

Mr. *Benjamin* reported the Bill accordingly ; and the Amendments were read, as follow :—

Page 1, line 20. After "Patent" insert "a Copy of which is contained in the Schedule to this Act annexed."

Page 1, line 33. After "same" insert "Schedule."

[L.S.]

"SCHEDULE.

"**VICTORIA**, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith. To all to whom these presents shall come,—Greeting: Whereas *Henry Bessemer*, of *Queen Street Place*, *New Cannon Street*, in the City of *London*, Civil Engineer, hath, by his Petition, humbly represented unto Us that he is in possession of an Invention for Improvements in the manufacture of malleable, or bar iron and steel," which the Petitioner believes will be of great public utility ; that he is the first and true Inventor thereof, and that the same is not in use by any other person or persons, to the best of his knowledge and belief: The Petitioner therefore most humbly prayed that We would be graciously pleased to grant unto him, his executors, administrators, and assigns, Our Royal Letters Patent for the sole use, benefit, and advantage of his said Invention, within Our United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, the *Channel Islands*, and *Isle of Man*, for the term of fourteen years, pursuant to the Statute in that case made and provided. And We being willing to give encouragement to all Arts and Inventions which may be for the public good, are graciously pleased to condescend to the Petitioner's request; Know ye, therefore, that We, of Our especial grace, certain knowledge, and mere motion, have given and granted, and by these presents, for Us, Our Heirs, and Successors, do give and grant unto the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, Our especial licence, full power, sole privilege, and authority, that he, the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, and every of them, by himself and themselves, or by his or their deputy or deputies, servants, or agents, or such others as he, the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall at any time agree with, and no others, from time to time, and at all times hereafter during the term of years herein expressed, shall and lawfully may make, use, exercise, and vend his said Invention within Our United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, the *Channel Islands*, and *Isle of Man*, in such manner as to him, the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, or any one of them, shall in his or their discretion seem meet ; and that he, the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall and lawfully may have and enjoy the whole profit, benefit, commodity, and advantage from time to time coming, growing, accruing, and arising by reason of the said Invention, for and during the term of years herein mentioned ; to have, hold, exercise, and enjoy the said licences, powers, privileges, and advantages hereinbefore granted or mentioned to be granted unto the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, for and during and unto the full end and term of fourteen years from the day of the date of these presents next and immediately ensuing, according to the Statute in such case made and provided. And to the end that he, the said *Henry Bessemer*, his executors, administrators, and assigns, and every of them may have and enjoy the full benefit and the sole use and exercise of the said Invention, according to Our gracious intention hereinbefore declared, We do by these presents, for Us, Our Heirs, and Successors, require and strictly command all and every person and persons, bodies politic and corporate, and all other Our Subjects whatsoever, of what estate, quality, degree, name, or condition soever they be, within Our United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, the *Channel Islands*, and *Isle of Man*, that neither they nor any of them, at any time during the continuance of the said term of