

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	25625
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company	Warwick	26487
West of England and South Wales District Bank	Bristol	66658
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	72681
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	33153
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch	5111
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester	6535
York Union Banking Company	York	59181
York City and County Banking Company.....	York	86562
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	123633

W. W. DALBIAC, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, March 22, 1862.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2854. Thomas Procter, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Millwright, has given notice at the office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in carriers or stackers, or apparatus for facilitating the stacking of straw, hay, or agricultural produce."

2857. And Charles Edmund Wilson, of Monkwell-street, in the city of London, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new article of female wearing apparel to be worn on the leg."

2861. And Henry Bird, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist and Druggist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of bottles and other vessels, and in stoppers for the same to indicate that they contain poison."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 13th day of November, 1861.

2869. And Montague Wigzell, of the Strand, Topsham, in the county of Devon, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus to be used in moulding and casting twisted nails, spiral fluted rails, bolts and screws, for sheathing vessels, shipbuilding, building, and other purposes."

2870. And Robert Heath, of 25, St. George's-place, Hyde-park-corner, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in umbrellas and parasols."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 14th day of November, 1861.

2881. And James Grint, of 45, Harrison-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in pegs, nails, or like fastenings, for uniting the soles of boots and shoes and other substances."

2884. And Matthew Gibson, of Saint Andrew's Works, Gallowgate, Newcastle-on-Tyne, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

2886. And David Stewart, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in hydraulic cotton presses worked by steam."

2887. And Robert Thomas Worton, of Newberry-place, Kentish-town, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in pianofortes."

2888. And Joseph Else, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Roller Coverer, and Thomas Godfrey, of the same place, Gentleman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved washing apparatus."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 16th day of November, 1861.

2891. And John Hawkins, of Lisle-street, London, in the county of Middlesex, and of Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Bit, Spur, and Stirrup Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in bits for riding and driving."

2892. And William Cliff and Edwin Cliff, Manufacturers, at St. Quentin, Departement de l'Aisne, Empire de France, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of lace."

2894. And Frederick Caesar Paetow, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for raising and finishing fabrics."—A communication to him from abroad by Mr. Tillman Esser, of Burt-scheid, in the Kingdom of Prussia.

2898. And Guillaume Prodon-Bonneton and Marthe Guillaume Prodon, both of Thiers, in the Department of Puy-de-Dome, in the Empire of France, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for rolling metals."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 18th day of November, 1861.