

Taxing Master to tax the petitioner and the respondents their costs of the said application. And it was ordered that such costs when taxed be retained and paid by the said Liquidator out of the estate of the said Company.

*Taylor, Hoare, Taylor, and Cooke*, of 28, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Middlesex, Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in fire arms, and in cartridges for the same."—A communication to him from Hiram Berdan, of the city, county, and State of New York, in the United States of America.—Dated 9th April, A.D. 1868. No. 1200; and

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in fire arms, and in metallic cartridges, and in apparatus for filling the same."—A communication from abroad by General Hiram Berdan, of the city of Paris, in the Empire of France.—Dated 18th May, A.D. 1869. No. 1530.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application has been made by the said General Hiram Berdan, as Assignee of the two above-mentioned letters patent, to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file Disclaimers and Memoranda of Alteration of certain parts of the specifications of the said two Letters Patent; and any person intending to oppose such application must leave notice to that effect at the office of Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, No. 6, Crown Office-row, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1874.

*G. R. Holland*, 55, Ann-street, Birmingham, Agent for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to George Coburn Wilson, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms, and in metallic cartridges for the same."—A communication from abroad by General Hiram Berdan, of New York, U.S.A., but then residing at St. Petersburg, in the Empire of Russia.—Dated 10th October, 1870. No. 2675.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application has been made by the said General Hiram Berdan, as Assignee of the above-mentioned Letters Patent, to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions, for leave to file a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of certain parts of the specification of the said Letters Patent; and any person intending to oppose such application must leave notice to that effect at the office of Her Majesty's Attorney-General, No. 10, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1874.

*G. R. Holland*, 55, Ann-street, Birmingham, Agent for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to John Harrington, of No. 1, Cambridge Villa, Swanmore-road, Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, for the invention of "improvements in producing imitation morocco or other leather or raised designs on cloth, paper, or other flexible fabric or tissue," bearing date the 14th January, 1871, No. 109.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Rowan, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, Chemist (the Assignee of the said patent) has

applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file in the Great Seal Patent Office, with the specification to which the same relates, a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of part of the specification of the said Letters Patent; and that any person intending to oppose such application must give notice thereof at the office of the Attorney-General, 10, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1874.

*Renshaw and Rolph*, 2, Suffolk-lane, Lawrence Pountney-hill, Cannon-street, London, E.C.; Agents for *Messrs. Maclay, Murray, and Spens*, Glasgow, Solicitors to the said Thomas Rowan.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Washington Parker Gregg, of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in roller skates, and which he terms improved wheel skates," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of August, 1874, 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 the petition of William Morgan Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved composition for printers' inking rollers and other purposes, and the process of making the same,"—a communication to him from abroad by Joseph Henry Osgood, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of August, 1874, 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 the petition of John Thomas Jones, of Iliou, in the county of Herkimer, and State of New York, in the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of August, 1874, 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 the petition of Edmund Wright, of Evesham, in the county of Worcester, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in operating sewing and other treadle machines,"—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of August, 1874, and