

K.—APPLICATIONS PENDING AT END OF 1912.
Total, \$1,387.

L.—PATENTS IN FORCE AT END OF YEAR 1912.

Patents sealed from 31st December, 1908 to 31st December, 1912	1,987
Second-term fees paid from 31st December, 1909, to 31st December, 1912	711
Third-term fees paid from 31st December, 1905 to 31st December, 1912	644
Total	3,342

M.—TABLE SHOWING TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS, LETTERS PATENT SEALED, AND LETTERS PATENT IN FORCE FOR FULL TERM UNDER THE DIFFERENT PATENTS ACTS.

		Total Number of Applications.	Number on which Letters Patent have been sealed.	Number of Patents in Force until End of Fourteen Years.
Act of 1860	1861 to 1870	109	109	109
" 1870	1871 to 1883	881	687	465
" 1883	1884 to 1889	3,170	1,757	368
Acts of 1889 and 1908	1890 to 30th June, 1912	27,419	12,177*	1,052*
Act of 1911	1st July to 31st December, 1912	832	32*	*
Grand totals		32,411	14,762*	1,994*

* Incomplete.

N.—DESIGNS.—(1.) TABLE SHOWING NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS IN EACH OF THE FOURTEEN CLASSES (UNDER THE ACTS PRIOR TO THE PATENTS, DESIGNS, AND TRADE-MARKS ACT, 1911) TO THE END OF 1908, AND IN THE YEARS 1909, 1910, 1911, AND 1912 (1ST JANUARY TO 30TH JUNE) RESPECTIVELY.

Class.	Goods.	Number of Applications.				
		1890 to the End of 1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912 (1 Jan. to 30 June)
	Articles made of—					
1	Metal (except those in Class 2)	155	13	26	8	8
2	Jewellery	35	1	3	..	..
3	Wood, bone, ivory, papier-maché, &c.	129	14	8	6	2
4	Glass, earthenware, porcelain, bricks, tiles, and cement	17	2	2	6	1
5	Paper (except hangings)	55	9	3	..	2
6	Leather (including bookbinding)	2	1	1	..	..
7	Paperhangings	..	..	..	..	..
8	Carpets, rugs, floorcloths, &c.	3	..	..	..	..
9	Lace, hosiery	..	..	..	..	..
10	Millinery and wearing-apparel (including boots, &c.)	39	8	3	1	1
11	Ornamental needlework on muslin and other fabrics	..	..	..	..	..
12	Goods not in other classes	11	1	..	..	..
13	Printed or woven designs on textile piece-goods	2	2	..	..	1
14	Printed or woven designs on handkerchiefs and shawls	..	..	..	..	..
	Total	448	51	46	21	..
	Grand total—1890 to end of 1911	..	..	..	566	..