

NOTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorised by 18 and 19 Vict., c. 63, s. 13, for the dissolution of a Friendly Society, called the Regent's Friendly Society, held at the Queen's Arms Hotel, Tramere, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England, on the 23rd day of November, 1866.

John Tidd Pratt, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.
London, 23rd day of November, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorised by 18 and 19 Vict., c. 63, s. 13, for the dissolution of a Friendly Society, called the Eritwell District Friendly Society, held at Eritwell, in the county of Oxford, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England, on the 27th day of November, 1866.

John Tidd Pratt, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.
London, 27th day of November, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon a motion this day made to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, by counsel, praying that a day might be appointed for hearing the matter of the petition of Charles Clifford, of Maidenhead, and Charles Ralph, of East India Avenue, Gentlemen, for a prolongation of the term of the Letters Patent granted to the said Charles Clifford on the 13th April, 1853, for "Improvements in apparatus for lowering boats evenly and preventing them filling with water." It was ordered by their Lordships that the matter of the said petition be heard before the said Committee on Friday the 1st day of February next, at half-past ten o'clock a.m.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1866.

Wilde, Rees, Humphrey, and Wilde, College Hill, Petitioners' Solicitors.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
3059. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," No. 8, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved mode of, and means for, attaching casters to the stands of sewing machines"—a communication to him from abroad by Myron Perry, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of November, 1866, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
3065. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," No. 8, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in machinery for drilling rocks"—a communication to him from abroad by Charles Burleigh, of Fitchburg, Massachusetts, United States of America—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on

the 22nd day of November, 1866, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
3098. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," No. 8, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in looms for manufacturing rife fabrics, part of which improvements are applicable to the manufacture of other fabrics"—a communication to him from abroad by William Greenwood Hartley, of Saxonville, Massachusetts, United States of America—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of November, 1866, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

2009. To Charles Ritchie, of Upper Tulse-hill, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in ships' furniture in which a steady platform is required."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of August, 1866.

2168. To William Welch, of King-street, Southsea, in the county of Southampton, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cement compositions, and in the method of applying and securing plastic cements to iron and other surfaces."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of August, 1866.

2779. To James Sharp, and Robert Smith, both of Blackford, in the county of Perth, North Britain, for the invention of "an improved explosive compound or powder."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of October, 1866.

2793. To Edouard Alexandre, of 2, Rue Sainte Appoline, Paris, Empire of France, Knight of the Legion of Honour, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of organs."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of October, 1866.

2806. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for spinning, doubling, and twisting wool and other fibrous materials."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles B. Hoard, of Watertown, in the State of New York, United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of October, 1866.

2848. To Francis Alton Calvert, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in heating, applicable to steam-boilers, furnaces, and other heating apparatus."