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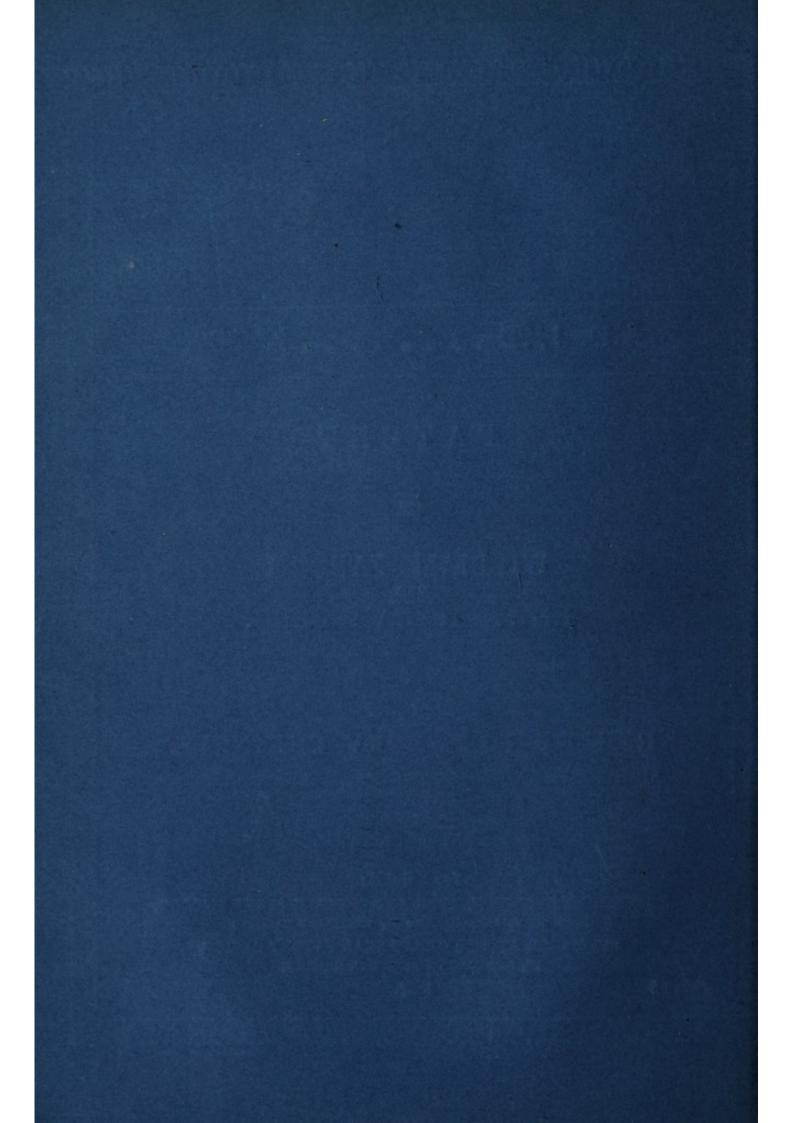
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FABENE AND CAMPBELL'S PATENT.

GEORGE THE SECOND, by the grace of God, &c., to all to whom these Presents shall come greeting.

WHEREAS our trusty and welbeloved WILLIAM FABENE and EDWARD CAMPBELL, Gentlemen, have by their petition humbly represented vnto vs that 5 they have with study, labour, and long observation, found out, invented, and brought to perfection "A CERTAIN, SAFE, AND INFALLIELE REMEDY FOR SMOKY CHIMNEYS OR ANY ANNOVANCE THEREFROM," which new method they perform by what they call an established mantle chimney being fixed vpon the top of the chimney without doors, and can be made of brick and lime, or any other 10 building materials: That the said Invention, if vsed, will very much contribute toward? putting a stop to the dangerous practice of carrying the chimney to that extravagant height now commonly done, and frequently by further addicon of funnels and other ineffectual devices, which render not only the houses but peoples lives in great danger in time of high winds; and 15 having prayed vs to grant to them, their executors, administrators, and assignes, our Royal Letters Patents for the sole vse and benefit of their said new

our Royal Letters Patents for the sole vse and benent of their said new Invention, within that part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed, for and during the terme of fourteen yeares, according to the Statute in that case made and 20 provided, wee being willing to give encouragement to all arts and inventions

that may be for the publick benefit, are graciously pleased to condescend to their request.

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KNOW YEE THEREFORE, that wee, of our especial grace, certain knowledge, and meer mocon, have given and granted, and by these Presents, for vs, our heires and successors, do give and grant vnto the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, our especial lycence, full power, sole priviledge and authority, that they the said 5 William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, by themselves, or by their deputy and deputies, servant? or agents, or such others as they the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, or assignes, shall at any time agree with and no others, from time to time and at all times hereafter during the term of yeares 10 herein expressed, shall and lawfully may make, vse, and exercise their said new Invencion for a certain, safe, and infalible remedy for smoaky chimneys, or any annoyance therefrom, as above described, within that part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwickvpon-Tweed, in such manner as to him the said William Fabene and Edward 15 Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, or any of them, shall in their discrecons seem meet, and that they the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, shall and may have and enioy the whole profit, benefit, comodity, and advantage from time to time comeing, growing, accrewing, and ariseing by 20 reason of the said Invention, for and during the full term of yeares herein menconed to have, hold, exercise, and enioy the said lycence, powers, priviledges, and advantages herein-before granted or mentioned to be granted vnto the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, for and during and vntill the full end and 25 term of fourteen yeares from the date of these Presents next and immediately ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended, according to the Statute in such case made and provided, and to the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, and every of them, may have and enioy the full benefit and the sole vse and exercise 30 of the said Invention, according to our gratious intencon herein-before declared, wee do by these Presents, for vs, our heires and successors, require and strictly comand all and every person and persons, bodies politick and corporate, and all other our subjects whatsoever, of what estate, quality or degree, name or condition soever they be, within that part of our Kingdom of 35 Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwickvpon-Tweed, aforesaid, that neither they or any of them, at any time during the continuance of the said term of fourteen yeares hereby granted, either directly or indirectly do make, vse, or put in practice the said Invencion, or

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any part of the same so attained vnto by the said William Fabeane and Edward Campell, as aforesaid, nor shall in anywise counterfeit, imitate, or resemble the same, nor shall make or cause to be made any addition thereunto, or substraction from the same, whereby to pretend himselfe or them-5 selves the inventor or inventors, devisor or devisors thereof, without the lycence, consent, or agreement of the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, or assignes, in writing vnder their hands and seales first had and obtained in that behalfe, vpon such pains and penalties as can or may be justly inflicted on such offenders for their contempt of this our

- 10 royal comand, and further to be answerable to the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, according to law, for their damages thereby occasioned: And moreover wee do by these Presents, for vs, our heires and successors, will and comand all and singular the justices of the peace, mayors, sheriffs, bayliffs, constables, headboroughs,
- 15 and all other officers and ministers whatsoever of vs, our heires and successors, for the time being, that they or any of them do not nor shall at any time hereafter during the said term hereby granted in anywise molest, trouble, or hinder the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, or assignes, or any of them, or their deputies, servants, or
- 20 agents, in or about the due and lawfull making vse or exercise of the aforesaid Invention, or anything relating thereto: Provided always, and these our Letters Patents are and shall be vpon this condition, that if at any time during the said term hereby granted it shall be made appeare to vs, our heires or successors, or successors, or any or more of our or their Privy Council, that this
- 25 our grant is contrary to law or preiudicial or inconvenient to our subjects in general, or that the said Invencion is not a new invention as to the publick vse or exercise thereof, in that said part of our said Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, or Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed, aforesaid, or not invented and found out by the said William Fabene and
- 30 Edward Campell, as aforesaid, then vpon signification and declaracon thereof to be made by vs, or heires or successors, or by the lord? and others of our or their Privy Council, or any six or more of them, vnder their hand?, these our Letters Patents shall forthwith cease, determine, and be vtterly void to all intents and purposes, anything herein-before contained to the con-35 trary thereof in anywise notwithstanding: Provided also that these our Letters Patents, or anything herein contained, shall not extend or be construed
- to extend to give priviledge vnto the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, or assignes, or any of them, to vse or imitate any invention or work whatsoever which hath heretofore been

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found out or invented by any other of our subject? whatsoever, and publickly vsed or exercised in that said part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, or Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed, aforesaid, vnto whom like Letters Patent? or priviledges have been already granted, for the sole vse, exercise, and benefit thereof, it being our will 5 and pleasure that the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, and all and every other person or persons to whom like Letters Patent(or priviledges have been already granted, as aforesaid, shall distinctly vse and practise their severall invencions by them invented and found out, according to the true intent and meaning of the 10 same respective Letters Patents, and of these Presente : Provided likewise nevertheless, and these our Letters Patents are vpon this express condicon, that if the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, the executors or administrators, or of them, or any person or persons which shall or may at any time or times hereafter during the continuance of this grant have or 15 claime any right, title, or interest in law or equity of, in, or to the power, priviledge, and authority, of the sole vse and benefit of the said Invention hereby granted, shall make any transferr or assignement, any pretended transferr or assignement of the said liberty and priviledge, or any share or shares of the benefit or profit thereof, or shall declare any trust thereof, to or for 20 any number of persons exceeding the number of five, or shall open or cause to be opened any booke or books for public subscriptions, to be made by any number of persons exceeding the number of five, in order to the raising any sume or sumes of money vnder pretence of carrying on the said liberty or priviledge hereby granted, or shall by him or themselves, or his or their agent(25 or servants, receive any sume or sumes of money whatsoever, of any number of persons exceeding in the whole the number of five, for such or the intents or purposes, or shall presume to act as a corporate body, or shall divide the benefit of these our Letters Patents, or the liberty or priviledges hereby by vs granted, into any number of shares exceeding the number of five, or shall 30 comitt or do or peure to be comitted or done any act, matter, or thing whatsoever during such time as such person or persons shall have any right or title, either in law or equity, in or to the said premisses which would be contrary to the true intent and meaning of a certain Act of Parliament made in the sixth year of the reign of our late Royal Father King George the First, intituled 35 (An Act for the better securing certain Powers and Priviledges intended to be granted by His Maiestie by Two Charters for Assurance of Ships and Merchandizes at Sea, and for lending Money vpon Bottomry, and for restraining severall extravagant and vnwarrantable Practices therein menconed), if these

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our Letters Patent(had not been granted, or in case the said power, priviledge, or authority shall at any time hereafter become vested in or in trust for more than the number of five persons or their representatives at any one time (reckoning executors or administrators as and for the single person whom 5 they represent, as to such interest as they are or shall be intitled in right of such their testator or intestate), that then and in any of the said cases these our Letters Patents and all liberties, privileges, privileges, privileges, and advantages whatsoever hereby granted, shall vtterly cease, determine, and become void, anything herein-before contained to the contrary thereof in anywise

- 10 notwithstanding. And lastly, wee do by these Presents, for vs, our heires and successors, grant vnto the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, that these our Letters Patents or the inrollment or exemplificación thereof shall be in and by all things good, firme, valid, sufficient, and effectual in the law, according to the true intent and mean-
- 15 ing thereof, and shall be taken, construed, and adjudged in the most favourable and beneficial sense for the best advantage of the said William Fabene and Edward Campbell, their executors, administrators, and assignes, as well in all our Courts of Record as elsewhere, and by all and singular the officers and ministers whatsoever of vs, our heires and successors, within that part of our
- 20 said Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed, aforesaid, and amongst all and every the subjects of vs, our heires and successors, whatsoever and wheresoever, notwithstanding the not full and certain describing the nature or quality of the said Invention, or of the materials thereto conducing and belonging.
- 25 In witness, &c. Witness our selfe at Westminster, the Eighth day of May.

By Writt of Privy Seal.

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