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FLOWER-POT BRACKET.

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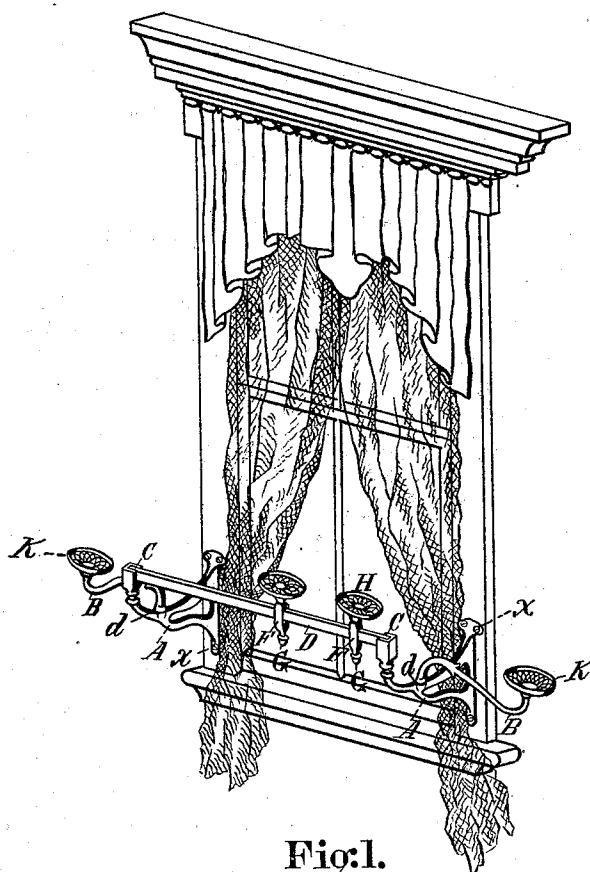


Fig. 1.

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IMPROVEMENT IN FLOWER-POT BRACKETS.

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CASE A.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOHN G. FOLSOM, of Winchendon, in the county of Worcester, State of Massachusetts, have invented a certain new and useful Improvement in Flower-Stands, of which the following is a description sufficiently full, clear, and exact to enable any person skilled in the art or science to which my invention appertains to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawing forming a part of this specification, in which the figure is an isometrical perspective view, representing the stand as erected for use.

My invention relates, principally, to that class of flower-stands which are designed for indoor use or decoration; and consists in a novel construction and arrangement of the parts, as hereinafter fully set forth and claimed, by which a more desirable article of this character is produced than is now in ordinary use.

The nature and operation of my invention will be readily obvious to all conversant with such matters from the following description:

In the drawing, A A are the fixed supporting-brackets of the stand, being represented as attached to the casing or frame of the window by the screws *x x*. These brackets are provided at their outer or free ends with rabbets or sockets C C, into which the ends of horizontally-arranged cross-bar D are fitted, as shown. A pot-stand, H, having a laterally-mortised body, F, and provided with the set-screw G, is fitted to slide on the bar D, by

which it is supported, and on which it is held, at any desired point, by means of the set-screw. Supported by the brackets A A are two swinging side brackets, B B, carrying at their outer ends the pot-stands K K, their inner ends being journaled at *d d*.

It will be apparent that a series of adjustable flower-pot stands, H, may be arranged on the bar D, and that the form or shape of the same may be varied, as desired; also, that the brackets A A may be attached directly to the sash, instead of the casing of the window, and that the swinging brackets B B may be omitted, without entirely departing from the spirit of my invention; which having thus described,

What I claim is—

1. In a flower-stand, the pot-stand H, in combination with the bar D, constructed and arranged to operate substantially as specified.

2. In a flower-stand, substantially such as described, the brackets A A, pot-stand H, and bar D, constructed and arranged to operate substantially as set forth.

3. In a flower-stand, substantially such as described, the fixed bracket A, provided with the swinging side bracket B, carrying the pot-stand K, substantially as set forth and specified.

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