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IRONING-TABLE.

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Fig. 1.

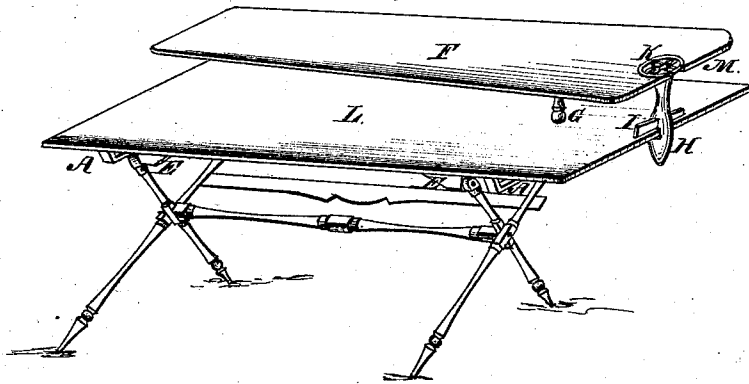
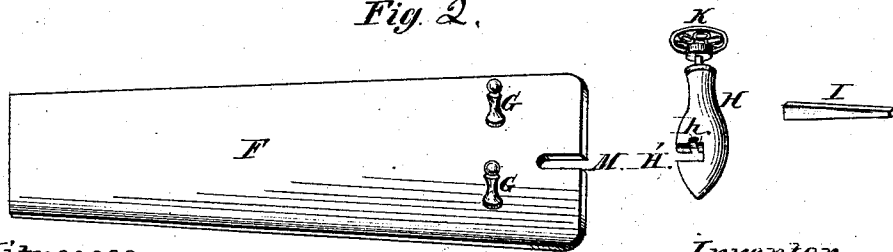


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN IRONING-TABLES.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, NORMAN CLARK, of Sterling, in the county of Whitesides and State of Illinois, have invented a certain Improvement in Ironing-Tables, of which the following is a specification:

The design of the present invention is to provide a cheap and convenient folding table and ironing-board, that can be easily and cheaply made, and in use will possess the advantage of admirable adaptation to the ends and objects for which it is intended, and when not in use or for storage or transportation, can be readily folded and packed into the smallest compass; and to this end the invention consists, more particularly, in the construction and combination of the several parts and pieces which constitute the said device, and in the means for connecting and uniting the board to the table, all as will now be more in detail set out and explained.

In the accompanying drawings, the same letters of reference are used in all the figures in the designation of identical parts.

Figure 1 is a perspective view of the table with ironing-board adjusted ready for use.

H is the stud by which the ironing-board F is attached to the table L, by means of slot H' in its side and a wedge or key, I, which, fit-

ting in the supplemental slot *h*, secures and fastens the stud to the table, and which also supports an iron cricket, K, on its top. M is the slot in the board, which receives the neck of the stud H; G G, legs supporting ironing-board.

Fig. 2 is a view of the ironing-board and stud detached from the table.

The ironing-board as thus made and attached to the table will be firmly held in place by the stud and key, as above described, and supported over and upon the table-top by the legs or other suitable means placed at convenient distance from the stud.

When this ironing-board is not wanted for use as such it may be turned aside, swiveling upon the stud and connecting means, or it may be removed altogether by withdrawing the key or wedge.

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

The table-top L, in combination with stud H, provided with slots H' and *h* and key or wedge I, ironing-board F, and legs G, substantially as and for the purposes set forth.

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