

situate, have, by a writing under their hands, dated the 27th day of August, 1864, required William Freer, Esquire, the Clerk of the Peace for the said county to add to or send with the notice required by law to be given of the holding of the Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the said county, a notice in the form marked (A) in the schedule to the Act of the 25th and 26th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 61, intituled "An Act for the better management of the Highways in England," that at such Court of General or Quarter Sessions a proposal would be made to the Justices then and there assembled to constitute and declare that the parishes, townships, hamlets, or places of Boothorpe, the Ashby Woulds, and Hugglescote Grange shall be united to and form part of the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Highway District; and did also require the said Clerk of the Peace to send by post, in a pre-paid letter, notices in the form aforesaid to the Churchwardens and Overseers of each and every of the parishes, townships, hamlets, or places mentioned in the said notice.

And whereas at a Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said county, held at the Castle of Leicester, in Leicester, in the said county, on the 17th day of October, 1864, a proposal was submitted to the said Court by the said Justices to constitute and declare that the parishes, townships, hamlets, or places of Boothorpe, the Ashby Woulds, and Hugglescote Grange, shall be united to and form part of the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Highway District.

And whereas the said Court have heard the said proposal and entertained the same, and have considered the premises, and it has been shown to the said Court that the notices aforesaid were duly sent to the Churchwardens and Overseers of each of the parishes mentioned.

Now, therefore, the said Court, in pursuance of the powers vested in the Court in and by the Highway Acts, do, by this Provisional Order, direct that the said district, called the Ashby-de-la-Zouch Highway District, shall be altered by the addition thereto of the said parishes, townships, hamlets, or places of Boothorpe, the Ashby Woulds, and Hugglescote Grange, being all respectively highway parishes within the meaning of the said Highway Acts, and that the same shall be united to and form part of the said Ashby-de-la-Zouch Highway District.

It is further ordered by the said Court, that the number of Waywardens which each of the said several parishes, townships, hamlets, or places of Boothorpe, the Ashby Woulds, and Hugglescote Grange, shall elect shall be one.

Lastly, it is ordered that the confirmation of this Provisional Order, by a Final Order, shall be taken into consideration by the Justices at a Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Castle of Leicester aforesaid, in and for the said county, on the 2nd day of January, 1865.

And whereas proof has been afforded to the satisfaction of this Court, that the notices required by the said Acts of Parliament of the making of the said Provisional Order, and of the appointment made by the said Justices in relation to the confirmation thereof, have been duly given and published by the Clerk of the Peace for the said county.

Now, therefore, the Justices assembled at this present Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace (being the Court of General Quarter

Session of the Peace duly appointed for this purpose) in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in them, under and by virtue of the said Acts of Parliament, having considered the premises, do by this Final Order confirm the said hereinbefore recited Provisional Order of the 17th day of October, 1864, without variation.

By the Court,^o

William Freer, Clerk of the Peace for the said county.

In the Matter of Letters Patent for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, dated the 5th day of November, 1855, and numbered 2484, granted to Thomas Thomas the younger, of Bristol, Soap Manufacturer, for "improvements in the manufacture of soap."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the said Thomas Thomas, formerly the younger, has applied by Petition to the Commissioners of Patents, according to the statute in that case made and provided, for leave to enter a disclaimer and memorandum of alteration of parts of the specification of the said Letters Patent; and any person intending to oppose such application must leave notice thereof at the office of the Solicitor-General, No. 1, Mitre-court-buildings, Temple, London, within ten days of the date hereof.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1865.

Robert Reed Greig, No. 5, Verulam Buildings, Gray's Inn, Middlesex, Agent for the Patentee.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

2405. To James Vine, of Trinity-street, in the county of Middlesex, Brush Maker, for the invention of "new or improved arrangements for giving buoyancy to, and facility for, the propulsion of ships, vessels, or floating bodies."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of September, 1864.

2659. To Norton Nathan Lowenthal Lonsdale, of 27, Nelson-square, in the borough of Southwark, and county of Surrey, Professor of Languages, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating and controlling the flow or supply of oil or other fluids, whether for lubricating or filtering, or other purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of October, 1864.

2876. To Andrew George Hunter, of Rockcliff Hall, near Flint, in the county of Flint, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of soda and potash."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of November, 1864.

2994. To Fischer Alexander Wilson, of Abingdon-street, Westminster, London, for the invention of "an improved breach-loading ordnance."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of December, 1864.