- 3405. 26th November. Charles Atkin, of Auckland, New Zealand, Coach-builder.—An invention for an improved brake, to be called "Atkin's Improved Twin-joint Brake."
- 3406. 28th November. Edward Snowball, of New Plymouth, New Zealand, Engineer.—An invention for an improved circular revolving butter-worker, to be called "The Egmont Butterworker.'
- 3407. 30th November. Samuel Smart and William Smart, of Sydenham, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, New Zealand, Contractors.—An invention for tar-distributing machines.
- 3408. 30th November. James Keir, of Ashburton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, New Zealand, Blacksmith.—An invention to be called "Keir's Improved Coulter."
- 3409. 3rd December. HERBERT MALCOLM MCNEILL, of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, New Zealand, Farmer.—An invention for working a sewing-machine either slow or fast without altering the speed of the driving-power, to be called "The High- and Lowspeed Friction Regulator.
- 3410. 5th December. WILLIAM CROOKES, of Kensington Park Gardens, London, England, Gentleman.—An invention for improvements in the treatment of auriferous ores, and in the revivification of the materials used in such treatment.
- 3411. 5th December. EDWARD WATERS, of No. 75, Chancery Lane, Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Patent Agent.—An invention for method of and apparatus for recording and reproducing speech and other sounds. (The Volta Graphophone Company.)
- 3412. 5th December. EDWARD JOSEPH RIGBY, of the Sandridge Road, South Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Engineer .-- An invention for improvements in hoisting- and winding-
- engines. (C. R. Otis and N. P. Otis.)

 3413. 5th December. Edward Joseph Righy, of the Sandridge Road, South Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Engineer.—An invention for improvements in steam-boilers. (H. L. Shippy.)
- 3414. 5th December. ISAAC BUTTON and EDWARD PETERS, both of St. Peters, near Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, and John Wesley Goodsell, of Petersham, near Sydney aforesaid, Brickmakers.—An invention for improvements in kilns or ovens for burning bricks, earthenware, limestone, cement, and other substances.
- 3415. 5th December. George Nicholls Bryett, of Kimberley Terrace, South Yarra, in the Colony of Victoria, Gentleman, and Alexander Darling Munro, of No. 8, Avoca Street, South Yarra aforesaid, Aural Specialist. — An invention for an improved artificial eardrum.
- 3416. 5th December. George Nicholls Bryett, of Kimberley Terrace, South Yarra, in the Colony of Victoria, Gentleman, and Alexander Darling Munro, of No. 8, Avoca Street, South Yarra aforesaid, Aural Specialist.—An invention for an improved acoustic galvanic battery.
- 3417. 5th December. HAHNEMANN ADOLPHUS CUTMORE, of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Electrical Engineer.—An invention for improvements in and relating to the construction of the mouth-pieces and ear-pieces or receivers of speaking-tubes, and in the method of and apparatus for signalling or "calling up" in such instruments.

 3418. 5th December. Herbert Edwin Crofts, of Sumner, in the Provincial District of Canter-
- bury, New Zealand.—An invention for a new or improved indicator for lawn-tennis and other similar games.
- 3419. 5th December. ALLAN SKENE, of Wellington, New Zealand.—An invention for an improved apparatus for straining wire and wire-fencing.
- 3420. 3rd December. Thomas Goulden Brickell, of Bath Street, Dunedin, New Zealand.—An invention for an air-tight butter-box.
- 3421. 6th December. Friedrich Adolf Reihlen, of Stuttgart, Germany.—An invention for improvements in the means for promoting and improving the fermentation of wine, beer, and other beverages, and for bottling such fermented or otherwise carbonated beverages.
- 3422. 6th December. Frederick de Jersey Clere, of Wellington, New Zealand, Architect.—An invention for an improved method of building-construction, to be known as "Clere's Patent
- Fire-proof and Earthquake-proof Walling."

 1st December. Daniel Bernard Bate, of Parnell, Auckland, New Zealand, Practical Engineer and Millwright.—An invention to be called "The Just in Time Quartz and Grain 3423. 1st December. Rotary Reduction Mill."
- JEREMIAH McCarthy, of Ponsonby, Auckland, New Zealand.—An invention 3424. 3rd December.
- for ironing clothes, to be called "The Patent Self-heating Laundry-iron." 3425. 7th December. RICHARD WILLIAM HENN, of Wellington, New Zealand, Window-blind Manufacturer.—An invention for improvements in the manufacture of venetian blinds, consisting of a combined mortice cord-guide and gripper.
- 3426. 4th December. RANDOLPH GETHIN CREAGH, of Dunedin, New Zealand, Clerk.—An inven-
- tion for a hose- and pipe-coupling, to be known as "Creagh's Hose- and Pipe-coupling." 3427. 7th December. Henry Hunt, of Ashburton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, New Zealand, Farmer.—An invention for a potato-planter, to be called "Hunt's Potato-planter."
- Weymouth Roberts, of Ashburton, in the Provincial District of Canter-3428. 7th December. bury, New Zealand, Contractor.—An invention for an improved candlestick, to be called "The Weymouth Save-all Candlestick."
- 3429. 11th December. Sylvester Denney Egen, of Wellington, New Zealand.—An invention to be called "Egen's Motor-power."
- 3430. 8th December. George William Graves, of Waiorongomai, in the Provincial District of Auckland, New Zealand, Butcher; David McLean Wallace, of the same place, Blacksmith; and Duncan Edward Clerk, of the same place, Farmer.—An invention to be called "The Handy Wire-strainer."