751. (L.R.) 27th December. Charles Sebastian Smith, of Leicester, in the County of Leicester, England, Land Agent and Solicitor; Alfred Edward Miller Mundy, of Shipley, in the County of Derby, England, Esq.; and Paget Perloe Mosley, of 81, Warwick Road, Earls Court, in the County of Middlesex, England, Esq.—An improved method of, and apparatus for, breaking down or getting coal, and other minerals, in mining, quarrying, or tunnelling operations. (Smith and Moore's.)

752. (L.R.) 27th December. WILLIAM CROOKES, F.R.S., of Boy Court, Ludgate Hill, in the City

of London, England.—Improvements in the construction and manufacture of electric lamps.
753. (L.R.) 27th December. John Chambers, of Te Mata, Napier, New Zealand, at present residing in Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, England.—Improvements in refrigerating and

freezing, and in apparatus employed for such purposes.
754. (L.R.) 27th December. Antonio Buzolich, of Nicholson Street, North Carlton, in the Colony of Victoria, Decorator, and Thomas King Smith, of Hoddle Street, Prahran, in the said colony, Manufacturing Chemist.—An improved composition to be used as a substitute for paint, cement,

varnish, and such like purposes.

755. (L.R.) 29th December. RAPHAEL JOSIA, of Certaldo, in the Kingdom of Italy.—Improvements

in the manufacture of artificial stone and marble, and colouring the same.

756. (LR.) 29th December. John Evelyn Liardet, of Brockley, in the County of Kent, England, and Thomas Donnithorne, of 30, Gracechurch Street, in the City of London, England.—Improvements in the means of, and in the apparatus for, storing electrical energy, and in the preparation of the materials to be employed.

757. (L.R.) 29th December. The Patent Victoria Hydraulic Freestone Company (Limited), of No. 56, Queen Street, in the City of Melbourne and Colony of Victoria.—An improvement in

the process of manufacturing artificial stone. (R. H. Stone's.)

Application for Letters Patent lapsed after Publication of List for 1881.

571. W. Douslin.—Sockets for candlesticks, and extinguishers.

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