

## **Specification of John Henry Johnson : plates for artificial teeth.**

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PLATES FOR ARTIFICIAL TEETH.

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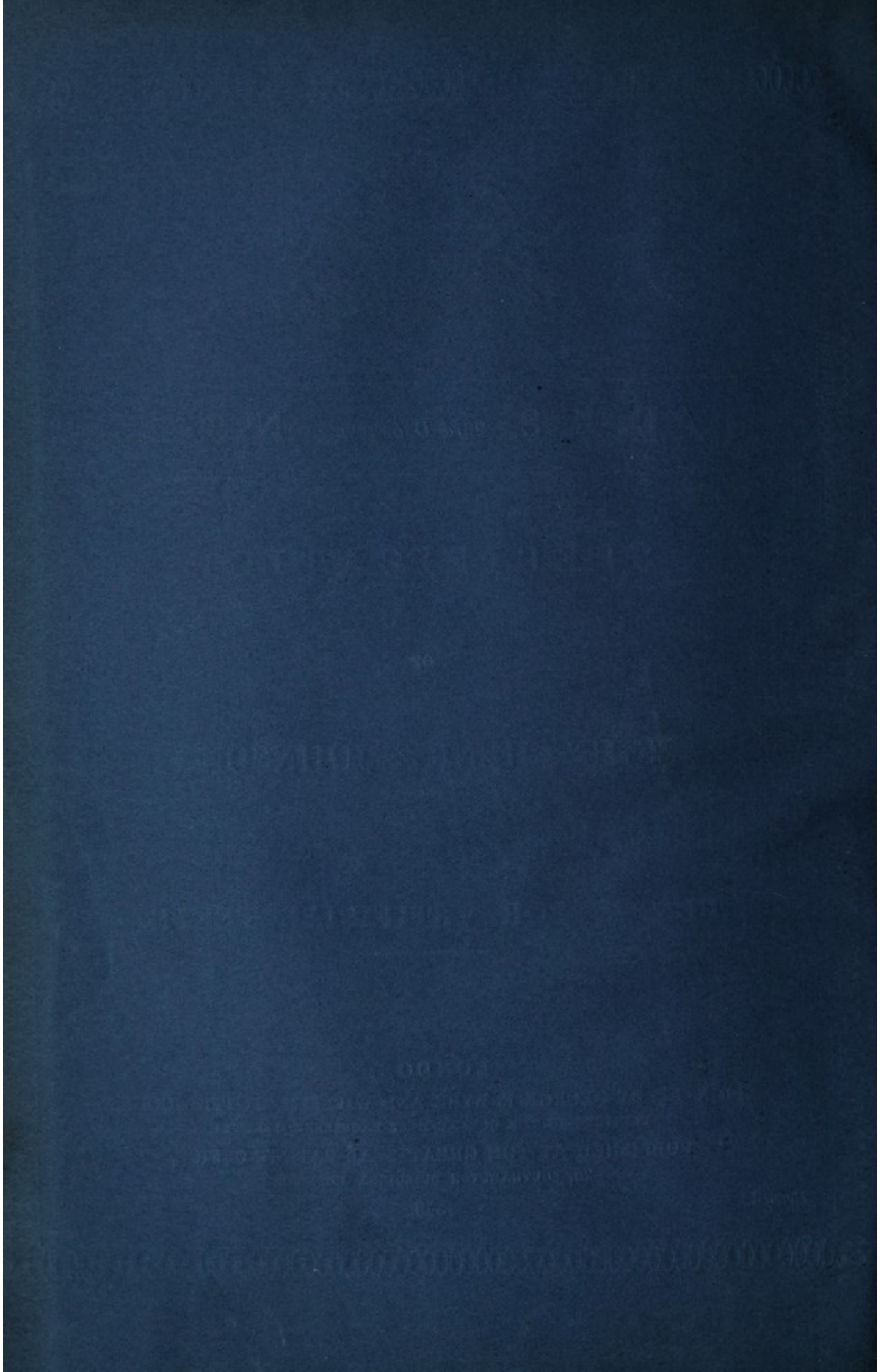
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**PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATION** left by John Henry Johnson at the Office of the Commissioners of Patents, with his Petition, on the 23rd December 1868.—A communication from abroad by Edward Brigham Goodall, of Portsmouth, State of New Hampshire, United States of America, Doctor, Dental Surgery.

I, JOHN HENRY JOHNSON, of 47, Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, do hereby declare the nature of the said Invention for "**IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF PLATES FOR HOLDING ARTIFICIAL TEETH,**" a communication from abroad by Edward Brigham Goodall, of Portsmouth, State of New Hampshire, United States of America, Doctor, Dental Surgery, to be as follows :—

This Invention consists essentially in making the plates to which artificial teeth are secured of an elastic or springy material and of such shape or form that whilst adapting themselves to the form of the mouth they will be held in their place when inserted in the mouth by their inherent elasticity alone without the aid of clasps or suction. This is accomplished by cutting away from plates as ordinarily made of an



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*Johnson's Impts. in the Construction of Plates for Artificial Teeth.*

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elastic substance, the roof or upper part thereof having wings or spring like arms; or by forming the plate holding the artificial teeth of an elastic strip fitting the sinuosities of the roof of the mouth at or near that part of the mouth which corresponds to the roots of the teeth.

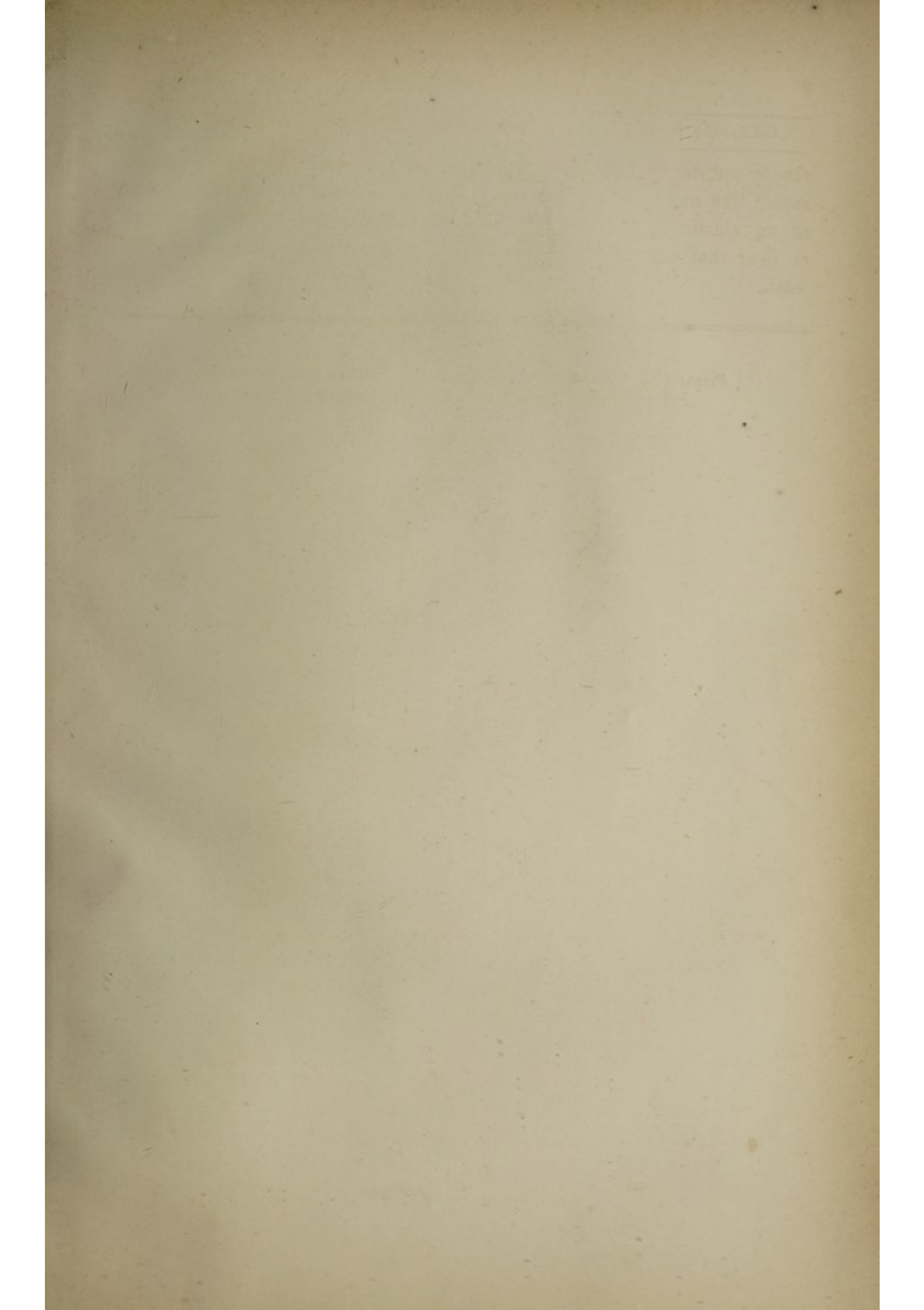
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