

4905. 26th March. Sir WILLIAM GEORGE MONTAGUE CALL, Baronet, of 10, Pall Mall, Middlesex, England.—An invention for improvements relating to the washing or scouring of cotton-waste and other dirty materials or fabrics.
4906. 26th March. ANNE CLARKE HOLDEN, of Paterson River, New South Wales, Spinster.—An invention for an improved combined scrubbing and mopping appliance.
4907. 26th March. THOMAS OLDHAM BENNETT, of Sydney, New South Wales, Mechanical Engineer.—An invention for improvements in machine sheep-shears and in the mode of driving the same.
4908. 26th March. WILLIAM CLARK, of Sydney, New South Wales, Inspector of Sanitary Plumbing.—An invention for an improved automatically-flushing water-closet, and apparatus in connection therewith.
4909. 26th March. AUGUSTUS GROSS, of Sydney, New South Wales, Optician.—An invention for an improved mode of and appliance for locking nuts on bolts.
4910. 26th March. HENRY PARKINSON, of Mailor's Flat, near Warrnambool, Victoria, Machinist, and WILLIAM HENRY BATEMAN, of Koroit Street, Warrnambool aforesaid, Stock Agent.—An invention for an improved coupling for connecting shafts or poles to vehicles.*
4911. 25th March. JAMES FORSYTH, of Lower Cargill Street, Dunedin, New Zealand, Clerk in New Zealand Railways.—An invention for a new and improved system for extracting fibre from our fibre-producing plants indigenous to New Zealand—viz., New Zealand flax; silver, red, and yellow tussock; serge- and snow-grass; and native cabbage-tree leaves.
4912. 31st March. HEINRICH JULIUS WILHELM, of Beaconsfield, Kiwitea, New Zealand, Blacksmith.—An invention for an improvement in wool-presses, to be called "H. J. Wilhelm's Patent Simplex Lever Wool-press."
4913. 31st March. ALEXANDER FRANCIS GARDEN BROWN, of Swindridge Muir, Dalry, Ayr, Scotland, Gentleman.—An invention for improvements in rotary engines.
4914. 31st March. JOHN BOWING, of Tilbury, in Essex, England, Consulting Chemist.—An invention for improvements in the manufacture of fuel from coal-slack and similar substances, and in obtaining tar-products.
4915. 31st March. CHARLES ARTHUR BARRETT and ALFRED BARRETT, both of Beech Street, London, England, Engineers.—An invention for improvements in what are known as automatic or coin-freed dynamometers.
4916. 31st March. ADAM SPIES, of Mudgee, New South Wales, Mechanical Engineer.—An invention for improvements in churns.
4917. 31st March. JAMES REID, of Oamaru, New Zealand, Blacksmith, and JOHN GOLDING HOWARD, of the firm of J. and C. Howard, Engineers, Agricultural Implement and General Machinery Importers, of Sydney, New South Wales.—An invention for improvements in ploughs.*
4918. 1st April. WILLIAM ARTHUR BROWNING and THOMAS TORY, of Palmerston North, New Zealand, Coachbuilders.—An invention for a spring shaft-attachment for two-wheeled vehicles, to be called "Browning and Tory's Eclipse Spring Shaft-attachment."
4919. 10th February. JOHN HISLOP, of Dunedin, New Zealand, Watchmaker.—An invention for shearing sheep, clipping horses, and other similar work, to be called "Hislop's Hand-power Shearing-machine."*
4920. 1st April. ERNST FAHRIG, of 24, Listria Park, Stamford Hill, Middlesex, England, Electrical Engineer.—An invention for an improved composition applicable for electrical insulating and other purposes; and the process for manufacturing the said composition.
4921. 3rd April. JOSEPH RICHARDS, of Danevirke, Hawke's Bay, New Zealand, Gardener.—An invention for "Richards's Blight- and Insect-cure for Fruit-trees."
4922. 3rd April. OTTO FLOHR, of 557, Masten Street, Buffalo, in the County of Erie and State of New York, United States of America, Mechanical Engineer.—An invention for improvements in automatic couplings for railway coaches, trucks, wagons, and like vehicles.
4923. 2nd April. WILLIAM BARNETT, Chemist, and JAMES TRENT, Gentleman, both of Christchurch, New Zealand.—An invention for an apparatus for extracting and saving the fat or grease from wool, and for cleaning the said wool by the use of benzine or other suitable volatile solvent.
4924. 3rd April. JAMES WOODFORD, of 31, Nursery Road, Linwood, Christchurch, New Zealand, Watchmaker.—An invention for "Woodford's Electro-magnetic Iron, Gold, and Sand Separator."
4925. 3rd April. GEORGE SARGENT JAKINS, of Blyth's Road, Papanui, Christchurch, New Zealand, Merchant.—An invention for patent pigeon-cage for marine telegraphy, to be used at night.*
4926. 4th April. REUBEN WITHELL, of Brookside, Canterbury, New Zealand, Dairy-farmer.—An invention for an improved butter-print.
4927. 7th April. WILLIAM HENRY BOYENS, Engineer, and ROBERT RUSSELL LOCHHEAD, Blacksmith, both of Kaikoura, New Zealand.—An invention for an improved potato-digger and gatherer.*
4928. 4th April. MOSES BATE, of Brighton Road, Parnell, Auckland, New Zealand, Millwright.—An invention for improvement for the separating of iron or any magnetic materials from any other materials by magnetic attraction.
4929. 6th April. HERBERT HENRY SMITH, of Auckland, New Zealand, Wrought-iron Range Manufacturer.—An invention for a combination range or oven and fruit-drier.
4930. 8th April. ALEXANDER MCVICAR, Engineer, and ERNEST KRAUSE, Fireman, both of Napier, New Zealand.—An invention for a new or improved apparatus for drying or preparing wool.*