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## DESIGN FOR STOVES.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that we, NICHOLAS S. VEDDER and FRANCIS RITCHIE, each of the city of Troy, in the county of Rensselaer and State of New York, and TOBIAS S. HEISTER, of the village of Lansingburg, in said county and State, have jointly invented and produced a new and original ornamental Design for Stoves, of which the following is a specification, reference being had to the accompanying cut, print, or engraving of a stove having our said new design.

One part of this invention is the design for the vase D, composed of the tapering lower body portion, *e*, having thereon the ornament *e'*, the middle band-like body part, *f*, the convex upper part, *g*, having the ornament *g'* thereon, and the plate-like cap-piece *h*, of general angular form, with ornamented end pendants, *h'*, and top ornament, *h<sup>2</sup>*, with ornamental recesses therein, all shaped and arranged substantially as represented in the aforesaid print.

Another part is the design for the upper section, E, consisting of the panels *i*, having the scroll-ornamented borders *j*, and the frame-like inner panel-border, *k*, having cruciform lower corner ornaments, *k'*, and oblong pointed ornament *k<sup>2</sup>* in the sides, and inclosing the panel *l*, having thereon the floral ornament *m*, all shaped and arranged substantially as represented in the aforesaid engraving.

Another part is the design for the illumination-section G, consisting of the upper segments, *n*, each having four quadrilateral illumination-apertures, *o*, all formed with truncate corners, and each surrounded by bracteate vine ornaments *p*, the polygonal projecting rim-plate *q*, and the lower segments, *r*, each having two quadrilateral illumination-apertures, *s*, with truncate corners, and surrounded by the bracteate vine ornaments *p'*, all shaped and arranged together substantially as shown in the aforesaid cut.

Another part is the design for the end of the oven-section H, consisting of the top rim, *a*, bottom rim, *a'*, end plate, *b*, and door *c*, having the scroll-ornamented border *d*, inner frame-like ornament, *d'*, and central floral ornament, *d<sup>2</sup>*, all shaped and arranged together substantially as represented in the aforesaid engraving.

Another part is the design for the base portion I, consisting of the angular base-plate *t*, the scroll-ornamented border *u* along the curve-edged rear part, *u'*, and the horizontally-convex and vertically-concave parts *u<sup>2</sup>* and *u<sup>3</sup>*, having, respectively, the panel-ornament *v* and rim-ornamented apertures *v'*, all shaped and arranged substantially as shown in the aforesaid print.

What we claim as our invention is—

1. The design for the vase D, composed of the parts *e e'*, *f*, *g g'*, *h h'* *h<sup>2</sup>*, as described.
2. The design for the upper section, E, consisting of the parts *i*, *j*, *k k'* *k<sup>2</sup>*, *l*, and *m*, as set forth.
3. The design for the illumination-section G, consisting of the parts *n o p*, *q*, *r s p'*, as shown and described.
4. The design for the end of the oven-section H, consisting of the parts *a*, *a' b*, *c*, *d d'* *d<sup>2</sup>*, as shown and described.
5. The design for the base-section I, consisting of the parts *t*, *u*, *u'* *u<sup>2</sup>*, *u<sup>3</sup>*, *v*, *v'*, as shown and described.

In testimony whereof we hereunto set our hands, in the presence of two subscribing witnesses, this 12th day of November, 1878.

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