

2699. Thomas Beards, of Stowe, in the county of Buckingham, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for cultivating land."—Dated 6th October, 1862.
2702. Charles Chinnock, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, United States of America, but now residing at Queen's-road West, Regent's-park, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of axle-boxes."—Dated 6th October, 1862.
2703. Joshua Heap, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Tool Maker, for an invention of "improvements in screw stocks and dies."—Dated 7th October, 1862.
2708. Alexander Forbes, of Canal-terrace, Aberdeen, for an invention of "improvements in connecting together parts of vessels formed of tin plate, and in the means or apparatus employed therein."—Dated 7th October, 1862.
2711. Joseph Kaye Hampshire, of the parish of Whittington, in the county of Derby, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus or machinery for washing coal, coal slack, and other mineral substances, and separating foreign particles therefrom."—Dated 7th October, 1862.
2712. John Beale, of Hope-street, Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, and Mary Ann Beale, of Upper Brunswick-terrace, Barnsbury, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation or manufacture of manure."—Dated 7th October, 1862.
2713. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of condensers or coolers."—Communicated to him from abroad by Francis Bowes Stevens, of New York, in the United States of America.—Dated 7th October, 1862.

**A** LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vic., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 7th day of October, 1865.

2190. Thomas Preston, of Nottingham, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of looped fabrics."—Dated 1st October, 1858.
2192. Joseph Rogers, of No. 9, Queen-square, Bartholomew-close, in the city of London, Rope Maker, for an invention of "improvements in submarine electric telegraph cables."—Dated 2nd October, 1858.
2209. William Menelaus, of Dowlais Iron Works, in the county of Glamorgan, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for straightening rails and wrought iron bars."—Dated 5th October, 1858.
2211. John Harcourt Brown, of the Abbey Mills, Romsey, in the county of Hants, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of projectiles."—Dated 5th October, 1858.
2213. John Harcourt Brown, of the Abbey Mills, Romsey, in the county of Hants, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cartridges."—Dated 5th October, 1858.
2223. William Malam, of Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, Gas Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatuses for the manufacture of gas."—Dated 6th October, 1858.

2229. Jean Claude Nouveau, of 2, Rue Sainte Appoline, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 45, Essex-street, Strand, London, for an invention of "improvements in stopping or stoppering bottles and other vessels containing non-gaseous liquids."—Dated 7th October, 1858.

#### SALE OF PROVISIONS AT GOSPORT.

Admiralty, Somerset House,  
October 11, 1865.

*THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday, the 17th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale in Her Majesty's Victualling Yard at Gosport, several lots of*

#### PROVISIONS, &c.;

Consisting of Cook's Fat, Suet, Beef, Pork, Biscuit, Biscuit Dust, and other Victualling Stores, Staves, and Heading, &c., &c., &c., all lying in the said Yard.

*Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.*

*Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.*

#### CONTRACT FOR SOFT SOAP.

Contract Department, Admiralty,  
Somerset House, October 4,  
1865.

*THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday, the 17th instant, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Store at Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Woolwich,*

#### 350 CWT. OF SOFT SOAP,

one-half to be delivered by the 30th November, and the remainder by the 31st December next.

*A sample of the soap, and a form of the tender, and conditions of contract may be seen in the Lobby of the Storekeeper-General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House.*

*No tender will be received after two o'clock on the day of treaty, nor will any be noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorized in writing.*

*Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for Soft Soap," and must also be delivered at the Storekeeper-General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value for the due performance of the contract.*

#### CONTRACTS FOR GROCERIES FOR ARMY SERVICE. (DUTY PAID.)

Contract Department, Admiralty,  
Somerset House, October 6,  
1865.

*THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday, the 19th instant, at noon, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and*