

In many instances cases have been brought under our notice, of applications having been made, through inexperienced or dishonest solicitors, in which from six months to a year have elapsed before the Patents were obtained, while frequently they have not been obtained at all. A delay like this is fatal to the interests of the inventor. We pride ourselves upon the successful management of our clients' applications, in fact regard their interests as our own, being sure that if they have reason to be pleased with our promptness and skill in obtaining one Patent, additional business will come in the form of fresh applications, either from themselves or from their friends. We wish to make the name of our firm a "Household Word," for skill, probity, and dispatch, wherever inventive or mechanical genius exists, and are fast doing so.

The senior member of our firm is a civil engineer, of great experience in drawing up the applications, both in a mechanical and legal point of view. The drawings are prepared by skilled draughtsmen, under his immediate supervision. Our clients may rest assured, therefore, that the work will be well and correctly performed.

We are in almost daily communication with the leading manufacturers in "The Dominion," many of whom are our clients, and have excellent opportunities of bringing under their notice inventions, after the Patents have been obtained, and do so, if requested by the Patentee. In this manner many good sales of Patent rights have been made through our instrumentality. Our offices are, in fact, the head-quarters in Canada for obtaining and giving information on all subjects appertaining to the mechanical arts and manufactures, and should be visited by all inventors, whether desirous of obtaining Patents or not. A cordial invitation is tendered, and a courteous reception given to all, whether inventors or not.

We give a list of a few of our principal clients for whom Patents have been obtained in Canada and Foreign Countries, to whom we refer those requiring similar services, for information as to the manner in which their business has been transacted.

FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

Our facilities for obtaining Letters Patent in Great Britain, France, Holland, Belgium, Russia and other foreign countries, are unrivalled. Our business partners are found in the capitals of every