No. 3127. Washington Foglesong, Dayton, Ohio, U.S., 20th February, 1874, for 10 years: "Machine for Making Sheet Metal Pans." (Machine à fabriquer les ustensiles de cuisine en tôle forte.)

No. 3128. D. Douds, J. H. Hartsuff, and P. Douds, New Castle, Penn., U. S., 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "A Steam Pump." (Une pompe à vapeur.)

Claim.—'st. The chambers A, A1, ia combination with the suction valves E, E1 discharging valve S, and steam valve C, all ar ranged and operating as described; 2nd. The combination of the air chamber L, having the screw plug N, and spring valve 0, wit the suction space M, of the pump; 3rd. The suction valves E, E1, constructed as described in combination with the easings I; 4th The suctional casing of the pump as specified.

No. 3129. GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE, Jr., Pittsburgh, Penn., U. S., 20th February, 1874, for 15 years: "Machine for Regulating, Applying and Releasing the Fluid Pressure on Railway Air-Brake Apparatus." (Machine pour régler, appliquer et relâcher la pression du fluide dans les appareils des freins à air de railroute.)

Claim.—Ist. The triple valve device constructed as set forth arranged in a valve be x or case in connection with a suitable arrangement of parts so as by variations in the pressure brought to bear thereon the air or other fluid pressure may be utilized in applying releasing or graduatings the brakes; 2nd. The triple valve described in combination with the air charging part G_2 , the auxiliary reservoir part G_1 , the brake cylinder part H_1 , and the intermediate parts G_1 , of: 3rd. The diaphragin n_1 and compound nut or piston c_1 , c_2 , in combination with the stem a_2 , and valve a_3 : 4th. The flexible clastic diaphragin n_2 , in combination with one or both the annular flanges D_1 , D_1 , arranged relatively thereto as set forth; 5th. The relief valve R_2 , in its case B_1 , with parts r_1 , r_2 , arranged on the pipe H_2 , and in combination therewith as set forth; 6th. The eye bolts m_1 hinged to pins m_2 , operating in recesses or between lugs on the two parts B_1 , B_2 , so as 10 swing to and from their places by a hinging motion in the manner set forth.

No. 3130. John Dennis, Newmarket, Ont., 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Improvements in Dennis' Economical Framed Log Barn." (Perfectionnement à l'étable à charpente en pièces de bois dite étable économique de Dennis.)

Claim.—1st The combination of the bents A, A, A. Fig. 1, and B, B, Fig. 2, for the purpose described; 2nd. The combination of the barn yard stable with the ordinary stable; 3rd. The combination of the skeleton walls c. c, c, c, c, Fig. 3, with the barn yard mangers E. E, Fig. 4, for the purpose described; 4th. The combination of the water trough 0, 0, Fig. 3, with the manger b, b, same figure.

No. 3131. John Kay, Indianapolis, Ind., U. S., 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Roller Abstractor for Lever Watches." (Griffe pour enlever les cylindres des montres.)

Claim.—1st. The adjustable spring legs D, with feet d, in combination with the sliding adjustable spindle C, arranged as described; 2nd. The sliding spindle C, with slot e, and solid or detachable nipple ei, working within the guide out in A, the screw B, and the swivel point b, working within the guide and nut in A, in combination with the adjustable spring legs D, with feet d, the screw E, and nut e, arranged as described.

No. 3132. JAMES L. CATHCART, Washington, D. C., U. S., 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Improvements on Vessel Propellers." (Perfectionnements aux propulseurs de vaisseaux.)

Claim—lst. A propeller frame mounted on a vertical axis and connected with the rudder post so as to be moved simultaneously therewith to a less extent; 2nd. A laterally adjustable propeller mounted in a frame adapted to be secured at any desired angle with the line of motion of the vessel; 3rd. The combination and arrangement of the propeller orane-shaft F, cross-head G, sectors H, chains T, pulley J, and rudder R; 4th. The combination and arrangement of the chains T, connecting the rudder and propeller frame, the adjusting devices i. A caps K, and sectors H; 5th. The coupling piece T, sliding hoxes t, and forked yokes s, constructed and combined to transmir rotary movement from the shaft S, to the shaft b, while permitting the deflection of the latter , 6th. The propeller B, crane C, Ct, bearing ct, cap c, crane shaft F, and detach able boxes t, separably connected as described to permit the unshipping and shipping of the parts; 7th. The fastening v, cc, or its equivalent on the end of the shaft b, comployed to the extremity of the arm Ct, of the crane to its post C, as described.

No. 3133. T. STERRY HUNT, Boston, Mass., U.S., and JAMES DOUGLAS, Jr., Quebec, 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Improvement in the utilization of Refuse or Waste Tinned Sheet Iron commonly called Tin Plate." (Mode d'utilisation des déchets ou retailles de tôle étamée ordinairement appelée ferblanc.)

Claim—1st. The use and application of tin plate scrap or waste for precipitating metallic copper from its solutions; 2nd. The recovery and utilization of the tin from the tin-plate scrap by means of its solution and subsequent precipitation as oxide of tin in solutions containing protochloride of copper and a sulphate.

No. 3134. ALEXANDER K. PEDRICK, Philadelphia, Penn., U. S., (Assignee of E. Pedrick,) 20th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Traction hydraulic Engine." (Perfectionnements dans les pompes.)

It is proposed by this invention to use the exhaust steam from an engine, to create a vacuum in the iron chamber specified so as to act as an auxiliary pump at oil, salt and other wells.

Claim—1st. The action of steam upon water or fuid in an iron chamber attached to the load or discharge pipe or tube from the pump to produce a vacuum; 2nd. The bevelled or funnel-shaped pipes or tubes connecting with the iron chamber and also separated therefrom; 3rd. The bevelled or funnel-shaped pipes or tubes to be used singly or for one or more to be connected together as set forth.

No. 3135. Levi S. Johnson & Marvin G. Johnson, Cortland, N. Y., U. S., 20th February, 1874. (Extension of Patent No. 3052, for 5 years.) "Preparation of Beef for Table Use." (Préparation du bœuf pour la table.)

Claim.— A beef compound prepared by cutting raw lean beef very fine and mixing it with salt, salpotre and sugar, and packing and drying and smoking the compound in bags as set forth.

No. 3136. EDWIN E. PEARSE, London, Eng., 24th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Improvements in the Manufacture of Glucose or Grape Sugar from rice and other grain." (Perfectionnements dans la fabrication de la glucose or sucre de raisin avec du riz ou autres grains.)

Claim.—1st. The production of saccharine liquid by one operation in the manufacture of glucose or grape sugar from rice and other grain and the means or apparatus employed therein as described; 2nd. The combination of the vessel a, the hollow shaft, with the hollow perforated arms cl, thereto for the passage and supply of steam, the feeding means k, ki, b, b; 3rd. The cylinder l, with feed chambers ll, to receive the matters from a feed hopper and deliver them in regulated quantities to and in combination with the receiving vessel a.

No. 3137. HENRY PARKER, Gananoque, Ont., 24th February, 1874, for 5 years: "Improvements on Moulds for Casting Cores." (Perfectionnements aux moules à couler les noyaux)

Claim.--lst. The sliding plate C, in combination with the flasks B, arranged and op rating as set forth; 2nd. The moulding but-