

3721. And John Crawford Walker, of Hackney Wick, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode of constructing and heating cooking and laundry stoves."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of December, 1869.

3730. And George Mill Frederick Molesworth, of Northdown Hall, Bideford, in the county of Devon, Esquire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the construction of improvements in the rails employed with grip wheels for facilitating the working of traction engines."

3737. 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 "improved apparatus for, and method of, heating water, and purifying the same for use in steam boilers, and for other purposes for which pure water may be required."—A communication to him from abroad by Edwin Ruthven Stilwell, of Dayton, in the State of Ohio, United States of America.

3742. And Henry John Girdlestone, Civil Engineer, and John Ward Girdlestone, Civil Engineer, both of 37, Norfolk-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in 'dry' closets, commodes, and urinals."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 24th day of December, 1869.

3762. 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 tilting vessels or utensils, and in stands or supports for the same."—A communication to him from abroad by John Gibson, junior, of Albany, in the State of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of December, 1869.

3772. And George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Loughborough Park, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in harness operating mechanism for power looms."—A communication to him from abroad by Erastus Brigham Bigelow, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of December, 1869.

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 the Matter of the West of England Sack Company Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to the Lord Chancellor on the 26th day of May, 1869, for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £60,000 to £30,000, is directed to be

heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Milbourne James, on Saturday, the 22nd day of January, 1870.

Vining and Son, of No. 4, Moorgate-street-buildings, in the city of London; Agents for
John Louch, of Langport, in the county of Somerset, Solicitor for the Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Heaton's Steel and Iron Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery was, on the 6th day of January, 1870, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Francis Andrews, of Lime-grove, Moseley-road, near Birmingham, and in the county of Worcester, Gentleman, a contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 21st day of January, 1870; 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 Acts, 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.

J. H. Kaye, No. 2, New-inn, Strand, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the London and Manchester Assurance Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above Company by the Court of Chancery, was, on the 8th day of January, 1870, presented to the Master of the Rolls, by John Wilson Robinson and Edwin Robinson, of Port Dundas, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, carrying on business in copartnership under the firm of J. and E. Robinson, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls on the 22nd day of January, 1870; 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 Acts, 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.

W. W. Wynne, of No. 115, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of Robinson and Preston's Brewery Company, Liverpool, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery, was on the 10th day of January, 1870, presented to the Lord Chancellor by John Rogers, of Great George-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Silk Mercer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 21st day of January,