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NOTE:

- the earliest lists begin with inventions then name their patentees, without an alphabetical list.
- early reports include a paragraph of the claims for each invention (ordered by number).
- prior to the 1844 Patent Office report, lists of patentees do not include the patent numbers, meaning you will have to scan the list of inventions for the person's name.