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Pocket Brush.

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Fig. 1.

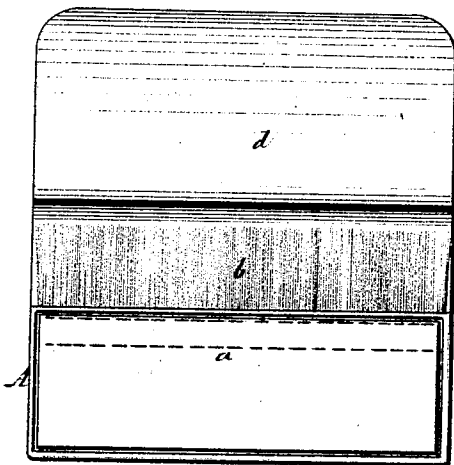


Fig. 2.



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IMPROVEMENT IN POCKET-BRUSHES.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, THEODORE F. STUMPF, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented a new and improved Pocket-Brush; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable those skilled in the art to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawing forming part of this specification, in which drawing—

Figure 1 represents a front view of this invention, when the brush is uncovered.

Figure 2 is a transverse section of the same when the brush is covered up.

Similar letters indicate corresponding parts.

This invention consists in combining a brush with a pocket-book in such a manner that when the pocket-book is closed the brush is fully protected, and the pocket-book, together with the brush, can be carried conveniently in the pocket, and if the pocket-book is opened, the brush can be used the same as an ordinary brush, the body of the pocket-book forming the handle for the brush.

In the drawing—

The letter A designates a pocket-book, made of leather or any other suitable material, and with one or more pockets, *a*.

In one of these pockets is secured a brush, *b*, the bristles of which are fastened in a back, *c*, of metal or

other suitable material, said back being made to fit the pocket closely, so that it can be fastened therein by means of glue or in any other desirable manner.

The pocket *a*, which contains the brush, is provided with a closing flap, *d*, and if the pocket-book is to be constructed with more than one pocket, a separate closing-flap must be provided for the brush, and another for the remaining pockets, so that, in using the brush, said remaining pockets can be kept closed.

When the closing-flap of the pocket containing the brush is down, the brush is fully protected, and a pocket-book made according to my invention can be conveniently carried in the pocket.

When said closing-flap is turned back, the bristles of the brush are exposed, and the brush can be used with convenience for brushing off a hat, or coat, or other garment, the pocket-book itself forming the handle for the brush.

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

A pocket-brush, as shown and described.

This specification signed by me this 22d day of June, 1870.

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