the string pieces, DD, snspension rods, BB, diagonal brace, CC, and sboes EE, substantially as herein set forth. 2,702.—METHOD OF CASTING THE DRIVING WHEELS OF HORSE-POWERS, HARVESTERS, ETC.—E. P. Russell, Manhius, N. Y.—Patented Aug. 15, 1865.

15, 1865.
I claim, 1st, Placing the pulley pins of driving wheels in the sand or mold by means of a model driving wheel so as to secure equidistance between the pins, substantially as and for the purposes specified.

24. The combination of the driving wheel, A, the pin, C, and the friction roller, B, constructed in the manner and arranged substantially as described.

2,703.—Plow.—Frederick Volkman, Hoboken, N. J., assignee

roller, B., constructed in the manner and arranged substantially as acceribed. 2,703.—PLOW.—Frederick Volkman, Hoboken, N. J., assignee of Bruno Velkman. Patented Nov. 27, 1866.

1st, I claim a plow cart that is made and operating substantially as and for the purpose herein shown and described.

2d, The device for raising and lowering the front end of the plow beam, L, by means of the screw shaft, I (fitted in the axle, D. and sliding block, b), the nut, c, and plate, i, balance bar, e, links, g and r, all made and operating substantially as herein shown and described.

3d, The adjustablellnix, n, when so made by the application of a set screw, n', substantially as and for the purpose herein shown and described.

4th, The draft chain, K., attached to the underside of the plow beam and to the lands do of the same or, in other words, to the lower left-hand edge of the same, substantially as and for the purpose herein shown and described.

5th, The perforace axle, D', in combination with the frame, B A E, and sliding block, b, for the purpose of allowing the lateral adjustment of the screw shaft, I (or its equivalent), substantially as and for the purpose herein shown and described.

6th, The manner herein shown and uescribed of adjustably securing the draft bar, G, to the piow cart by me ans of the perforated axle, D', bolt, h, and semificular front plate, D, and pin or set screw, S. all made and operating substantially as herein shown and described.

7th, In combination with the device for adjusting the plow beam up and down the wheel, F, of the cart, when so arranged that by its adjustment the axle of the cart can be sunk more or less, as set forth.

8th, Hangung the front end of the plow beam directly to the screw shaft, I. by means of links, g. b, balance bar, e, and nut, c, all made and operating substantially as herein shown and described in combination with the laterally as well as obliquely adjustable draft bar G, as set forth.

3,704.—CIDER MIJL.—W. N. Whiteley, Jerome Fassler and Olivers Kelly, Springfield, Ohio. Patented Dec. 15, 1863.

1st, We claim the press beam, B, constructed with the lugs. G. G. upon its lower part and at a distance from ends, as and for the purpose shown and described.

2d, The arrangement of the posts, A. A, press beam, B, girder, C, rails, E. E, post, F, and platform, I, to form the frame of a combined grinding and pressing trait mill, as set forth and described.

ing frait mill, as set forth and esscribed.

2,705.—STRIPPING TOP FLATS IN CARDING MACHINES.—
W. B. Bates, Mansfield, Mass., Administrator of the Estate of George Wellman. Fatented March, 18, 1856. Antedated Nov. 25, 1858.

I claim, 1st, The combination of the segmental gear and its set rim or locking plate with the pinion and its locking plate or recess, as a device for imparting an intermittent rotation to mechanism from a continuous one, for the purpose of operating the stripping mechanism, or that which moves the clean frame, from one top to another substantially as described.

24, The combination of the said device for producing intermittent rotation, with the mechanism that lifts, strips, and lowers the top card to another substantially as described.

3d, The combination of the said device for producing intermittent rotation, with the mechanism that have seed the cleaning frame from one top card to another, substantially as described.

4th, Combining and arranting the segmental gear and its set rim or locking plate, with the two pinions, each with its locking plate or recess, placed on opposite sides of said segmental gear, so as to operate the str pping apparatus, and move the cleansing frame alternately, substantially as described.

5th, The combination and arrangement of the mangle pins or teeth in the arc of a circle directly attached to the cleansing frame and concentric with its movements, for the purpose of avoiding intermitted gearing, substantially as described.

6th, Mounting the stripper card upon radial arms that have their centers or axes below the stripper card and near the axis of the cleansing frame, substantially as described.

8th, The colphination of the cams, X X, with the levers, Y Y, carrying and operating the stripper card, substantially as described.

8th, The combination of the cams, X X, with the lifting rods, Z Z, and the levers, Y Y, arranged to operate in connection, substantially as described.

8th, The combination of the cams, X X, with the chain belts, Q', the chain pulleys, R', and shaft, M, arranged and operating substantially as described.

10th, The combination of the guide, E', on the cleansing frame with the stationary guide, D', on the frame of the machine co-operating substantially as described.

11th, The combination of the springs, F', and the pins, E', and lifting rods, L, and their application to the frame, S, substantially as described.

12th, The mechanism for cleansing the stripper card arranged and applied substantially as described.

12th, The mechanism for cleansing the stripper card arranged and applied substantially as described.

2,706.—Stripping Top Flats for Carding Machines.— William B. Bates, Administrator of the estate of George Wellman, Mansfield, Mass. Patented Dec. 6,1833.

1st, I claim the combination and arrangement of a continuously revolving radial arm and pin, or crank pin, and a circular locking plate connected therewith, with a series of intermittently revolving radial working grooves to receive said pin, connected with a locking plate provided with segmental recesses corresponding to said grooves and to the other locking plate, substantially as described.

2d, Combining with the cleansing frame, a mangle gear and the mechanism herein described for imparting an intermittent motion to the same suitably arranges, by which the cleansing frame is moved from one too card to another in any order desired, in both directions, and held at test while the cleansing frame is moved from one too card to another in any order desired, in both directions, and held at test while the cleansing frame is moved from the construction of the cleansing frame is from one too card to another in any order desired, in both directions, and held at test while the cleansing frame is from one too card to make the pinion passes a frame is from one too another the pinion starts to where it stops on the mangle gear with concentrative movement of the cleansing frame from one too card to that next to it and thus shift the order of cleansing the too card to that next to it and thus shift the order of cleansing the too card when the frame is moving in opposite directions, substantially as described.

4th, Attaching the stripping card to radial arms, so arranged that by the oscillation of said arms the stripping card will be carried beneath the raised too card to cleanse the same, substantially as described.

5th, Forming the working faces of the came that raise the too cards on between the working faces of the came that raise the too cards on because the same,

2,707.—Br. BGE.—Zenas King, for himself and assignee of P. M. Frees, Cleveland, O. Patented Oct. 1,1861.
1st, I claim, viz: The construction and arrangement of the archwhen the same increases gradually in its vertical and lateral dimensions from the ends

A' A', of the arch to its center of crown, substantially as and for the purpose set forth.

2d. The construction and arrangement of the arched or cu ved stay plates or channel irons in combination with arched bridges, for the purpose specified.

-Centrifugal Sugar Machine.—Alexander Mackey,

2,708.—CENTRIFUGAL SUGAR MACHINE.—Alexander Mackey, New York City. Patented Jane 18, 1867.

I claim, 1st, The combination with the centrifugal cylinder of a distributor granged within but detached from the said cylinder, substantially as and for the purpose herein set forth.

2d, The distributor, C, constructed essentially as shown, in combination with the centrifugal cylinder, B, and arranged in relation thereto substantially as and for the purpose herein set forth.

2,709.—COOKING STOVE.—Daniel E. Paris, Troy, N. Y., assignee by mesne assignments of James R. Hyde. Patented June 10, 1862. I claim, 1st, A reservoir thus situated and constructed with a concave front, next adjoining said rear fuses, the back of which latter shall be of a similar and conforming shape, for the purpose set forth and herein explained.

2d, 180tting or fastening the reservoir to the upright plate of the stove, sub-

2d, Bolting or fastening the reservoir to the upright plate of the stove, sub-stantially as herein shown and described.

DESIGN. 2 713.—Coffin.—Henry Hoffman, Jenner's Cross Roads, Pa.

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS-IN-CHIEF OF APPEALA

Interference Between the Applications of M. and D.

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ELISHA FOOTE for the Board.

M. has a patent granted Feb. 10, 1803, for a self-raking apparatus applied to a single-wheel rigid bar reaping machine. The improvements consist in applying the same self-rake to a two-wheeled jointed-bar machine. D. has an extensive manufactory of reaping machine at Auburn, N. Y. M. appointed an agent residing at that place to endeavor to procure the adoption of his rake upon the two-wheeled reapers manufactured there, and instructed him inlly, in February, 1855, as to the manner of making the application. In July following he went there personally, procured their adoption by D., spent two or more weeks in D.'s manufactory making the application, and entered into a contract with him for the use of his patent for a stipulated rent.

It is alleged by D. that the apparatus constructed under the supervision of M. was imperient and did not operate satisfactorily; that the pulleys were not of the proper relative sizes, the cams were not of the right shape, etc. If all be admitted that he alleges to the full extent that he claims, it would fall short in our judgment, of making him an inventor. It is a wistake to suppose that the one who perfects the mechanical details is entitled to the patent. An inventor need not necessarily be a mechanic. He has a right to employ the mechanical skill and experience of ethers to carryout has conceptions, and it has been said that even their inventions in reference to details belong to him. It is hardly to be expected that the first structure should be perfect; a trial and some practice usually suggest many alterations, and these do not by any means deprive an inventor of his right to a patent.

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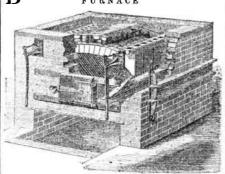
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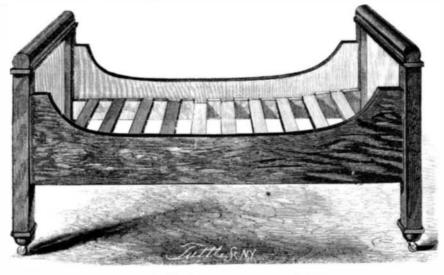
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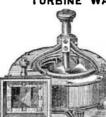
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