

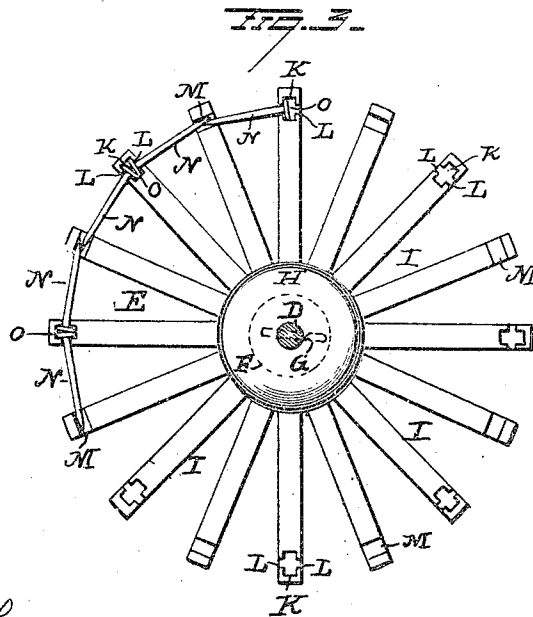
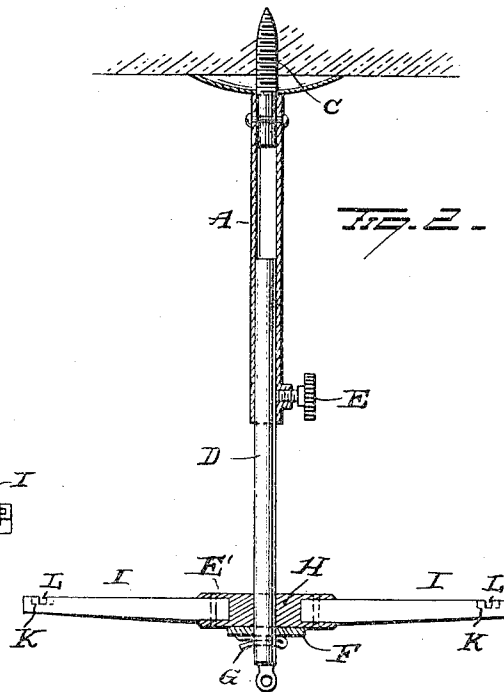
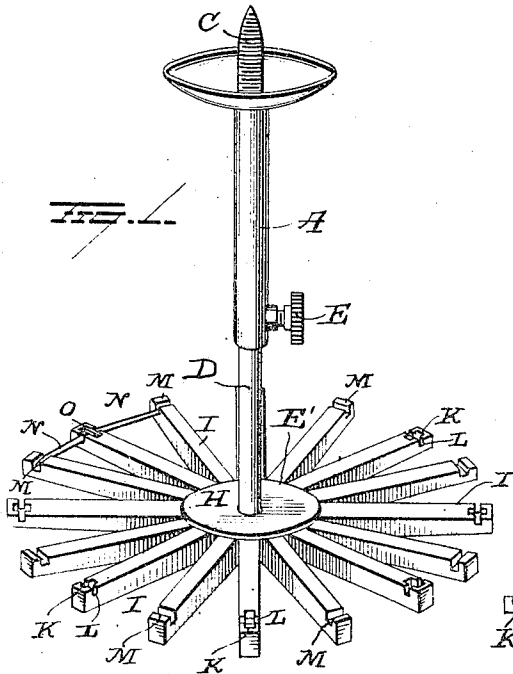
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOSEPH G. LUNDY, a citizen of the United States, residing at Evergreen, in the county of Conecuh and State of Alabama, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Bag-Holders; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the invention, such as will enable others skilled in the art to which it appertains to make and use the same.

My invention relates to an improvement in bag holders, the object of the same being to provide a simple, durable and efficient device adapted to be suspended above the counter or other point within convenient reach of the salesman, and capable of supporting different sizes of paper bags and permitting of the ready attachment of a fresh supply of bags whenever necessary.

With these objects in view my invention consists in certain features of construction and combinations of parts as will be hereinafter described and pointed out in the claim.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 is a view in perspective of my improvement; Fig. 2 is a view partly in side elevation and partly in section, and Fig. 3 is a plan view of the bag supporting wheel.

A represents a pipe or metal tube to the upper end of which is secured by a pin or in any manner desired by a screw C which is screwed into the ceiling at any desired point and thereby supports the tube in a suspended position. Between the upper end of the tube and ceiling is interposed a saucer shaped disk, which may be soldered or otherwise fastened to the upper end of the tube and serves to retain the tube against lateral movement or displacement.

D is a rod the upper end of which fits and slides within the lower end of the tube and is adjustably secured therein by means of a set screw E. To the lower end of rod D a bag supporting wheel E' is secured by means of a supporting washer F and a cotter pin G, which will permit of the easy detachment of the supporting wheel whenever necessary. The bag supporting wheel

consists of a hub H and radial spokes I. The outer ends of each alternate spoke is provided with an elongated recess K having narrow slots L communicating therewith, while the outer ends of the intermediate spokes are each provided with a transverse groove M. The packages of bags are threaded upon nails N which are preferably wire nails, the heads O of two adjacent nails being inserted in the elongated recess K of one spoke while the pointed ends of two adjacent nails are supported in the transverse groove M of the next adjustable spoke. A nail having a package of bags threaded thereon can be readily secured in place on the supporting wheel and when in place is securely retained against accidental displacement. Whenever a package of bags has been used, it is only necessary to remove the nail and thread another package upon it and secure it in its place on the wheel. If desired a ball of twine can be mounted on one of the nails and by turning the wheel can be brought within easy reach of the salesman.

It is evident that the bag supporting wheel may be made of wood, or metal or of wood and metal; that the spokes may be separated by equal or unequal distances and that other changes in the construction and arrangement of parts might be resorted to without departing from the spirit of my invention and hence I would have it understood that I do not restrict myself to the particular construction shown and described.

Having fully described my invention what I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters-Patent, is:—

A bag holder comprising a hub, vertically adjustable supporting devices suspending said hub, an annular series of radial arms secured at their inner ends to said hub and free at their outer ends, alternating arms of said annular series having recesses in their upper faces near their rear free ends and having grooves communicating with respective sides of each of said recesses, and the remaining arms of said annular series having only transverse grooves near their free ends, and an annular series

of wire nails removably supported by the radial arms, each pair of said nails having their heads disposed in the same recess in one of the radial arms and having their
5 pointed ends disposed in the grooves of two adjacent arms.

In testimony whereof, I have signed this

specification in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

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