2504. George Davies, of No. 1, Serle-street. Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and Vincent-street, in the city of No. 87, St. Glasgow, Civil Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved reclining chair." -Communicated to him from abroad by William Henry Van Nortwick, of Bordentown, in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey, United States of America.—Dated 29th September, 1865.

2505. Joseph Duke, of Puriton, near Bridgwater, in the county of Somerset, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cement."

-Dated 29th September, 1865.

2509. James Austin Mee. of Failsworth, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wire Drawer, for an invention of "certain improvements in telegraphic cables."-Dated 30th September, 1865.

2510. John Witherden Hurst, of Deptford, in the county of Kent, Master Mariner, for an invention of "improvements in life-rafts."-Dated 30th

September, 1865.

2511. Joseph Edwin Townshend, cf No. 136, Curtain-road, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Bedding Manufacturer, for an invention of "a new or improved ventilating spring mattress."—Dated 30th September, 1865.

2512. Edward Lindner, of Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in breech-loading guns and in projectiles and cartridges."—Dated 30th Sep-

tember, 1865.

- 2516. John William Moore Miller, of Southsea, in the county of Hants, Doctor of Medicine, for an invention of "an improved process for preparing skins and hides or leather, so as to render such substances waterproof and more durable than heretofore."-Dated 30th September, 1865.
- 2517. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for feeding fibrous substances to preparing, carding, and other machinery for working wool and other filamentous substances."-Communicated to him from abroad by Alexandre Deru, of Heusy, near Verviers, in the Kingdom of Belgium.-Dated 30th September, 1865.
- William Longbottom, of the Nelson Foundry, Barnsley, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in weft winding machines, both for winding on bobbins and cops, also for a shuttle to hold the cop when weaving." -Dated 30th September, 1865.
- 2522. James William Tyler, of No. 12, Abingdonstreet, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the means employed for fixing street metal for roofing and other purposes."—Dated 2nd October, 1865.
- 2525. Frederic Jenner, of the firm of Jenner and Knewstub, of Saint James's-street, in the city of Westminster, Dressing Case Manufacturers, for an invention of "an improvement in clasps or fastenings."-Dated 2nd October,
- 2527. Silas Covell Salisbury, Civil Engineer, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in producing and combining gases to be used for heating purposes, and in the construction of retorts for producing and combining such gases." - Dated 2nd October, 1865.
- 2528. Silias Covell Salisbury, Civil Engineer, of the city and State of New York, United States

of America, for an invention of "improvements in blast furnaces."-Dated 2nd October, 1865.

2531. Charles Pomeroy Button, of 142 and 143, Cheapside, in the city of London, Merchant, for an invention of "a new revolving cover for dishes, bowls, and other vessels requiring a moveable cover."-Communicated to him from abroad by Julius Rhodes Pomeroy, of Broadway, in the city of New York, United States of America. - Dated 3rd October, 1865.

2532. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," No. 8, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "an improved sewing machine."-Communicated to him from abroad by Henry Hudson, of Three Springs, Pennsylvania, United States of Ame-

rica.—Dated 3rd October, 1865. 2533. Charles Walker and William Preston, of Batley Carr, in the county of York, Overlookers, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for carding wool or other fibrous substances."—Dated 3rd October, 1865.

2534. Charles James Tinker, of Pontefract, in the county of York, Liquorice Refiner, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of lozenges, cakes, and other similar articles from plastic substances."-Dated 3rd October,

1865.

2535. Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleetstreet, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for decomposing and superheating liquids, vapours, and gases."—Communicated to him from abroad by Gustave Renard, of St. Owen, and Amedée Lipman, of Paris, both in the Empire of France.—Dated 3rd October, 1865.

2537. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in pneumatic ways for the transmission of letters, merchandize, and passengers."-Communicated to him from abroad by Elias Parkman Needham, of the city and State of New York, United States of America. Dated 3rd October, 1865.

Erratum in Gazette of 25th September, 1868. 1865.

No. 2387. (Edwin Clark) advertized in error in the List of Patents which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the £50 Stamp Duty, it having lapsed through the nonfiling of the specification.

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 Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 3rd day of October, 1868.

2417. Duncan McCallum, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improved arrangements for filling and closing bottles and other vessels." -Dated 27th September, 1861.

2418. Samuel Rowsell, of Buckland St. Mary, in the county of Somersetshire, Carpenter, for an invention of "improvements in horserakes."-Dated 27th September, 1861.

2422. John Adams Knight, of No. 4, Symond'sinn, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improvement in steam pumping engines."-Com-