3254. And Thomas Jewell, of No. 5, Gordongrove, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved system of drainage."

3255. And Patrick Auld, of Frederick-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for recording the number of persons entering or leaving public venicles and checking the payments received from such persons, also the number of voters polled at elections, with the votes given by each, which apparatus or parts of which apparatus are also applicable to other similar purposes."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 27th day of

August, 1877.

3275. And Thomas Jackson Chapman and John Goldie Chapman, both of 19, Priory-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in or relating to bottling or stoppering barm, beer, and other fermented liquors, and in the stoppers applicable for this and other kindred purposes."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said

office on the 28th day of August, 1877.

3286. And James Warwick, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Sewing Machine Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in sewing machines and in apparatus for winding the thread on the reels or spools of sewing machine shuttles."

3288. And Carl Ludvig Matthiessen Kóedt, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus applicable to wristbands, collars, gloves, and other articles of

dress."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of August, 1877.

3334. And Adolfo Cozza, of Orvietto, in the Kingdom of Italy, but now residing at Queen-street-place, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in railway brake apparatus."

3337. And Thomas Wright and Isaac Fox, both of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of fabrics in twist lace machinery."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 1st day of

September, 1877.

3340. And William Hargreaves and William Inglis, both of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for cooling air or liquid, and in valvular arrangements for the same and applicable to steam engines."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of September, 1877.

3357. And Charles Aubin, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Lock Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locks and latches and keys."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of September, 1877.

3370. And Charles William Siemens, of No. 12, Queen Anne's-gate, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of iron and steel, and in furnaces and apparatus for that purpose."

As set forth in his petition recorded in the said office on the 5th day of September, 1877.

3497. And August Brehmer, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, En-

gineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for binding books with wire staples."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of September, 1877.

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.

Erratum in Gazette of September 21, 1877.

3313. For "Robey and Lincoln," read "Robey and Co., Lincoln."

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Philippine and Laura Mining

Company Limited.

A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 1, Wardrobe-place, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, on the 28th day of August, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 18th day of September, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Jonah Hadley, Esq., and Simeon Charles Hadley, Esq., Alderman, &c., both of the City Flour Mills, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, be and they are hereby appointed

Liquidators.

2. "That the Liquidators be and they are hereby empowered to sell the assets of the Company, either by public auction or private contract, and either to a private individual or to a public Company, at such price and on such terms as such Liquidators shall, in their sole discretion, think reasonable and proper, and shall accept the payment of the purchase-money either in cash or deferred payments, with or without security; and if to a public Company, to accept the purchase-money either wholly in cash or fully paid up shares, or either partially in cash and partially in fully paid up shares, and generally upon such terms and conditions as they may think proper.

3. "That the Liquidators be and they are hereby empowered either to stop or continue the works of the mine pending the carrying out the completion of the sale, and, if continued, to pay the costs occasioned thereby out of the funds of

the Company.

4. "That in the event of it being determined to form a new Company for the purpose of purchasing the assets of the said Company, the Liquidators be and they are hereby empowered to pay to the promoters of the new Company such sum or sums of money as they may think proper, and to