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SHOE BOX LABEL.

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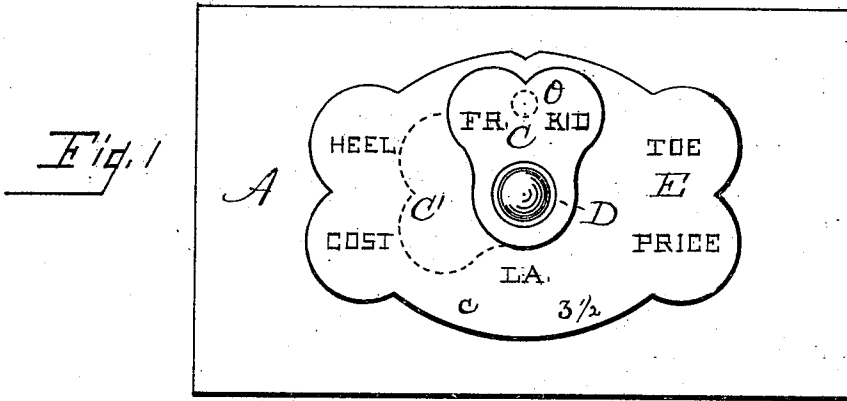
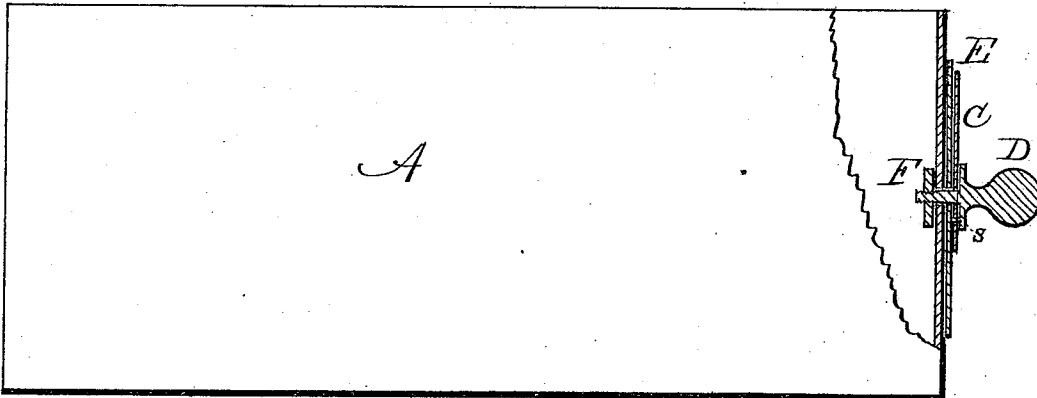


Fig. 11



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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, SIMON GOODMAN, a citizen of the United States, residing at Dayton, in the county of Montgomery and State of Ohio, have invented a certain new and useful Improvement in Shoe-Box Labels; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, which will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawings, and to the letters of reference marked thereon, which form a part of this specification.

My invention relates to improvements in shoe-box labels; and it consists of a label with suitable marks and an indicator held to the box by a knob, said indicator being so attached that it is turned by the said knob.

The mechanism is illustrated in the accompanying drawings, in which—

Figure I is a front view of a shoe-box with the label attached. Fig. II is a side view of the same with the end of the box partly in section, and the label and knob likewise in section.

Like letters designate like parts throughout the several views.

A is a paper box adapted to hold a pair of ladies' shoes.

E is a paper label, which may have any form of exterior, and has a central orifice by which, with the aid of the knob D, it is held to the box. On this label is marked the quality, size, and price, or other desirable matter.

C is a paper indicator, its chief use being to show whether the box contains a pair of shoes or not, and on it may be marked the kind of leather of which the contained shoes are manufactured. When in a vertical position, it indicates that the box contains a pair of shoes. When turned to the side, as shown by dotted lines C', Fig. I, it indicates the box to be empty. To make the indication more apparent a circular mark (indicated by dotted line at O, Fig. I) may be made upon the label, which would be exposed on turning the indicator.

D is a metallic knob. The inner threaded end passes through orifices of the indicator, label, and box, and is then fastened by the nut F. This knob serves a double use, that of handling the box and turning the indicator, which is secured to the same by the pin S.

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent is—

A shoe-box label composed of knob B, with pin in its shoulder to engage the indicator C, held on the shaft of said knob, the label E, likewise held on said shaft, abutting said indicator, and combined with a shoe-box, substantially as shown and described.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my own I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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