- 3269. To Robert Paulson Spice, of 21, Parliament-street, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus used in the manufacture of gas."
- 3276. And to Thomas Kendall, Stone Merchant, of Shipley, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in burial vaults and graves, and in means of burying the dead."

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- 3280. To Robert Elsdon, of No. 76, Manor-road, New Cross, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of iron fences."
- 3281. To Saint John Vincent Day, of 166, Buchanan-street, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gas, and in the means or apparatus employed therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by Frederick Herschel Eichbawm, of Detroit, in the State of Michigan, United States of America.
- 3282. To William Allan, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in making metal founders' blacking."
- 3283. To William Corbett, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Stove Grate Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in cooking ranges."
- 3285. To John Anderson, of No. 125, Walkerstreet, Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of York, and Langley Banks, of No. 127, Campbell-street, in the said Kingston-upon-Hull, for the invention of "improvements in window sashes and parts connected therewith."
- 3286. To William Thomas, of No. 128, Cheapside, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in weaving barred and figured fabrics."
- 3287. To George Furness, of Heaton Norris, in the county of Lancaster, Brass Finisher, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of cocks and valves for controlling the flow of liquids and fluids."
- 3290. To Reuben Marriott, of the firm of Marriott and Graham, of Govan, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Boiler Maker, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of boilers for heating liquids and generating steam."
- 3292. To William Darlaston, of Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, and William Hawkins, of Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, Auctioneer, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus for the preventing or diminishing of smoke in steam boiler and other furnaces."
- 3293. To Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in break apparatus for the rolling stock of railways."—A communication to him from abroad by Paul Klunzinger, of Vienna, in the Empire of Austria, Director of Railways.
- 3294. To Richard Hornsby and Jacob Scott, both of the Spittlegate Iron Works, Grantham, in the county of Lincoln, for the invention of "improvements in steam boiler furnaces and in apparatus connected therewith."-
- 3295. To William Bancroft Espeut, of No. 14, Southwick-street, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements No, 24138. B

in apparatus for evaporating saccharine and other solutions."

- 3296. To William McNabb, of Foulden-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved machinery for compressing various descriptions of merchandise into bales or packages, and also for other purposes where compressing, bending, or lifting is necessary."
- 3297. And to Archibald Turner, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Elastic Web Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of elastic fabrics."

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- 3299. To William Walker, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in rock-drilling machinery."
- 3300. To Robert Kerr, of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in making up for sale or use sewing thread of cotton, linen, or silk."
- 3301. To John Banting Rogers, of Robertsbridge, in the county of Sussex, for the invention of "improvements in catch and slip hooks, applicable to boat lowering and other mechanism or purposes on board ship, vehicles, cranes, and other machines or apparatus."
- 8302. To Thomas Wright, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in signalling on railways, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."
- 3303. To John Whitfield Harland, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Lithographic Manager, for the invention of "improvements in handles for locks, latches, doors, and other articles to which knobs or handles are applied."
- 3304. To Matthias George White, of Landport, in the county of Hants, for the invention of "improvements in self acting apparatus for regulating the supply of water or other liquids."
- 3306. To Robert Berryman, of Hartford, State of Connecticut, United States of America, but at present residing at Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for circulating, heating, and purifying the feed water for steam boilers, and in the connections of or mode of attaching such apparatus to the said boilers."
- 3307. To Thomas Boverton Redwood, of Fairlawn, Finchley, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gas for burning."
- 3308. To William Brownlie, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain. Show Tablet Manufacturer, for the invention of
- "a new or improved mode and means of exhibiting or giving publicity to trade marks and advertisements."
- 3309. To Alexandre Sézille, of Levallois-Perret, in the Department of Seine, in the Republic of France, for the invention of "improvements in bread-making from bread stuffs, without reducing them to flour by chemical decortication."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of September, 1874.

3310. To James Edward Hyde Andrew, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, Machine Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for twisting, compressing, and rolling tobacco."