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DESIGN FOR A BOX.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, STEPHEN F. WHITMAN, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of the city and county of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a Design for Boxes, of which the following is a specification.

My design, as illustrated in the annexed drawings, of which Figure 1 is a perspective view, and Fig. 2 a vertical cross-section, consists in a box having a body with six sides, the opposite sides being in parallel planes and the corners *x* rounded.

The body of the box has a rib, *b*, at the bottom, and another rib, *c*, near the top. The cover B of the box corresponds in outline to the body, and has a flange, *d*. The top of the cover is flat at the center *e* and beveled at or near the edge, so as to form an inclined marginal face, *i*.

The leading features of the design are the

six-sided body, having the opposite sides in parallel planes and the corners rounded, and the beveled top, as set forth.

I claim—

1. The design for the body of a box having six sides, the opposite sides being in parallel planes and having the corners rounded, substantially as shown.

2. The design for a box consisting of a body with six sides, the opposite sides being in parallel planes and rounded corners, and a cover of similar outline, with the top flat at the center, and with an inclined marginal face, substantially as shown.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

STEPHEN F. WHITMAN.

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