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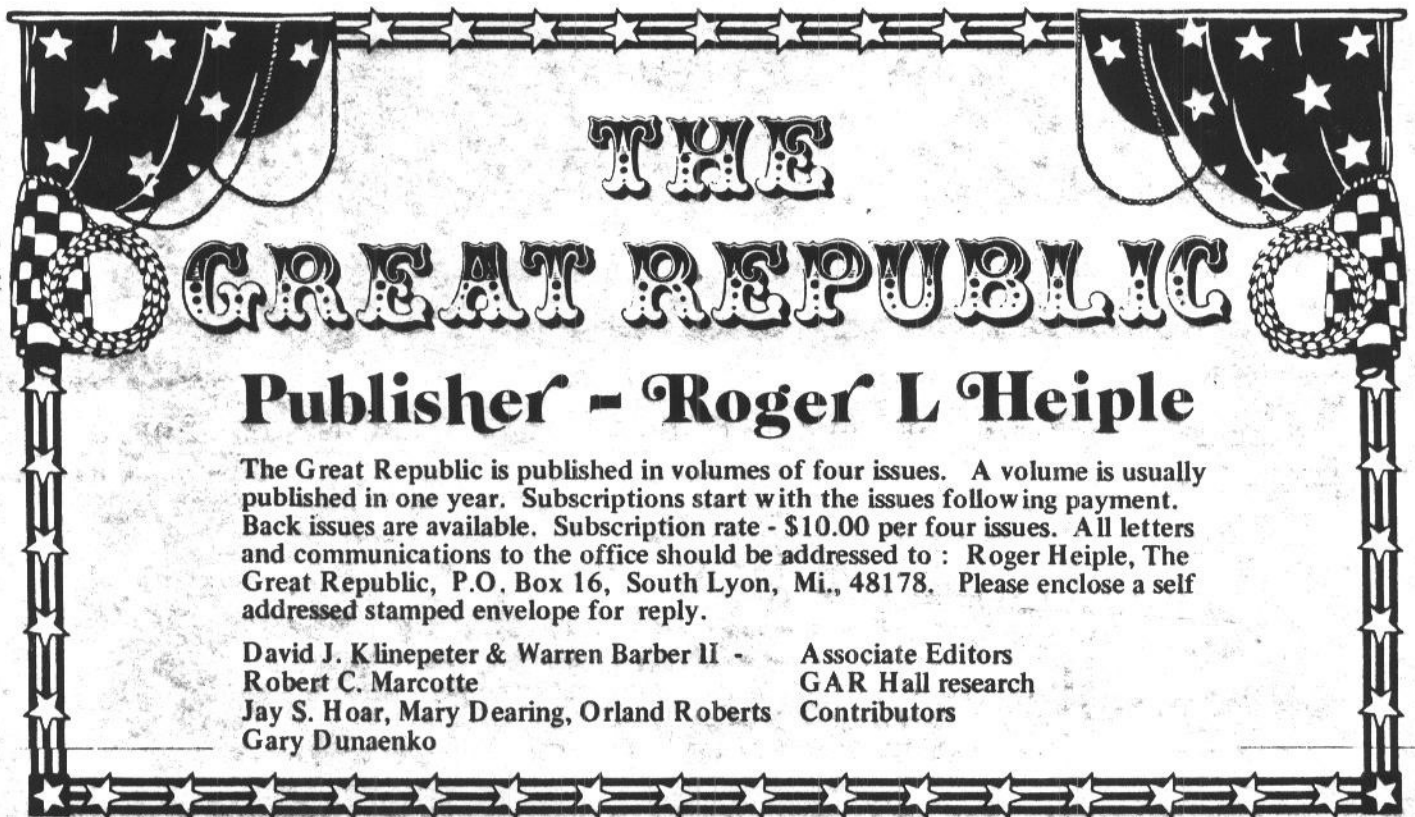
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### Editors Comments;

This issue of the Great Republic provides some of the most important information about GAR supplies in the 1880's.

This catalog from the E.A. Armstrong Company, Detroit, represents one of the finest selections of GAR supplies, uniforms, flags and veteran advertising. The catalog was issued for 1885 & 1886 and a rubber stamp across the top of the catalog states, "Discount 10 percent". An item that we all wish was still available is the following:

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Again the GAR encampment of collectors will be held at the 8th. Ohio Civil War Show in Ashland. Not only will the GAR tables have materials for sale, but the other dealers have found that there



is a good market for the GAR materials that don't sell well at other shows. So, this is the best GAR show for buying, selling, & trading. In fact, trading seems to be the favorite way of getting the great items. Even if you don't have a table, bring a briefcase of badges for trading. The Great Republic will have a registration table for GAR collectors. The accommodations at the dorms are very reasonable, and we will help you find someone to share a room, cutting the cost in half. Again we will have our famous informal banquet at The Room Upstairs and everyone is invited. Following the dinner we may return to the hall for slides of the veteran colonies of St. Cloud, Fitzgerald, Grantville, & St. Andrews Bay. An award will be presented to the best table display of GAR items and it would be nice to see a new winner. The GAR tables have also done well in the overall competition for Best of Show.

The next issue is the hardest one to get together. I've been working on it for over a year. It's the Testimonial badge issue.

I hope to see all at I hope to you at the Ashland Show in April - three days of GAR trading, learning, looking and tall tall stories about the badge that got away.

Roger

**RANK BADGES FOR OFFICERS OF POSTS.**



These are small Shoulder Straps, with gilt border and an enameled blue field, used as a pin, from which is suspended by a ribbon the star badge. The ribbon is one and one-half inches in length, and one and a quarter inches wide. For National Officers, buff; for Department Officers, red; and for Post Officers, light blue.

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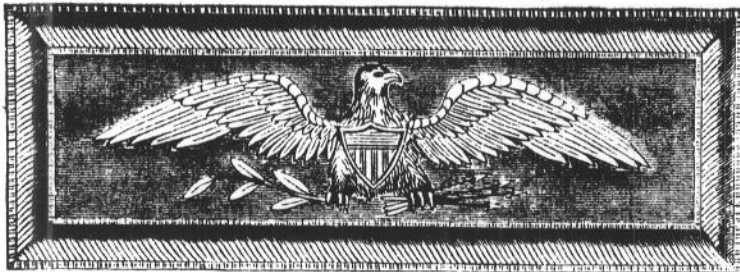
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1st Lieutenant.....	" 3 50
Captain.....	" 3 75
Major and Lieut.-Colonel.....	" 4 25
Colonel.....	" 4 75

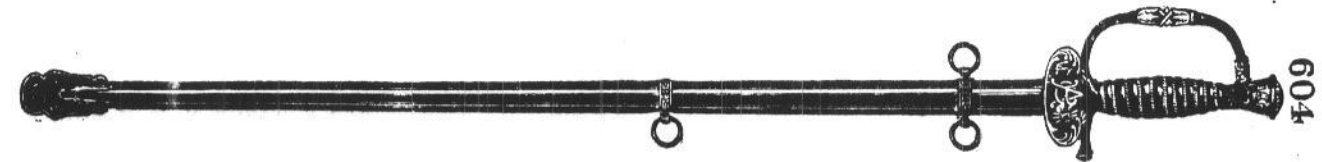
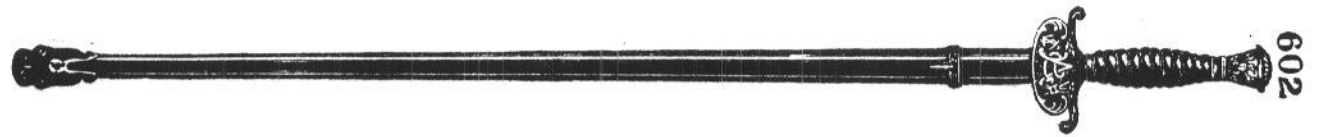
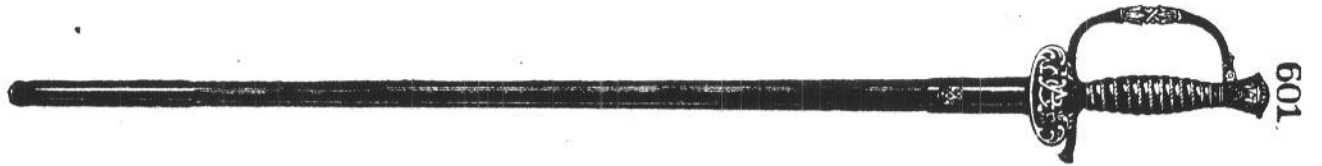
**CHEVRONS FOR CAMP SERGEANTS.**



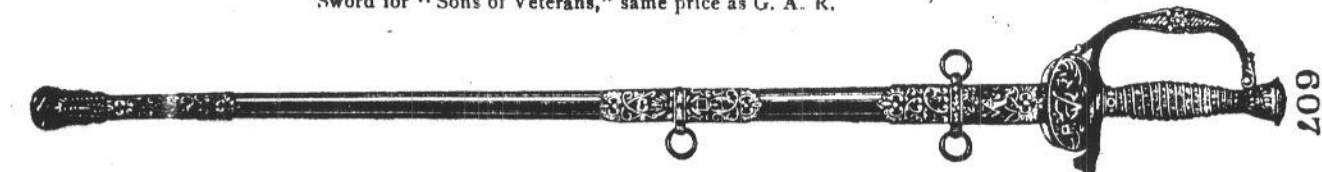
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No. 9. " " " Ord. ".....	"	1 20
No. 10. " " " Color, ".....	"	1 20
No. 11. " " " Sergt. Guard.....	"	1 20
No. 12. " " " Corporal.....	"	1 20

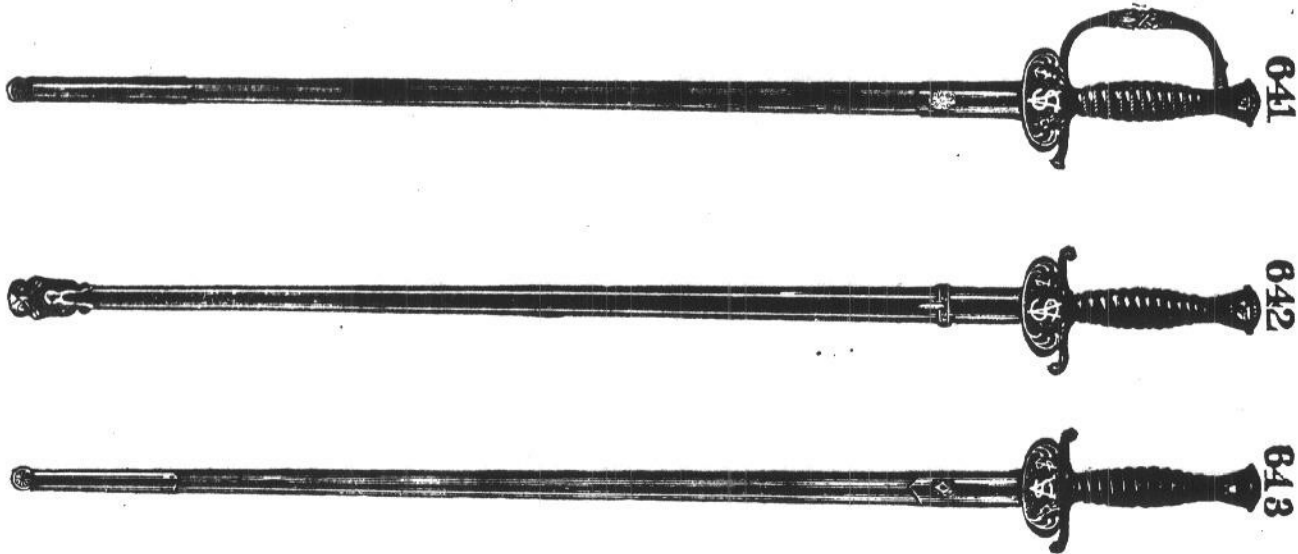
The above are made of metal, nicely finished, and with pin to fasten on coat sleeve.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC SWORDS.

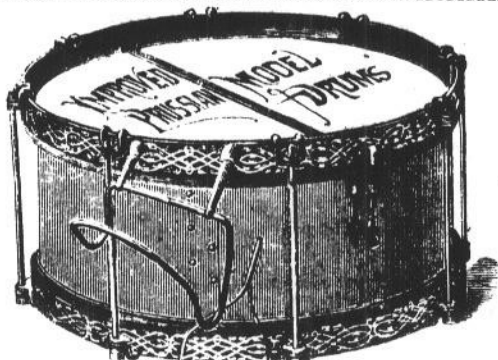


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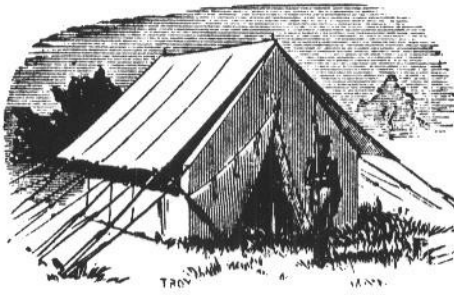
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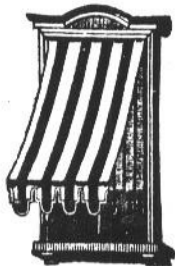
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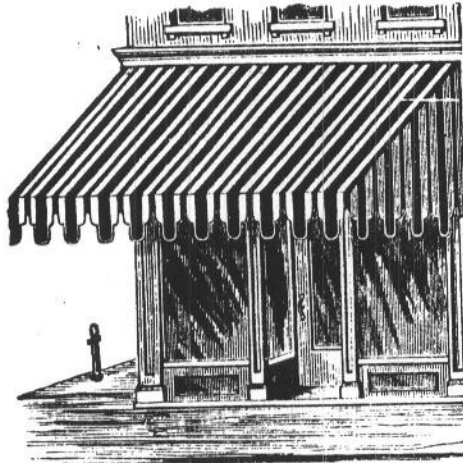
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- o. 922½. Black or White Enameled Leather Belts, double, interlined and stitched, with G. A. R. plate, with slings, fine gilt mounted.....each, 3 00
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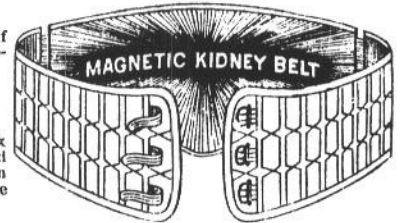
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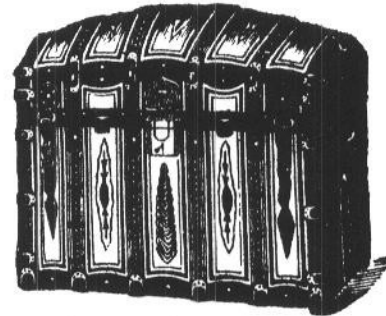
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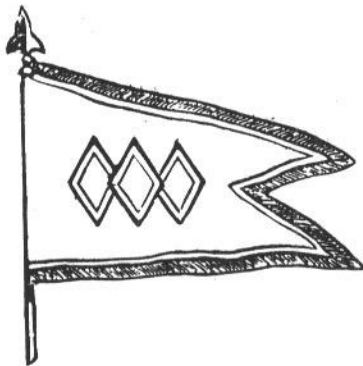
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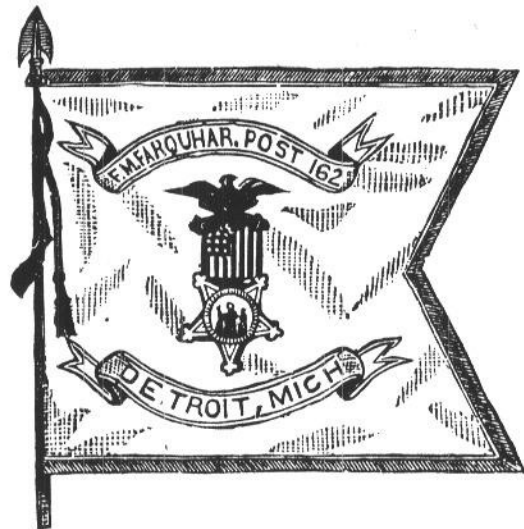
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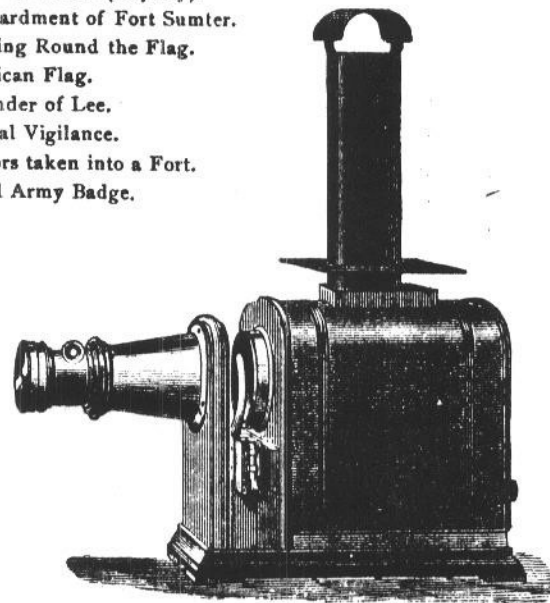
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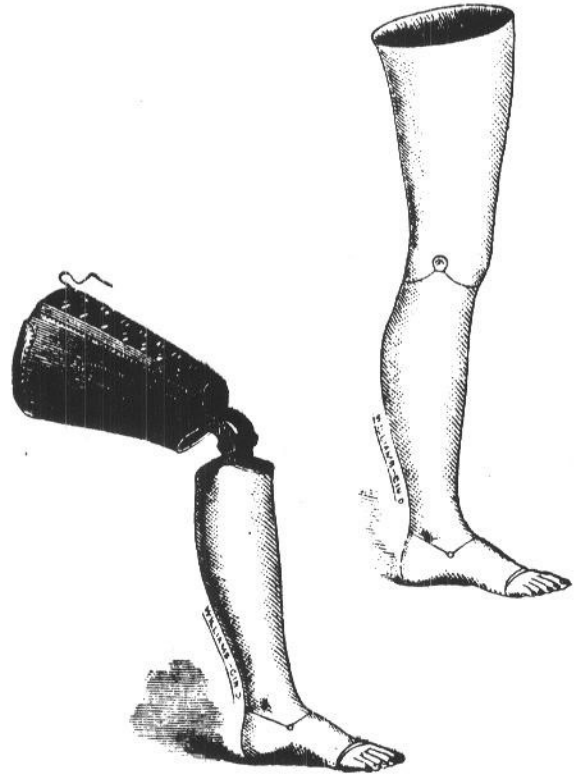
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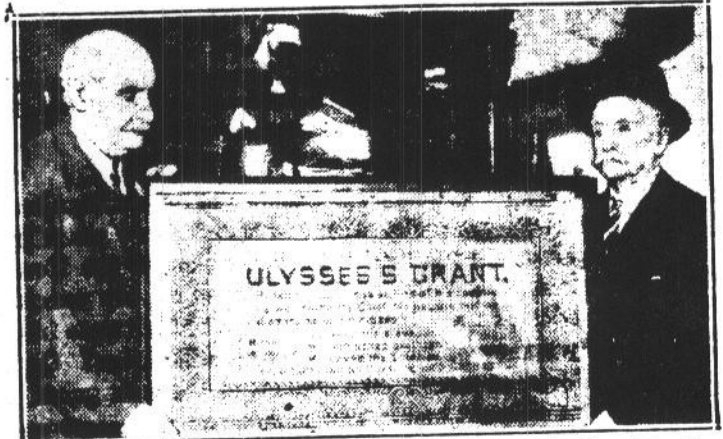
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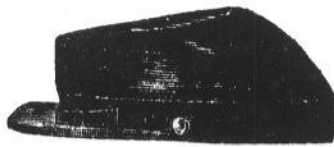


Bronze plaque formerly on grave of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant is displayed by two veterans. It was found in clearing of G. A. R. headquarters in Borough Hall, Brooklyn.

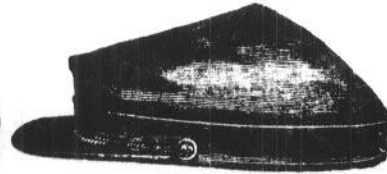
A large bronze plaque which once marked the grave of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant was unexpectedly brought to light last week. It was found at the old G. A. R. headquarters, Borough Hall, Brooklyn. In cleaning up the headquarters office, workmen found the plaque near some filing cases, where apparently it had lain for many years. The plate was originally brought by G. A. R. veterans to Brooklyn when the body of the Civil War hero was taken to the tomb on Riverside Drive. The plaque bears an inscription and the year of Grant's birth, 1822, and that of his death, 1885. It will be committed to the care of Spanish War Veterans, also assigned office space in the building.

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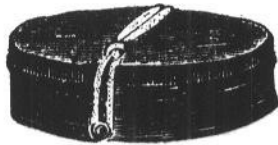


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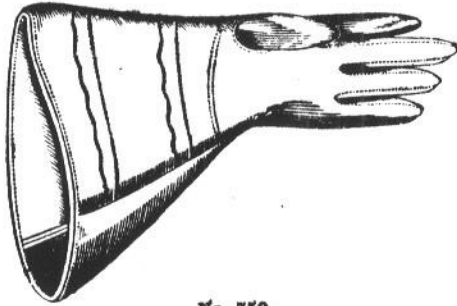


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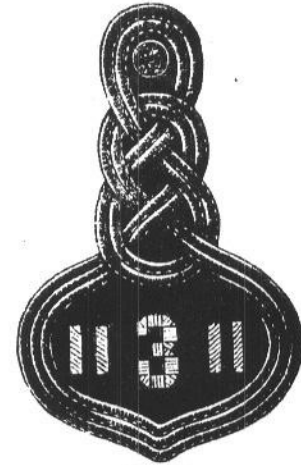
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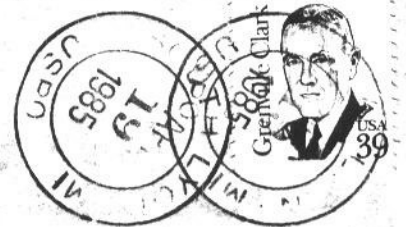
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