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Size and Quality Tickets.

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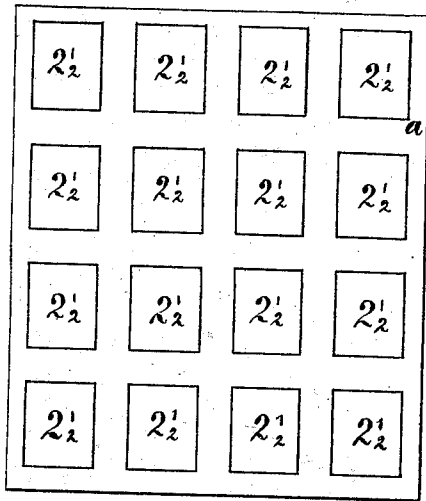


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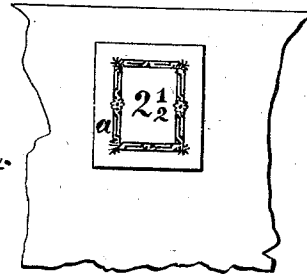


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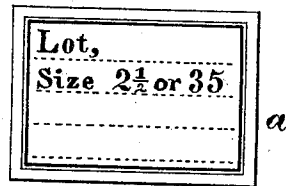


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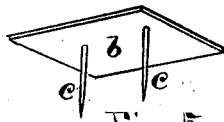


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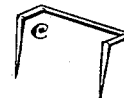


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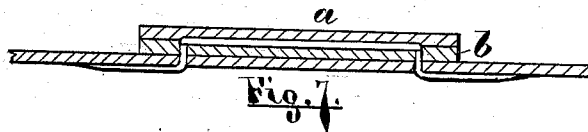


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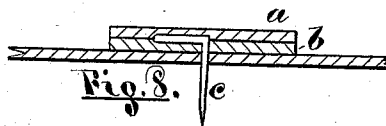


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IMPROVEMENT IN SIZE AND QUALITY TICKETS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, HALMEAGH VAN GEASEN, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented a new article of manufacture entitled an Improvement in Size and Quality Tickets, of which the following is a specification:

The object of my invention is to provide tailors and dress-makers with a ticket, which may be attached to garments in a more ready manner than those heretofore in use, so as to effect great saving of time; and my invention consists in constructing tickets with metallic points at the back, which, upon being pressed against the fabric, will pass through the same, and by being bent back of the cloth will effectually secure the ticket to the same in a neat and strong manner.

Figure 1 is a face view of a card of tickets. Fig. 2 is a face view of one ticket attached to cloth. Fig. 3 is a face view of a larger size ticket. Fig. 4 is a face view of a ticket after the top layer of paper is removed exposing the metal of the points. Fig. 5 is an under-side perspective of a ticket—points projecting as ready for use. Fig. 6 is, in perspective, the metallic portion of the ticket alone. Fig. 7 is a longitudinal section of a ticket shown as attached to cloth. Fig. 8 is a transverse section, showing ticket against the cloth, points standing out, as before, pressing down.

The two sections are on an enlarged scale.

a represents the upper surface of the ticket, upon which the numbers and other designating-marks are printed. *b* represents the back-

ing of ticket, pasted so as to form a portion thereof. *c* represents the metallic points, running through the backing *b*, and between the facing *a* and backing *b*, as shown, and forming a permanent portion of the ticket.

The points projecting outward readily pass through the cloth, and are easily pressed back, so as to hold the ticket to the coat or other garment desired.

Heretofore it has been the custom to stitch the tickets to the garment with needle and thread, consuming considerable time; but by this means the ticket is applied quickly, and hundreds secured where but a few could be stitched in the old way. The saving of time in a single day amounts to a considerable sum in money.

The tickets are to be applied to garments made up, and also to the materials previous to manufacture—dry goods, cloths, &c.

The tickets may have as many of the points as desirable, and the points may be made of any suitable metal.

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent of the United States, is—

As an article of manufacture, a size or quality mark or ticket, composed of two layers of paper, between which is secured the head or bridge of the fastening-springs *c*, which extend through the bottom layer, and are adapted to fasten the ticket to a fabric.

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