1280. Robert Brown, of Tollington-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements applicable to tramway cars, omnibuses, and other carriages."-Dated

8th April, 1875.

1282. John Wakefield, Engineer, of the Vulcan Foundry, Brynmawr, in the county of Brecknock, Wales, for an invention of "improvements in regulating and working the slide valves of steam and other engines."—Dated 9th April, 1875.

1283. Lewis Westlake, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of wheel or

roller skates."—Dated 9th April, 1875.

1285. Caleb Nash, of Shere, near Guildford, Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in lacing boots and shoes."-Dated 9th April, 1875.

1286. Ellis Butterworth, of Calder Cottage, near Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "certain improvements in furnaces for steam boilers and other purposes."-Dated

9th April, 1875.

1287. William West, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jeweller, for an invention of "a new or improved glove fastening, applicable also to the fastening of other articles of dress."-Dated 9th April,

1292. Thomas Wise Conway, of Wareham, in the county of Dorset, for an invention of "improvements in tiles for building purposes."-

Dated 9th April, 1875.

1293. Marcus Simon, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, at present residing at No. 14, London-street, in the city of London, Merchant, for an invention of "a new or improved shoe and boot cleaning machine, adaptable in part for polishing or sharpening knives, and for other similar purposes."-Dated 9th April,

1295. Joseph Kaye, of Kirkstall, near Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed for registering the locking or unlocking of

locks."—Dated 9th April, 1875.

1296. Daniel Spill, of Bromley-by-Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in lathes for turning buttons and similar articles."—Dated 9th April, 1875.

1297. Richard Norton Allen, of Hudson, New York, and Albert Benton Pullman, of Chicago, Illinois, both in the United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of railway wheels."-Dated 9th April, 1875.

1300. Robert Parker, of Strangaer, in the county of Wigton, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in distributing manures, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."

-Dated 10th April, 1875.

1302. David Smith, of Halifax, in the county of York, and George Tolson, of Dalton, near Huddersfield, in the same county, Wool and Rag Extractors, for an invention of "improvements in extracting vegetable matters from combinations of animal and vegetable substances."—Dated 10th April, 1875.

1307. Alexander Angus Croll, commonly known as Colonel Croll, of Coleman-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of sulphur ores."—Dated 10th

April, 1875.

1309. Henry Hunting, of Jarrow, in the county of Durham, Manager of Rolling Mills, for an No. 24574.

invention of "an improved method of and machinery for manufacturing puddlers' rabbles and paddles."—Dated 10th April, 1875.

1314. John Sanders Stevens, of No. 69, Princes-

street, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in garden engines."-Dated 10th April, 1875.

1316. Marie Léon Buret de Longagne, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers or generators, and in their furnaces."—Dated 10th April, 1875.

1319. William Walker, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in axle bearings for tubs or waggons used in mining operations and the

like."—Dated 12th April, 1875.

1321. George Alfred Clough and Charles Ridealgh, both of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in puddling apparatus."—Dated 12th April, 1875.

1322. Charles Henry James and Alfred James Hamilton, of Old Change, in the city of London, Commission Agents, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of felted articles, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."-The said invention has been communicated to them from abroad by Albert Keller, of Lennep, in the Kingdom of Prussia. -Dated 12th April, 1875.

1324. Franziscus Xaver Ferdinandus Heilborn, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an invention of "a new or improved spring

earring."-Dated 12th April, 1875.

1326. Robert Steers, of No. 127, Grosvenor Park, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in screw heads, and in drivers or tools for the same."—Dated 12th April, 1875.

1328. Frederic William Doerfel Steinfelser, of Klingenthal, Musical Instrument Maker, Partner of the firm of C. F. Doerfel Steinselser & Co., in Klingenthal, in the Kingdom of Saxony, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of concertinas, organs, and harmoniums."—Dated 12th April, 1875.

1329. Thomas William Wilson, of the firm of Wilson & Co., Grocers and Wine Merchants, of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, for an invention of "an improved bottle crate."-

Dated 13th April, 1875.

1340. John Summers, of the Globe Iron Works, Stalybridge, in the county of Chester, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nails or spikes."-Dated 13th April,

1341. John Cure, of Bradford, in the county of York, Wool Comber, and Christopher Bradley, of Bradford aforesaid, Machine Wool Comb Maker, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for combing wool, cotton, silk, and other fibres."—Dated 13th April, 1875.

1342. John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in lamp burners, for burning petroleum and other mineral or vegetable oils."—From abroad by Gustave Stobwasser, of Berlin, in the Empire of Germany.—Dated 13th April, 1875.

LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of