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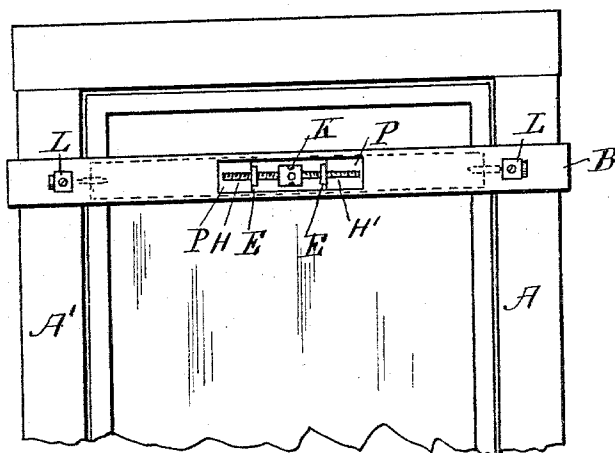


Fig. 1.

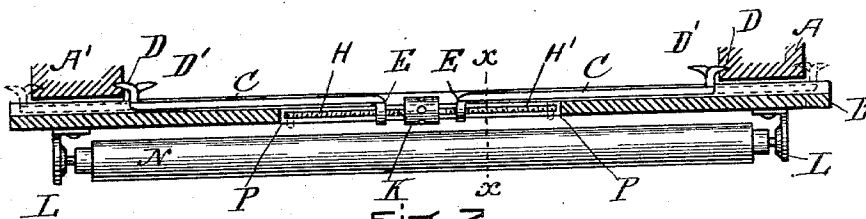


Fig. 2.

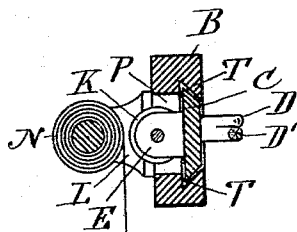


Fig. 3.

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DETACHABLE FIXTURE-BAR FOR WINDOW-CURTAINS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, URIAH S. JACKSON, of Ossipee, in the county of Carroll and State of New Hampshire, have invented a new and
5 useful Improvement in Detachable Fixture-Bars for Window-Curtains, of which the following, taken in connection with the accompanying drawings, is a specification.

My invention relates to a detachable bar
10 to be used as a base for attaching curtain-fixtures; and it consists in combining with said bar adjustable devices for fastening it to the casing of the window, the object being to provide a bar which will form a base for attaching
15 the ordinary curtain-fixtures and be portable and easy to attach or detach to an ordinary window-casing. This object I attain by means of the mechanism shown in the accompanying drawings, in which—

20 Figure 1 is an elevation showing a part of a window-casing, to which my detachable fixture-bar is affixed. Fig. 2 is a horizontal section taken centrally through the bar, the curtain being shown in full. Fig. 3 is a cross
25 vertical section taken on line *xx* of Fig. 2.

In the drawings, A and A' represent the two uprights of a window-casing of ordinary construction.

B is a bar of wood made as shown, having
30 an opening PP at its center, and also having a longitudinal dovetail groove on its inner side, as indicated by dotted lines in Figs. 1 and 2, also shown at TT, Fig. 3. Within this groove TT, I have two sliding rods or bars C and C'.
35 The outer ends of these bars each has two pointed hooks D and D'. The hooks D D' point outwardly and are extended to engage with the inner edges of the casings A and A' when the fixture-bar is applied, as shown in the drawings. If desirable, the sliding rods
40 C C may be so far extended as to make it practical for the inturned hooks D' and D' to engage with the outside edges of the casings A A', as indicated by dotted lines in Fig. 2.

The inner ends of the sliding rods C C are 45 turned at right angles, as shown, so as to form the parts E E, in which internal screws are cut for the reception of the screw-rod H H'.

The screw-rod H H' has at one end a right-hand screw and at the other end a left-hand 50 screw, adapted to engage with the internal screws cut in the parts E E, as stated. K is a boss attached rigidly to the screw-rod H H', and is provided with holes by which it and the attached screw-rod may be turned. The
55 fixtures L L are of ordinary construction and may be attached by nails or screws. N represents an ordinary curtain rolled up.

To fasten my bar to a window-casing I have
60 to so adjust the sliding rods C C that their hooks D D come within the width between the edges of the casings A and A'. Then by turning the screw E E in the right direction the hooks D D are forced into the wood of the casings A A', and the bar B is securely
65 attached. The method of attaching the bar B by the inner hook D' D' and the outer edges of the casings A A' is too obvious to need explanation.

I claim—

70 In detachable fixture-bars for window-curtains the combination of two rods each having double-barbed points at one end and an attached screw-nut at the other, a boss K having right and left screw-extensions which en-
75 gage with the said screw-nuts, whereby the said rods are operated; with a rigid bar extending across and resting upon the window-casings substantially as and for the purpose
80 set forth.

In testimony whereof I have signed my name to this specification, in the presence of two subscribing witnesses, on this 18th day of April, A. D. 1894.

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