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COMPOSITION OF MATTER FOR CLEANING AND SHINING WOOD.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, Philip Joseph Shaffer, a citizen of the United States, residing at Springfield, in the county of Sangamon and State of Illinois, have invented a new and useful composition of matter to be used for the cleaning and shining of any kind of wood, as woodwork or millwork in a house, hard-wood floors, furniture, oil-cloth, celluloid, rubber, and linoleum, of which the following is a specification.

My composition consists of the following ingredients combined in the proportions stated, viz: 768 ounces paraffin oil (pure), 348 ounces benzin, 192 ounces vinegar, 64 ounces turpentine. These ingredients are to

In using the above-named composition, a piece of cloth, preferably cheese cloth, should be used in applying it freely to the wood or article desired to be cleaned and polished. This will remove the dirt from the wood and

also remove ordinary scratches. Then a couple of seconds after said composition has been applied the article should be rubbed 25 lightly but briskly. This will give the article a bright, shiny glossy appearance.

I claim:

1. The herein described composition of matter, consisting of paraffin oil, benzin, vin- 30 egar and turpentine, substantially as described for the purpose specified.

2. The herein described composition of matter for cleaning and polishing wood, oilcloth, celluloid, rubber and linoleum consisting of seven hundred sixty eight ounces pure paraffin oil, three hundred and forty-eight ounces benzin, one hundred and ninety two ounces of vinegar and sixty four ounces of turpentine as substantially described.

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