980. (L.P.) 10th December. James Scott Ingram, of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand.

Ingram's Patent Metal Cheese-Hoop.

(L.P.) 15th December. JOSHUA RUTLAND, of the Pelorus Valley, in the Provincial District of Marlborough and Colony of New Zealand.—An invention for fastening the handles of knobs into the axles of door-locks. ROBERT CLARK, of Dunedin, in the Colony of New Zealand.—The

982. (L.P.) 17th December. Automatic Flush-closet Cistern.

983. (L.P.) 18th December. Alfred Colville, of Temuka, in the Colony of New Zealand.—An invention for the winnowing of grain and grass, styled "Colville's Patent Improved Grainand Grass-winnowing Machine."

984. (L.P.) 19th December. Ewen Alexander Cameron, of Nokomai, in the Provincial District of Otago and Colony of New Zealand, Architect's Articled Pupil.—An invention for exterminating rabbits, and titled "Cameron's Rabbit Exterminator."

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987. (L.P.) 21st December. WILLIAM CRAIG, of Caversham, near Dunedin, in the Colony of New

Zealand, Baker.—Codliver-oil biscuits.

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643. W. TAYLOR.—Self-closing gate hinge.

645. F. Crook.—Cutting shingles by band-saw.

680. W. R. Buchan.—Amalgamator and gold-chloridizer.

688. A. S. Ford.—A crystal engine.

- 691. W. J. Dalton.—United pattern mould. 692. A. Walker.—Automaton draught-preventer.
- 696. P. Duncan and D. Duncan.—Centre for skeith, or circular coulter for ploughs.
- 697. W. Isherwood and J. S. Little.—Fire-escape ladder. 701. F. B. W. Malet.—Fixing barbed points to fencing wire.

711. J. L. Bacon.—Santa Fe (an aërated beverage).

- 712. E. P. Amesbury.—Dental plates.
- 713. J. L. BACON.—Prevention of sea-sickness.

716. J. W. Mansfield.—Cutting gorse hedges. 717. W. Langdown.—Bending timber into wheel-rims, &c.

718. G. RAYNER.—An electric band.

- 719. J. H. CULLIMORE.--United pattern marker.
- 720. J. SMITH and S. SMITH.—Box for butter.

721. T. Danks.—Piston for chain-pumps.
722. T. Danks.—Tube boiler for cooking-ranges, &c.

729. D. Thompson.—Self-regulating turbine windmill.

730. W. S. Lane.—Reefing and furling apparatus.
731. W. Vickery.—Vickery's Patent Guide.
733. J. M. Brown and C. Fraggatt.—Mixture of wheaten meal and a baking-powder.

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