

Manufacturers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of castors for furniture and other purposes."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of June, 1874.

1973. And Henry Matthews, of Rowallan Villa, Cotham-brow, Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for preventing the return or back flow of gas, water, and other fluids in sewers, drains, and other similar situations."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of June, 1874.

1995. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved printing ink."—A communication to him from abroad by Eugène Cré, of Lyons, France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of June, 1874.

2005. And Henry Martyn Nicholls, of 143, Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in printing machines and in apparatus connected therewith."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of June, 1874.

2012. And Isaac Merritt Singer, of New York, in the United States of America, but now residing at Oldway House, Paignton, in the county of Devon, England, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in harness for horses, mules, or other animals."

2028. And Philip Brannon, of 54, Parliament-street, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the hulls of ships and other buoyant structures."

2029. And Philip Brannon, of 54, Parliament-street, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of safes and strong rooms."

2030. And Gerard Joan Jacobson, of the Apollo Stearine Works, Schiedam, in the Kingdom of Holland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of soft white soap."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 10th day of June, 1874.

2033. To Philip Brannon, of 54, Parliament-street, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction and surfacing of roads and in apparatus therefor."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of June, 1874.

2160. And Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved processes for the preservation of articles of food."—A communication to him from abroad by Alvaro Francisco Carlos Reynoso, of Paris, France, Chemist.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of June, 1874.

2181. And Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentle-

man, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the preparation of ozone and azotic acid, and in apparatus used therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Alvaro Francisco Carlos Reynoso, of Paris, France, Chemist.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of June, 1874.

2200. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements applicable to the wheels of vehicles for common roads."—A communication to him from abroad by Eugène Cailloux, of Paris, France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of June, 1874.

2255. And Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sugar from the cane and other sugar yielding materials, and in apparatus used therein, partly applicable for preparing nourishment for animals."—A communication to him from abroad by Alvaro Francisco Carlos Reynoso, of Paris, France, Chemist.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of June, 1874.

2301. And John Clayton Mewburn, of 169, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent & Consulting Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in combing machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Messieurs Delannoy et fils, of Lys, Nord, France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of July, 1874.

2610. And Marcus Brown Westhead, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, and Robert Smith, of the same place, Agent, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the production of tapes or ladders for venetian blinds."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of July, 1874.

2782. And William Darley, of Deptford, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for raising sunken, and for removing stranded, ships or vessels, also for lifting heavy weights under water, and for aiding in the performance of submarine engineering operations."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 12th day of August, 1874.

2828. And William Payne, of Wiveliscombe, in the county of Somerset, Ironmonger, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved liquid measure."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of August, 1874.

2946. And 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, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech-loading fire arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Benjamin Burkley Hotchkiss, of 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, Engineer.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of August, 1874.

2964. And William Miller, of the city of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, State of Massachusetts,