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70,933.-STEP-LADDER.-M. E. Abbott, Bethlehem, Pa. I claim a step-ladder, with the braces, B B', and the stay rods, C C', and D D', attached to the ladder, A, substantially as described, that is to say, by the pivot joints, d, d, and the long staples, a, a, and c, c, as and for the purposes set forth.

70,955.-TOWEL.-John Cash, and Joseph Cash, Jr., Coventry, England. We claim, as a new article of manufacture, bath or friction towels, manufactured of tape, substantially as described.

I claim the levers, A A, or their equivalents, in combination with the springs, e, c, catches, E E, and knob, G, substantially as specified and for the purpose named.

71,005.—LIGHTING GAS BY ELECTRICITY.—John M. Higgins (W. B. Culbertson, administrator), St. Louis, Mo. I claim, 1st, the switch, S, vibrated by the rotation of the wheel on the gas cock, substantially as described.

71,029.—CHURN.—Romualdus Mahr, New York city. I claim the arrangement of the driving wheel, H, pulleys, I and M, belt, G, docket, crank, K, connecting rods, F and G, and screw, E, for working the reciprocating dashers, the whole constructed and operating substantially as described and specified.

2d, The said combined horse block and hitching post, in combination with the hand rill, C, substantially as described. 3d, The said combined horse block and hitching post, in combination with the scraper, E, substantially as described.

