller, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for fitting and working spindles in millstones."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of June, 1864.

1536. And Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 24, Rue du Mont Thabor, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 38, Porchester-terrace, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for grinding or pulverising grain."—A communication from Charles Krempfi, Louis Kuhn, and Georges Nicolas Schoumert, persons residing at Rue de Trevise, Paris, in the Empire of France aforesaid.

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

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.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the National Company for Boat Building by Machinery (Limited), and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862.

OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company, subject to the supervision of the Court of Chancery, was, on the 25th day of June, 1864, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Peter Graham, of No. 37, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Walter Armstrong, of No. 69, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Esquire, and David Painter McEwen, of No. 24, Pembridge-square, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, being creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is di-rected to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, Knight, on the 9th day of July, 1864; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company, under the above Act, 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 creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 27th day of June, 1864.

> Ellis, Parker, and Clarke, St. Michael'salley, Cornhill, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioners.